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Cover: University Sport team captains: Bachelor of Science students Hedda Cooper (Rowing) and Sam Thompson (Tennis).

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT



It is with great pleasure that I am able to present the 2015 Annual Report in my first year as Chairman of the Board.

Let me start by thanking my predecessor Mr Geoff Rees, the inaugural Chair, who did an amazing job over his six-year tenure improving the position of sport at the University.

The report celebrates the many achievements of our student athletes, sporting teams and clubs and captures the impressive and growing range of programs and facilities available to students and staff at the University.

The Board and staff will continue to engage the University community in addressing the future challenges and opportunities that build on our solid foundation, with a particular focus on student leadership and developing a greater sense of esprit de corps.

Finally, I would like to thank my fellow Board members, the MU Sport staff and our dedicated band of volunteers and coaches for their fantastic efforts in 2015, and express my appreciation for the continued support of the University senior management group.

I hope that you find the report both informative and entertaining.

James Angus AO FAA Chairman

DIRECTOR'S REPORT



It is with great pride that I reflect on the achievements of our athletes, teams and clubs and the impressive range of sport, fitness and recreation opportunities contained in the Annual Report.

I would like to acknowledge the many people and organisations that are critical to this success:

- The team managers, coaches and volunteers who support our student athletes and teams at regional and national sporting competitions
- The office bearer, coaches and volunteers across all our 40 clubs for their extraordinary dedication and passion
- The sporting alumni who generously support the clubs and student athletes
- The Blues Advisory Committee and the Scholarships Committee for their diligence and commitment

- Colleagues across the University including the residential colleges for their ongoing collaboration
- The Executive Director of Engagement Mr Adrian Collette, and the broader Engagement Portfolio, and the University Senior Executive for their continued support
- Our compatriots at the national body Australian University Sport and sporting bodies at universities across the country for our shared sense of purpose

Finally, I would like to acknowledge the fantastic staff at Melbourne University Sport and members of the Board, in particular our new chair, Professor James Angus.

Tim Lee

Director of Sport

MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY SPORT



Melbourne University Sport (MU Sport) is a semi-autonomous department of the University, reporting to the Melbourne University Sport Board, and providing high-level policy, business and financial advice to the University on the development and management of sport and recreation at the University.

MU Sport provides professional management of the fitness, sports and recreation facilities, programs and activities of the University, and works closely with all stakeholders and external strategic partners in delivering sport and physical recreation opportunities for the University community in accordance with strategic and operational plans.

MU Sport is responsible for:

- The development of campus and off-campus facilities and managing all University sporting facilities, in particular the Sports Precinct, the Ski Lodge at Mount Buller and the Boat House on the Yarra River
- Provision of fitness and recreation services and programs including fitness assessments, personal training, group recreational club activity, short courses, and trips and tours
- Provision of sporting opportunities including supporting teams and individual students to compete in regional, national and international student competitions including the Australian University Games, the strategic development and
- operations of the competitive sporting clubs, professional management and promotion of lunchtime and college sport competitions, and support for elite-level student athletes with the High Performance Sport Program and the provision of sporting scholarships
- Ensuring the marketing and branding of sport to support student recruitment activity and support the engagement of the alumni with University sport programs and advancement activity
- Representing the University on matters pertaining to sport and physical recreation to local, state and federal government, Australian University Sport (AUS), sporting bodies and related professional organisations.

STRATEGIC PLAN FOR SPORT

Sport has a special significance for the University of Melbourne through the performances of sporting clubs, teams and high-profile athletes that enhance the reputation of the University.

The Vision for Sport is that the University of Melbourne is the leading Australian University in sporting performance, participation and quality of facilities. Success will be achieved when the University is recognised as the leading sporting University in the country and attracts the 'best and brightest' local and international high-performance student athletes.

Pillars

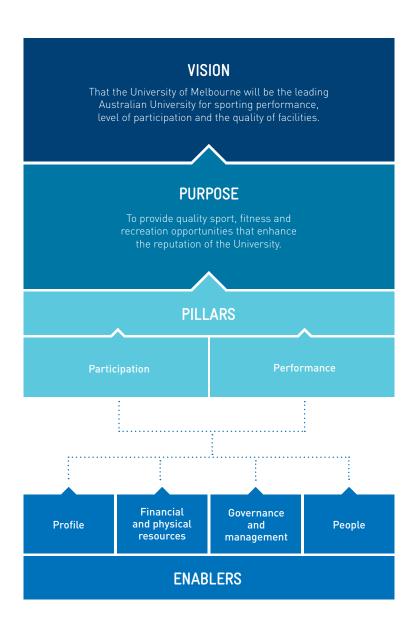
Participation

That the students, staff and the broader University community regularly participate in sport, fitness and recreation activities that encourage a balanced lifestyle and build a healthy community.

Success will be achieved when programs, services and facilities are appealing, relevant and convenient and cater for the constantly changing requirements of the University community.

Performance

That athletes, clubs and teams compete successfully at the highest level and participation establishes a lifelong connection to the University.



2015 HIGHLIGHTS **ATHLETICS CLUB CELEBRATES** 125TH ANNIVERSARY **6,978 STUDENT FITNESS MEMBERS** SUCCESSFUL LAUNCH OF THE 'GAY? THAT'S OK!' INITIATIVE The University Blacks Football Club playing against the Collegians Football Club during the 'Gay? That's OK!' launch

HIGHLIGHTS

Raise the Bar Academy Launched

The Raise the Bar program is an initiative between Athletics Australia and the University which took place in January.

Thirty-five indigenous school-student athletes from across the country participated in a series of athletics clinics, leadership and mentoring activities with some of the University's elite student athletes. The aim of the academy is to demonstrate the pathways to tertiary studies for indigenous students. Chris Navarette, one of the program participants, was admitted to the Bachelor of Science (extended) degree in 2015. Raise the Bar was held again in January 2016.



The 7th Australian Boat Race against the University of Sydney returned to the Yarra River on Sunday 25 October.

The races took place before a lively and colourful crowd of around 1,500 students, staff and alumni from both universities. The Sydney Men's crew took the honours in the first race, and the Melbourne Women's crew won an astonishing seventh consecutive victory. A successful addition to the event was the College Challenge, held earlier in the morning. Crews from Ormond College raced off against St Andrew's College from Sydney University over a shorter course. Ormond won the Women's race and St Andrew's was victorious in the Men's race





Gay? That's OK! Initiative Launched

Sport supported a new equality initiative in August.

The Gay? That's OK! initiative was launched on campus in support of former student and University Blacks football player Lachlan Beaton, who recently outlined his struggle dealing with his sexuality while a student at the University. Ultimately, the support he received from his family, friends and the University Blacks football club motivated Lachlan and his twin brother Charles to campaign

for same-sex rights and encourage young people to feel more comfortable with their sexuality. MU Sport hosted a talk by Lachlan with a luncheon at the Ernie Cropley Pavilion in August. The University Blacks players wore rainbow jumpers in their match against Collegians Football Club the following afternoon. The events were attended by VIPs including Rowena Allen, Victorian Gender and Sexuality Commissioner, and Martin Foley, Victorian Minister for Equality.



Dylan Alcott's Stellar Year

Commerce student Dylan Alcott has capped off a phenomenal year by winning his second University Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year award at the 2015 Blues and Sports Awards.

Alcott, who won both the US Open and Australian Open for Wheelchair Quad Tennis in 2015, has received significant support from the University. Alcott also won the Victorian Institute of Sport's 2015 Award of Excellence, the first time a wheelchair tennis athlete has won the award. Alcott aims to win gold at the 2016 Paralympics in Rio.





Athletics Club Celebrates 125th Anniversary

The Athletics Club celebrated its 125th Anniversary with a black-tie gala dinner at the Ormond College Great Hall on 26 September with over 100 guests.

Speakers included 1968 Olympic gold medallist Ralph Doubell and Rio Olympics Chef de Mission Kitty Chiller. Sport Board Chairman Jim Angus also spoke, and announced the Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship which will provide \$10,000 per year for a student athlete. The scholarship will encourage rising track and field talent to study in Australia instead of heading overseas.

University Of Melbourne Partners With Melbourne Football Club

The University and Melbourne Football Club signed a memorandum of understanding in January, formally partnering two of Melbourne's oldest institutions.

The partnership is initially focused on student engagement, with future collaboration planned in areas such as research. In September, a series of events were held on campus as a part of the Engaging Melbourne program.



Elite Athletes Lace Up Against Social Violence

University Elite Athletes wore orange laces to raise awareness about social violence in the community.

The Lace Up Against Social Violence Campaign was part of the larger Step Back Think initiative. The cause was supported with Elite Athletes and select clubs wearing orange laces during training and matches in June.



Fitness Attendance Records Broken

This year a record 6,978 students were members of the fitness centres on campus.

In August, the record for weekly gym attendance reached 19,000 unique visits. The 19,000th visitor was Siyuan Sun, first-year commerce student, who was presented with a free merchandise pack.



New Sport Board Appointments

Melbourne University Sport recently welcomed four new board members.

The University welcomed a new Sport Board Chair, Professor James Angus AO, along with three new external members – Kate Roffey, CEO for the Committee of Melbourne, Grant Williams from the AFL Executive, and former Olympic rower James Marburg.

For detailed information about Sport Board members, see page 77.



Kim Brennan's Gold Medal Year

After an incredible 2015, Kim Brennan (née Crow) is back on top of the world of professional rowing.

Media and Communications and Law Alumna Kim Brennan had a spectacular 2015, winning every international race she competed in – including her win in the Single Scull at the World Rowing Championships in Aiguebelette, France. This performance qualified the Women's single scull class for the 2016 Rio Olympic Games.

Rugby Young Achiever Award

The 2015 Rugby Young Achiever Award was presented to Harry Potter in October at the Weary Dunlop Luncheon at Crown Palladium.

Potter completed year 12 at Brighton Grammar in 2015 and will receive a \$14,000 education and sporting scholarship at the University. Potter plays fly half and has represented the Vic Schools U18 team. Potter recently qualified for the Melbourne Rebels U20 squad. The 17-year-old said the award would enable him to pursue his goals in rugby while simultaneously receiving a good education.

The Young Achiever Award runners-up were prop/hooker Declan Cox (Xavier College) and hooker/number eight Thomas Porritt (Melbourne Grammar).





University Gives ANU a Football Lesson

The University Men's Australian Rules Football team was invited to Canberra for an intervarsity match.

In a rare opportunity for interstate intervarsity competition outside of the Australian University Games, the Melbourne team soundly defeated Australian National University 16.4.100 – 5.5.35. The match drew a large crowd of excited onlookers at ANU's South Oval.



Anzac Day Derby

The University Blues and Blacks football teams had a rare chance to commemorate those who served Australia during World War I when they faced each other during the ANZAC Day weekend.

The two teams competed for Victorian Amateur Football Association premiership points, and the University Blues came out winners 13.14.92 – 3.12.30. Prior to the match, a ceremony was held to honour the 19 University Football Club members killed during World War I – the most casualties of any Victorian Football League Club.



Kitty Chiller Named Rio Olympics Chef de Mission

Arts alumna Kitty Chiller has been named the Chef de Mission for the Australian delegation to the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio.

Chiller is a former world No. 1 in modern pentathlon and competed in the 2000 Olympic Games in Sydney. She will be responsible for over 750 Australian Olympians and officials in Rio.



Blues and Sports Awards

The sporting year was capped off with the Blues and Sports Awards in November, which celebrated the sporting achievements of our student athletes and teams during 2015.

Wheelchair athlete Dylan Alcott (Wheelchair Quad Tennis) was awarded the Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year after reaching No. 1 in the world, having won the 2015 US Open and the

Australian Open. Guest of honour was 100-year-old alumnus William Morgan, who received a Rugby Blue in 1938.



PARTICIPATION

In 2015 there were 215,822 participation opportunities for sport, fitness or recreational activity offered for students, alumni, staff and community members.

Nearly 50% of students are regular users of the sport, recreation and instructional facilities and programs.



COLLEGE SPORT

College Sport provides residents of the University's affiliated colleges with representative opportunities across some 24 sporting competitions, some dating back more than 130 years.

St Hilda's were victorious in the Tickner Cup (per capita) trophy, reclaiming the trophy last won by the college in 2012. The powerhouse Ormond College backed up a strong 2014 with another winning year, claiming nine College Sport titles. Trinity was next best with six titles, followed by St Hilda's with four titles.

Of the many highlights throughout the year, notable results included:

- Queen's winning the Men's and Women's Soccer double
- Trinity ending the four-year reign of St Hilda's in Women's First VII Netball
- Newman College winning their first competition since 2012 in Table Tennis
- University College Men's team reclaiming both Second XVIII Football and Second XI Cricket.

St Hilda's was awarded the Tickner Cup for Overall Place (weighting) relative to the number of college residents. Trinity College retained the Cowan Cup for Mens points, and arch rival Ormond College were again victorious in the Holmes Shield for Womens points.

College Sport continued to provide some 9,000 game opportunities for residents to participate in throughout the year, with many sporting finals (including Netball, Hockey and Football), carnivals and the rowing regatta on the Yarra River drawing vocal crowds to cheer on their respective teams.

2015 College Sport Champions

SPORT	MEN'S CHAMPION	WOMEN'S CHAMPION
Athletics	Ormond College	Ormond College
Basketball	St Hilda's	Trinity College
Cricket – First XI	St Hilda's	-
Cricket – Second XI	University College	-
Football – First XVIII	Trinity College	-
Football – Second XVIII	University College	-
Football – Women	-	Ormond College
Hockey	Trinity College	Ormond College
Netball – First VII	-	Trinity College
Netball – Second VII	-	St Hilda's
Rowing – First VIII	Trinity College	Ormond College
Rowing – Second VIII	Ormond College	St Hilda's
Soccer	Queen's College	Queen's College
Softball	-	Ormond College
Swimming	Ormond College	Trinity College
Table Tennis – Mixed	Newman College	Newman College
Tennis – Mixed	Ormond College	Ormond College
Student Athlete of the Year	Jordan Quaile (Queen's)	Harriet Fitzpatrick (Queen's)



2015 College Sport Points Table

LACE	TICKNER CUP OVERALL PLACE (WEIGHTING)	WEIGHTING	COWAN CUP MEN'S PLACE (POINTS)	POINTS	HOLMES SHIELD WOMEN'S PLACE (POINTS)	POINTS
st	St Hilda's	2.28	Trinity	280	Ormond	310
nd	Trinity	1.93	Ormond	260	Trinity	275
rd	UC	1.36	St Hilda's	235	Queen's	200
th	Queen's	1.31	Queen's	190	St Hilda's	200
n	Ormond	1.28	UC	90	UC	165
1	Newman	0.71	St Mary's	80	Newman	35
n	St Mary's	0.65	Newman	70	St Mary's	30
n	Whitley	0.26	International House	45	Whitley	25
n	International House	0.17	Whitley	10	International House	0
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Note: Tickner Cup weighting is calculated according to the number of total points per college/population per college.

CAMPUS SPORT

Campus Sport provides opportunities for student and staff to compete socially in a fun, lunchtime sporting program.

Competitions were held in both Semester 1 and Semester 2 during the year. The trend towards favoured sports from previous years continued, with the competitions of Men's and Mixed Futsal and Mixed Netball being the most heavily entered.

Overall, the competition fell slightly below 2014 participation numbers, reaching 7,358 opportunities (down from 7,488 in 2014 but up on 6,460 in 2013). Futsal continued to be the most popular Campus Sport program, with four separate competitions taking place across the year with approximately 190 weekly participants in both semesters. The addition of 3 on 3 Basketball in Semester 1 and Dodgeball in Semester 2 showed participants had an appetite to try different sports.

2015 Campus Sport Champions

SPORT	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Men's Futsal (Tuesday)	FC Sausages	Ottoman Empire
Mixed Futsal	Ladies Man	Ladies Man
Mixed Netball (Tuesday)	Netbullers	Pat and the Pussycats
Mixed Netball (Wednesday)	The 1995-96 Chicago Bulls	The 1995-96 Chicago Bulls
Dodgeball	-	NOT MY FACE
3 on 3 Basketball	Nothing but Nest	-



COMMUNITY SPORT

Community Sport offers social sporting competitions for participants from both the University and wider community in after-hours and weekend competitions.

Tin Alley Netball was played throughout Semester 1 and Semester 2 on Wednesday nights. The competition added an extra timeslot and was thus able to expand and improve on 2014 entries. The Semester 1 Autumn competition had 30 teams registering to take part in Mixed and Women's competitions, with a further 34 teams taking part in the Semester 2 Spring Mixed competition. This was the largest Tin Alley Netball competition ever run in terms of entries and the competition is unable to expand any further.

Tin Alley Volleyball, which began in 2013, continued with three competitions held throughout the year. The entries have gradually grown from the competition inception, with 33 teams registering across 2015, up from 21 in the previous year.

