## **Sutherland District Hockey Club Inc.**



# FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

2018-2019

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### **ABOUT OUR CLUB**

"The objects of the Club shall be to foster the interest and control of the game of hockey in the Sutherland Shire; and to give an opportunity to amateur junior and senior players in the abovementioned Shire to participate in the game of hockey."

From the Constitution of Sutherland District Hockey Club Inc

"Sutherland District Men's Hockey Club" was formed in November 1965 and with the help and generosity of Sutherland Council began playing in 1966 at Woolooware Oval. The Club's home was moved to Sylvania Hockey Park for the 1968 season. In 1980, the Club amalgamated with 3 disbanding Women's Clubs to expand and include senior and junior Women players as members, and provide an opportunity for women to participate in local SSWHA Competitions.

Over the years the facilities at Hockey Park have been developed to be amongst the best in Sydney. The Clubhouse was officially opened on March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1980, at which time we had two grass fields for hockey. The first synthetic sand field was laid in 1990, and the first synthetic water-based surface was laid in 2001. These endeavours were made possible by contributions from Club members, Club sponsors, Club supporters, Sutherland Shire Council, and the NSW Department of Sport and Recreation.

The Club is currently one of the largest in Sydney. In 2019, 8 men's teams, 3 women's teams and 13 junior teams (mixed) represented Sutherland District Hockey Club. In addition to this, the Club's Friday Minkey programme continues to grow, and our Summer Schools Hockey Competition run for local Primary and High Schools is one of the largest in Australia.

### **OUR CLUB EMBLEM**



Our current Club emblem was adopted in 1996. While clearly depicting our Club name, the emblem keeps traditional elements of previous club designs with the crossed sticks and contemporary representation of the traditional Namandi spirit Adungen, or Aranga.

In Aboriginal mythology there are three types of spirits: the familiar, the harmless, and the malignant, or Namandi. Namandi spirits are feared most of all because many set out to harm and kill Aboriginies. This included stealing the spirits of sick men, consuming the living, and causing great disasters such as droughts and floods.

### **OUR SPONSORS**

Thank you to our Club Sponsors for their fantastic support in 2019!

- Tradies Gymea, Caringbah, Helensburgh
- Sutherland Mazda 26-28 Waratah Street Kirrawee
- Gymea Hotel 41-45 Gymea Bay Road, Gymea
- Just Hockey State Sports Centre, Homebush
- Runnulla Performance footwear and clothing 57 Cronulla Street, Cronulla
- MediRent Rebound Sports Recovery 61 Beauchamp Road, Matraville
- More than Meat Butcher & Catering Company 130 Wyralla Road, Miranda
- 20/20 Sports Physiotherapy 113B Anzac Ave, Engadine
- Inside Line Roofing, Natural Fencing, and David Barker Performance Training























### **2019 CLUB COMMITTEE**

<u>President:</u> Craig Turner

<u>Deputy President:</u> Peter Tait

Secretary: Vacant

<u>Treasurer:</u> Luke Domrow

Men's Convenor: Andrew Hoy

Women's Convenor: Lee-Anne Callinan

<u>Junior Convenor:</u> David Richardson

Building Officer: Frank Rowling

<u>Grounds Officer:</u> Vacant

<u>Records Officer:</u> Steve Harvey

<u>Canteen Manager:</u> Vacant – role filled by John Cowan & Peter Krepp

<u>Equipment Officer:</u> Garry Thomas

<u>Sponsorship Officer:</u> Peter Krepp

Social Convenor: Sharon Rose

### **LIFE MEMBERS**

1974	Josef Krepp *	1998	Iain Minto
	Glen Ayres		Chris Tozer
1978	Max Spencer	2001	Greg Corben
	John Freak	2002	Lyn Hollyman
1983	Geoff Bollard	2003	Tony Burcher
	Kevin Connelly *	2006	John Mulcair
	Dennis Lisk	2008	Lyn Smith
	Anthony Valentine		Frank Rowling
1988	Terry Dewing	2009	Beverley Phillips
	Warren Hollyman	2013	Judy Rowling
1990	Dennis Walker *	2015	John Cowan
1991	Alan White	2016	Peter Tait
1995	Craig Turner		Beverley Williams
1997	Gary Eggert	2017	Peter Krepp
		2018	Bill Melchert

<sup>\*</sup> deceased

### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

We started the season in the best possible way when on March 9 we held the official opening ceremony for our new playing surface. This represented a \$350,000 investment in updating our playing facilities (including a refurbishment of the watering system), and was closely followed by an update to the kitchen / cooking facilities to give us an excellent facility refresh for the start of the season. Particular thanks to Peter Tait and Bill Melchert in taking the lead on these activities.

There are comprehensive reports on our Junior, Senior Women's and Senior Men's programs later in this document, but briefly ....

Our Junior program, under the leadership of Junior Convenor David Richardson, again had an excellent year – with 13 junior teams plus a well attended Minkey program, it's a large operation. Well done to all coaches, managers, Age Coordinators and others that assisted.

Our three Senior Women's teams, again under the leadership of Women's Convenor Lee-Anne Callinan and Senior Women's Head Coach Sarah Dredge, each performed credibly in the Sydney East competitions, with our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Wildcats making the semi-finals this year. The Sutho Ladies Day, despite some appalling weather, was another season highlight, and this year featured a junior training clinic conducted by the 1<sup>st</sup> grade team on the day.

In our Senior Men's program, under the leadership of Men's Convenor Andrew Hoy:

- An increase in playing numbers enabled us to field a record 8 senior men's team this year, up from 6 teams just two years ago
- Our top 5 men's teams all reached semi-finals in the Sydney Hockey competition, a terrific demonstration of improved playing quality through our senior grades, with our 1<sup>st</sup> grade team reaching the Grand Final

We held our Senior and Junior end of season presentation events over the weekend of 21 and 22 September – which was much earlier than our usual late October dates – and that seemed to be generally well received.

In addition to the efforts of our Convenors in running their programs, at Committee level I would particularly like to recognise the contribution this year of Luke Domrow as our new Treasurer. Luke brought great energy and expertise to our Committee discussions and the Treasurer role, and with the invaluable assistance of Mags Noy as Assistant Treasurer, Luke ensured the management and reporting of our financial affairs was of the highest standard.

Our Club benefits significantly from the support and involvement of a terrific group of Sponsors, led by Tradies as our Major Sponsor, along with the support of Eleni Petinos, MP for Miranda, and Carmelo Pesce and the team at Sutherland Council. We are very appreciative of this.

As a community based organisation, our Club thrives and prospers due to the positive involvement of many, many volunteers. Thanks to all who volunteered in some way in 2019!

**Craig Turner**President

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

### **Financial Performance and Position**

I am pleased to report on the Sutherland District Hockey Club's financial performance for the 12 months ending 30 September 2019, being a net surplus of \$26,575 (2018: \$98,027). The Club's financial position at 30 September 2019 reflects net assets of \$571,685 (2018: \$545,109), with total cash on hand of \$236,757 (2018: \$501,719).

### Significant investments and cash outlays

2019 was a significant year for the Club with the finalisation of various capital projects, including the installation of our new Polytan turf in December 2019, an upgrade to our watering system, new training goals and storage areas, and a partial kitchen upgrade. These items have enhanced our facilities significantly. The total cost to date for the club of these investments is almost \$360,000 and our cash reserves reduced significantly requiring the Committee to adopt a responsible approach to ensuring the sustainability of the Club's finances.

I would like to especially acknowledge the financial contributions from our Federal Member (Hon Scott Morrison MP), and State Member (Ms Eleni Petinos MP) to these capital projects. Their ongoing support of our Hockey Club is much appreciated and ensures that both our Junior and Senior players can enjoy playing hockey on an Olympic standard surface.

### Implementation of new club administration system

The implementation of our new club administration system (Majestri) in January simplified the registration process and allowed the Club to move away from a paper-based registration and fee collection process enhancing the timing of fee collections and providing members with better options for payment plans. I would like to express my thanks to Sarah Dredge for her timeless efforts in planning, implementation and testing of the new system.

### **Player fees**

The Committee undertook a detailed analysis of membership fees prior to the start of the season with a focus on ensuring our fees encouraged participation, remained competitive, and ensured the sustainability of the Club's finances and facilities in the long term. The findings suggested our player fees were highly competitive and trended in the mid to low end of the sample of other clubs in Sydney across our Men, Women and Juniors.

Growth in participation, the implementation of Majestri, and small fee increases ensured growth in our membership revenue by 9% to \$82,975 (2018: \$76,310) bringing playing revenue more in line with our direct playing expenses, which was a key strategic objective of the Committee.

#### **Sponsorship**

Without the support of our sponsors, we would not have funds available to develop our facilities and keep our playing fees competitive. A special thanks must go to Tradies, Gymea Hotel, Sutherland Mazda, Rebound Sports Recovery, Just Hockey, Runnulla, 20/20 Sports Physiotherapy, InsideLine Roofing and More Than Meat.

### **Canteen and Fundraising**

The Canteen realised a profit of \$20,910 (2018: \$18,472) being the best result in the last four years thanks to the generous contributions of all our Club members, valuable contributions of product from More Than Meat, and the planning and buying efforts of John Cowan, Peter Krepp and Trish Krepp.

The Club conducted two new fundraising initiatives in 2019 - a Bunnings BBQ in February and a Chocolate Fundraising Drive, realising a combined profit of \$2,618, with more to come in 2020.

### **Equipment**

The loss in equipment of \$5,395 (2018: loss of \$5,144) reflects the Committee's investment in new equipment such as hockey balls, and umpire shirts, the write-off of old inventory and the Committee's investment in the pricing of supporter gear (at or below cost) as a promotion.

The Club is in a good position to turn this loss around in future years now that the old stock has been written off, and with plans to reduce the fragmentation in our offerings. Thank you to Garry Thomas for all of his efforts in the uniform and equipment room this year. It is often a thankless task, and he implemented the new Majestri ordering process incredibly well.

#### **Costs**

The addition of a depreciation charge on the new turf has increased the Club's total book expenses by 18% in 2019 to \$197,205 (2018: \$167,765). After adjusting for depreciation total expenses were slightly down on 2018 reflecting the Committee's responsible approach to managing costs.