With the growth of Tin Alley Volleyball, game opportunities for the Community Sport program increased to 7,266 in 2015 (up from 5,856 in 2014, and 5,458 in 2013).

2015 Tin Alley Sport Champions

SPORT	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Mixed Netball - Div 1	Lemon James Cojo	The Ape Holes
Mixed Netball – Div 2	Blue Balls	Ballhandlers
Mixed Netball - Div 3	Netballz	Riot Squad
Women's Netball	Mighty M's	-
Mixed Volleyball	Autumn – Division A	Hot and Spikey
	Autumn – Division B	Saltstorm
	Spring – Division A	#godhelpus
	Spring – Division B	Blobsters



Team Melbourne

Team Melbourne provides opportunities for students, staff and alumni to participate in community sporting events including: Run for the Kids, Mother's Day Classic, and the Melbourne Marathon. This year 256 participants competed and represented the University. MU Sport provided event participants with a University of Melbourne singlet and support such as recovery food, energy drinks and massage.

Team Melbourne Participation

EVENT	DATE	PARTICIPANTS
Run for the Kids	13 April	64
Mother's Day Classic	11 May	53
Melbourne Marathon	12 October	139



Casual Facility Visits

Students, staff and the community use sport facilities on a casual basis. The facilities include tennis, squash, badminton, basketball, netball and volleyball courts, as well as an athletics track and hockey pitch.

Participation across our venue hire facilities grew by 21%, with the continued success of student programs such as Quick Hit for squash, tennis and badminton.

Ski Lodge

The Ski Lodge is located in the heart of the Mount Buller alpine village. The lodge is available for students, staff, alumni and community members.

The 2015 snow season ranked seventh worst on record. This led to a 9% decrease in patronage within our

ski lodge compared to 2014. However, a new online booking system was implemented this year which helped increase our overall satisfaction levels by 10% over 2014.



FITNESS SERVICES

A range of fitness opportunities are provided for students, staff, alumni and the community across three sites: the Sports Centre, the Beaurepaire Centre and Lincoln Square Fitness.

Fitness Services includes aquatics, strength and fitness gyms and group fitness programs.



Membership

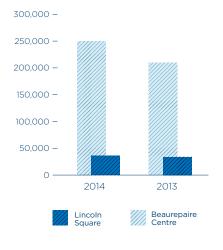
Members have unlimited access to all three fitness facilities on campus, including pool access and the Group Fitness program. University of Melbourne students are offered memberships at much lower rates than facilities offering similar services within the local community.

Since 2012 we have seen a 30% increase in visits. During the peak period of the academic year in 2015, students accounted for over 74% (up from 71% in previous years), while staff and alumni accounted for 21%, and the balance was made up of community members.

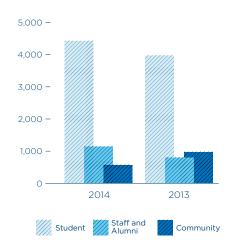
While the distribution of members has remained relatively stable since 2012, there has been an overall increase in membership numbers at peak times.

The graph below offers a snapshot of the highest point in terms of total membership of MU Sport Fitness. On 30 September, 6,497 could access our facilities on that day. This represents a 12% growth in peak membership since 2012.

Membership Visits



Membership Participation



Fitness

The Beaurepaire Centre and Lincoln Square Fitness have a broad range of strength and fitness equipment, with staff on hand to provide training programs and guidance for all users.

Equipment ranges from electronic cardio equipment to pin-loaded and free weights strength equipment, as well as a variety of equipment used for functional fitness, such as kettle bells, TRX bands, rings and straps.

In 2015 just over 2,000 new users completed an introductory session, while 1,167 recorded as members took advantage of free monthly training program upgrades to help achieve their fitness goals. This contributed to 580 additional fitness consultations in 2015.

Overall fitness participation figures increased significantly in 2015, with 315,365 total visits to the fitness facilities compared to 296,665 in 2014, representing an increase of over 7%.

Participation numbers at the Beaurepaire Centre grew in 2015, with an overall increase of approximately 18,000 visits across the year. Lincoln Square Fitness (LSF) was on track for an increase in participation, however, due to four weeks' closure caused by flood damage, visits remained flat on 36,000 for 2015.

To take advantage of current trends towards functional fitness training and high-intensity interval training (HIIT), and provide time-saving exercise options, the FastFit Group Fitness program was introduced on the gym floor with great success. X-Train classes were popular, particularly with female student members, and helped bridge the gap between gym training and group fitness classes.

Aquatics

The Beaurepaire Pool is 25 meters long and is ideally suited to lap swimming and learn to swim programs for school-aged and adult swimmers of all abilities.

Aquatics visits at the Beaurepaire Centre also remained steady at approximately 100,000 visits in 2015. A large upgrade to the pool plant commenced in December 2015 and included a change to the filter media, replacement of valves, upgrading of the Co2 dosing system, as well as re-grouting and replacement of worn tiles. The pool reopened in mid-January 2016. The improvements have provided improved water conditions for patrons as well as improving the operational safety of the plant.



Group Fitness

The Group Fitness program consists of a variety of exercise classes set to music and led by qualified fitness professionals.

Classes cater for all levels of fitness and include Les Mills pre-choreographed classes such as BodyPump, BodyAttack, BodyStep and BodyBalance, alongside classes as diverse as Zumba and Pilates. Classes attract both female and male participants, and class participation numbers can vary from 10 to 50.

The Group Fitness program in 2015 continued to maintain consistent participation numbers for classes held at the Sport Centre and also at Lincoln Square Fitness, with our overall attendance increasing by 4% from 2014.

The Group Fitness Program at the Sport Centre attracted 48,015 visits, averaging 18.5 people per class, while Lincoln Square Fitness received over 10,982 visits with a class average of 12 participants.

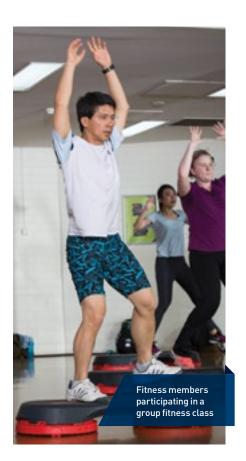
The introduction of the FastFit program (small group training classes), held in the Beaurepaire Centre as part of the Group Fitness schedule, accounted for an additional 3,183 participants in 2015. The overall class visits including FastFit numbers for 2015 grew to 62,180 participants, compared with 59,765 in 2014.

The strongest classes were BodyPump (13,580), BodyAttack (9,166), Yoga (7,171) and Pilates (6,557). BodyAttack continues to increase with BodyStep classes starting to make a comeback in 2015. Classes such as Zumba, '80s Footloose'n'Fit, Cardio Box and Bootfit continued to draw loyal and regular followers along with new participants.

Dance-based classes continued to attract a strong following, which led to Zumba and the '80s Footloose'n'Fit class continuing on the timetable. These high-energy, fun classes incorporate themes from the 1980s – the moves, the music and even the outfits.

A new addition to the Group Fitness timetable, the Les Mills program GRIT Strength, was launched in 2015. GRIT is a 30-minute high-intensity interval training style program.

Free Friday classes became a permanent feature on our semester timetable, providing members and visitors with an excellent opportunity to participate and experiment with new classes.



Sporting Clubs Participation

Sporting clubs offer a range of competitive, instructional and recreational opportunities for University students, staff, alumni and the wider community.

In 2015, there were 7,836 club members who engaged in 215,822 participant opportunities through training, game days, trips and tours.

Specific details for each club can be found from page 38.



Representative Sport

Students represent the University in a range of regional, national and occasionally international sporting competitions.

In 2015, 896 student athletes represented the University in 76 recognised inter-university competition games, matches or races.

For further details on representative sport, see page 21.



Elite Athlete Program

Elite and emerging student athletes are supported by the University's Elite Athlete Program to enable their academic studies and sporting pursuits to be undertaken in harmony.

A small cohort of high-performance club athletes is also supported via the Elite Athlete Program. A total of 235 student athletes and 80 club athletes were supported in 2015. Their participation opportunities are included in fitness attendance data and/or club participation opportunities where appropriate.

Cohort demographics and outstanding individual achievements can be found from page 27.



PERFORMANCE **235 ELITE ATHLETES 52 NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES 896 STUDENT ATHLETES** Master of Engineering student Catherine Phillips, Female Athlete of the Year

PERFORMANCE

Representative Sport Results

Student athletes have the opportunity to represent the University in a series of sporting competitions including the Varsity Challenge, Southern University Games, Australian University Games and Australian University Championships.



Australian University Games

The Australian University Games (AUG) is a multi-sport event held each year comprising the majority of Australian Universities. The University has been National Champion in 2008, 2012 and 2013.

The Australian University Games (AUG) returned to the Gold Coast in 2015.

Melbourne was the AUG Overall Champion last time the Games were on the Gold Coast – unfortunately we were a long way off defending this title, winning only two titles in Women's Fencing and Women's

Ultimate Frisbee. With only the two titles to our name, we slipped down to seventh overall behind Sydney, Griffith (their best finish ever), Monash, UTS (also their best finish), UWA and RMIT.

With seven national silver medals at the Games (Men's Australian Football, Men's Badminton, Women's Basketball, Men's Cycling, Men's Fencing, Men's Football and Kendo), perhaps we were a little unlucky to finish seventh. Melbourne teams also won two bronze medals and had another four teams finish in the top four.



Australian University Games Results

All results relate to participation in the 2015 Australian University Games (AUG) on the Gold Coast (28 September – 2 October 2015).

TEAM	RESULT
Athletics – Men	8 th (26)
Athletics – Women	9 th (36)
Australian Football – Men	2 nd (10)
Australian Football – Women	DNC
Badminton – Men	2 nd (11)
Badminton – Women	5 th (6)
Baseball	6 th (13)
Basketball – Men	9 th (20)
Basketball – Women	2 nd (20)
Beach Volleyball – Men	8 th (18)
Beach Volleyball – Women	7 th (16)
Beach Volleyball – Mixed	7 th (28)
Cricket	DNC
Cycling – Men	2 nd (9)
Cycling – Women	DNC
Fencing – Men	2 nd (10)
Fencing – Women	Champions (9)
Football - Men	2 nd (22)
Football - Women	3 rd (15)
Futsal – Men	11 th (27)
Futsal – Women	DNC
Golf – Men	7 th (12)
Golf - Women	6 th (8)
Hockey - Men	3 rd (19)
Hockey - Women	5 th (20)
Judo	DNC
Kendo – Open	2 nd (7)
Kendo – Women	DNC

TEAM	RESULT
Lawn Bowls	DNC
Netball - Mixed	5 th (20)
Netball - Women	12 th (20)
Rugby Union 7s	DNC
Softball	8 th (11)
Squash – Men	8 th (10)
Squash – Women	4 th (4)
Swimming – Men	13 th (19)
Swimming – Women	7 th (17)
Table Tennis – Men	5 th (12)
Table Tennis – Women	4 th (5)
Tae Kwon Do – Men	8 th (17)
Tae Kwon Do – Women	5 th (11)
Ten Pin Bowling	DNC
Tennis – Men	9 th (20)
Tennis – Women	5 th (14)
Touch – Men	7 th (18)
Touch - Mixed	21 st (28)
Touch – Women	5 th (16)
Ultimate Frisbee – Men	10 th (23)
Ultimate Frisbee – Women	Champions (22)
Volleyball – Men	13 th (17)
Volleyball – Women	4 th (18)
Water Polo – Men	4 th (13)
Water Polo – Women	6 th (14)

^{*} The bracketed number represents the number of competing universities (combining both Division 1 and 2 teams where multiple divisions).

Southern University Games

Adelaide was the host city for the 2015 Southern University Games (SUG).

Having already pre-qualified all teams for the Australian University Games on the back of 2014 results, the SUG again provided an opportunity for participation-focused teams.

Men's Basketball and Mixed Ultimate Frisbee each brought home a bronze medal from our five competing teams.

Southern University Games Results

TEAM	RESULT	
Basketball – Men	3 rd (15)	
Basketball – Women	9 th (15)	
Netball – Mixed	7 th (16)	
Netball – Women	6 th (12)	
Ultimate Frisbee - Mixed	3rd [16]	

All results relate to participation in the 2015 Southern University Games (SUG) in Adelaide (5 to 9 July 2015).

^{*} The bracketed number represents the number of competing universities (combining both Division 1 and 2 teams where multiple divisions).

Australian University Championships and other Intervarsity Events

The Australian University Championships are separate from the University Games and are held as specialty events that require a particular environment, such as snow.

Championships are similar to University Games but are held at different times of the year depending on the sport and its unique requirements. Currently, these sports include Orienteering, Surfing, Snow Sports, Distance Running, Rowing, Triathlon and Twenty20 Cricket.

In 2015 the University won national championships in Women's Orienteering and Women's Rowing. Lanita Steer (Agriculture) and Belinda Lawford (Science PhD) finished first and second in the Women's Orienteering Championship, ensuring that the University reclaimed the Overall Orienteering Champions title. The Women's Rowing team dominated at the Australian University Championships

in Adelaide, where they won four of six races. The combined Women's and Men's results also saw Melbourne earn the title of Overall Rowing Champions. Each of our 14 Women's rowers received a Blue and the team was crowned 2015 Australian University Sport Team of the Year. The Women's Rowing crew also won a remarkable seventh consecutive title in the Australian Boat Race against their rivals from Sydney University.

The University continued to be a key driver in re-establishing intervarsity matches outside of the traditional Southern and Australian University Games. In addition to the Varsity Challenge games previously reported on, Melbourne teams also flew to Canberra to take on ANU in Australian Football and also hosted RMIT in Netball. Both Melbourne teams were victorious in these games.

Other Australian University
Championship results are highlighted in the table below. These Championship results, combined with our Australian University Games results, saw the University finish 5th in the Australian University Sport overall championship.

Australian University Championship Results

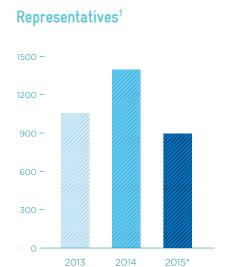
TEAM	DATE	LOCATION	RESULT	
Distance Running – Men	18 October	Melbourne	6 th (39)	
Distance Running – Women	18 October	Melbourne	5 th (39)	
Orienteering – Men	5 April	Bri-Glen, SA	4 th [6]	
Orienteering – Women	5 April	Bri-Glen, SA	1 st (5)	
Rowing – Men	27 Sep – 2 October	Adelaide, SA	3 rd (14)	
Rowing – Women	27 Sep – 2 October	Adelaide, SA	1 st (11)	
Snow Sports – Men	23 – 27 August	Thredbo, NSW	3 rd (19)	
Snow Sports – Women	23 – 27 August	Thredbo, NSW	2 nd (17)	
Surfing – Men	17 – 18 July	Port Macquarie, NSW	7 th (10)	
Surfing – Women	17 – 18 July	Port Macquarie, NSW	DNC	
Triathlon – Men	18 October	Yarrawonga, Vic	No Result	
Triathlon – Men	18 October	Yarrawonga, Vic	DNC	

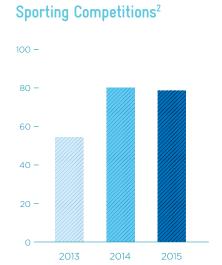
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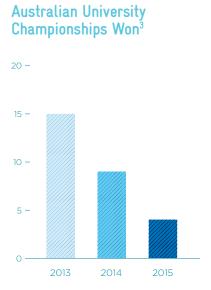
Other Intervarsity Results

EVENT	SPORT	DATE	LOCATION	RESULT
Varsity Match v ANU	Australian Rules Football – Men	2 April	Canberra	Champions
Varsity Match v RMIT	Netball	24 April	Melbourne	Champions
Victorian Rugby 7s Championship	Rugby 7s	July – August	Melbourne	Champions (4)
DGIST Rowing Festival	Rowing – Men's Indoor Ergo, 2000m Relay and Four	23 – 29 August	South Korea	Champions (4)
DGIST Rowing Festival	Rowing – Women's Indoor Ergo, 2000m Relay and Four	23 – 29 August	South Korea	Champions (4)
Gallagher Great Race	Rowing – Women's Coxed Eight	12 – 13 September	Waikato, New Zealand	3 _{rq} (3)
Australian Boat Race	Rowing – Men's Coxed Eight	25 October	Melbourne	Runners-up
Australian Boat Race	Rowing – Women's Coxed Eight	25 October	Melbourne	Champions

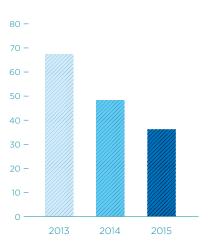
Representative Sport by the Numbers



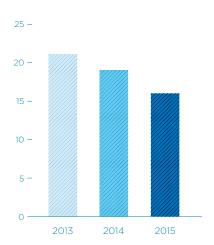




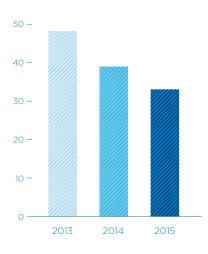








Green and Gold Recipients^{3,4}



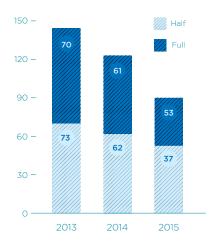
Australian University Games - Overall

2015 **7th**2014 **2nd**2013 **1st**

Australian University Sport - Overall



Sporting Blues Awarded



- Representatives include student athletes, team managers and coaches of teams competing at Australian University Sport regional and national competitions, Varsity Challenge and other inter-varsity competitions.
- ² Sporting competitions refer to the number of team competitions entered by the University of Melbourne at Australian University Sport regional and national competitions, Varsity Challenge and other inter-varsity competitions.
- a Australian University Championships Won, Individual Medals, Team/Crew Medals and Green and Gold Recipients refer to Australian University Sport national competitions only.
- ⁴ Green and Gold awards are All-Star teams selected from competing teams at Australian University Sport national competitions.
- * Representative data includes 18 competitors only for the 2015 Australian University Championship Distance Running. An additional 403 students who participated in this event are included in the Team Melbourne participation data set.

Varsity Challenge

The traditional rivalry between Melbourne and Monash University reached a new level with head-to-head sporting competitions played in 10 sports over two days on both campuses.

Monash retained the trophy and title as the reigning champions from 2014.



Varsity Challenge Results

ноѕт	SCORE	RESULT
Melbourne	4.6.30 to 4.2.26	Champions
Monash	65 – 45	Runners-up
Monash	40 – 38	Runners-up
Monash	5 – 3 (Penalties)	Runners-up
Monash	2 – 1	Runners-up
Melbourne	3 – 1	Champions
Melbourne	3 – 2	Champions
Monash	8 – 3	Runners-up
Melbourne	3 – 0	Champions
Melbourne	3 – 0	Champions
	Monash Monash Monash Melbourne Melbourne Monash Melbourne	Monash 65 - 45 Monash 40 - 38 Monash 5 - 3 (Penalties) Monash 2 - 1 Melbourne 3 - 1 Melbourne 3 - 2 Monash 8 - 3 Melbourne 3 - 0

BLUES AND SPORTS AWARDS

The University awards Blues to student sportsmen and women for outstanding sporting performance at the Australian University Games and Championships.

The sporting achievements of 2015 were celebrated in late November with a presentation and reception in the Copeland Theatre, Faculty of Business and Economics. Full Blues were awarded to 53 student athletes while a further 37 Half Blues were awarded. Special guests included keynote speaker and former Australian netballer Elissa Kent (Full Blue 2006 and 2007) and the University's oldest living Blue, Bill Morgan (Full Blue 1938), who had celebrated his 100th birthday only weeks before the presentation.

Blues Awards by Sport

SPORT	ноѕт	
Rowing	16 (15 full)	
Basketball	9 (4 full)	
Badminton	8 (5 full)	
Snow Sports	8 (5 full)	
Football	6 (3 full)	
Hockey	6 (2 full)	



University Sport Team of the Year Women's Rowing University Sport Male Athlete of the Year Adam Pyke (Athletics) University Sport Female Athlete of the Year Catherine Phillips (Ultimate Frisbee) Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the year Dylan Alcott (Wheelchair Tennis)

Distinguished Service Award

A Distinguished Service Award was presented to Andrew Walker for service to University Basketball.

Andrew first coached the University's Men's Basketball team at the 2005 Australian University Games in Brisbane and continued to do so through to 2015 – 11 consecutive years of coaching at the AUG with eight years of Southern University Games and two Varsity Challenges also within this period. These 11 years of service have seen him coach some 150 representative games of Basketball for the University of Melbourne.

In his years of service, Andrew has achieved some outstanding results at the Games, with his team winning a National Championship at the Perth event in 2010, finishing National Runners-Up in 2009, 2012 and 2013, and

winning a gold medal in Division 2 in 2015. Only once has a team under his guidance finished outside the top five at the Games. Over the past 11 years, players under his tutelage have been awarded a total of 15 Full Blues and 17 Half Blues, and the 2010 National Champion team was named University Sport Team of the Year. He too has been awarded our Coach of the Year on two occasions (2009 and 2010).



Elite Athlete Program



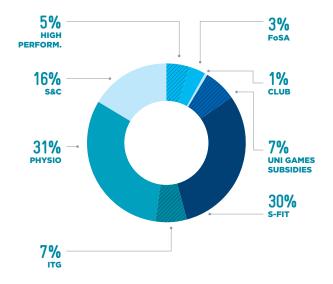
The Elite Athlete Program (EAP) supports student athletes enrolled at the University of Melbourne.

The EAP supported 235 student athletes in 2015 and an additional 80 non-student club members also received some in-kind support.

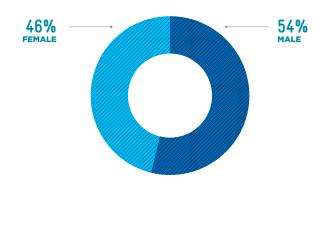
Performances included Joel Baden (Science) competing at the IAAF World Championships in Beijing in the High Jump, where he jumped a season's best of 2.26m. Swimmer Hayley Baker (Arts) was a member of the Australian Dolphins swim team and finished 17th in the 200m Backstroke at the World Championships in Kazan. Madeleine Steer (Science) was a member of the

Australian Women's Water Polo team that won gold at the World University Games. Jennifer Cleary and her crew finished 5th in the Women's Quad Scull at the World Championship and qualified the boat for the 2016 Rio Olympic Games. And netballer Joanna Weston (Commerce) debuted for the Australian Diamonds in their trans-Tasman series against New Zealand.

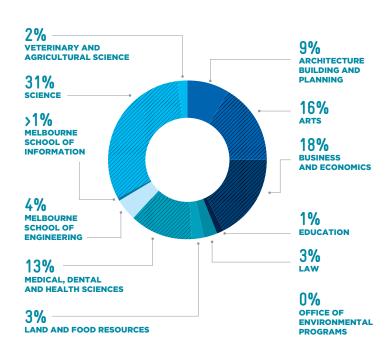
Elite Athlete student support by type



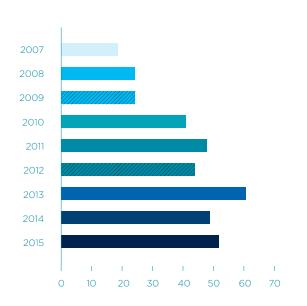
Elite Athlete Student Support by Gender



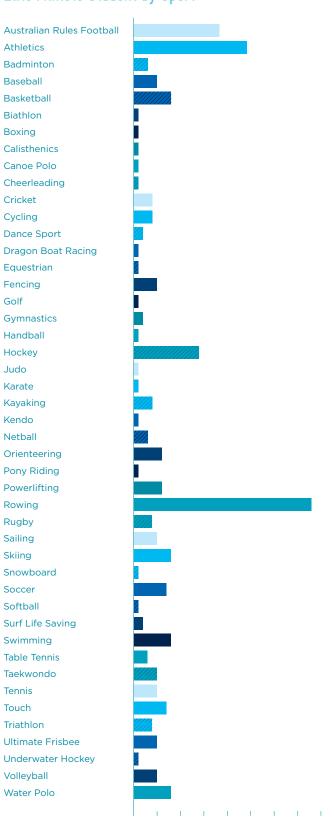
Elite Athlete students by Faculty/School



Total Number of National Representatives By Year



Elite Athlete Student by Sport



10 15

20 25 30

35





OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

LEGEND



High Performance Scholarships

High Performance scholarships of up to \$4,000 are generally awarded to the University's elite student athletes who have been senior, national representatives in Olympic, Commonwealth and/or International University Sports Federation (FISU) sports.



Winged Victory University Sport Scholarships

Winged Victory University Sport scholarships provide subsidies of up to \$1,000 to elite and emerging student athletes competing at state level and above (who are also usually a member of a Melbourne University club) for the purposes of benefiting the University's Australian University Games or Championship teams.



Full Blues

A Full Blue can be awarded for outstanding individual performance or contribution to the success of a team.



Friends of the Sports **Association Scholarships**

Friends of the Sports Association scholarships of up to \$2,500 are awarded to national age level and/or state level representatives who are also members of affiliated Melbourne University sporting clubs (and may also include non-members where a sport is not represented by an affiliated club).



ScholarFit Membership

ScholarFit memberships are awarded to student athletes competing at regional level and above (and usually for a Melbourne University club). This membership provides access to the University's aquatic and fitness facilities.



International **Travel Grants**

sporting clubs.

Club

Scholarship

Club Scholarships are awarded on behalf

highest level of club competition available

to them. These scholarships range from

club fee waivers to \$2,500. This support

facilitates the growth of student athlete

participation in Melbourne University

of Melbourne University sporting clubs

to student athletes who compete at the

International travel grants of up to \$1,000 are awarded to a limited number of elite student athletes who have been selected to represent their country in recognised international events. Grant funding is made available by the University's Cultural and Community Relations Advisory Group (CCRAG).



Half Blues

A Half Blue can be awarded to a sportsman or sportswoman whose performance has been very close to outstanding.

FACULTY AND SCHOOL KEY

VAS - Veterinary and Agricultural Science

SCI - Science

ARTS - Arts

MDHS - Medical, Dental and Health Sciences

B & E – Business and Economics

MSE - Melbourne School of Engineering

MSD - Melbourne School of Design

LAW - Law

EDU - Education

MSI - Melbourne School of Information

ABP - Architecture Building and Planning

OEP – Office of Environmental Programs

MARLENA AHRENS

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Kayaking AUS Representative, World Championships





DYLAN ALCOTT

Faculty: B & E Sport: Wheelchair Quad Tennis AUS & US Open Champion





PHOEBE ALLEN

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Rowing





JOHN ANDRINOPOULOS

Faculty: B & E Sport: Soccer



ALICE ARCH

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Rowing AUS Rep World University Games









SONJA ARTHUR

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Ultimate Frisbee



JOEL BADEN

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Athletics AUS Rep World Championships







HAYLEY BAKER

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Swimming AUS Rep World Championships





SARAH BANTING

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Rowing AUS Rep World Championships









Faculty: SCI

Sport: Water Polo



JOSHUA BARRINGTON



SARAH BEN DAVID

Faculty: B & E Sport: Rowing AUS Rep U21 Trans Tasman Invitational





HUGO BERRY

Faculty: B & E Sport: Rowing



JOSHUA BOOTH

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Rowing AUS Rep World Championships



Faculty: MSD Sport: Australian Rules Football



Faculty: MSD

Sport: Australian Rules Football

SCOTT BRAITHWAITE

RUTH BROOKER

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Soccer



JACQUELINE BROOKES

Faculty: B & E Sport: Rowing





WILLIAM BRUKNER

Faculty: B & E **Sport:** Hockey



В

TIFFANY CHAO

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Ultimate Frisbee



KIRILEE CHAPLIN

Faculty: SCI Sport: Canoe Polo AUS Rep Oceania Canoe Polo Championships





BRANDON CHOO

Faculty: B & E **Sport:** Powerlifting AUS Rep World Junior Championships







Faculty: SCI Sport: Basketball









JENNIFER CLEARY

Faculty: SCI Sport: Rowing AUS Rep World Rowing Championships







JAMIE COLLINS

Faculty: SCI Sport: Netball





ALICE COONEY

Faculty: B & E Sport: Touch Football















HEDDA COOPER

Faculty: SCI

Sport: Rowing

AUS Rep World

University Games

AYCE CORDY

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Australian Rules Football Western Bulldogs Football Club



В

TRAVIS COYLER

ANNA DONLAN

Sport: Volleyball

Faculty: VAS

Faculty: B & E Sport: Australian Rules Football

Essendon Football Club



DANIEL CURRIE

Faculty: B & E Sport: Australian Rules Football North Melbourne Football Club







ANNE DEVEREAUX

Faculty: SCI

Sport: Fencing



BENJAMIN DODDRIDGE

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Netball





CLARE DUCK

Faculty: VAS Sport: Soccer





KATE DUGGAN

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Rowing



BROOKE DUNLEAVY

Faculty: ARTS **Sport:** Skiing





CLAIRE EDWARDS

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Basketball



EBRU EFE

Faculty: SCI Sport: Soccer



GEORGIA EGAN-GRIFFITHS

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Ultimate Frisbee AUS Rep U23 World Championships







WILLIAM ELLIS

Faculty: SCI Sport: Soccer



JEREMY FLANAGAN

Faculty: SCI Sport: Biathlon AUS Rep World University Games



В

TYSON FOREMAN

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Baseball





KENJI FUJIHARA

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Aerobic Gymnastics AUS Rep Asian Championships





LUKE GILLIES

Faculty: B & E Sport: Karate

AUS Rep Commonwealth Championships





ASHWANT GOBINATHAN

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Badminton AUS Rep Oceania Championship







CONOR GRACE

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Rowing AUS Rep Oceania Championship





TESS GRIMMOND

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Netball



ANTON GRIMUS

Faculty: MSE Sport: Freestyle Skiing AUS Rep Freestyle Skiing World Cup – Ski Cross Series







NICHOLAS GROENEWALD

Faculty: SCI Sport: Swimming AUS Rep Junior World Championships





DIANNA GU

Faculty: B & E Sport: Fencing

AUS Rep World Championships





MAX GULHANE

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Sailing

AUS Rep World Championships



TIMOTHY HANNAH

Faculty: ABP Sport: Sailing

AUS Rep 470 Open European Championships



ROSE HARRIS

Faculty: SCI Sport: Basketball

GEORGE HURLEY



ELIZABETH HEDDING

Faculty: B & E Sport: Athletics



DARCY HOLDSWORTH

Faculty: MSG Sport: Water Polo



OLIVIA HONORE

Faculty: SCI Sport: Rowing





Faculty: VAS

Sport: Hockey



ZANE HUTTER

Faculty: SCI Sport: Hockey



MONIQUE IANELLA

Faculty: B & E Sport: Soccer

AUS Rep AFF Women's Championships





NICHOLAS JOVANOVSKI

Faculty: B & E Sport: Tennis





KIERAN KAUFMANN

Faculty: EDU Sport: Basketball



MICHELLE KERRIN

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Netball



THOMAS KLEMENS

Faculty: B & E Sport: Sailing

AUS Rep World Championships





SEAN LALLY

Faculty: LAW Sport: Soccer



LACHLAND LANGFORD

Faculty: SCI

Sport: Australian Rules Football Hawthorn Football Club



BELINDA LAWFORD

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Orienteering





IAN LAWFORD

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Orienteering

AUS Rep World Championships





DELUCA LAWSON MATTHEW

Faculty: ABP Sport: Athletics

AUS Rep World University Games





KIMBERLY WEN QI LIEW

Faculty: SCI Sport: Basketball





EDWIN LUK

Faculty: B & E Sport: Badminton



Faculty: ARTS Sport: Rowing

JAMES MACMILLAN

Faculty: B & E

Sport: Australian Rules Football North Melbourne Football Club

VINNING MAK

Faculty: B & E Sport: Badminton















RAYMOND MAK

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Swimming

AUS Rep World University







JAY (ZHIYUAN) MAO

Faculty: ABP Sport: Badminton



DANIEL MARKWORTH

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Australian Rules Football St Kilda Football Club



AMY MCCORMICK

Faculty: MDHS **Sport:** Cross Country

AUS Rep World Championships





THOMAS MCDONALD

Faculty: B & E

Sport: Australian Rules Football Melbourne Football Club





SUNSANEE MCDONNELL

Faculty: ARTS **Sport:** Taekwondo AUS Rep Spanish Open





ALICE MCNAMARA

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Rowing

AUS Rep World Championships



Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Cycling







DARCY MOORE

Faculty: B & E

Sport: Australian Rules Football Collingwood Football Club





Faculty: ABP Sport: Taekwondo





JACKSON MYNOTT

Faculty: SCI Sport: Netball



ISABELLE NAPIER

Faculty: ABP Sport: Athletics



ALEXANDRA NEILSON

Faculty: ARTS

Sport: Skiing



Faculty: B & E Sport: Australian Rules Football Melbourne Football Club

Faculty: LAW Sport: Water Polo

JAMES OGILVIE-LEE

RACHEL PARSONAGE

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Water Polo









CATHERINE PHILLIPS

Faculty: MSE Sport: Ultimate Frisbee AUS Rep US Open









DAVID PINO

Faculty: SCI Sport: Basketball



MARC PITTONET

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Australian Rules Football Hawthorn Football Club