### A Special Thank You to our Assistant Treasurer

The growth in our Club in recent years means we have become a Tier 1 association for reporting purposes, and managing the club's finances is no small effort.

During 2019, 594 invoices were issued and receipted through Majestri, 1,629 transactions were processed into the accounts through our bank account and square, and almost 200 Active Kids vouchers have been applied for. Internal controls were followed, regulatory compliance requirements satisfied, all paperwork and reports were gathered, reviewed and processed, and everything reconciled.

Much of the hard work in ensuring everything is accounted for and paid on a timely basis is undertaken by our Assistant Treasurer Mags Noy. She is always volunteering behind the scenes to ensure appropriate controls are in place, even in 2019 whilst recovering from significant surgery. She also runs the Ground bookings and ensures the Club's facilities are unlocked and in working order week on week.

Accordingly, in finalising my report, I want to express my special thanks to Mags for being so accommodating of change to our systems and the Treasurer role in 2019.

#### **Luke Domrow**

Treasurer

### **CANTEEN REPORT**

The margin contribution of the canteen in 2019 was a record \$23,400 on \$41,500 turnover exclusive of GST adjustments. This compares to \$21,400 margin on \$38,400 sales in 2018 and \$20,500 on \$37,900 in 2017. We had slightly fewer Premier 1 home days which had some impact on turnover. The key drivers of the profitability improvement was our hosting of a Bunnings Sausage Sizzle in February and a very significant canteen product sponsorship by More Than Meat butchers at Gymea. We encourage all Club members to repay this generous sponsorship with personal purchases of meat.

Whilst the canteen is a critical part of the Club's financial viability, it is far more important than that. It enhances the reputation of the Club by providing a good atmosphere and value offering to members, visitors and spectators in a vibrant Clubhouse atmosphere. It was open this year for both mens and womens Club competition matches, as well as SEHA Finals, Summer Hockey, the Club's Gala Day for Primary Schools, and Minkeys on Fridays. A conscious attempt was made this year to encourage opposition players to join us in the Clubhouse for a drink and Best & Fairest awards after men's games and this was very well received by other Clubs. Hopefully this will become a routine and very positive aspect of our home matches.

The canteen's success is a tribute to the entire membership of the Club, from the President, Craig Turner for his efficiency in rostering, to the team of Duty Officers who controlled operations on nominated days with good humour and great efficiency, and the many Club members and parents who supported on both sides of the counter during the year (as workers and as customers). The Duty Officer role was performed magnificently so thanks to all who regularly fulfilled this critical function: Nicole & Tony Neale, Michael Rose, Brett Bryant, Kevin Margetson, Cathy & Tony O'Leary, Ann-Marie Halyard, Steve Harvey, Garry Thomas, Luke Domrow, Andrew Hoy, David Richardson, Lee-Anne Callinan, Jo Griffiths, Frank Rowling, Mark Bayley, Ray Northwood, John Mulcair, Phil Rowling, Bev Williams, Angelo Donni, Terri Lloyd, Brad Bollard, Matt Morris, Deb Lenzo, Matt & Lisa Keelan, Brad & Jess Shipp, Michelle & Jose Hernandez.

Trish & Peter Krepp deserve special mention for their tireless efforts in canteen operations, in both purchasing and serving, particularly during a 7 week holiday absence mid-year by myself.

The introduction of a Bunnings Sausage Sizzle hosting in February was a highlight. It earned a \$1200 margin but it took a lot of work by many Club members, but particularly Michael Rose and Peter & Trish Krepp. Hopefully this will become a regular event each year.

Two big operational highlights were the Primary Schools Gala day in September (a record 19 teams) and the Herb Fibbins junior carnival when the Club hosted 18 teams from all over the State. The support of the Club membership on this day was amazing. The Herb Fibbins day generated some \$2400 margin on canteen, raffles & cake sales, plus additional contribution from team entry fees (less costs for umpires, trophies and first aid).

Plans to conduct 2 or 3 social events in the Clubhouse disappointingly did not come to fruition and this is an opportunity to significantly enhance general Club morale as well as finances.

#### John Cowan

(for Peter Krepp & John Cowan- Canteen Supervisors)

### **PUBLICITY & COMMUNICATIONS**

I don't think there are too many sports clubs that can match Sutho for the amount and immediacy of news available to our players, their families and supporters.

Facebook, managed by Alison Tait, delivers the more emerging news; our Men's and Junior Convenors Andrew (or Piles for those who don't know he has another name) Hoy and David (Richo) Richardson provide extensive information on the operational side for players in their weekly+ newsletters; while the weekly words and pictures website newsletter reports how we did on the field in the previous rounds.

No-one can say they didn't know, or couldn't find out. The newsletter alone peaked at almost 1100 views one week during the season. This is thanks to the contributions made by team managers - or those who lost the draw - in writing often quite colourful reports of their games.

Thank you to all who made this effort, sometimes for more than one team each weekend. A couple of our senior teams couldn't be bothered all year; hopefully they can muster the small amount of energy needed during 2020.

An important change this year has been the emergence of a group of Sutho photographers who have greatly enhanced the quality and eye appeal of our sites. Often, they let the pictures tell the story.

All our club readers and media users owe a debt to Craig Turner and Tony O'Leary, who brought some seriously impressive photo gear to record games; to Rory Staples, who submitted pictures, often from a couple of games each weekend; and to Tony Stark, who became a contributor late in the season, and hopefully will be a regular next season. Anna Domrow juggled managing and taking pictures at some games and turned in some fine pictures. Your newsletter editor would like to thank all the junior, men's and women's teams coaches and managers for their unfailing help while he was wandering about getting pictures from the sidelines during the year. More Sutho Snappers are welcome.

Tasks suggested for the off-season include refreshing our website. It still looks good, but changes and general growing up of people in its pictures mean change is needed. Improved functionality, delivering greater value to sponsors and some management issues also bear some thought. Ideas are welcome.

Thanks again to everyone who helped in our club communications during 2019.

#### John Mulcair

### **JUNIOR CONVENOR'S REPORT**

As the 2019 season of outdoor winter hockey draws to a close, it seems so long ago that the Committee and others were beavering away behind the scenes in December, January and February organising and completing two major projects for the club that would have significant positive impacts during the season.

It had been many years in the planning and many years of saving that ensured the club was able to replace its turf pitch in the off-season and we've now enjoyed a fruitful season of hockey on our new playing pitch. It looks and plays fantastic and along with the new movable training goals and goal storage bays, these will ensure more effective training sessions and enjoyable years of hockey ahead. Many hands were involved over the years, however a big thank you to the more recent project leader, Peter Tait, who kept the project on track.

The other major change this year was the implementation of our new Majestri database and member registration system. It was a late decision to implement the new database and go paperless for member registrations this season, but many hours of dedication during the off-season by Sarah Dredge and Luke and Anna Domrow in particular ensured the database was up and running in time for the 2019 registrations. Thanks to the dedication of these members, the club now has online registration, a proper database and additional communication tool available to benefit the operations of the club.

However there was no resting on our laurels with the new pitch installed and new database implemented, February came round super-quick with online registrations streaming in and junior trials to organise. It had been a very successful season of hockey the prior season and off the back of that success we enjoyed increased junior registrations for the 2019 season. There were extra participants in the Minkey Program and the club fielded 13 junior teams, which was one more team than the prior season. So February was a very hectic period with many Committee members, prior year coaches and managers, and parents enlisted to put the juniors through their paces and sorted into teams. And it wasn't too many training sessions later that the Metro competition commenced in March and the SEHA junior competition commenced in April.

Following registrations, trials and games starting, the winter season of junior hockey continued to be very busy and productive for the Sutherland club, involving:

- 224 junior players in 2019, including 56 registered in the Minkey Program for 5-9 year olds;
- 13 mixed junior teams in the 2019 winter season, with three teams in each of the under
   11, 13 and 17 age groups, and four teams in the under 15 age group;
- 11 of these teams competed in the South East Hockey Association (SEHA) junior competition and 2 teams (U15 and U17) competed in the Sydney-wide Metro Competition;
- the Minkey Program was held on Friday afternoons in Terms 2 and 3 and continues to introduce hockey to growing numbers of budding juniors and is a successful feeder of enthusiastic and talented players into our Under 11 teams each season;

- a very successful Herb Fibbins Association Carnival for Under 11 players was held in June involving 19 teams (3 more teams than 2018) across A and B Divisions in which players revelled in the carnival atmosphere and also raised funds for the club;
- the Junior Academy Program was held during Term 2 and saw multiple groups of juniors receive additional expert coaching from Kieran Govers and fellow senior players to further develop their hockey skills; and
- work continues in earnest to ensure the Primary School Gala day as well as the Tradies
   Summer Schools Hockey competition in term 4 are successful each enabling a broader
   group of children to experience hockey, as well as raising funds for the club.

Considerable behind the scenes work in organising and promoting many events involving the junior players throughout the year goes largely unnoticed by participants and supporters. The particular efforts of Peter Krepp, Trish Krepp, John Cowan and Ray Northwood in organising and running the Minkey Program, the Primary School Gala day, the Tradies Summer Schools competition, and the Junior Academy Program is tremendous and draining. Their continued support of the club's junior development and fundraising activities is outstanding. Also, the efforts of Craig Turner to again organise the U11 Herb Fibbins Association carnival should not go unrecognised. This competition draws high praise from all participating teams and also is a major funding contributor for the club. The efforts by these and many other people behind the scenes is what continues to grow and develop junior hockey at the Sutherland Hockey Club and keep a lid on fees.

As I continue to point out, success for the junior side of the Sutherland club is not measured in finals appearances, Minor Premierships or even Premierships attained by the Sutho junior teams competing. These may be important achievements that should be recognised due to the significant efforts of players and others involved in the team. However, more importantly, success is measured by the enjoyment and skill development of the players from week to week during the pre-season training and trials, and then during the various competition games. And it's amazing what happens when players are developing their hockey skills and enjoying playing hockey in a team environment:

- of the 13 junior teams, the overall strength of the club was again demonstrated with 12 of those teams qualifying for the semi-finals (with the unlucky Under 15 team missing a spot in the semi-finals on a goals scored count-back);
- some amazing semi-final matches were played and 7 of those 12 teams won their way through to the Grand Final match for their particular division/competition;
- it was also a high success rate in the Grand Final matches with 5 of the 7 teams taking out their respective premierships (11A, 11B, 13A, 13B and the SEHA U17 competitions) so it was a very busy September for the club supporting all the teams competing in the finals series of both competitions; and
- large numbers of junior players played in junior representative teams, rewarding their efforts concentrating at training sessions, practicing their skills and applying these in the game environment.