ALEXANDRA PRENTICE

Faculty: SCI

Sport: Ultimate Frisbee AUS Rep U23 World Championships









ADAM PYKE Faculty: SCI Sport: Athletics





Faculty: SCI

Sport: Golf

STEPHANIE RADFORD

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Rowing







JOHNNY REID

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Water Polo AUS Rep World Junior Championships











ALEXANDRA RADEVSKI

NATHAN SAMBEVSKI

Faculty: LAW Sport: Touch





EMILY SECCULL

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Hockey

AUS Rep Four Nations Indoor Invitational Tournament







MEHRAN SHAFIEI

Faculty: MSI Sport: Futsal



THOMAS SHARP

Faculty: MSE

Sport: Australian Rules Football





AMY REYNOLDS

Faculty: ABP **Sport:** Fencing

AUS Rep World University Games









CHRISY RICHARDSON

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Snowboarding

AUS Rep World University Games





JOEL RIMES

Faculty: SCI Sport: Basketball



FERGUSON RYDER

Faculty: LAW Sport: Hockey





JAMIE SHEN

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Kendo



OLIVIA SIBILLIN

Faculty: SCI Sport: Rowing





AMELIA SMITH

Faculty: ABP Sport: Basketball





ELIZA SOLLY

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Sailing AUS Rep World Cup



HARIS STAMBOULIDIS

Faculty: B & E Sport: Soccer

Greek Rep International Friendly Matches



Faculty: VAS **Sport:** Orienteering AUS Rep World Junior Championships

LANITA STEER







MADELEINE STEERE

Faculty: SCI **Sport:** Water Polo AUS Rep World University

Games

HUGO STEINFORT

Faculty: VAS

Sport: Australian Rules Football



BRODIE SUMMERS

Faculty: ABP **Sport:** Freestyle Skiing AUS Rep World Cup - Moguls









LEAH TAUSAN

Faculty: ABP **Sport:** Fencing AUS Rep World Cup







JEREMY TAYLOR

Faculty: SCI Sport: Australian Rules Football Collingwood Football Club



BRODIE-PAIGE THEODORE

Faculty: ABP Sport: Basketball





SAMUEL THOMPSON

Faculty: SCI Sport: Tennis

AUS Rep World University Games











Faculty: SCI Sport: Rowing



PHOEBE ULRICK

Faculty: MDHS Sport: Hockey





EDWARD VICKERS-WILLIS

Faculty: B & E

Sport: Australian Rules Football North Melbourne Football Club



SEBASTIAN WAKIM

Faculty: MSE

Sport: Dragon Boat Racing AUS Rep Championships

MARCEL WALKINGTON

Faculty: SCI Sport: Triathlon

AUS Rep U23 European Cup





LUCAS WEBBER

Faculty: ARTS Sport: Fencing

AUS Rep World University Games





ANTHONY WILLIAMS

Faculty: B & E

Sport: Volleyball



JOANNA WESTON

Faculty: B & E Sport: Netball

AUS Rep Constellation Cup





BYRON WHITE

Faculty: SCI Sport: Powerlifting AUS Rep World Junior Championships





CAMERON WILLIAMS

Faculty: MSE **Sport:** Australian Rules Football







LOCHLAN WISE

Faculty: ABP Sport: Ultimate Frisbee AUS Rep U23 World Championships







YOSHIMASA YO

Faculty: B & E Sport: Baseball





PENELOPE YOUNG

Faculty: SCI Sport: Kayaking AUS Rep World Championships





CLAUDIA ZUCHELLI

Faculty: SCI Sport: Rowing

AUS Rep World University









40 SPORTING CLUBS 7,836 CLUB MEMBERS **215,822 PARTICIPANT OPPORTUNITIES** CLUBS The Melbourne University Rugby Football Club has several teams across high-performance and social grades

CLUBS

The University of Melbourne's sporting clubs provide sporting, instructional and recreational opportunities for students, staff, alumni and the greater University community. There are currently 40 affiliated clubs with a total of 7,836 active members, offering over 215,822 participant opportunities in 2015. These participant opportunities include local, state and national competitions, where the University won a multitude of national titles in 2015 (see page 21 for details).

COMPETITIVE

Athletics

Established 1890

With a history dating back to 1890, the Athletics Club is one of the oldest sporting clubs in Australia.

The Athletics Club's 125th Anniversary Dinner at Ormond College was the highlight of a great year, including the announcement of the Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship. Joel Baden's 2.26m at the IAAF World Championships in Beijing marked the individual highpoint. Record membership numbers after more than five years of steady growth with an active and engaged committee bodes well for the future.

President

Hamish Beaumont

Secretary

David McDonald

Treasurer

Tim Hui

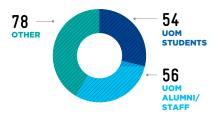
Senior Coaches

Sandro Bissetto, Tony Brain, Warren Hill, Dion Houtman, Manfred Lewandowski, Terry Reade, Andrew Selby

Club Team Performance

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2nd	AV Shield	D1 Women	6 th
		Otato Otab	2 nd

Club Membership Participation Data



 $^{^{*}}$ XCR15 represents the 2015 Cross Country season; AV Shield and Hunter Shield represent the Track and Field season

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Joel Baden	15 th IAAF World Championships	High Jump	21 st
lan Lawford	World Orienteering Championships	Sprint Distance	Qualifying round
Amy McCormick	World Cross Country Championships	6km (junior)	64 th
Aaron Page	Oceania Championships	Decathlon	No Result

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY/TEAM/LEAGUE	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Lisa Weightman	Athletics Australia	Half Marathon	Australian Champion
Rosie Donegan	National Collegiate Athletic Association	Cross Country	D1 All American
Martin Mashford	Athletics Victoria	1500m	Victorian Champion
Amanda Paulin	Athletics Victoria	1500m	Victorian Champion
Simon Greig	Athletics Victoria	100 yards	Victorian Champion
Nick Earl	Athletics Victoria	Winter Athlete of the Year	Runner-up

Badminton

Established 1956

The Badminton Club offers highperformance and social opportunities for all badminton enthusiasts in the University community.

The Badminton Club has experienced steady membership growth, with 178 active members filling out the four weekly sessions on offer.

Operating a club with such significant member numbers is not without its challenges, particularly in the face of an ever-shrinking and often time-poor volunteer base. The club therefore continues to heavily invest in technology as well as working with Melbourne University Sport at 'in-sourcing' some aspects of its operations.

On the court, club representatives have performed well at both state and national level, which is very pleasing.

In 2016, the Badminton Club will look to maintain this momentum and work on areas of development, including increasing the number of female club representatives.

President

Mei Yam

Vice-President

Lewis Tang

Secretary

Yonis Abukar, Dave Chartres

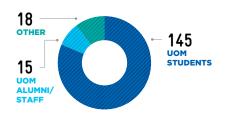
Treasurer

Peejade Cheng

Head Coach

Devendra Bandar

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
State Pennant Series #1	Premier	Champion
State Pennant Series #2	Premier	Runners-up
State Pennant Series #1	Women	$3^{\rm rd}$
State Pennant Series #1	Women	5 th
	State Pennant Series #1 State Pennant Series #2 State Pennant Series #1	State Pennant Series #1 Premier State Pennant Series #2 Premier State Pennant Series #1 Women

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DIVISION	RESULT
Devendra Bandara	National Championship	Men's Doubles	Semi-finalist
Tom Thomas	National Championship	Men's Doubles	Semi-finalist
Vinning Mak	National Championship	Women's Doubles	Semi-finalist

Baseball

Established 1926

The Baseball Club is for students, alumni and friends of the University of Melbourne, with Mens and Womens teams playing in the Melbourne Winter Baseball League and Dandenong Baseball Association competitions.

The Baseball Club expanded to include a sixth Men's side in the local Melbourne Winter Baseball League competition for the first time. The

club has grown from five teams only five years ago, to seven teams today. The club also celebrated its return to Ross Straw Field after the scrapping of the East-West Link project with the change of government.

President

Vibeke Pederson

Vice-President

James Dann, Keiran Warnock, Zach Breen

Secretary

Sid Paleri

Treasurer

Alan Yang

Senior Coach

Gary Bitmead

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT	
Melbourne Winter Baseball League	B Grade Men	3 rd	
Melbourne Winter Baseball League	B Reserve Men	Premiers	
Dandenong Baseball Association	Women's	3 rd	

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM/LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Peter Martinich	MWBL	B Grade	League MVP

Basketball

Established 1954

With a first-class home court and training facilities, the University Basketball Club runs teams for men and women of all playing standards, including teams in the Big V Basketball League.

Melbourne University Basketball Club's Big V teams continued to improve in 2015, with the Women reaching the semi-final and the Men only narrowly missing a finals birth. Both teams strive to continue improving in 2016 with the reappointment of Sam Fileccia as Women's head coach and the appointment of 2015 Women's assistant coach Grantley Bernard as the new Men's head coach.

The club continued its commitment to charity in 2015, holding its annual charity round during a Big V home game in May, raising significant donations and support for Beyond Blue. The players traded their usual black uniforms for blue ones and in the process took the new AUG basketball uniforms for a test run.

MUBC completed a history project, spearheaded by committee member Jason Kotchoff, documenting the club's history from its inception.

President

Anjali Goundar

Vice-President

Amanda Douglass

Secretary

Philip Verrocchi

Treasurer

Damien Murphy

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

Big V D1 Men (Terrill Conference) 13 th Big V D2 Women 3 rd MMBL Premier Women Premiers CYMS – Summer A Women Premiers CYMS – Winter A Women Premiers VBHBA – Summer A Women Premiers			
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	CYMS - Winter	A Women	Premiers
CYMS – Summer E2 Men Premiers	VBHBA – Summer	A Women	Premiers
	CYMS – Summer	E2 Men	Premiers

^{*} Big V is the State League; MMBL is the Melbourne Metropolitan Basketball League; CYMS is the Christian Young Men's Society; and VBHBA is the Victorian Business Houses Basketball Association.

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Caitlyn Mackenzie	Big V	2	All-Star 5
Claire Edwards	Big V	2	Defensive Player of the Year
Caitlyn Mackenzie	Big V	2	Team MVP
Stefan Pomasan	Big V	1	Team MVP

Boat

Established 1859

The Boat Club is recognised internationally as one of the world's leading rowing clubs.

The Melbourne University Boat Club continued its success at club, state, national and international levels in 2015.

It was a year of significant change in the management and leadership structure, with the advent of full-time General Manager and Head Coach positions, to help achieve our aim of working more closely with MU Sport in engaging greater student participation, growing and developing inter-varsity and international programs, working to retain our talented athletes at the University rather than US colleges, and encouraging those who do go to return to one of the University's graduate schools.

Club members Alice McNamara, Phoebe Stanley, Peter Antonie, Geoff Rees, Marina [Minnie] Cade, Andrew Michelmore and Leanne Ambrose were also presented with McVilly Pearce Pins by Rowing Australia to recognise their previous Australian representation at senior level at either a World Rowing Championships, Olympic or Paralympic Games, or a Commonwealth Games.

Internationally, the Club had crews racing at several world-renowned regattas, including the Henley Royal Regatta, UK, and Head of the Charles, USA, in addition to our elite rowers successfully representing their country at the U19, U23 and Senior World Championships.

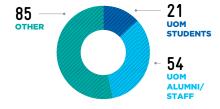
Finalist for the World Rowing Female crew of the year, University alumna and club member Kim Crow, was unbeaten this season, dominating in all of her races and finishing the season as the World Champion.

President Treasurer Peter Antonie James Adams Vice-President Head Coach Minnie Cade Peter Kupcis

Secretary
Greg Longden

Minnie Cade
Peter Kupcis
Rick Van Hooydonk
(from November
2015)

Club Membership Participation Data



Senior Coach Bert Cocu Mike Steele (until May 2015)

Youth Coach Annabelle Eaton Ed Monteith **General Manager** Prue Ottey (from October 2015)

Club Team Performance

REGATTA	DIVISION	MEDAL TALLY	OVERALL RESULT
Australian Rowing Championships	Overall medal table	7 gold / 5 silver / 7 bronze	5 th Overall
Head of the Yarra	Open Men	Not Applicable	1 st
Head of the Yarra	Open Women	Not Applicable	2 nd
World Masters Championships	Masters (27 years +)	22 gold / 15 silver / 7 bronze	2 nd Overall
Australian Masters Championships	Masters (27 years +)	18 gold / 14 silver / 2 bronze	5 th Overall
NSW State Championships	Senior, U23 and U21	6 gold / 3 silver / 5 bronze	4 th Overall
Victorian Masters State Championships	Masters (27 years +)	10 gold / 7 silver / 2 bronze	2 nd Overall

Boat (cont'd)

National Representation

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	Claudia Zucchelli	World University Games	Women's Four	6 th
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	Sarah Ben-David (Cox)	Trans-Tasman Regatta	U21 Women's Eight	2^{nd}

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY/TEAM/LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Geoff Rees	Head of the Charles, USA	Masters	Grand Master
Elizabeth Patrick	Rowing Victoria	N/A	Hall of Fame Inductee
Sarah Heard	Rowing Victoria	N/A	Hall of Fame Inductee
Tim Smith	Rowing Victoria	N/A	Hall of Fame Inductee
Marc Douez	Rowing Victoria	N/A	Hall of Fame Inductee
Eliza Blair	Rowing Victoria	N/A	Hall of Fame Inductee

CLUB

Cheerleading

Established 2011

One of the newest affiliated clubs, Cheerleading compete nationally in cheer, dance and pom competitions.

In 2015 the Cheerleading Club grew in size to five competitive teams. This includes All Girl Level ½, Coeducational Level ¾, 100% Pom Division, Open Pom and Hip Hop. The major fundraising event this year was the Cheerleading Ball. It included students from different universities and was a major success. The Club has also worked with the community in volunteer events such as Connor's Run. The Club continues to work hard with MU Sport to achieve the best outcomes for our members.

President

Amelia Russell

Vice-President

Saul Colliver

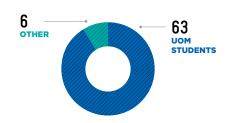
Secretary

Jane Le

Treasurer

Amelia Russell

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
AASCF Nationals	Open All Girl Cheer Level ½	1 st
AASCF Nationals	Coed Level ¾ 100% Uni	4^{th}
AASCF Nationals	Division 2 Open POM Dance	3 rd
AASCF Nationals	University Hip Hop	2 nd
AASCF Nationals	Division 1 All Girl POM Dance	2 nd
AASCF Nationals	POM Doubles	4^{th}
AASCF States	POM Doubles	1 st
AASCF Winterfest	All Girl Stunt Group Level ¾	1 st
AASCF Winterfest	Division 1 All Girl POM Dance	1 st
AASCF Winterfest	Open All Girl Cheer Level ½	1 st

Cricket

Established 1856

The Cricket Club has a long history of competing at the top levels of Victorian Cricket.

President

Derek Bennett

Vice-President

Rachel Durham

Treasurer

Arthur Nitsopoulos

Head Coach

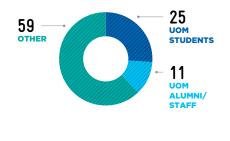
Kim Littlejohn

General Manager

Tim Heathcote Emma Inglis

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION / TEAM	RESULT
Cricket Victoria	Premier 1st XI	7 th
Cricket Victoria	Premier 1st XI One Day/T20	10 th
wccc	North West Women's XI	5 th
wccc	North West Women's XI – T20	4 th



Cricket (cont'd)

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT
Fawad Ahmed	Australia	Ashes Tour of England



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Ben Fletcher	Premier Cricket	First XI	Team of the year
Fawad Ahmed	CA Sheffield Shield	First Class	Leading wicket taker

Cycling

Established 2005

The Cycling Club accommodates all levels of cycling, from social to international competitions.

The Cycling Club ran its first event in 2015 – The Melbourne University Cycling Club Trophy Race. We will be running the event again in 2016, and will be aiming for it to be bigger and better than the last.

President

Ross Mueller

Vice-President

Kip Gabriel

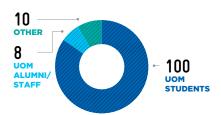
Secretary

Tom Lynch

Treasurer

John Prince

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	RESULT
Sean Lake	Grafton to Inverall	1 st
Sean Lake	Tour of Toowoomba, Time Trial Stage	1 st
Cyrus Monk	Grafton to Inverall	2^{nd}

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Victorian Cycling	Victorian Road Series	9 th

Fencing

Established 1946

The Fencing Club was established in 1946 and is one of Victoria's oldest fencing clubs, and one of the leading university fencing clubs in the country.

President

Dianna Gu

Vice-President

Phil Haintz

Secretary

Alex Leung

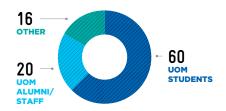
Treasurer

Jordan Beale

Head Coach

Chris Jones

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Dianna Gu	World Championships	Senior Women's Epee	130 th
Dianna Gu	Asian Championships	Senior Women's Epee	33 rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Simon Summerfield	National Championships	Men's Epee	19 th

Football - Men

Established 1859

The Football Club is a flagship sporting club, fielding teams from elite to social level through its two great tribes: University Blacks and University Blues.

The 2015 year was a worthwhile and productive one for Men's Football at the University of Melbourne. Uni Blues were promoted to Premier A and re-established themselves in Premier A by playing in the preliminary final, with Ross Young winning the Woodrow Medal for the VAFA Premier A Best and Fairest. Blacks consolidated themselves in Premier A and 12 Club players made representative teams. Participation rates and morale in

Blacks and Blues were high. The ANZAC Commemorative match and the 'Gay? That's OK' matches were a great success and received media attention. But the highlight of the year was the joining of forces of Men's and Women's Football with the MUWFC together with Blues and Blacks forming the three great tribes of the Melbourne University Football Club for future seasons.

President

Andrew Donald

Secretary

Andrew Henderson

Treasurer

Stephen Longley

Senior Coach -Blacks

Luke O'Connell

Senior Coach - Blues

Quinton Gleeson

U19 Coach - Blacks Brad Copeland

U19 Coach – Blues

Jeff Scotland

Chairman - Blacks

Lucas van Kempen

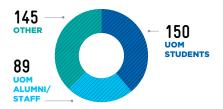
Chairman – Blues Joseph Sturrock

Football - Men (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

TEAM	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT	
Blacks - Seniors	VAFA	Premier A	5 th	
Blues - Seniors	VAFA	Premier A	$3^{\rm rd}$	

Club Membership Participation Data



State and National Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT RESULT			
Marshall Rippon	VAFA Tour of Ireland	Series Winners		
Jeremy Mugavin	VAFA Tour of Ireland	Series Winners		
Jack Townley	Metropolitan Championships Match	Champion		
Tom Quinn	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL			
Tom Quinn	National U23 Championships			
Marshall Rippon	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL		
Joel Ernest	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL			
Alastair Robbins	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL		
Bede Mahon	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL		
Adam Pitt	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL		
Huw Lacey	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL	VAFA Rep Team v VCFL		
Jordan Quaile	VAFA U23 Rep Team	VAFA U23 Rep Team		

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Ross Young	VAFA	Premier A	Woodrow Medallist (Best and Fairest)
Jordan Quaile	VAFA Blacks	Premier A	Best and Fairest
Ross Young	VAFA Blues	Premier A	Best and Fairest
Alastair Robbins	VAFA Blacks	Premier A	Leading Goal Kicker
Xavier McMahon	VAFA Blues	Premier A	Leading Goal Kicker
Tom Quinn	VAFA Blues	Premier A	Leading Goal Kicker

Football - Women

Established 1997

The Womens Football Club is one of Victoria's largest and most inclusive Australian Rules clubs, providing pathways for female footballers of all ages and abilities.

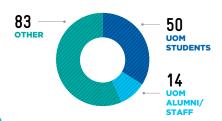
The Club enjoyed many milestones and notable highlights in 2015. It welcomed to Women's Football and the Club its first Level 3 AFL accredited coach, Andrew Jago, signed its first major jumper sponsor, Hocking Stuart, and capped off a successful year by winning its first-ever Youth Girls Premiership, led by AFL Woman of the Year Bridget Barker. Also, we saw Women's Football finally starting to receive media coverage and status in the community. This marks a historic moment for the development and direction of Women's Football as a mainstream sport.

President	Treasurer
Laura Kane	Jess Egan
Vice-President	Senior Coach
Karina Russo	Andrew Jago

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
VWFL	Premier	3 _{rd}
VWFL - Youth	Youth Girls	Premiers

Club Membership Participation Data



State and National Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT
Emma Kearney	AFL Women's Draft Match
Kaitlyn Ashmore	AFL Women's Draft Match
Ellie Blackburn	AFL Women's Draft Match
Brooke Whyte	AFL Women's Draft Match
Cecilia McIntosh	AFL Women's Draft Match
Kirby Bentley	AFL Women's Draft Match
Emma Kearney	Victorian State Representation
Kaitlyn Ashmore	Victorian State Representation
Ellie Blackburn	Victorian State Representation
Brooke Whyte	Victorian State Representation
Madeline Keryk	Victorian State Representation
Lou Stephenson	Victorian State Representation
Nic Hildebrand	Victorian State Representation
Prue Cordes	Junior Victorian Metro State Representation
Isabel Huntington	Junior Victorian Metro State Representation
Monique Conti	Junior Victorian Metro State Representation

Futsal

SecretaryJess Fewster

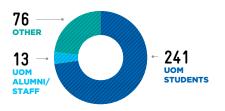
Established 2007

The Futsal Club provides and facilitates Futsal competitions and teams for students and staff at the University.

The Futsal Club had its most successful year to date in 2015. Representative teams provided the Club's greatest successes, with both teams capturing major honours. The Men's were promoted twice in succession, finishing once as champions, while the Women's captured a second F-Oz League Cup, and finished second in the league, the

highest position achieved so far. The social competition, Friday Night League, completed its 10th season in Semester 1, and had the most-ever team entries in Semester 2 due to excellent social exposure on the Club's Facebook page.

President	Secretary
Kerry Hwang	Rebecca Tran
Vice-President	Treasurer
Tracey Tran	Tracey Tran



Futsal (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Futsal Oz	Men's State League Two	Champions
Futsal Oz	Pepsi WV-league	3 rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM /LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Jamilla Hull	Futsal Oz	WV-league	MVP
Kerry Hwang	Futsal Oz	WV-league	Manager of the season

Gridiron

Established 2013

The Gridiron Club was established in 2011, and competes in Gridiron Victoria's First Division, offering opportunities for men and women of wide-ranging experience.

Seven members of the Gridiron Club's Women's team were selected for the All-Stars Victoria Team in 2015, a highlight for the Club. The Club adopted RevolutioniseSport as its member management system with great success. In 2016 the club plans align more closely with the University through a new line of club merchandise.

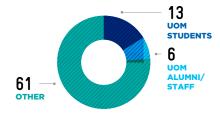
President

Robert Smith

Secretary

Haley Fleming

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

TEAM NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Royals	Gridiron Victoria	Men D1 – Conference A	7^{th}
Chargers	Gridiron Victoria	Women	6 th

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Tokoa Tangatakino	Gridiron Victoria	Division 1 – Men's	League Offensive MVP
Madeline Kop	Gridiron Victoria	Women's	All State team selection – Free Safety
Tokoa Tangatakino	Royals	Division 1 – Men's	Club Overall MVP
Michelle Ahsin	Chargers	Women's	Club Overall MVP

Hockey

Established 1907

The Hockey Club fields Mens and Womens teams in Hockey Victoria competitions – ranging from elite to beginner – for competitive, social and casual participants.

The highlight for the Club in 2015 was our Men's 1's achieving promotion to Premier League (after a five-year absence), courtesy of their first minor premiership since 1993. In all, 10 of 19 teams played finals, with another four only just missing out. The Women's 2's made it back-to-back premierships, with the Men's 2's and Women's Masters also taking out flags.

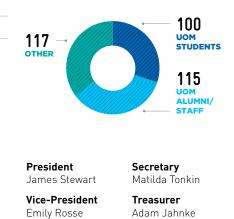
Our scholarship program (now in its second year) continues to develop, and has been able to provide valued support to some of our top student athletes. The clubrooms also have seen increased use, with the canteen open most match days and proving a hit.



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT	
Hockey Victoria	Men's Vic League 1	Runners-up	
Hockey Victoria	Men's Vic League 1 Reserves	Premiers	
Hockey Victoria	Women's Vic League 1	6 th	
Hockey Victoria	Women's Vic League 1 Reserves	ic Premiers	
Hockey Victoria	Women's Masters 35B North West	Premiers	

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	ACHIEVEMENT
Tim Luscombe	Men's Vic League 1	Competition Best and Fairest
Tim Luscombe	Men's Vic League 1	Competition Leading Goalscorer
Tim Luscombe	Men's Firsts	Club Champion (Best and Fairest)
Kate Wong	Women's Firsts	Club Champion (Best and Fairest)

Lacrosse

Established 1883

The Lacrosse Club is one of the oldest in the world, and competes at various levels of competition in Victoria.

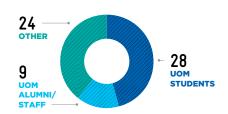
Recruitment was greatly improved in 2015, with 15 new UoM students joining the club (10 female and five male), allowing us to comfortably field the player numbers required each week. The social cohesion within the Club was a highlight, with the influx of new players being openly welcomed into the Club from both an on-field and off-field perspective. Team performance has been stagnant, with a large contributing factor being our inability to attract

coaches, which we are working to rectify. This year we successfully organised the University Lacrosse Championship which was held in Melbourne for the first time and will continue to be a driving force in the growth of lacrosse as a university sport.

President Nick Anthony

Vice-President Hannah Tan **Secretary** Richard Lai

TreasurerSimon Matthews



Lacrosse (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Lacrosse Victoria	Men's Divison 1	9 th
Lacrosse Victoria	Women's B Grade	6 th
Futsal Oz	Women's Schnitz F-Oz League Cup	Champions

State Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT
Jake Allan	Australian National Championships



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	ACHIEVEMENT
Floyd Baragwanath	Melb Uni Men	Best Player
Millie Caddy	Melb Uni Women	Best Player
Millie Caddy	Lacrosse Victoria	Nell Rawlins Award for contributions to women's lacrosse

Netball

Established 1990

Melbourne University Netball Club had its most successful year in a long time, with four out of its five highest teams playing in finals. Thanks to its Premier Division 3 team, the club son its first premiership in the Parkville Premier league since 2008. The club puts this success down to a restructure of its Premier league teams and of course the hard work and dedication of players and coaches. The club plans to continue this structure across all teams and is hoping to make finals in A-grade next season as well as win more premierships now that players have had a taste of finals.

Club person of the year was recognised for only the second time in the club's history and in 2015 it was awarded to Jessica Jones. Jessica was a deserving winner, having been on the general committee, Vice-President and President in the past, she has not stopped giving her time to the club, both on and off the court.

The club also recognised Anita Lloyd for playing 300 games at the club, Charlie Simpson 250 games, Zoe Lewis 200 games, Sherri Harris 200 games and Millie Harris 150 games.

The Western Lightning joined forces with the University to form the Melbourne University Lightning in 2015 to play in the Victorian Netball League. While a spot in the finals eluded the Lightning's VNL teams in 2015, the development squad won the Parkville Premier League, Division 3 Premiership, and were runners up in the Division 2 competition. The Lightning has successfully recruited ANZ Championship premiership player and former Australian Fast 5 Flyers captain Elissa Kent to coach Lightning's Championship team in 2016. Kent is a graduate from the University (Bachelor of Arts and Master of Commerce), and will be assisted by returning Lighting coach Kaylea McQuade, the English coaching import and former Irish national coach.

Club

President Joanna Pizzi

Vice-President Zanthe Burke

Secretary Tess Grimmond

Treasurer Sarah Wilkie

Senior Coach Kaylea McQuade

Lightning

President Lindy Murphy

Vice-President Randy Pereira

Club Administrator Yul Rustem

Finance Manager Amanda Lethlean

Championship Coaches

Pam Strong & Robyne Dawson

Division 1 Coach Kaylea McQuade

U19 Coach Eliza Allen

Lightning Bolts Coach Jocelyn Bryant

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Premier	1	11 th
Premier Spring	3	Premiers
VNL (Lightning)	Championship	5 th
Parkville Premier Autumn (Bolts	3 ;)	Premiers

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Madeleine Curran	Parkville Premier	1	Best and fairest
Dominica Wescombe	Parkville Premier	2	Best and fairest
Tess Grimmond	Parkville Premier	3	Best and fairest
Fiona Themann	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Elle Bennets	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Mikaela Vaughan	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year

State and National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	COMPETITION	RESULT
Joanna Weston	Australian Diamonds	Constellation Cup	Champions
Fiona Themann	Scotland	Netball World Cup	12 th
Joanna Weston	Melbourne Vixens	ANZ Championship	5 th
Joanna Weston	Australian U21	N/A	
Joanna Weston	Victorian Fury	Australian Netball League	Champions
Elle Bennetts	Victorian Fury	Australian Netball League	Champions
Fiona Themann	Victorian Fury	Australian Netball League	Champions
Mikaela Vaughan	Victorian Fury	Australian Netball League	Champions

Rugby

Established 1909

The Rugby Football Club is a Premiergrade club that fields several teams, from high-performance levels to social grades across the Victorian Rugby Union competitions.

The Rugby Football Club enjoyed a fantastic season in 2015.

The Colts had an amazing year and dominated throughout the regular home-and-away rounds, capturing the Minor Premiership for 2015. Unfortunately, they could not quite peg back a big lead by Harlequin and got pipped 22-20. While disappointing for the boys, they have all learnt some valuable lessons from the experience and will bounce back next season.

A true gauge of the Club's success this season is reflected in the fact that 1's, 2's, 3's and the Womens all qualified for the finals. However, this has not happened overnight. Three years of planning by many people across the Club have contributed to this turnaround, and it is extremely rewarding for all involved to see the hours of effort being converted into results.

Add to this the club fielding a competitive $4^{\rm th}$ grade this year and having a dominant Masters Team – it was a year for all involved at the club to be very proud.

PresidentWilliam Gallagher

Vice-PresidentPaul Webster

Secretary David Loads

Treasurer Tom Almond

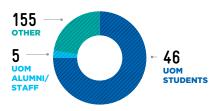
Head Coach Jason Jones

General Manager Jason Jones

Director of Rugby Operations

Ian Jones

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Victorian Rugby Union	Premier	2 nd
Victorian Rugby Union	Womens	3^{rd}

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Nick Gillies	Colts	Colts	VRU Player of Year



State and National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	COMPETITION
Fereti Sa'aga	Australian U20s	U20s Rugby World Cup
Taiso Silafai-Leaana	Melbourne Rising	National Rugby Competition
Stacey Ili	Melbourne Rising	National Rugby Competition
Mathew Onesemo	Melbourne Rising	National Rugby Competition
Jordan Uelese	Melbourne Rising	National Rugby Competition
Fereti Sa'aga	Melbourne Rising	National Rugby Competition
Bree Hill	Melbourne Rebels Women	National Womens Competition
Silei Poluleuligaga	Melbourne Rebels Women	National Womens Competition
asha Leota	Melbourne Rebels Women	National Womens Competition
iam Brown	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition
Fereti Sa'aga	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition
RJ Sa'aga	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition
Graig Semisi	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition
Chris Ward	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition
George Stewart	Melbourne Rebels U20s	National U20s Competition

Soccer

Established 1947

The Soccer Club welcomes players of all skill levels and fields numerous teams in Victorian competitions.

The Soccer Club returned to redeveloped pitches with new floodlights, also securing new clubrooms with a match-day bar and social space at Princes Park. The Club established a formal arrangement with NPL side Richmond Soccer Club to create elite student athlete pathways. Significant on-field achievements were winning the Women's State League Championship and Men's Metro 1 Minor Premiership. The Club also redeveloped its website, its social media presence, and developed Club iPad applications making registration, training attendance, and match data recording paper free. Club

projects included purchases for the pavilion (including a TV) and for social media (including a tripod), and a large purchase of new merchandise to be sold over coming years.

President

Andrew Bulleen

Vice-President

Nicola Vincent Michael Owen

Secretary

Rod Clarke Madaleine Horey

Treasurer

Adrienne Heslop Bernard Wojcik

Club Administrator

Boris Ivanov

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
FFV	Men's State League 2 NW	12 th
FFV	Women's State League 1	Champions

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Rachel Bach	FFV	State League 1 – Women's	Top Senior Best and Fairest Winner
Keryn Walters	FFV	State League 1 – Women's	Top Senior, Top Goalscorer
Simone Gristwood	FFV	State League 1 – Women's	200 Games Played

Softball

Established 1961

The Softball Club provides opportunities for players of all levels regardless of their skill base.

Melbourne University Softball Club adjusted to some changes in our competition this year. We had many new players join us, some who had never played before, and all three of our teams placed in the top three of our competition. We should continue to grow as a club in 2016 and are looking forward to most of our players returning next season.

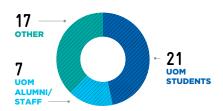
President Molly Hoak Vice-President Madeline Lam

Secretary

Amanda Shipp

Treasurer Karen Peterson Cindy Hsiao Head Coach Jell Radford

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

TEAM NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Melb Uni Angels	MSA	А	3 rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Elizabeth Chu	MSA	A Grade	MVP Award
Danielle Senyschyn	MSA		MSA Service Award

Squash

Established 1964

The Squash Club offers players of all levels, from beginners to professionals, a chance to make new friends, play casually or compete in local squash leagues and regional tournaments.