In relation to representative teams, many players were selected in school and other representative teams in 2019, however special mention should go to the following players for earning high representative honours:

- Christopher Goodman selected in the NSW U13 Stars Team
- Kian Johnson selected in the NSW U15 State Team
- Kendelle Tait selected in the NSW and Australian U16 All Schools Teams, as well as the NSW U18 Blues Team
- Harry Roberts selected in the NSW U18 Blues Team.

At the Junior Presentation, the club recognised a number of people who have contributed to the junior side of the club in 2019 (and prior seasons). Junior Service Awards were awarded to Peter Krepp, Cathie O'Leary and Matt Morris for their continued behind the scenes dedication to ensure the juniors continues to function well. Junior Service Awards were also awarded to Paris Barnard, Lachlan Staples and Megan Harrison for their involvement in coaching and guiding our junior players, particularly the participants in the Minkey Program this year.

The direct influencers determining whether the junior side of the club is successful continues to be the coaches and managers week in week out. They are at the frontline ensuring that the junior players are enjoying playing hockey and developing their hockey skills – this requires considerable time and effort to manage the players (and parents). I would like to thank the coaches and managers for stepping up and committing to their teams.

The Age Coordinators also supported the coaches and managers, and deserve a special mention: Kevin Margetson (U11), Brad Bollard (U13) and Cathie O'Leary (U17). Garry Thomas is another person who contributed significantly through his early season efforts as Equipment Officer and Uniform Officer. Matt Morris contributed through his tireless role each week collating the match cards and junior records. Craig Turner managed the junior umpiring program again in 2019 with great success and further development of the current crop of junior umpires. I thank you all for agreeing to take on these roles. We would not have been able to get the teams sorted and the season underway without your efforts – it was very much appreciated.

Thanks also to the support of the parents – your ongoing encouragement of the players is invaluable – and your broader support for the teams and club by helping out in the canteen and as duty officers is appreciated. Parent, grandparent and guardian support in these areas is incredibly important for the Club – it assists with fundraising for the Club and provides an opportunity for the players to include in various treats after their games!

There were many contributors and supporters during the season that enabled the players to enjoy their hockey and the junior side of the club to grow and blossom in 2019. I thank you all for getting involved and look forward to further success for junior hockey at the Sutherland Hockey Club in 2020.

#### **David Richardson**

**Junior Convenor** 

### 2019 Sutho Junior Hockey Academy

in 2019, I had the pleasure of taking over the Academy that was previously run by JC and Kreppy. It was a great chance for myself to see the potential the club has in its juniors.

The aim at the start was to run 3 x 4 week blocks to accommodate all age groups. Unfortunately, with my work commitments I was only able to run 2x4 week blocks, for u11s to u15s.

My aim as a coach is to instill the basics and fundamentals of hockey in my session. Any coach can just put markers down and tell the kids to run around them or play games for an hour which just = babysitting.

Also with the kids hearing it from a different voice makes it a new experience and another learning avenue as must kids get the same coach/voice for many years.

The session I ran every Wednesdays 6-7 were based around:

- Basic skills
- Pushing
- Trapping
- Hitting
- Dribbling
- Jinking
- Leading
- Hand position on the stick
- Body position
- Balance
- Hand eye coordination

A couple weeks into the academy a got wind that there were a few remarks that my sessions were boring. This just shows you how far behind we are in our hockey mentality and training. For session to be fun we have to tick off the basic skills within our game. Everyone is at a different level so I try and teach/preach to each athlete that it doesn't matter what drill or exercise you're doing, you do it to the best of your ability and challenge yourself to be better within that certain drill/skill. This is what I try and teach coaches to teach as well as you can't make a session for each individual according to their ability, you make everyone fit into a drill evenly.

The athletes I have were very quick learners. I had great pleasure in running each session as I could see the progression happening. Coaches just have to keep reminding their players that you don't master a skill overnight, it takes a lot of practice and repetition.

Huge thanks to Richo, JC, Kreppy and Spuddy for organising

I really enjoyed my time coaching the academy and I hope it continues into the future with more athletes and coaches wanting to be involved.

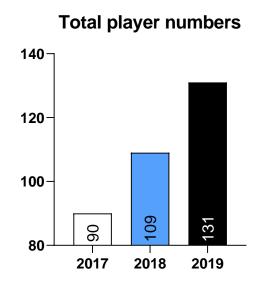
#### **Kieran Govers**

Coach, Sutho Junior Hockey Academy

### **MEN'S CONVENOR REPORT**

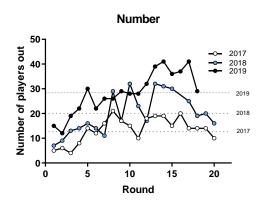
This was the second year of this Committee position, which superseded the previous Club Captain role. I still believe that this role aims to have a more holistic approach to managing our Men's teams and be a key contact person with Sydney Hockey.

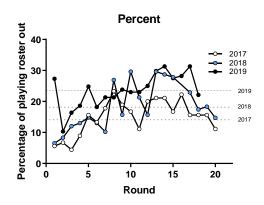
This year saw us field 8 men's teams for the first time, after fielding 7 last year. The large number of players at the beginning of the season was a great surprise and required some modelling to see if we could handle the mid-season exodus of players to the physio or ski fields like last year. In the end, we nominated an 8<sup>th</sup> grade side in Sydney League 4, meaning we had teams in 8 of 9 divisions - Premier League 1 to 4 and Sydney League 1 to 4. This meant we were the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest Men's Club in Sydney, behind Ryde (who had 11 teams!). We created a new 6<sup>th</sup> grade side with last year's 6<sup>th</sup> grade captained by Mark Brookfield as our 7<sup>th</sup> grade team captained by Mark Bayley playing in SL4 as our 8<sup>th</sup>



grade. By the end of the season we had a playing roster of 131 and had seen a large number of our U/15 and U/17 boys making their senior Men's debut and the return of quite a few guys.

This season, we again offered a '6 games for \$150' package to those who couldn't commit to a full season and helped to fill in when we were light on numbers. We had at least 5 guys take up the offer this season, with the 3 who registered for this package last season all registering for a full season this year. I still think this initiative was successful and one to continue with and promote heavily next year. There is some interest from HNSW following a brief discussion with representatives earlier in the season. Initiatives like this are critical to be able to put 8 competitive teams on the field again as there were times throughout the season when we had a





very large number of players unavailable (see above charts).

Our coaching roster was very similar to last year with:

- Peter Tait and Jay Holley returning to coach 1<sup>st</sup> grade,
- Blake Sharp stepped up to captain/coach 2<sup>nd</sup> grade with assistance from Grant Hollyman, and
- Myself coordinating 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade with major assistance from Brad Bollard, Jay Kelly, Mark Bonnici, Brendon Hol, Jimmy Northwood, and with significant contributions from Sean Kelly.

The leadership for each team again was similar to last season but with an additional team. I'd very much like to thank the following for running our teams:

- 1<sup>st</sup> grade Coaches Peter Tait and Jay Holley, Manager Peter Krepp and Captain Mitch Wray
- 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Captain/Coach Blake 'Donk' Sharp, Manager Tony Neale, Grant Hollyman
- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Captain/Manager Brad Bollard and Jay Kelly
- 4<sup>th</sup> grade Captain/Manager Mark Bonnici, assisted by Brendo Hol, Jimmy Northwood and Sean Kelly
- 6<sup>th</sup> grade Captain/Manager Phil Rowling, with assistance from Matt Stevens, and Bryn Davies, and Lachie Rowling as the occasional guest coach
- 7<sup>th</sup> grade Captain/Manager Mark Brookfield
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade Captain/Manager Mark Bayley

I looked after 5<sup>th</sup> grade again, and so we had a great distribution of experience across all our teams to help guide them around the park and deal with the administrative tasks (more on that below).

All teams had strong pre-seasons, which again included many of our younger players joining in with  $1^{st}/2^{nd}$  grade. We then had 3 weeks of Sunday morning trials to assist in the selection of the  $2^{nd}$  grade squad and the  $3^{rd}-4^{th}$  grade squads. These were very well attended, and the quality of the hit-outs meant that it was tough for the selectors to make their decisions. First grade again played a trial game against Canberra Club Central, this year in Canberra and took some of the young fringe players away for the experience. Unlike last year, our other sides didn't play preseason games due to other Clubs not being as organised as us.

Our weekly training schedule for our Men's sides changed this year. Tuesdays were for the  $3^{rd}$ - $4^{th}$  grade squad; Wednesdays were  $1^{st}$  and  $2^{nd}$  grade sides, and Thursdays were for a combined  $1^{st}/2^{nd}$  grade squad (7pm to 8:15pm) followed by  $5^{th}$  to  $8^{th}$  grade (8pm to 9:15pm). This certainly improved the quality and intensity of the  $3^{rd}$ - $4^{th}$  grade training, and I think the  $5^{th}$  to  $8^{th}$  grade trainings were of high-quality, but the ~1 h did go very quickly. All of this was achieved without any deleterious effects on  $1^{st}$  and  $2^{nd}$  grade access to training time.

This season, Sydney Hockey ran an 18 round competition, starting with Sydney League playing their 1<sup>st</sup> round one week before the start of Premier League. The structure was controversial, with PL1 only having 10 teams, PL2 to 4 having 12 teams, and SL1 to 5 all having 10 teams each. Sydney Hockey ran a 10 team, 18 round comp and a 12 team 18 round comp, which obviously had its issues. Thankfully, our four PL sides all played at home together, as did our four SL teams. However, our away games (almost) always saw our 1<sup>st</sup> grade side playing away from our 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> grade sides, and our SL sides were often spread across Sydney.