The Squash Club has had another successful year, taking home a number of pennant flags over the three seasons. We continued hosting our social squash program which has seen a variety of players being introduced to the sport and also continued to run our awardwinning women's coaching program. Additionally, the club supported the Mega Squash event where our members played squash for 24 hours to raise money for MS.



Sylvia Tiet

Secretary

Timothy Bye

Treasurer

Lucas Bediaga





Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT	
State League	Spring Premier Open	5 th	
Southern Squash League	Spring Cup Grade Women	1 st	
Southern Squash League	Summer B Reserve Open	1 st	
Southern Squash League	Summer D Grade Open	1 st	
Southern Squash League	Autumn D Reserve Open	1 st	
Southern Squash League	Autumn A Grade Women	1 st	
Southern Squash League	Spring B Reserve Women	1 st	

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
James Kavourakis	Victorian Open	Div 1A	Runner-up
Joshua Licence	Victorian Open	Div 5A	Champion

Table Tennis

Established 1954

The Table Tennis Club provides members of the University community with the opportunity to play table tennis at social and competitive levels.

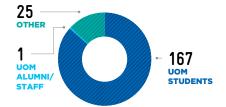
The Club was able to focus on improving members' skills during the year. In Semester 1, we were lucky enough to have two volunteers (previously state and national players for their respective countries) take on coaching roles. We received great feedback from members who participated and it has been a key

development for the Club, given that the social nature of our training sessions had precluded formal training in previous years.

The Club also organised several social events for members during the year.

President	Secretary
Katie Lau	Hao Le
Vice-President	Treasurer
Haoyi Li	Eugene Lim

Club Membership Participation Data



Tennis

Established 1884

Established in the 1880s, the Tennis Club is one of the largest and most active sporting clubs at the University of Melbourne, providing year-round tennis through internal and regional competitions

The Tennis Club has increased its membership base considerably over the past two years, an achievement recognised by Tennis Victoria with the Club rising to 38th position in Victoria based on membership numbers. This is an incredible milestone for the Club, which looks forward to further increasing its membership base and continuing

to provide opportunities for Melbourne University students, staff, alumni and community members to play tennis at all levels through our internal and external competitions. The Club was very proud of their Victorian Winter Pennant teams' fantastic results in 2015.

The Tennis Club strives to offer an inclusive environment for all members, with Club spirit encouraged through several social events throughout the year. In 2015, highlights of the social calendar included our annual cocktail night, Tennis Trivia, more than 30 present and past members attending

the Shepparton Easter Tournament, and two end of semester dinners to celebrate these achievements.

We look forward to continuing our strong Club culture and commitment and love of tennis in 2016.

President

Jack Murray

Secretary

Yasas Dewage

Treasurer

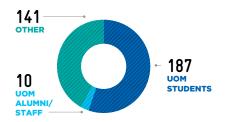
Fintan Sweeney

Tennis (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Tennis Victoria Pennant	Winter Grade 2 Section 2 Women	8 th
Tennis Victoria Pennant	Winter Grade 5 Section 4 Men	1 st
Tennis Victoria Pennant	Winter Grade 10 Men	1 st
Blackburn and District Night Tennis Association	Open Section 3	1 st
Blackburn and District Night Tennis Association	Open Section 2	1 st

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Nick Jovanovski	Boroondara Open	Bronze	Champion

Touch

Established 1997

The Touch Club was established in 1997 and provides playing opportunities for all levels through internal competitions through to representation in the Victorian Touch League.

The 2014–15 period has been a transition year for the University of Melbourne Touch Club as it adopted new philosophies and a new name - Melbourne University Touch Football. The Club has worked to bring in a more sustainable model to balance and accommodate both the social aspect of the game and on-field results. The Club has maintained strong numbers despite having many different venues over the year due to the redevelopment of Princes Park, and the Melbourne University Blacks welcomed the Melbourne University Blues into the VT League. The year has also seen the different arms of the Club continue to work together with immediate success on and off field



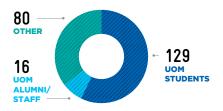
ChairpersonTim Heathcote

Blacks President Tom Lutwyche **President** Scott Starkey Northern Touch and Parkville Touch President Thomas Brown Secretary
Jess Roberts
Treasurer

Joni Pirovich

Club Team Performance

TEAM NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Blacks	VT League	Premier Men	Runner Up
Blacks	VT League	Premier Women	3 rd
Blues	VT League	Premier Men	5 th
Blues	VT League	Premier Women	4^{th}
Melbourne University Touch Club	Melbourne Touch	Parkville B Summer Mixed	Premiers
Melbourne University Touch Club	Melbourne Touch	JJ Holland Winter A Mixed	Premiers



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT	RESULT
Halcyon Price	Singapore	World Cup (Mens Open)	12 th
Frankie Alcock	Scotland	World Cup (Womens Open)	11 th
Hamish McLean (Assistant Coach)	Australia	World Cup (Senior Mixed)	Gold medal

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Finlay Batts	VT League	Men's	Season MVP
Jordan Coleman	VT League	Mixed	Season MVP

Ultimate Frisbee

Established 1994

The Ultimate Frisbee club provides access to training, tournaments, banter, and leagues for all skill and experience levels in the sport.

The Club has been primarily focused upon the growth of the Club as a whole and the introduction of the sport to new members. This was ultimately successful as the Club has been able to field multiple teams year round in various leagues and tournaments.

President

Dale Short

Vice-President

Victor Pupko

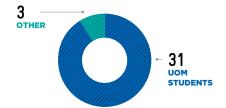
Secretary

Cassie Chan

Treasurer

Shumin Chan

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT	RESULT
Lochlan Wise	Australia	U23s World Championships Open	9 th
Georgia Egan-Griffiths	Australia	U23s World Championships Women	4 th
Cat Phillips	Melbourne Ellipsis	US Open Mixed	Champions
Georgia Egan-Griffiths	Melbourne Ellipsis	US Open Mixed	Champions
Alex Prentice	Melbourne Ellipsis	US Open Mixed	Champions

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Victor Pupko	Albert Park	Monday	MVP
Georgia Sullivan	Albert Park	Monday	Best female player
Jinwei Tang	Albert Park	Monday	Coach of the year

Volleyball

Established 1958

Established in 1958, the Volleyball Club competes at a national and state level in the AVL and VVL while also providing opportunities for beginners to the sport.

The Club's participation in the Victorian Volleyball League saw a fourth Women's team enter the Competition. This year our Women's performances resulted in all four teams reaching the top four and playing off in the finals series. The Men's program did not reach the heights of the Women's; with only the Premier team reaching the Preliminary Final, losing a close five-set match.

A number of players achieved some great personal results, with four women and three men being selected in the Australian National Teams for a number of international tournaments.

In the Victorian Volleyball League a number of players achieved some enormous results, with Michael Cirillo named the League MVP and Best Setter for the All Star 7 Team, and Jess McMillan named the All Star 7 Team's Best Libero.

In the 2015 AVL Championships the Melbourne University Blues Women's team won the gold medal for the third consecutive year. The Men's team is showing some excellent signs during the rebuilding with a number of respectable wins against much more experienced teams from Adelaide and WA.

We will continue our hard work not only to provide members with a range of volleyball services and experiences, but also to provide an avenue for personal success. President
Gus Cirillo
Vice-President

Head Coach -Men Gus Cirillo Head Coach -

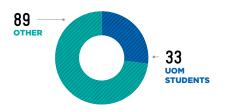
Secretary Sarah Preston

Rosemary Bissett

Women Eric Orton

Treasurer Zach Bye

Club Membership Participation Data





Club Team Performance

TEAM NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Uni Blues Women	AVL	National League	Premiers
Uni Blues Men	AVL	National League	7^{th}
Melb Uni Renegades Women	VVL	Premier Women	4^{th}
Melb Uni Renegades Men	VVL	Premier Men	3 rd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT
Jess McMillan	Australia	Asian Women's Championships
Hannah Martin	Australia	Asian Women's Championships
Karley Hines	Australia	Asian Women's Championships
Thomas Hodges	Australia	U23 Asian Champs
Trent O'Dea	Australia	U23 Asian Champs
Oliver Clayton	U17 Australia	Tour of Thailand
Ana Milovac	U16 Australia	Tour of New Zealand

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Rebecca Walter	AVL	Women	Best Server – All Star 7
Jess McMillan	AVL	Women	Best Defender – All Star 7
Shae Sloane	AVL	Women	Best Setter – All Star 7
Michael Cirillo	WL	Premier Men	MVP and Best Setter – All Star 7
Jess McMillan	WL	Premier Women	Best Libero – All Star 7
Thomas Hodges	National Collegiate Athletic Association	Division 1	All-Freshman Team

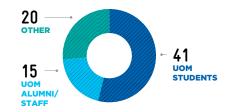
Water Polo

Established 1963

The Water Polo Club has a proud reputation as fun-loving and welcoming, while striving to provide opportunities for all members to compete in a successful organisation.

President
Ryan Morath
Vice-President
Matthew Keen
Secretary
Katherine Moran
Treasurer
Lachlan Travers

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Water Polo Victoria State Championships	Men's State League 2	4 th
Water Polo Victoria State Championships	Women's State League 2	4 th
Water Polo Victoria Winter Competition	Men's State League 2	4 th
Water Polo Victoria Winter Competition	Women's State League 2	2 nd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT	RESULT
Madeline Steer	Australia	World Uni Games	Gold Medallists

Weightlifting and Powerlifting

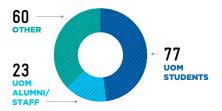
Established 1950

The Weightlifting and Powerlifting Club trains members to compete in various Australian powerlifting competitions.

The Club has had yet another successful year, representing at multiple national and international raw and equipped powerlifting competitions. We will strive to continue to promote the sport of powerlifting and provide the very best equipment and coaching for our members.

President David Jame	Treasurer Andrew O'Keefe
Vice-President Mel Ryan	Head Coach Robert Wilks
Secretary	

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

EVENT	DIVISION	RESULT
Australian Raw Powerlifting National Championships	Various	2 gold 1 silver 1 bronze
Australian Equipped Powerlifting National Championships	105kg	1 silver
Australian Junior and Masters Championships	Various	1 gold 1 silver
Australian Bench Press Championships	Various	1 gold 1 silver
Brisbane Fitness and Health Expo	72kg	1 gold 1 silver

National Representation

Nadine Tey

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	EVENT	RESULT
Yan-Fei Zhao	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	Gold
Charlene Lee	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	5 th
George Seeger	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	9 th
Yue Sun	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	12 th
Tony Reinmuth	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	12 th
Brandon Choo	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	14 th
Byron White	Powerlifting Australia	Classic World Powerlifting Championships	15 th
Tony Reinmuth	Powerlifting Australia	Pacific Invitational II	Gold
Yani Zhao	Powerlifting Australia	Pacific Invitational	Gold

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Aikido

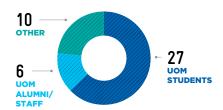
Established 1966

The Aikido Club provides an opportunity to learn the modern Japanese martial art on campus.

This year MU Aikido has increased the proportion of Melbourne Uni undergraduates with a successful promotion of the Club at the sports day event. We're proud to have had six people successfully complete gradings, most of whom were new to martial arts last year. In addition to this, MU Aikido attends internationally renowned Aikido intensive training weeks and runs inter-university training sessions throughout the year.

President Michael Shaw	Secretary Shravan Bhurtu		
Vice-President	Treasurer		
Sarah Harid	Kana Sasai		

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	EVENT	RESULT	
Anna Liu	Aiki Kai	Grading	3 rd kyu	
Ben Vongchanh	Aiki Kai	Grading	3 rd kyu	
Samantha Lagaida	Aiki Kai	Grading	5 th kyu	
Kana Sasai	Aiki Kai	Grading	5 th kyu	
Aaron Hill	Aiki Kai	Grading	5 th kyu	
Sarah Harid	Aiki Kai	Grading	5 th kyu	

Dancesport

Established 1993

The Dance Sport Club offers a range of dance styles at different levels, to cater for all tastes and abilities.

Melbourne University Dancesport Club had a very successful and profitable year. A 30.4% increase in membership meant an increase in class sizes, income and attendance at all our major events.

Our showcase was extremely successful with 132 members performing (a 22.2% increase from 2014). For our annual Dinner Dance, we sold all tickets allocated to MUDC and managed to acquire extra tickets allocated to Monash for our members.

RMIT Latino Groove was introduced as a new team in our annual Intervarsity Dance Competition held with Monash Dancesport.

President

Kristy Marinopoulos

Vice-President

Sonja Santa Maria

Secretary

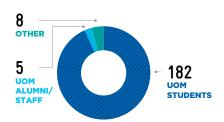
Angela Wu

Treasurer

Erica Susanto

Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
Intervarsity Dancesport	Overall	1 st



Dancesport (cont'd)

Significant Senior Club and Other Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	ACHIEVEMENT
Nathan Goldwaser	Intervarsity Dancesport	Best Swing Lead	1 st
Lucy Monagle	Intervarsity Dancesport	Best Swing Follow	1 st
Nelson Pang and Angela Wu	Intervarsity Dancesport	Above Gold Modern (Foxtrot)	1 st
Rohan Venkatraman and Yargi Kilinc	Intervarsity Dancesport	Gold Latin (Samba)	1 st
Tiong Tjin Saw and Lee Yuin Chew	Intervarsity Dancesport	Gold Modern (Quickstep)	1 st
Joseph Chan and Victoria Li	Intervarsity Dancesport	Silver Modern (Tango)	1 st
Geovanny Leiva and Andrea Puertas	Intervarsity Dancesport	Intermediate/ Advanced Salsa	1 st
Rohan Venkatraman and Amelia Fryer	Intervarsity Dancesport	Beginner Argentine Tango	1 st

Karate

Established 1968

The Karate Club endeavours to take a balanced approach to all the elements of karate (self defence, sparring, fitness, yoga, stamina and meditation).

Melbourne University Karate Club had an incredibly successful year in 2015. One of the Club's major achievements has been to build the Karate spirit and dedication to training. The improvement has been reflected in areas such as member attendance, with over 30 members present for each training

session compared to the previous year's 20 members. We have also observed an increase in quality of technique, as shown in our impressive tournament results as well as our Karate gradings.

President Matthew Woodhouse

Vice-President James Moloney

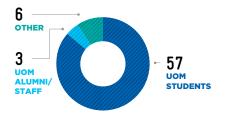
Secretary

Tan Jia Qi

Treasurer Anthony Nguyen

Head Instructor Sensei Alexander Albert

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	RESULT
Sovanratana Chh	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	2 nd place Kata, 18 years and over, Open
Phong Do	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	$4^{\rm th}$ place Male Continuous Sparring, 18 years and over, Open $4^{\rm th}$ place Male Point Sparring, 18 years and over, Open
Denzel Kour	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	1st place Kata, 18 years and over, 10th-6th Kyu 1st place Male Continuous Sparring, 18 years and over, 10th-6th Kyu
Aisyah Zakiah Jazuli	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	1^{st} place Female Point Sparring, 18 years and over, $10^{\text{th}}\text{-}6^{\text{th}}$ Kyu
Daniella Di Grazia	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	3 rd place Kata, 18 years and over, 5 th -1 st Kyu 4 th place Female Point Sparring, 5 th -1 st Kyu
Max Mckenna	Lion Bushido Karate Tournament	1st place Male Point Sparring, 13 years and under

Kendo

Established 1989

Kendo is one of the oldest Japanese martial arts and means 'the way of the sword'.

The Melbourne University Kendo Club has been striving each year to improve the quality of instruction and experience provided to its membership. This year, 104 people attended our first week of free instruction – 24% over the previous year and the highest number recorded. Of those, 62 (43 male, 18 female) decided to continue on to our beginner's course and full membership.

While completion performances did not reach the level of 2014, the Club nevertheless maintained its strong presence in Victoria and Australia with top-three finishes in most competitions. In addition, the Club is also an important presence within Victoria, hosting a number of competitions (MUKEN Taikai, Intervarsity Taikai) and seminars for the development of Victorian and Australian Kendo members. One of our instructors has also been selected to be the National Women's Team coach for Australia.

The Club aims to build on its successes both on and off the court in 2016.

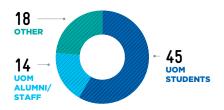
President Jularaj Suthibutr Vice-President Son Nguyen

Secretary Cheryl Low

Treasurer Clio Xiaoxi Liu

Head Instructor Yakov Macak

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	RESULT	
Vic Kendo Championships	Open	2 nd	
Vic Kendo Championships	KYU Men	1 st	
Vic Kendo Championships	KYU Women	1 st	
Mumeishi 3 Championships	Open	1 st	

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Richard T'en	Australian Kendo Championships	Dan	Individual Dan 3 rd , Team Dan 2 nd
Kenji Sugimoto	Australian Kendo Championships	Dan	Team Dan 2 nd
Daniel Jeong	Victorian Kendo Championships	Dan	1st

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Taekwondo

Established 1971

The Tae Kwon Do Club offers two styles of taekwondo; Rhee and WTF taekwondo.

Both branches of the Club have been successfully collaborating with other university Taekwondo clubs to host inter-training and social events, while also facilitating a positive training and social environment for our Club members.

The WTF Club's areas of development and improvement include increasing Club member participation in training and competitions, while also enhancing opportunities for Club members to engage with other universities and the community.

Rhee Assistant Instructor Arthur Lam successfully graded for 1st Dan in September 2015.

Rhee Senior Instructor Ying Lim successfully graded for 2nd Dan in December 2015.

WTF

President

Christine Li

Vice-President

Geremy Cao

Secretary

Dayton Lee

Treasurer

Ricardo Garcia Rosas

Rhee

President

Ying Lim

Vice-President

Caitlin Gleeson-Pongrac

Secretary

Jodenia Chan

Vice-Secretary

Charis Lau

Treasurer

Arthur Lam

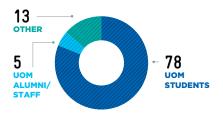
Vice-Treasurer

Colin Tong

Head Instructor

Ying Lim

Club Membership Participation Data



MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	ACHIEVEMENT
Domenica Moreno Maldonado	Victorian Inter University Championships	Sparring (2x divisions) Poomsae	1 st and 2 nd – sparring 3 rd – Poomsae
John Xie	Victorian Inter University Championships	Yellow Belt Poomsae Sparring (2x divisions)	3 x 1 st
Samson Goh	Victorian Inter University Championships	Yellow Belt Sparring	2 nd

Tai Chi and Wushu

The Taichi and Wushu Club promotes fitness, social interaction and self-development through a wide range of traditional and modern Chinese martial arts.

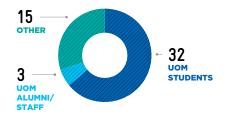
MU Taichi and Wushu continued to grow this year as an extremely diverse and welcoming Club. We participated in a number of performances, mostly within the University community, during O-weeks and Mudfest. These performances hopefully helped to increase appreciation of Chinese martial arts

culture and introduced potential members to the sports of Taichi and Wushu. We also held a variety of social events, including dinners and a four-day training camp. We hope these events mean that MU Taichi and Wushu is not only a club for fitness but also one where people can make supportive friendships through their time at university and beyond.

President Secretary
Xingda Chen Clarybelle Loi

Vice-President Treasurer
Chin Kuek Yoong Ciara Redmond

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	RESULT
17 th Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival	Wushu and Tai Chi	Most Valuable Contribution

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	ACHIEVEMENT
Hui Ying Soh	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Changquan (Wushu) Female gold medal Qiangshu (Wushu) Female gold medal Jianshu (Wushu) Female gold medal Overall Wushu Female Champion
Xingda Chen	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Gunshu (Wushu) Male gold medal Bajiquan (Wushu) Male gold medal Fanziquan (Wushu) Male gold medal Overall Wushu Male Champion
Lauren Oakey	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Yang 42 bare hand (Taichi) Female gold medal Yang 42 sword (Taichi) Female gold medal Yang 18 fan (Taichi) Female gold medal Overall Taichi Female Champion Bajiquan (Wushu) Female gold medal
Yuting Li	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Nandao (Wushu) Female gold medal Choi Li Fut (Wushu) Female gold medal Traditional weapon (Wushu) Female gold medal
Yunhan Wang	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Nanquan (Wushu) Male gold medal Nangun (Wushu) Male gold medal
Wei Fang Lee	17 th WTQA Wushu, Taijiquan and Qigong Festival 2015	Open Advanced	Nanquan (Wushu) Female gold medal

RECREATIONAL

Mountaineering

Established 1944

The Mountaineering Club is about getting outdoors through a range of adventurous outdoor sports.

Rogaines are run by volunteers through the Victorian Rogaining Association. This year the Melbourne University Mountaineering Club ran an entire rogaine which required extensive time and skill input from across the membership. The club was very pleased with the outcome of this event and the other activities we carried out over 2015.

President

Daniel Cocker, Richard Bassett-Smith

Vice-President

Richard Bassett Smith, Ryan Judd

Secretary

Simin Ngan, Jason Ma

Treasurer

David Heng

Mountaineering Officer

Gaetan Riou, Julian Goad

Skiing Officer

Luke Frisken

Walking Officer

Daniel Cocker, Evie Clarke

Ropes Officer

Rodney Polkinghorne, Matt Dunwoodie

Conservation Officer

Loren Leong, Sally Stead

Paddling Officer Matt Dunwoodie,

Matt Dunwoodie, Jack McCutchan

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	RESULT
Victorian Rogaining Championship	Men's	2 nd
Victorian Rogaining Championship	Women's	1 st
Canoe Polo	Interclub Competition	$3^{\rm rd}$
Victorian State Bouldering Titles	Open Male A	13 th
Victorian State Bouldering Titles	Open Female B	3 rd

MEMBER NAME	ORGANISATION / EVENT	RECOGNITION / ACHIEVEMENT
Shannon Crack	Melbourne University Mountaineering Club	Honorary Life Membership
Aaron Lowndes	Australian Climbing Instructors Association	Multi-Pitch Climbing Guide

Significant Club Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR	
Introductory Trip	Weekend camp for new members to be introduced to bushwalking, rock climbing, rogaining and kayaking at Cathedral Ranges National Park
Midnight Ascent	Annual bushwalking trip to Clubs Hut
Mitchell River Kayaking/Rafting	Annual trip with Monash and La Trobe mountaineering clubs
Learn to Lead	Instructional course on learning how to rock climb outdoors
Buffalo Social	Social trip covering multiple sports
Bush Search and Rescue	Training weekends and bush searches with Victoria Police
NZ Mountaineering	Mountaineering in high alpine terrain in New Zealand
Pie and Slide Night	Annual photo competition

Ski

Established 1929

The Ski Club is a fun-loving organisation, with the goal of getting anyone and everyone having a great time on skis; from first-timers to seasoned competitors.

President

Angus White

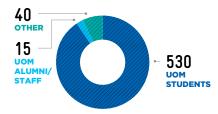
Secretary

Sam Doyle

Treasurer

Ollie Nam

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	RESULT
VIC IV Championships	1st Overall

Significant Club Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR	
New Members Camp (3 days)	New members trip to Mt Baw Baw
Buller Week (6 days)	Skiing trip to Mt Buller
Hotham Week (6 days)	Skiing trip to Mt Hotham
Buller Weekend (3 days)	Skiing trip to Mt Buller
Falls Half Week (4 days)	Skiing trip to Falls Creek
Hotham Half Week (4 days)	Skiing trip to Mt Hotham
Dawn til Dusk (1 day)	Skiing day trip to Mt Buller
VIC IV Championships	Victorian University competition, Mt Buller

Snowboard

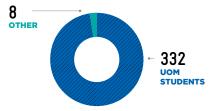
Established 1994

The Snowboarding Club runs trips during winter to multiple mountains including Mount Buller, Falls Creek and international trips to New Zealand.

The Melbourne University Snowboard Club took top honours at the State Championships and successfully ran major snow trips to Mount Buller and New Zealand. Snowball was improved with a record number of 171 members attending the 850-person event run with other university snow clubs. The Club ran several successful events during the year, ranging from barbecues on campus to pub nights for new members, and expanded off-season activities with several trampoline training nights.

President Callum Castles	Secretary Brooke Dunleavy
Vice-President	Treasurer
Lewis Tanoyo	Dylan Gardner

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION / GRADE	RESULT
VIC IV Championships	1	Women's 1st Overall
VIC IV Championships	1	Men's 1 st Overall
VIC IV Championships	1	Overall Winners

Significant Club Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR	
New Zealand	10-day trip to New Zealand
Buller Weekend	September weekend trip, Mt Buller
VIC IV Championship	Victorian University competition, Mt Buller

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	RESULT
Christen Richardson	VIC IV Championships	1st Overall Female Snowboard
Sophie Ellis	VIC IV Championships	1st Equal Overall Female Ski
Brooke Dunleavy	VIC IV Championships	1st Equal Overall Female Ski
Julia Rogerson	VIC IV Championships	2 nd Overall Female Snowboard
Callum Castes	VIC IV Championships	5 th Overall Male Snowboard

Surfriders

Established 1969

The Surfriders Club is a community of surfers that welcomes people of all skill levels, from beginners to budding competitors, with the main emphasis being on having fun.

The Surfriders Club ran several surf camps to the Surf Coast and Phillip Island. After years of planning and fundraising, the Club purchased a new, custom-fabricated trailer for transportation and storage of surfboards, wetsuits and other gear.

President

Henry Dow

Vice-President

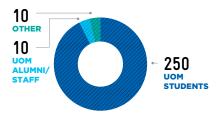
Kerrod Moller-Nielsen

Secretary

Mark O'Reilly

Treasurer

Senal Abeyagunawardena



Significant Club Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS	
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR		
Lorne Surf Camp	Learn to surf and training camp	
Apollo Bay Surf Camp		
Phillip Island Surf Camp		
Apollo Bay Surf Camp		
Lorne Surf Camp		

Underwater

Established 1977

The Underwater Club's primary goal is to make SCUBA diving affordable and accessible to students.

The Melbourne University Underwater Club conducted two open water courses in the 2015 academic year. The club had three members begin Dive Master training, of which one successfully completed the course.

Club Membership Participation Data



President Treasurer
Carol Milligan Marcus Vogt

Vice-President Chi Leong Wong Mel Tate

Secretary

Treasurer
Marcus Vogt

Head Instructor
Mel Tate

Megan Elkington

Club Results - Participation Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS		
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR			
Melbourne Cup Long Weekend	Diving and camping trip to Wilson's Prom		
Labour Day Long Weekend	Dive trip to Phillip Island		
Certified EFR Course	Diving First Aid Course		
Great Victorian Fish Count	Flinders Pier		
Australia Day Weekend	Blairgowrie Night Diving		

MEMBER NAME	ORGANISATION / EVENT	RECOGNITION / ACHIEVEMENT
James Cass	PADI	Divemaster Certification
Margaret Flierman	PADI	Divemaster Certification

Waterski and Wakeboard

Established 1965

The Waterski and Wakeboard Club runs regular trips around Victoria and New South Wales.

In 2015 MUWWT ran bigger-than-ever trips and camps at Lake Eildon, Hazelwood Pondage, the Murray River and Deniliquin on the Edwards. It also took possession of a brand-new MB F21 Tomcat, the biggest-capacity boat the club has had, and brand-new equipment.

President

Hannah Dunn

Vice-President

Dan Boyd

Secretary

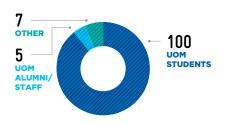
Lincoln Reeves

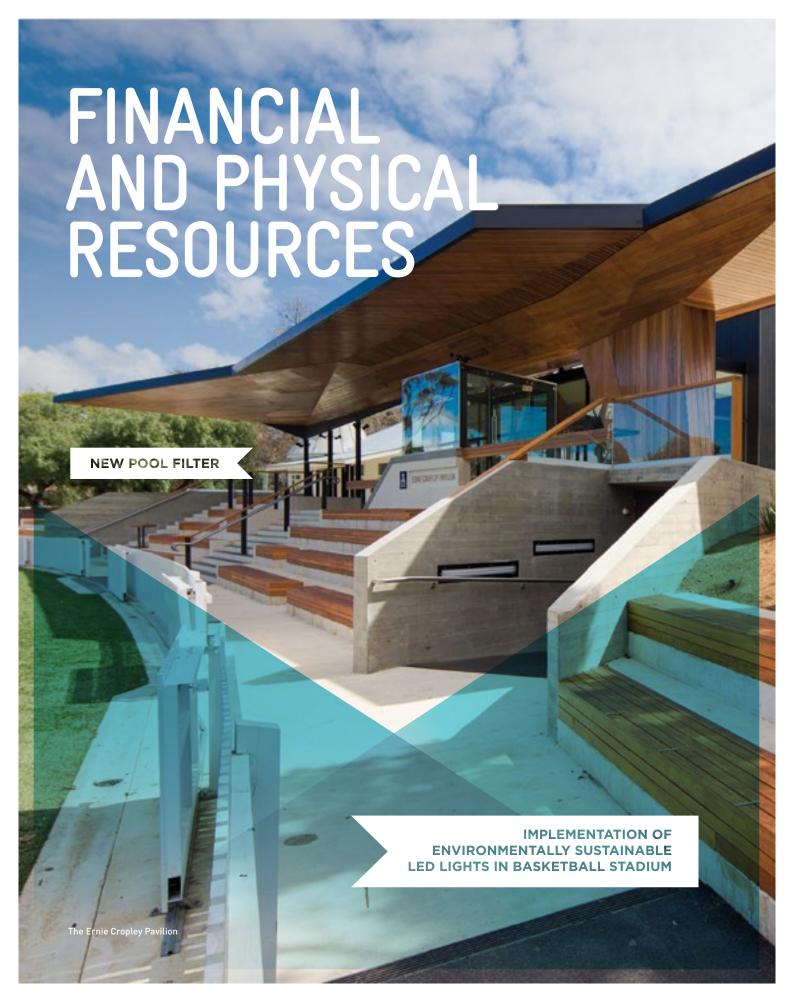
Treasurer

Ella Bilton-Gough

Club Results - Participation Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS	
CAMP / COURSE / TOUR		
New Members Camp	New Members camp at Echuca on the Murray River	
Easter Trip	Easter trip to the Edwards River at Deniliquin	
Winter Wake and Ski	Winter New Members, Hazelwood Pondage, Morwell	
Spring Camp	Spring break at Hazelwood, Morwell	





FINANCIAL AND PHYSICAL RESOURCES

FACILITIES

The University has a range of sporting facilities at the Parkville campus sports precinct in addition to the Ski Lodge at Mt Buller, Boat House on the Yarra River and the mountaineering hut at Mt Feathertop.



Sport Centre - Stadium LED light installation

Melbourne University Sport has taken a huge step towards environmental sustainability with the installation of new LED lights in the Sports Centre basketball stadium.

Works commenced in late September after consultation with the University's Sustainability Implementation team to advise on a better lighting alternative to the previous unreliable metal halides.

The lights reduce energy used as well as increasing lighting levels on the playing surface. The new Luna Gigatera LEDs have doubled light levels from practice standard to competition standard, resulting in a far better playing surface which has been well received by MU Sport clubs and patrons.

The LEDs utilise Narrow Multi-Beam Forming technology, which delivers high efficiency with a low level of glare. The Lunas distribute the light source evenly and reduce each point to just 16w of power. Due to the long lifespan of LEDs, lamps will not require replacement for at least 10 years – compared to the metal halides which required replacement every two years. This will bring significant savings to running and replacement costs over the next 10 years.

Beaurepaire Centre -Pool Filter Upgrade

Melbourne University Sport has initiated significant repair works to the pool filter system for the first time since the extensive renovation works of the Beaurepaire Centre in 2004.

Rectification works on the pool began in late December – with the emptying of the pool and replacement of the filter medium. Further works included repair of a damaged valve, repair and deep clean of deck and pool tiles, and upgrading of the CO2 system. These works will provide water savings, improved water quality, as well as vital repairs to the filtration system and pool tiling.

Maintenance

Over \$100,000 was spent on essential facility maintenance projects, including:

- External floodlight repairs
- Sport Centre Stadium repairs and relacquering
- \bullet Squash court repairs and painting
- Cricket net upgrade installation
- Hand dryer replacement installation
- Beaurepaire internal sled track upgrade installation
- Hockey pitch fencing repairs
- Oval fence painting
- · Boathouse painting
- Ski Lodge painting
- Sport Centre Reception Foyer Upgrade

FINANCE

Student Services and Amenities Fee

In 2012 the SSAF (Student Services and Amenities Fee) was introduced which provided \$2.28m in funding to MU Sport, an effective \$1m increase over the 2011 provision of \$1.25m from the University. In 2015 the SSAF increased to \$2.48m.

Over the last four years these funds have been used to:

- reduce student membership fees and venue hire charges
- introduce a discounted student direct debit membership option
- open a fitness facility south of Grattan St (Lincoln Square Fitness)
- fund new program initiatives to provide students with increased access to casual and one-off sporting and fitness opportunities at low or no cost
- provide additional club access to MU Sport facilities at no cost

- increase support for club coaching and management
- provide additional support for high performance sport and elite athletes
- develop the Oval Pavilion and Sports Centre

The long term strategy for sport has been to increase income from commercial activities such as memberships, venue hire and leases and manage or reduce expenses on programs and facilities.