At the end of the regular season, we had 5 teams make Finals; with 6<sup>th</sup> grade finishing 5<sup>th</sup> (but only 5 points behind 4<sup>th</sup> place), 7<sup>th</sup> grade finishing equal 5<sup>th</sup> place (6<sup>th</sup> on goal difference, 10 points behind 4<sup>th</sup> place) and 8<sup>th</sup> grade finishing 6<sup>th</sup> (18 points behind 4<sup>th</sup>). This is a massive achievement in our first year running 8 teams.

1<sup>st</sup> grade finished 2<sup>nd</sup> on the table (including Matt Bennett again being the top goalscorer), 2<sup>nd</sup> grade finished 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade finished 4<sup>th</sup>. The finals:

- 1. 1<sup>st</sup> grade lost in week 1 to Moorebank, drew with NWS in the Semi-Final, making it to Grand Final, losing to Moorebank 0:3,
- 2. 2<sup>nd</sup> grade beating Briars 3:2 in week 1 but lost to UNSW 1:4 in the Semi-Final,
- 3. 3<sup>rd</sup> grade lost 1:2 to Moorebank in week 1,
- 4. 4<sup>th</sup> grade lost 1:2 to Sydney Uni in week 1,
- 5. 5<sup>th</sup> grade won the Minor Semi against UNSW but lost in Prelim Final to Manly,

In the end, we had a large number of players reach major milestones in the number of games played for the Club, which included:

- 400 games Matthew Rowling
- 300 games Michael Sharkey, Matthew Phillips
- 200 games Ross Angus, David Lucas
- 100 games Christian Halyard, Gilbert Gough-Fuller, Jay Kelly, Nic Rose, Tim Crismale, Ty Stephens, Zac Nyrhinen, Brady Anderson, Mitch Shipp

Outside the playing achievements playing in Sutho HC Blue, many of our members achieved representative honours. This included:

- Jack Hayes was selected in the Kookaburras. We also signed Blake Govers this season.
   Both Jack and Blake played 2 games for us this season and ran a school holidays skills clinic too which was a great success,
- Brady Anderson (1<sup>st</sup> grade) was selected in the U/21 Australian Indoor squad,
- Zac Nyrhinen (NSW Country), Iain McClung and Joe Huston (Aus Defence Force; all 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) all participated at the Australian Country Championships, with Zac being selected in the U/21 Australian Country squad,
- Brad Bollard (O/40's), John Hol (O/65's) and Ray Northwood (O/70's and Vice-Captain)
   all participated at the Aus Masters Championships,
- Harry Roberts (1<sup>st</sup> grade) and Kian Johnson (3<sup>rd</sup> grade) were selected in the 2019 NSW U/18 Blues and U/15 State teams respectively,
- Harry Roberts, Matthew Turner (2<sup>nd</sup> grade) Angus Callinan (3<sup>rd</sup> grade) were selected in the 2019 NSW U/18 squad (AAP), and Kian Johnson selected in the 2019 NSW U/15 squad (AAP),
- Daniel Bryant (3<sup>rd</sup> grade), Angus Callinan (3<sup>rd</sup> grade), Blake Hernandez (2<sup>nd</sup> grade), Charles Johnston (4<sup>th</sup> grade), Kian Johnson (3<sup>rd</sup> grade), Scott Crisafi (3<sup>rd</sup> grade) were selected in the 2020 NSW U/18 squad (AAP),
- Off the field, 1<sup>st</sup> grade coach Peter Tait was the Assistant Coach for the NSW U/21 Men's side who won gold at the National Championships.

Alongside the increase in playing numbers, this season also saw Sutho HC contributing to the officiating of the Sydney Hockey competition. This included Lachlan Cartwright and me playing and umpiring throughout the season and Blake 'Bilco' Sanford umpiring. Bilco was awarded the

John "Smellie" Scott Umpire of the Year Award and officiated the PL2 Grand Final – he would have done the PL1 if it wasn't for Sutho playing. At the other end of the spectrum, I umpired the SL3 Grand Final.

This season I continued regular communications to our Senior players using MailChimp. This constituted a Sunday/Monday Newsletter to the entire membership (Juniors, Women's, Men's) that contained match results and game times, best and fairest votes, Member of the Week, and Club Announcements. The mid-week Newsletter contained Men's team selections alongside duty team/officer information plus Club Announcements. On average, ~70% of the Men's mailing list (234 subscribers) opened the Men's only newsletters whereas ~50% of the much large all-member mailing list (430) opened the Combined Newsletter. The newsletters complimented John Mulcair's collated match reports that were posted to the Club's website. These reports were fairly well supported by all 8 Men's teams with photos provided by Tony O'Leary, Craig Turner and John himself, with some coming from the coaches of some junior teams.

Sydney Hockey again put the data entry activities back on the Clubs, which required team managers to upload all the information into the Revolutionise Sports platform. It was again expertly coordinated by Steve Harvey, and I think we did pretty well, mostly meeting the timeline and accuracy requirements. This could not have been achieved without all the hard work of Steve and I thank him for all his hard work.

### **Andrew Hoy**

Men's Convenor

### **SENIOR MEN TEAM REPORTS**

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Premier League 1



Legendary NFL coach Peter Carrol said, "You can't win all the games and every challenge that we face, it just doesn't happen that way but if you're working towards being your best, and giving it your best shot and bringing you best to me that's winning"

We started the season with a solid preseason but like any season injuries and availabilities always makes the season challenging.

The year however was a successful one regardless of the result on grand final day going down 3-0 to a strong Moorebank team. With a fully fit team, some luck and even 50% of umpire calls which were there on that Saturday we would stood a greater chance of success. However, you can't win a title without some luck and your own rub of the green. The team has finished 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in the last 3 seasons, something the current playing group can be really proud of.

We had 26 players play 1<sup>st</sup> grade in 2019 and we had a number of players made their debut in 1<sup>st</sup> grade including Riley Lloyd, Matt Turner, Blake Hernandez, Jake Sheppard, Wade Tonna, Scott Crisafi, Joe Huston, Mamat Zainol.

Mamat joined us via Kieran Govers and we would like to thank him and his family for hosting Mamat. Mamat became a greater character to have on our team and the boys will miss him as he headed back to Malaysia after the grand final. This type of initiative is something the club could look at in the future in hosting players at our club as the game becomes more global.

From a club perspective, we have a number of emerging talented juniors in the 15-18 age group that need to be provided more opportunities in the higher grades. At times these players won't

be ready but the exposure both in games and training is critical to the club's long term development and success. As 1<sup>st</sup> grade coach I faced some major push back on my strong view on this.

If our younger talented players are not provided opportunities they will be offered positions at other clubs, whilst some may have of view of just letting them go, this would be a travesty for the club after the time we have spent developing these players to just let other Sydney clubs poach them. With some pending retirements in the next 1-2 years from 1<sup>st</sup> grade this is critical for the coaches to reform a new view and be on the same page.

We were lucky to have Jack Hayes comeback to play for Sutho for 2 games after the FIH Proleague in July and welcomed Blake Govers in blue for the first time in senior for us (Blake previously trained as a junior with Sutho). Blake was the leading goal scorer for the Proleague in 2019. It is always a pleasure these quality players around our group. Unfortunately, SHA rules would not allow Jack to play finals when he was available which will hopefully be addressed in 2020. Having the best players available to play finals in Sydney is critical as new forms of the game come on line such as Hockey One.

Some positive steps were taken in regard to the 1<sup>st</sup> grade playing fees in 2019, whilst it was an extremely testing way to get there via the committee there is a high expectation put on the playing group in terms of their commitment to the club and training, this step forward was critical to stay competitive in the PL1 competition.

We would like to thank our club sponsors such as Tradies, Sutho Mazda, Gymea Hotel, Medirent, Runnulla, 20/20 Physio, DBPT, Just Hockey, More than Meat, and Inside Line Roofing. Our Sponsors are key the clubs ongoing success both on and off the field.

We would like to thank John Cowan (JC) for doing all the video again this season and loading into Hudl. Thanks to Peter Krepp (Kreppy) who managed the team again this season whilst doing many other things at the club again. We would also like thank Shiblee Dowla who provided injury management to the team and squad again this year and Steve Harvey for helping with the SHA revolutionise system and notifying us on player milestones.

#### Best & Fairest - Alex Shaw

Alex joined us 2 years ago and was voted by the players as their best player. Alex is a former Kiwi Black stick and has been a great addition to the club. He played as striker and defender but showed his best form in the back for us and made critical tackles for the team when needed. Has one of the best slider passes and has good speed. Alex also was named the male club person of the year which was well deserved.

#### Coach's Award Scott Govers

Scott had a very solid season for the team. He showed great commitment to training, and unfortunately suffered some injures during the year which challenged him but like always has a great attitude and great club man and an even better player.

Congrats to SHA leading goal scorer Matt Bennett who finished with 27 goals for the season.

1<sup>st</sup> Grade Coaches - Peter Tait & Jason Holley Manager - Peter Krepp

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Premier League 2

Big changes for 2nd grade this year being one of the youngest sides in the comp.

We started off with a good start to the season beating Moorebank 3-1 and our results kept improving through the first half of the season. With us sitting in top 3 alongside Moorebank and UNSW. Then injuries to Matt Turner (out till semi final) and Mitch Shipp meant bringing in more youth players. It was good to see guys like Angus Callinan and Kian Johnson get 2nd grade debuts as well as Jake Sheppard who came up from Wollongong to play for us this season.

In the first final we had a tough 3-2 win over Briars which saw us lose Wade Tonna to a broken collarbone for the season. Then in the qualifying final we came up against a very good UNSW side who came 2nd above us by 3 points in the table. They scored 4 goals in 6 minutes to put us out of the finals.

For our year it was very successful for us as a side and the guys are so talented and skilled and worked hard every week and they have a great future ahead of them. I can't wait to see them all ready for next season.

**Best and Fairest** - Wade Tonna, he was one of the most consistent players in our side and was always one of the guys to put everything in and get our intensity going all game.

**Coaches Award** - Blake Hernandez, this year was his first full year in 2nd grade and he was great for us all over the field.

**Blake Sharp** 

Coach

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Premier League 3



Following on from an 9<sup>th</sup> place finish last season, we had high hopes for a more successful year for 3rd grade in 2019. We finished 4<sup>th</sup> after a tight 1-0 loss in the final round knocked us out of 3<sup>rd</sup>. We played 5<sup>th</sup> placed Moorebank in the knock-out semi, who we had beaten twice during the season, and looked comfortable for most of the match leading 1-0. But Moorebank went more direct in the final 5 minutes, scored with three minutes to go to make it 1-1, then with 30 seconds got a lucky own goal deflection off a cross to win 2-1. To make it worse, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> knocked out 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> to make the Grand final – definitely a case of the one that got away. It summed up our year – while we scored a lot of goals, we created a lot more chances than the other team in pretty much every game, we just were not clinical enough with the chances when they mattered.

We had a very good pre-season and it was clear at the trails that there was strong competition for spots from 2nds to 4ths. Grant set an excellent standard for the trials, which were robust, and this set the tone for the early season. Training was for the most part pretty good, with a very competitive 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade squad, with a large youth component sprinkled with a few older faces. We started the season well, winning our first 4 games with big margins. But the middle period saw large unavailabilities, and we had to work very hard to stay alive. However this gave a number of younger guys opportunities to step and play, who for the most part relished their time in the team. We then finished the last month of the season strongly to cement a top 4 finish.

During the year we saw a number of our u15s and u17s play mens hockey, continuing our focus on the transition from juniors to mens. Anecdotally they enjoy the energy and banter of training and the week in week out competitiveness of the PL3/4 competitions, where there are no easy games.

We should also acknowledge Joel Westblade, who was equal highest goal scorer in the PL3 competition, with 19 goals, and the silliest haircut of the year as well.

Big thanks to Jay, Grant & Donk, Piles and Sean, and Jimmy, Bonnici, Brendo for your input to the formal leadership group, and to Paul, Tim and Ralph for your positive input to 3rds throughout the year.

**Best & Fairest** – Angus Callinan – In his first year in grade, Angus showed his speed and strength playing in the critical DM role. As a 16 year old, Angus was fairly dominant in the middle of the park, where he won a lot of ball for Sutho and started much of our attack, as well as playing a critical pivot role when needed. He also moved into other defensive or midfield roles as needed, and was rewarded with a number of games in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade during the year. Well done Angus.

Coaches / Captains Award — Paul Newton - for 2019 this award was recognition for contribution and leadership. Paul joined Sutho in 2018 after moving into the area. He impressed everyone with his strong leadership around the group, whether leading training drills, or change room discussions, always in a positive manor. He set the standards for execution, and instilled a strong focus on doing the basics right, which reflected the messaging from the leadership group and the club. I know a lot of the younger players benefited from his input. Thanks and well done, and good luck with the bub!

#### **Brad Bollard**

Captain

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Premier League 4

2019 was a great year for Sutho 4th grade. We managed to retain much of the previous year's grand finalist team, and this set us up to start strong and really build on our game.

We were consistent throughout the season securing 10 wins and 3 draws while conceding 6 losses. What those numbers don't tell you is that during normal season we were never defeated by the top 3 teams. In fact, we came out on top in our bouts with Easts (2<sup>nd</sup>) and GNS (3<sup>rd</sup>) while drawing with Ryde (1<sup>st</sup>).

The icing on the cake was finishing the regular season with a 4 game winning streak. A real testament to the hard work the boys put in. We were poised to blitz the finals!

Unfortunately, and unbeknownst to us, finals round 1 was to be the game Sydney Unicemented themselves as 4<sup>th</sup> grade's arch-enemy. We lost the 2018 grand final to them and at this point in the 2019 season we'd both beaten each other once. Finals round 1 was the decider.

We were up 1 nil early on and managed to hold the lead until the final 10 minutes but Uni proved themselves good enough to score an equalizer and force the game into extra time golden point drop off. In the end Uni proved too wily for us winning and then converting a short corner with their first touch of the ball.

Either side of game day the team benefited enormously from leaders stepping up within the group. These guys took an active hand in our training, strategy and culture. Individual efforts that really pulled the team together and continued to develop a culture within which even the most junior player can speak up and contribute. This has been the key to our success and is something we need to carry into season 2020.

Voted best and fairest this year was Bendon Hol. Brendon personified the consistency the team exhibited throughout the year so his winning this award came as no surprise. Brendon was our coach on the field directing the team from the middle. His vision and persistence kept the team on track while never detracting from his own personal game.

This year's captain's award recognised Jason Steven's outstanding contribution to the team. Both on an off the field you could say Jason was the voice of the team pushing us to play hard while ensuring we all had fun together. His leadership from the back was key to our wins on gameday.

Special mention to Brad Bollard and Jay Kelly for their coaching and bench management efforts. Your support really made the difference, thankyou from the whole team!

The team had a great season all round, can't wait to see where 2020 takes us!

Mark Bonnici Captain

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Sydney League 1

Another year, another new looking 5<sup>th</sup> grade that again had an excellent mix of youth and experience.

We started the year with a 9:2 win over Bankstown (their 1<sup>st</sup> grade side) followed by a 2:4 loss to UNSW – which was a reality check for sure. This was then followed by 3:0 wins over St George and Sydney Uni which saw us towards the top of the table early in the season. That said, a tough 2:4 loss to Monterey (with two ex-St George 1<sup>st</sup> grade players) and a 6:5 win over Manly (their 1<sup>st</sup> grade side) had us checking our expectations for the rest of the season. A midseason injury to myself meant that I was out for nearly 7 weeks, and then just as I was about to return, CT dislocated his shoulder (gone for the rest of the season), and so all the old blokes were gone. Then came the return of Mitch "Duck" Scott to Sutho Blue midway through the season and the ship was righted. The second half of the season saw us with 5 wins, 2 draws and 2 losses – meaning that at the end of the season, we had 11 wins, 4 draws and 5 losses to finish 4<sup>th</sup> – 50 goals For, 31 goals Against, 33 points, 9 points clear of 5<sup>th</sup> place.

The Minor Semi-Final saw us face UNSW, and it was a battle. Down 1-2 at half-time, then 1-3 early in the second half, we put on 5 unanswered goals inside the last 20 mins to win 6-3. We then faced Manly in the Preliminary Final...and at the end of 80 mins, the scores were level at 1:1, which meant that Manly was through to the GF (damn).

Overall, it was a highly successful season. Our squad was, for the most part, stable and included Gilby Gough-Fuller or Rory Anderson as GK (with a guest appearances by Jason 'Stevo' Stevens for 3 games); Tom Hausman, Will Gair, Blake 'Syko' Sykes and myself as a backline; our midfield consisted of Craig Turner (until a dislocated shoulder), Mitch 'Duck' Scott (4 goals), Isaac Olsen (5 goals), Ty Stephens, and Lachlan O'Leary (2 goals), and our striking line of Marty Taylor (6 goals), Nic Donni (33 goals and top goal scorer for SL1), Mat Jones (4 goals), and Lachlan Groundwater (3 goals). We again had the opportunity to mentor and develop several young players across the season – including Matt Staples, Lachlan Cartwright, Lachlan Prentice (1 game), and Luke Mecham.

**Best & Fairest** – Nic Donni was the clear winner. Easily the leading goal scorer in the comp, and a great season in which he learnt to manage workload and his body.

**Coaches Award** – Isaac Olsen. This was an award that was discussed at great length between the senior guys in the squad as we were blessed with so much junior talent.

### **Andrew Hoy**

Captain

## 6th Grade - Sydney League 2



6<sup>th</sup> grade's 2019 season is hard to describe. An optimist would say it was a great roller coaster full of highs, lows, and good times that we can use to build for bigger and better things in 2020, while a pessimist would say we were maddeningly inconsistent, couldn't keep our nerve under pressure, and rolled over too easily to squander a season that had promise. The best description is probably as Bill Parcells said, in the end you are what your record says you are: we were a team with a 10W-0D-8L record who finished 5 points from the finals in 5<sup>th</sup> position. We won a lot, but not enough to reach our goals.

At the beginning of the season the senior players and I felt like we had the makings of a good team. We had experience across the park with a good mix of players who are coming into the prime and young players who we were confident could produce at this level. Our challenge would be to get everyone pulling in the right direction, aim to work harder than our opposition, and find a style of play that best suited us. We were building slowly but surely and got a helped along mightily when Lachlan Rowling started coaching us (after shattering his hand - ouch) in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the season. His contributions to the team were appreciated by all and made a big difference to our play, unfortunally they weren't enough.

Some results hit a raw nerve more than others; losing to St George in week 3 with 6 players out (thanks to the 4 Lachlan's for filling in), conceding goals in the first and last 10 mins against Ryde to lose, the Briars game that descended into yellow card mayhem, and conceding 2 goals in the last 3 mins to lose to UNSW all stick out as games we should have won. They are losses we were all responsible for and need to look at and learn from if we are to be better next year. Pointing your finger and blaming someone else isn't helpful. Everyone was stung by the results, but the closer you get to your goals without reaching them, the more it hurts. It wasn't all doom and gloom! For every poor result, there was a great one: beating minor premiers Ryde White, thumping Moorebank, coming back to win against Ryde Black, and lowering our goals conceded against the best teams each time we played them were all positives.

There were plenty of encouraging things we did as a team this year that helped us become a tight knit group. We had a consistent core group of players throughout the year and had the best roll-up to training each week. We will make great strides again next year if we can keep this commitment to our game up. It was also great to see our team really embrace the off-field culture this year. We enjoyed many a team song, beverage, and session heckling 5<sup>th</sup> grade's opposition together and it made us a better team, and a fun way to spend an afternoon each week with friends. Our end of season trip to the footy, night at Greenhills (even Harry "the Phantom" was there), and preso (and drinking afterwards) were great fun too.