Melbourne University Sport Foundation

The endowment of the Melbourne University Sport Foundation has grown to over \$2 million in 2015, providing support for student participation in Hockey, Rowing, Skiing, Badminton, Football and Athletics.

In 2015, the Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship Fund was established to provide a scholarship for a student athlete in the sport of athletics who is seeking to represent their country. This is the first athletics focussed scholarship at the University and the second scholarship established via the Melbourne University Sport Foundation, the other being the Rowing Opportunity Scholarship.



FINANCE REPORT FOR 2015

	2015	2014
REVENUE		
Fees and Charges	\$6,457,903	\$6,278,866
Investment Revenue	\$34,836	\$29,019
Other Revenue	\$562,730	\$916,218
Total Revenue	\$7,055,469	\$7,224,104
LESS EXPENSE		
Employee Related Expenses	\$3,203,127	\$2,971,708
Consultants, External Labour and Cleaning	\$626,087	\$462,315
Depreciation	\$180,384	\$167,984
Utilities, Repairs and Maintenance	\$1,254,934	\$900,026
Equipment	\$68,794	\$193,173
Other Expenses	\$1,419,809	\$1,141,930
Total Expenses	\$6,753,135	\$5,837,136
Less Extraordinary Expenditure*		\$1,634,453
Operating Surplus/Loss	\$302,334	-\$247,485

^{*}Note: Capital Expenditure on the Pavilion redevelopment project

	2015	2014
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash	\$2,385,329	\$1,775,201
Receivables	\$69,694	\$120,367
Total Current Assets	\$2,455,023	\$1,895,568
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Property, Plant and Equipment	\$273,483	\$362,672
Total Assets	\$2,728,506	\$2,258,240
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade	\$652,849	\$605,247
Provisions	\$315,602	\$274,994
Other	\$87,533	\$28,317
Total Current Liabilities	\$1,055,984	\$908,558
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Provisions	\$31,317	\$10,812
Total Liabilities	\$1,087,301	\$919,370
Net Assets	\$1,641,205	\$1,338,870
EQUITY*		
Reserves	\$31,567	\$31,567
Retained Surplus	\$1,609,639	\$1,307,306
Total Equity	\$1,641,205	\$1,338,870



PEOPLE, PARTNERS AND DONORS

MU SPORT STAFF



Tim Lee

Director

Alex Affleck

Operations Manager

Jean-Luc Garlick

Business Manager

P. Joy Villalino

Marketing Manager

Rod Warnecke

Sport Development Manager

Aaron McNaughton (started October) Marketing and Events Coordinator

Alison Godlee (started June)
HR Consultant

Andrew Walker (started October) Club Coordinator

Ange La Scala

Group Fitness Coordinator

Betony Dawson (left January) Marketing and Communications Coordinator

Carl Junot

Elite Athlete Coordinator

Craig Bamford

Aquatics and Fitness Coordinator

Elizabeth Tregoning

Finance Officer

Jen Eslick

Venue and Event Coordinator

Julie Caundle

Director's Assistant

Kylie Moulds (left September) Club Coordinator

Louise Rogers (left June) OHS Coordinator

Maria Barres (started October)
Guest Services Coordinator

Natalie Julian (started October) OHS Coordinator

Nick Pappas

Maintenance Officer

Patrick Malone (left August) Guest Services Coordinator

Tom Lutwyche

Sport Coordinator

MU Sport staff also includes shared roles with University of Melbourne departments and Sporting Clubs:

Boris Ivanov

Development Coordinator, Melbourne University Soccer Club

Bridie Murphy (started November) Netball High Performance Coordinator

Chris Harvey

Development Manager, Melbourne University Sport Foundation

Emma Inglis (started September) General Manager, Melbourne University Cricket Club

Jason Jones

General Manager, Melbourne University Rugby Club

Kaylea McQuade (left August) Netball High Performance Coordinator

Tim Heathcote (left August) General Manager, Melbourne University Cricket Club

Prue Ottey (started October) General Manager, Melbourne University Boat Club

Rick van Hooydonk (started December) Head Coach, Melbourne University Boat Club

MU SPORT BOARD

The Melbourne University Sport Board provides high-level policy, business and financial advice to the University Council on the development and management of sport and recreation at the University.



Professor James Angus (Chair)

James Angus is an Honorary Professorial Fellow and Professor Emeritus in the Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics in the Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences (MDHS), University of Melbourne.

In July 2013 he completed a 10-year term as Dean of the Faculty of MDHS at the University. Before becoming Dean, he was Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacology and Deputy Dean of the Faculty of MDHS. At the University of Melbourne, Professor Angus has been President of the Academic Board (2000-01), Pro Vice-Chancellor (1999-01) and a member of the University Council (1999-01). Professor Angus was awarded the Gottschalk Medal of the Australian Academy of Science [1984], is a Fellow of the Academy (FAA) and has been a member of its Council. In 2003 he was awarded Australia's Centenary Medal for contribution to Pharmacology and the Community. Professor Angus was a First Vice-President of the International Union of Pharmacology (IUPHAR) and was President of the Australasian Society of Clinical and Experimental Pharmacologists and Toxicologists.

From 2009-11 he was President of Medical Deans Australia and New Zealand. His current roles include Senior Adviser to Victoria's Health Innovation and Reform Council, Board Member of the Florey Institute of Neuroscience and Mental Health, Peter MacCallum Cancer Institute. Chair of Melbourne Genomics Health Alliance and President of the National Stroke Foundation Board. He was appointed an Officer of the Order of Australia in 2010 for distinguished service to biomedical research, particularly in the fields of pharmacology and cardiovascular disease, as a leading academic and medical educator, and as a contributor to a range of advisory boards and professional organisations both nationally and internationally.

Appointed May 2015.



Mr Andrew Gillies

Andrew Gillies is currently studying a Bachelor of Commerce and a Diploma in Languages at The University of Melbourne.

As a scholarship holder at the Victorian Institute of Sport, Andrew has extensive experience in the sport of Sailing. A multiple national champion, he has received a national award for sportsmanship, and was a joint recipient of the Victorian Junior Team of the Year at the Victorian Sport Awards in 2009. He has represented Victoria in Rugby Union and this began his involvement with Melbourne University Sport in 2011, as runner-up for the inaugural Young Achiever Award. He has represented the University in Rugby 7s, Sailing and Touch Rugby at the Australian University Games, as well as serving as captain for the MURFC Under-20 team in 2013. While studying, he has also turned his leadership skills to work with a boutique strategic planning and organisational change consulting firm, working as an analyst.

Appointed May 2014.



Mr Grant Williams

Grant Williams is currently the General Manager of Community Football Operations at the AFL, responsible for working with and supporting the efforts of all state and territory bodies and international affiliates.

Previously he was General Manager of AFL Victoria, combining this role with that of AFL Head of Development. For just over two years until 2011 Grant worked for the AFL in the Game Development department as the Development Strategy and Operations Manager in a national role that included working with all state bodies to support their plans and initiatives to grow the game as well

as building the case for future investment in developing the game prior to the 2012 to 2016 media rights deal. Before this he was the AFL Victoria Project Manager responsible for the implementation of the recommendations of the AFL's Second Tier Review in Victoria, and for almost four years was General Manager of Football Operations at Carlton Football Club. He has worked for AFL SportsReady Ltd and the AFL Players Association (AFLPA) as the inaugural Project Manager responsible for the establishment of a career transition program for AFL players, now known as the 'Next Goal' program, which still provides practical work experience opportunities for AFL players. For nearly 15 years, Grant worked in consulting engineering practices as a structural engineer, mainly in offshore oil and gas engineering in Melbourne and overseas.

Appointed May 2015.



Mr James Marburg

James Marburg is MU Sport's newest board member and comes to the role with extensive background in the sport of Rowing.

His career at University Boat Club started in 2001, and he has been a member of national teams since 2002, competing in the past two Olympic Games (Beijing, London) and winning a silver medal in Beijing. He was also captain of the Men's Eight at varsity competitions in 2011 and 2012 and rowed at the University of Melbourne vs University of Sydney Annual Boat Race. He remains heavily involved in Rowing through the University Boat Club and as a panel member of the Rowing Australia tribunal. After studying law at Melbourne, James now works as a solicitor at King & Wood Mallesons. He previously worked in marketing and communications at ANZ Institutional. He has been a contributing writer for The Age and engages in public debates and discourse regarding issues in sport from an athlete's perspective.

Appointed May 2015.



Ms Kate Roffey

With more than 20 years' experience in the commercial, government and not-for-profit sectors, Kate provides high-level expertise in strategic and operational planning, stakeholder management, organisational change management and political strategy.

In her current role as the CEO of the Committee for Melbourne, Kate is responsible for delivering the Committee's vision to make the city a better place for all Melburnians. A member-based organisation, the Committee strives to provoke debate and thought-leadership on a range of important issues concerning greater Melbourne and Victoria's long-term development. As CEO, Kate represents the views of the Committee's broad membership across a range of forums.

Kate was previously at Tennis Australia where she helped secure funding for the Melbourne Park redevelopment, which will see 12 years of major infrastructure building to ensure the Australian Open Grand Slam remains in Melbourne until 2036. Prior to her role at Tennis Australia, Kate was CEO of VicSport and an influential leader of the Victorian Sport and Active Recreation sector. Kate holds a Bachelor of Applied Science, a Bachelor of Science, a Graduate Diploma from the Australia Institute of Company Directors, and is currently undertaking PhD doctoral research in mentoring at Victoria University. She has a strong interest in governance and is a member of the Melbourne Vixens Advisory Board and the board of the Melbourne Football Club. Kate is a graduate member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and regularly presents workshops and forums on good governance and strategic planning practices.

Appointed May 2015.



Professor Margaret Abernethy

Margaret Abernethy is the Sir Douglas Copland Chair of Commerce and holds the Chair in Managerial Accounting at the University of Melbourne.

Up until 2012 she was Dean of the Faculty of Business and Economics, a position she

held for over eight years. In 2008 Margaret was named Telstra Business Woman of the Year for the Community and Government sector in recognition of her contribution to higher education. She is internationally recognised as one of the leading researchers in her field and has taught across a range of subjects at undergraduate and graduate level and is recognised as an outstanding teacher. She is a Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences.

Appointed February 2011.



Professor Richard James

Richard James is Pro Vice-Chancellor (Academic) and Director of the Centre for the Study of Higher Education, a leading centre for policy research in higher education.

His research program spans access and equity, the transition to university, student finances, student engagement, quality assurance and academic standards. He has published widely on the effects of social class on higher education aspirations and participation. He is a regular public commentator on higher education policy and is a member of the inaugural Higher Education Standards Panel, the national body that sets standards for the regulation of universities and other higher education providers. Sporting-wise, in the 1970s and 1980s he represented Australia in Track and Field and was the Australian 100m sprint champion in 1980. He remains active in sport for fitness.

Appointed May 2014.



Mr Adrian Collette AM

Adrian Collette joined the University of Melbourne in early 2013 as Executive Director, Engagement and Partnerships before taking on his current role in early 2014.

Previously, Adrian was Chief Executive Officer of Opera Australia (OA) for 16 years. OA is Australia's national opera company and is also the country's largest performing arts company. Before joining Opera Australia, Adrian was Managing Director of Reed Books, a division of Reed Elsevier, a company at which he worked for 10 years. Adrian attended Trinity Grammar School, Kew. He holds a Bachelor of Arts with first class honours from La Trobe University and a Master of Arts from the University of Melbourne. He tutored in Literature at both La Trobe University and the University of Melbourne. Adrian also performed regularly as a singer with the Victoria State Opera and was a member of their Young Artist Program.

He is a Board member of the Australia Council for the Arts; a Board member of the Committee for Melbourne and a Life Member of Live Performance Australia. He was also a Member of the Victorian Council for the Arts and a Trustee of Sydney Grammar School for 6 years. Adrian became a Member in the Order of Australia for services to the Arts in 2008.



Mr Timothy Lee

Tim has been involved in the delivery of sporting, recreational and fitness services in the university and community sectors for 25 years, the last six years as the Director of Sport at the University of Melbourne (MU Sport).

Tim has led the repositioning of sport at the University and with his team increased student participation and sport performance, completed a major capital plan and significantly improved the financial position of the organisation. MU Sport is considered an exemplar for good governance and management and regularly hosts national and international industry visitors.

Tim has been a key player in the development of national industry benchmarking and several national sporting initiatives whilst also serving on a number boards and committees with the national body, Australian University Sport, including as a Board Director from 2002 to 2012.

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HISTORY OF SPORT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

Students have participated in organised sport and recreation activity since the formation of the University in 1853.
Students returning to the colonies from Eton, Harrow and the famous Rugby School brought back the prevailing wisdom dominating the British public school system: Mens sana in corpore sano (a sound mind in a healthy body).

Students soon came together to compete against other universities and local clubs, with the first recorded contest being a cricket match against Emerald Hill in 1857. A rowing contest occurred on the Yarra in 1859 that led to the founding of the University's first organised sporting club, the Boat Club. Intervarsity sport followed in 1870 with victories against the University of Sydney in both rowing and cricket at the MCG.

Tennis, athletics and lacrosse clubs soon emerged and came together to form the Sports Union in 1904. In the following years boxing, golf, netball, skiing and yachting clubs were established. The University also adopted the British practice of awarding sporting Blues for outstanding sporting performance. In 1874, the land north of Tin Alley, the Sports Precinct, was given to the University for recreational purposes, with the Oval and Pavilion established soon after. The Boat House beside the Yarra was built in 1908.

Sport at the University reached significant prominence in 1908 when the University was admitted to the Victorian Football League (VFL) – the forerunner of the AFL. The Club enjoyed its best season in 1910, winning 10 games out of 18, but the amateur students won just two games between 1911 and 1915 before withdrawing during the First World War.

After the Second World War, the arrival of returned servicemen and the children of post-war migrants at the University resulted in new activities including fencing, judo, badminton, basketball and soccer. Franz Stampfl arrived in 1955 to teach physical education and successfully coach a generation of student athletes, many of whom represented Australia, including 1968 Olympic gold medallist Ralph Doubell.



The Olympic Games in Melbourne in 1956 was an important catalyst for the development of sporting facilities at the University. The Beaurepaire Centre, built with generous support from Sir Frank Beaurepaire, incorporated an indoor swimming pool and stadium, and the first hard-surface running track was laid during this period. The Ski Lodge at Mount Buller was purchased in 1960 and, around the same time, a geodesic dome hut was built at Mount Feathertop by the Mountaineering Club as an emergency shelter. The development in 1967 of the Sports Centre resulted in the Sports Precinct becoming one of the most distinctive and busiest multi-sport precincts in Australia.

The University has long celebrated the achievements of its teams, clubs and athletes on the field and as community and industry leaders. World War II hero and humanitarian Edward 'Weary' Dunlop became the first Victorian-born rugby player to represent Australia in 1932, and many VFL and AFL players and administrators are counted among alumni, including 1946 Brownlow Medal winner Dr Donald Cordner and current AFL CEO Gillon McLachlan. Sporting alumni include Australian Test cricketers Paul Sheahan and Colin MacDonald, Olympian John Landy, and gold medallists Peter Antonie, Herb Elliott, Merv Lincoln, Kathy Watt and Cathy Freeman.

The Australian University Games commenced in the 1990s and the University has continued to be a dominant force at a national level, winning the Australian University Champion title six times, most recently in 2013. A great university sporting tradition also returned in 2009 with the Australian Boat Race against Sydney University reigniting a long-standing rivalry between the nation's two pre-eminent universities.

The Beaurepaire Centre was redeveloped in 2004 (after a five-year closure) and a sand-based synthetic hockey surface added to the middle of the athletics track. The University committed to a substantial sports facility development program in 2009, commencing with the three-storey extension to the east side of the Boat House. The Lincoln Square Fitness Centre opened in 2012 on Bouverie Street for the increasing campus population south of Grattan Street and, in 2013, the northern wing of the Sports Centre was refurbished to upgrade the squash courts and change rooms and provide two social and meeting rooms as well as administration offices.

The much-anticipated redevelopment of the Pavilion was completed in April 2014 and named after Ernie Cropley in recognition of 50 years of service to the University and sport as head curator and active member of three sporting clubs. The naming of the Pavilion was possible due to the significant level of benefaction from sporting alumni to the project. The University Blacks subsequently won their first VAFA Premier A flag since 1974, the first for the University Football Club in the top division since University Blues won in 2004.

Melbourne University Sport (MU Sport) has now evolved from the volunteer-based Sports Union model into a professional, managed sport department reporting to a University-appointed board. MU Sport continues to provide students with an opportunity to engage in regular physical activity and encourage quality performances from athletes, teams and clubs to ensure the University of Melbourne remains Australia's leading sporting university.

For the comprehensive history of sport at the University of Melbourne, see *The Ties that Bind* by June E. Senyard.

Tim Lee

Director of Sport

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