Everyone tried hard and had their moment to shine this year. Rory was a consistent presence at the back, playing every round and only missing 1 game with us because he was playing 8's & 7's. Josh (psycho slug) was a great addition this year. He improved as the team improved and embraced playing out of position because that's what the team needed. He formed a solid partnership with Mitch, who did a good job leading from the back. Bryn was always working hard making runs up the edges, even without his shorts. Glen came aboard midseason, and did a great job settling into the pace and physicality of the grade. Tim was always committed to doing whatever it took; which showed by him getting lots of cards (and getting me sent off), but also playing after getting the call to go to Ulladulla for work. Matt R, Matt S, and JB were our experienced midfielders. Matt S brought his enthusiasm and energy, epitomised by patching up

his own head cut and returning to play, but ignoring everyone when told he had missed his cut entirely. Matt R brought some old-pro maturity (except when he missed a game because he "slept in"), sacrificing his goal scoring and moving to the midfield when we needed help. Joel selflessly took a bench role this year to give us strength in the middle. His short corner goal at the right post with 2 mins to go to beat Ryde White was special. The full midfield meant Jack saw time all over the field in the difficult utility role, always doing his best when his responsibilities changed each week. Aaron improved leaps and bounds in his first season of grade. He copped a lot of jokes about his trapping, but his hat trick against Moorebank shut them up. Chris played his usual bulldozer game up front. His goals seemed to get better after he got a 3<sup>rd</sup> degree burn on his bum from sliding. Luke and Lachlan rounded out the strikers. They each had standout games when on their day, Lachlan could dominate with his speed and Luke with his possession skills. They'll find their way up the grades as soon as they find their consistency. As for myself, the highlights were getting into the melee vs UNSW (which I may have started ...) and having great chats about what we would do if we won the toss, just before losing it.

I know the whole team sends their thanks to the Committee for all their hard work this season, but particularly Steve Harvey and Andrew Hoy. I know we caused our fair share of headaches for both of them. Thanks to all the guys who took extra time out of their weekends to back up and play for us, especially Darren and Sean. Both guys were great team-guys who were always there to help, but never begrudged their limited opportunities in 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

See everyone next year for another go round.

**Phil Rowling** 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Captain.



## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade – Sydney League 3



We started 2019 with the usual 7<sup>th</sup> grade thing. See who turns up from the old guys and hope that the new additions are going to be able to give us old blokes some young legs and a bit of skill up front to score enough goals to keep us enthusiastic to give us a rush at the finals.

However that enthusiasm soon disappeared after 7 or 8 rounds when our only win was over the team coming last who didn't win a game all year, this was going to be a long year!

But to be fair we had shown patches of improvement in games but just couldn't put 70 minutes together. It was a matter of persevering and hoping that things would fall our way and we could get some confidence to string a few wins together.

And as it usually happens I was away for a weekend and I left things in Gus's capable hands and as he usually does he thought a bit left field changed a few positions around and came away with a very tight loss to the team coming  $2^{nd}$  at the time. He told me about the changes and figured if we gave it another crack he was sure it would pay dividends. Pressure was on the assistant coach for sure.

And so it came to pass.

Changy really stood up at left back, Darren got his MoJo back at centre back, Adam went forward Ray went back, Sean came into the middle and yes it happened we won!

Then we won again and again and again. We ended up winning 6 out of 7 games only losing to Briars who went on to win the comp.

The Redbeards up front, Declan and Hugh, really started to learn how to play hockey and mixing that in with the will power and determination of the old guys including John Hol who was tremendous in mid field, we really started to believe.

Unfortunately there were 2 critical losses through the back end of the season that were heart breaking. We lost 1-0 in the last 5 secsonds to Glebe in a 8:30 Saturday night game with just 9 guys and we also lost to Ryde the Minor Premiers by the odd goal which we would have won if "Changy Had Been There ". Team joke.

So eventually we missed the finals by a point or 2 but it was great to build a real team spirit amongst the boys with a bit of loud Sutho chanting after some of our big wins.

A big congrats to Sean Ryan and Andrew Chang as joint winners of Player Of The Season and also it was easy to give Ed Weaver The Coaches award as he kept trying and improving through the season.

Hope to see all you guys next year and we will bring home the bacon.

I would also like to congratulate Geoff Noy on the birth of his Baby and also wish Gus all the best as he is getting another hip replacement in a few weeks and reckons he will be faster than Winx next year.

Lastly I would like to thank the committee for all their hard work and especially Piles for the hours he put in getting emails and team lists together, inspiring stuff.

#### **Mark Brookfield**

Captain

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade - Sydney League 4



For the first time in many years Sutherland hockey club presented an eighth grade to the Sydney Hockey Association and with great success. We kept a basic core of guys through the whole season and had a reserve goalie to use when required. We played some fantastic hockey winning games that were extremely difficult against some really hard teams and losing some which we should've won, but that's hockey.

Every player improved during the season even the older ones, especially the younger ones who formed an extremely good basis for the team. In front of a goalie Dave Lucas we had a reasonably solid defence consisting of more experienced players, Ross C, Adam and myself and a youthful Midfield mainly consisting of Sean, Cameron, Ross A, Caleb, Gary and Kevin who all worked extremely hard during every game. Upfront was Connor, Scott, Edward and Jordan.

Caleb Nieuwendyk was voted the Coach's Award this year for only missing one game, turning up for practice, a massive improvement in playing skills throughout the year and just showing a general enjoyment of the game.

Jordan Wood was a clear Best & Fairest for the year due to his super speed down the wing, skills in getting around some defenders, and always finding himself in a good position away from the other defenders.

We are looking forward to the return of Ross Angus after missing the second half of the season. Ross is someone who always makes a difference to the team when he plays.

Also I would like to congratulate Stephen Harvey and David Lucas on the milestone achievements throughout the season and very much looking forward to playing next year with a similar team and hopefully in the same grade as this year.

#### **Mark Bayley**

Captain

### **WOMEN'S CONVENOR REPORT**

January 2019 was the start of another season for Sutho Women's. Pre season training started with both junior and senior players getting their fitness ready for trials and team selections in March. Thank you to Shiblee for assistance with pre season training.

This year saw SDHC field 3 teams into the SEHA Women's Competition. SDHC entered one team in Div1, one team in Div2 and one team in Div3.

We held our 4th Sutho Ladies Day on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019 with 3rd grade Wildcats and 2nd grade Waratahs playing UNSW and 1st grade Arangas playing St George. The day reminded us that hockey is a winter sport, with the wind, rain and cold showing itself.

A big thank you to Sharon Rose for the incredible food and drinks in the warm and dry clubhouse.

This year also saw our #suthowomens run a free junior girls skills clinic. The session was a great success with plenty of junior girls participating even with the wintery conditions.





With games starting early it gave the ladies plenty of time to socialize with much talk and old and new friendships being formed. It was fantastic to celebrate women of all ages in hockey.

During the season our teams faced some challenges with very interesting decisions being made. Even with the challenges this year saw our 3rd Grade Wildcats make it through to the finals but unfortunately went down to Dolphins. 1st grade Arangas finished 5<sup>th</sup> after having a draw for a spot in the finals and 2nd grade Waratahs finished 6<sup>th</sup>.

I would like to thank Anna, Bev, Jackie, Geoff and Sarah for their time and effort in running and coaching each #suthowomens team this season.

Last but not least a huge thank you to all the #suthowomens players, friends and family for a wonderful 2019 season.

#### Lee-Anne Callinan

Senior Women's Convenor 2019

### **SENIOR WOMEN TEAM REPORTS**

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – SEHA Premier League

The 2019 season started mid-January for many members of our #suthowomens 1st grade team, toughing out 6 weeks of pre-season fitness in the January and February heat, showing once again the commitment and passion our best female players have to their sport, team and club.

From the outset the 1st grade ladies connected as though they had known each other for many years. It's always inspiring to witness a group of individuals come together, take time to get to know each other, genuinely care and choose to work towards a collective goal for close to 9 months of the year. They all lead busy lives and carried the challenges of the HSC, growing families, wedding plans, new jobs and the challenge of living far away from family, just to name a few.

On field there was a new structure to learn, created to build on the strengths of the team. Full credit to all players for embracing new roles, working through understanding positions, calls and set plays and owning the structure even when it felt strange.

2019 really was a tale of two halves; the first eight games of the season, and the last eight games leading into finals. Honestly, myself and many players weren't really sure what on field results would come along. No shortage of commitment and passion, rather a healthy realisation of the strength of the competition, which had grown considerably from 2018.

Games began early April and the positive results rolled around week after week - evidence that handwork and belief does pay off - also helped by almost full availability of all players through to early June. Week after week the team listened, worked together, toughed it out, encouraged and above all, enjoyed their hockey. Week after week the team chalked up a win or a draw and became the undefeated competition leader by the half way mark.

Sadly the second half of the season was always going to come around, which my forward planning had already identified was to be heavily impacted by unavailability every week, except for one. On paper it looked like it was going to be tough, and it was! Devastatingly we lost Kristen at the same time to a season ending injury - a player that you cannot replace on field but who took up on off field role that significantly impacted the team, and myself, for the better. The ladies continued to play and train with the same commitment, passion and desire. Results, however, began to run against the team, and the squeeze for a finals berth was well and truly on.

In the end the 5th place finish was disappointing and in no way reflective of the heart with which the ladies played all year. Minor placing were so close across the PL competition, our 1st grade ladies were just one win away from 2nd place, one draw away from 3rd place and had the lowest goals against of all teams. No denying it, this one hurt - so close, yet not even the chance to play for the chocolates.

Huge thanks to the juniors and second grade players who helped the PL team throughout the year, particularly Sarah Morris and Darcy Hunter who trained twice a week to be a part of both PL and 2nd grade.

The whole team's commitment to fitness and staying strong for the season never wavered and contributed to a really low injury count across the board. Many ladies worked hard on their strength and conditioning this season, turing up week after week to push themselves out of their comfort zone for the good of the team. In fact it's hard to say which players may not have improved this season. Everyone stepped up in some aspect of their game, some in many areas, taking hold of their 1st grade spot with two hands.

A highlight of the season that occurred on the pitch but not during a game, was the running of our very first Junior Girls Skills Clinic as part of Ladies Day. All the 1st grade ladies took part as coaches, teaching and encouraging Sutho's future female players despite the cold and wet conditions. And all this before a rare home game against a strong opposition. Thank you ladies you gave the junior girls a chance to develop their skills and be excited to continue their hockey journey.

Enormous thanks to Anna Barton once again - myself and the team couldn't do without your excellent management and the lollies! Massive thanks, also once again, to Grant for helping out with coaching and training - all you have given to the Senior Women of SHC is seen and we are all grateful. Thanks to Geoff, Jackie and Bev for your time and effort with our 2nd and 3rd grade teams - collectively we are all #suthowomens.

And always last but never least, thank you to LeeAnne Vine. Words are hard to find at this point - you are simply wonderful and I'm forever grateful for you.

Despite the end result, the 1st grade ladies should be extremely proud of their 2019 season. More than ever they showed themselves to be exceptional role models for strong and healthy women and leaders of SHC. You are all amazing women, I'm proud of you and thank you for allowing me to be a part of your season.

Female Player of the Year 2019 - Kristen Agius

1st Grade Players Player 2019 - Ashton 'it's just a scratch' Waters

1st Grade Coaches Award 2019 - Cathryn Johnson

Rest well and get excited for a massive 2020!

#### **Sarah Dredge**

2019 #suthowomens 1st Grade and Head Coach

## 2<sup>rd</sup> Grade – SEHA Division 2

2019 was a great year for the 2nd grade women. We had an energetic and eager squad who wanted to turn up and get the most out of their hockey. The year was also full of a lot of individual wins too. Everything from players finding new positional homes (and smashing it) to a brand new to hockey keeper learning everything they could.

2nd Grade in SEHA is a very tight competition, a lot of the squad having been with me in the lower 3rd grade last year stepped up to the pace change, a lot of the teams being squads who have played together for years, and this side were all new to each other. That was just one more hurdle we had to but very much did get over.

We had a very young to hockey forward line and a very strong, veteran backline. This did result in some surprising circumstances. Against all teams who finished above us (4), we were ahead at half time in at least 2 of our games against them in the regular season rotation. We beat one and drew with another. If not for a few injuries leaving us with a few disappointing results during the season we should have otherwise won, a finals berth would have been ours, as we barely missed out as it was.

A number of the 2nd grade girls also saw runs in our Premier League side. Able to deliver consistently and step up when the club needed you is a very valuable thing. Thank you for the effort in not only playing for one team but making time for the second, if only a week or two, or for a few of you, even more!

All in all, this was a great year for the 2nd grade women. Every team member learnt something, not only just about hockey, but for some even about themselves and where they can deliver even more to the field or the club. Every team member enjoyed their year and if I am lucky enough to coach again next year, having a team half as amazing as this one was to coach, I'll be incredibly lucky!

### **Geoff Noy**

Coach

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Wildcats – SEHA Division 3

The Wildcats played in Division 3 of the SEHA Competition in 2019.

We welcomed two new players into the team – Grace Gorman and Jacki Gordon.

We started the season with a "Bang" with some good wins.

Unfortunately, mid-season we were challenged by the SEHA Competition Committee, alleging we had made registration and ineligible player breaches. Sarah appealed on our behalf, but unfortunately SEHA then amended the By-Laws and backdated their changes to the beginning of the season. This resulted in the loss of 13 points and we then had to win our last game of the season to reach the semi-finals — which we did!

We played UNSW in the semi-final and won, and then progressed to the final. Unfortunately, as it was played on a Saturday, many of our team members were unavailable and we went down to Dolphins.

The players receiving Awards for Wildcats this year:

**Best & Fairest - Chris Hagan**. Chris played consistent hockey all year and was a rock in defence with her ability to break down play.

**Coach's Award – Vicki Earle**. Vicki had shown her willingness to play in any position and on many occasions during a game made my job on the sidelines much easier. Her contribution to the team making the finals was invaluable.

**Bev Williams** 

Coach

## **2018 LIFE MEMBERSHIP – Bill Melchert**

Bill has a lifetime of involvement in hockey. He was a Life Member at Commercials Hockey Club in Townsville, when in 1978 he made the move to Sydney. Bill was retired from playing, but his two boys, Andrew and Ian, would soon be looking to play hockey – and as Shire residents they landed at Sutherland District Hockey Club.

In 1981 our Club's junior program was just two teams – and much in need of a revival. That began in 1982, and Bill was part of the revitalised junior program from the early years . During the 80s Bill was regularly a coach or manager of Club or Sydney Junior teams, a Sutho Junior Committee member, and a delegate for a number of years to the Sydney Central Area Junior Competition Committee.

Together with Kevin Connelly and Warren Hollyman, Bill was very involved in the coach and country player recruitment activities of the mid 1980s that were critical to progressively lifting the on-field competitiveness of our 1<sup>st</sup> grade men's team. Tamworth was a particularly rich source of recruits. Ultimately this was transformational for the Club.

Bill was on the Club Committee as Ground Convenor in 1989 and 1990. At this time he was part of the small project team, led by Denis Walker, which managed the Council approval and then the installation in 1990 of the Club's first (sand-based) synthetic field at Sylvania Hockey Park. Along with the other project team members, he devoted hundreds of hours to making that synthetic field become reality (just the 2<sup>nd</sup> club field in Sydney after Moorebank).

Bill was Manager of our 1<sup>st</sup> grade men's team for 4 years (1989-1992), a particularly successful period for the team in terms of HNSW State League titles and SHA 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Premierships.

Over many years Bill has been our "go to guy" for so many construction, maintenance or repair jobs around the ground. With a few mates he built the original dugouts for the synthetic field, he designed and installed the safety netting on the eastern, northern and western side of the field, but his real specialty has been goalboxes – whether the heavyweight, almost indestructible version used for full field games, or the small goal boxes used for ¼ field summer schools hockey games.

Bill's current role in maintaining our ground goes back at least 10 years. In that time he has done a lot more to maintain and enhance our facilities than a weekly sweep of leaf litter etc. from the playing surface and occasional gluing of a lifted seam on the playing carpet. His sustained commitment, and the care he has taken in keeping our fencing/netting, dugouts, goals, playing surface and surrounds in the best possible condition has been of enormous value to the Club and something we could not have done without Bill's involvement. His support for the Club in this regard has been specifically mentioned in multiple Annual Reports.

Bill was a recipient of the Club's Outstanding Service Award in 1992, 1999 and 2017.

Bill has made a significant contribution to the Sutherland Hockey club over a period of nearly 40 years which continues to this day. The Committee recommends Bill's appointment as Life Member.

### **2019 CLUB AWARDS - SENIORS**

Male Player of the Year Alex Shaw
Female Player of the Year Kristen Agius

The Club's Player of the Year Award is designed to recognise a male and female player whose overall performance during the season provides a model for all aspiring players. In particular, the award recognises a player demonstrating:

- A positive attitude to the game, their team, and the Club,
- A commitment to perform to the very best of their ability at all times and in all circumstances,
- A commitment to improve their game, irrespective of the level they have reached, through their application to training, and,
- A significant contribution to the effectiveness of the team(s) with which they have played.

Outstanding Service Award Sean Kelly

Club Person of the Year Andrew Hoy

#### **2019 CLUB AWARDS - JUNIORS**

Junior Male Player of the Year Blake Hernandez

Junior Female Player of the Year Kendelle Tait

Junior Umpire of the Year Hayden Neale

Junior Umpire Encouragement Awards Oliver Bollard, Oliver Turner, Byron Watson

Junior Service Award Cathie O'Leary, Matt Morris, Peter Krepp,

Paris Barnard, Lachlan Staples, Megan Harrison

Junior Club Person of the Year Aaron Krepp

## **2019 SENIOR TEAM AWARDS**

TEAM	Best & Fairest	Coach's/Captain's Award
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Men	Alex Shaw	Scott Govers
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Men	Wade Tonna	Blake Hernandez
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Men	Angus Callinan	Paul Newton
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Men	Brendan Hol	Jason Stevens
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Men	Nic Donni	Isaac Olsen
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Men	Chris Fishlock & Phil Rowling	Tim Crismale
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Men	Sean Ryan & Andrew Chang	Ed Weaver
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Men	Jordan Wood	Caleb Nieuwendyk
Women	Player's Player	Coach's Award
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	Ashton Waters	Cathryn Johnson
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Sarah Morris	Hillary Beehag
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Chris Hagan	Vicki Earle

### **SENIOR GAMES PLAYED AWARDS**

400 Games	Matthew Rowling, Vicki Earle
300 Games	Michael Sharkey, Matthew Phillips
200 Games	Ross Angus, David Lucas
100 Games	Christian Halyard, Gilbert Gough-Fuller, Hannah Burrell
	Jay Kelly, Nick Rose, Tim Crismale, Ty Stephens, Zac Nyrhinen
	Brady Anderson, Mitch Shipp

## **2019 JUNIOR TEAM AWARDS**

TEAM	Best & Fairest	Most Improved	Coach's Award
U17 Sydney Metro	Angus Callinan	Lachlan Prentice	Elliot Stark
U17 Blue Tongues	Glen Chambers	Luke Woodman	Georgia Cherrie
U17 Geckos	Zac McGrath	Sean Weir	Charles Weaver
U15 Sydney Metro	Grace Matthews	Corban Marinos	Byron Watson
U15A Geckos	Angus King	Ryan Mead	Sofie Cherrie
U15B Blue Tongues	Jonathon Krepp	Joshua Penrose	Liv Coxsedge
U15B Thorny Devils	Blake Mottershead	Ezekiel Yung	Hannah Kernohan
U13A Geckos	Christopher Goodman	Jonty Austin	Lachlan Duhne
U13B Thorny Devils	Darcy Matthews	Ken Su	Isabel Olup
U13B Blue Tongues	Bailey Peters	Milan Stowers	Owen Laycock
U11A Geckos	Julian Krepp	Luka Collins	Kaylee Rule
U11B Bearded Dragons	Mandy Carmody	Ellie Robertson	Harrison Smyth
U11B Blue Tongues	Rowan Southall	Caitlin Southall	Alyssa Truant

#### **2019 REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS**

#### **Australian Teams**

Australian Men's Team (Kookaburras) Jack Hayes, Blake Govers

**Australian U16 School Team** Brenna Croker (2019), Kendelle Tait (2020)

**2019 Australian Men's Indoor Team** Brady Anderson

**NSW Indoor Teams** 

**NSW Senior Men's Indoor Team**Blake Sanford, Scott Govers, Brady Anderson

2020 NSW u15 Boys Indoor Team (Blues) Kian Johnson

### 2019 Hockey NSW - Teams

NSW Men's Team (Pride) Jack Hayes, Blake Govers
NSW Men's u21 Team Peter Tait (Asst Coach)

NSW U18 Girls Blues Team

NSW U18 Boys Blues Team

NSW U15 Boys State Team

Kendelle Tait

Harry Roberts

Kian Johnson

NSW U13 Boys Stars Team Christopher Goodman

## **Hockey NSW – State Training Squads**

2019 NSW Men's Squad Brady Anderson, Kieran Govers, Matthew Johnson,

Blake Govers, Jack Hayes

2020 NSW u21 Men's Squad Harry Roberts, Damon Arapa

2019 NSW u21 Men's Squad Christian Halyard, Zac Nyrhinen, Harry Roberts2019 NSW Boys U18 Squad Harry Roberts, Matthew Turner, Angus Callinan

2019 NSW Girls U18 Squad Rylee Millar, Brenna Croker, Kendelle Tait

**2020 NSW Boys U18 Squad** Daniel Bryant, Angus Callinan, Blake Hernandez,

Charles Johnston, Kian Johnson, Scott Crisafi

2020 NSW Girls U18 Squad Kendelle Tait, Kiara Le Gras, Brenna Croker, Rylee Millar

**2019 NSW U15 Squad** Kian Johnson and Chloe Antilla

**2020 NSW U15 Boys Squad** Matthew Rose **2019 NSW U13 Boys Squad** Chris Goodman

#### School Teams - NSW Selections

**2019 NSW U16 All Schools Girls State Team** Kendelle Tait **2019 NSW U16 All Schools Boys State Team** Scott Crisafi

**2019 NSW U16 All Schools Boys Blues Team** Daniel Bryant and Kian Johnson

2019 NSW U12 PSSA Girls Team Kalahni Crews

**2019 NSW CHS Open Boys Team** Riley Lloyd, Harry Roberts,

Hayden Neale Daniel Bryant

2019 NSW CCC Open Boys Team

2019 NSW CIS Open Boys Team

2019 NSW Catholic Schools U16 Boys Team

2019 NSW Catholic Schools U16 Girls Team

Xendelle Tait

2019 NSW CIS U16 Boys Team Kian Johnson

**2019 NSW CHS U16 Boys Squad** Scott Crisafi, Oliver Turner

# **PAST PRINCIPAL OFFICE BEARERS**

Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer
1966-67	Anthony Valentine	Robert Barrett	Glen Ayres
1968	Anthony Valentine	Peter Watters	Ken Dalton
1969	Jack Lucas	Geoff Bollard	Graham Hunter
1970-71	Wal Wilson	Geoff Bollard	Graham Hunter
1972	Glen Ayres	Geoff Bollard	Peter Krepp
1973	Anthony Valentine	Kevin Connelly	Peter Krepp
1974	Anthony Valentine	Kevin Connelly	John Freak
1075	Karin Cannally	Glen Ayres	Com. Forout
1975	Kevin Connelly	Brian Mitchell	Gary Eggert
1976	Kevin Connelly	Brian Mitchell	Gary Eggert
1077	Karin Cannally	M. Salmon (resigned)	R. Ellicot (resigned)
1977	Kevin Connelly	Peter Bell	Rosalie Prince
1978	Max Spencer	Bruce Fuller	Trevor Allen
1979	Max Spencer	Brian Mitchell	Trevor Allen
1980	Max Spencer	Peter Bell	Chris Jones
1981	Dennis Lisk	Trevor Allen	Greg Squires
1982	Dennis Lisk	Warren Hollyman	Terry Dewing
1983-84	Dennis Lisk	Peter Schembri	Terry Dewing
1985	Dennis Lisk	Terry Dewing	Paul Harvey
1986	Kevin Connelly	Terry Dewing	Paul Harvey
1987-91	Kevin Connelly	Craig Turner	Terry Dewing
1992-94	Warren Hollyman	Craig Turner	Terry Dewing
1995	Warren Hollyman	James Beauchamp	Terry Dewing
1996-97	Gary Eggert	James Beauchamp	Terry Dewing
1998	Gary Eggert	James Beauchamp	Brendan Braid
1999	Gary Eggert	lan Prince	Brendan Braid
2000	John Mulcair	Judy Rowling	Brendan Braid
2001	John Mulcair	Brad Bollard	John Hollyman
2002	John Mulcair	Bernie Ward	John Hollyman
2003	John Mulcair (resigned) Kevin Connelly	Peter Turner	Leigh Wiggins
2004-06	Kevin Connelly	Denise Bobyk	Leigh Wiggins
2007	Kevin Connelly	Denise Bobyk (resigned) Robyn Wiggins	Leigh Wiggins
2008-10	Kevin Connelly	Robyn Wiggins	Leigh Wiggins
2011	vacant	Robyn Wiggins	Frank Crawford
2012	Warren Sharp	Robyn Wiggins	Frank Crawford
2013-14	Lyn Smith	Phillip Rowling	Frank Crawford
2015	Craig Turner	Philip Rowling	Brad Bollard
2016	Craig Turner	Alison Tait	Carol Janes
2017	Craig Turner	vacant	Carol Janes
2018	Craig Turner	John Mulcair	Carol Janes

## **PAST MAJOR AWARD RECIPIENTS**

Year	Club Member of the Year	Male Player	Female Player
1966	Graham Hunter	Ken Dalton	
1967	Alan Fraser		
1968	Max Spencer		
1969	Joe Krepp		
1970	Jack Lucas		
1971	Neville Smith		
1972	Ron Bollard		
1973	Glen Ayres		
1974	Max Spencer		
1975	Alan Crimston		
1976	Brian Mitchell		
1977	lain Minto	Dennis Lisk	
1978	lain Minto	David Field	
1979	Allan Tate	Raji Kooner	
1980	Max Spencer	Lisa Smith	
1981	Phillip Rayner	Jennifer Leece	
1982	Peter Schembri	Stewart Armstrong	
1983	Kevin Spedding	Danny Squires	
1984	Warren Hollyman	Dennis Lisk	
1985	Kevin Spedding	Peter Turner	
1986	Warren Hollyman	Kevin Ball	
1987	Craig Turner	Peter Huk	
1988	Kevin Connelly	Garry Jennison	
1989	Craig Turner	David Burke	Diane Lisk
1990	Denis Walker	Des King	Nina Bonner
1991	Kevin Connelly	Garry Jennison	Lyn Smith
1992	Garry Eggert	Des King	Tracy Frederiksen
1993	Lyn Hollyman	Brett Shrume	Karen Chapple
1994	Ian Prince	Grant Hollyman	Lyn Smith
1995	Chris Tozer	Peter Taylor	Sharon Wilkerson
1996	Chris Tozer	C Turner & M Barnes	Vicki Earle
1997	Chris Tozer	Steven Cohen	Denise Nicholls
1998	Judy Rowling	Peter Tait	Julie Singh
1999	Judy Rowling	Peter Tait	Kim Wherry
2000	Judy Rowling	Grant Hollyman	Heather Armour
2001	Beverley Phillips	Grant Hollyman	Melissa Tranter
2002	Jodie McIntosh	Mick Millar	Rachel Powell
2003	Jodie McIntosh	Peter Mulcair	Jacqui Webster
2004	Kevin Connelly	Mick Millar	Kristy Dade
2005	David Johnson	James Mulcair	Simone Speet
2006	Bruce Christison	Grant Hollyman	Robyn Millar
2007	Phillip Rowling	Matthew Phillips	Kiah Hunter
2008	Kevin Connelly	Gavin Bobyk	Courtney Sanford
2009	Robyn Wiggins	Jono Scott	Sarah Dredge
2010	Kevin Connelly	Matthew Johnson	Yasmine Phillips
2011	Beverley Phillips	David Collins	Yasmine Phillips
2012	James Northwood	Mitchell Wray	Hannah Burrell
2013	Beverley Phillips	Matthew Phillips	Sarah Dredge
2014	Judy Rowling	Matthew Johnson	Katherine Coonerty
2015	Peter Tait	Peter Mulcair	Hayley Bowling
2016	John Cowan	Peter Mulcair	Ruth Sannes
2017	John Cowan	Keiran Govers	Jo Momsen
2018	David Richardson	Matthew Johnson	Iris Vanhecke

# **PAST OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS**

Year	Recipients
1991	Lyn Hollyman, Bill Turner
1992	Bill Melchert
1993	Greg Corben
1997	Sue Bourke, Steve Bourke, Beverly Phillips, Judy Rowling
1998	Dennis Walker
1999	Sharon Melchert, Bill Melchert
2000	Bruce Cook
2001	Mick Millar, Lois Scott, Peter Tait
2002	Lois Scott, Graeme Shardlow, Julie Singh, Peter Singh
2003	Lois Scott
2004	Jason Holley
2005	David Johnston
2006	Lyn Smith, Neil Wray
2007	Blake Sanford, Beverley Williams
2008	Ann Noblett, Chris Noblett, Beverley Williams
2009	Chris Noblett, Michelle Thomason, Beverley Williams
2010	Chris Noblett, Beverley Williams, Neil Wray
2011	John Cowan, Beverley Phillips
2012	John Cowan, Chris Noblett, Julie Singh, Peter Singh, Beverley Williams
2013	Sarah Cutri, Colin Jeffreys, Judy Rowling
2014	Michelle Donni, Peter Krepp, Craig Turner
2015	Margaret Noy
2016	Sam Lackey
2017	Bill Melchert, Trish Krepp
2018	Trish Krepp

# **SENIOR MEN - GAMES PLAYED**

Player Name	2019	2019 by Grade	2019 Goals	Career Total
Ackroyd, Nathan	21	21 (1)		61
Anderson, Brady	18	18 (1)	6 (1)	101
Anderson, Rory	27	6 (5) 17 (6) 3 (7) 1 (8)		152
Angus, Ross	7	7 (8)		201
Arapa, Damon	21	20 (2) 1 (3)		85
Arapa, Luke	20	2 (3) 18 (4)		49
Bayley, Cameron	14	1 (7) 13 (8)	1 (8)	90
Bayley, Mark	19	2 (7) 17 (8)	1 (8)	192
Bennett, Matthew	20	20 (1)	26 (1)	339
Bollard, Brad	19	16 (3) 3 (4)		357
Bollard, Huon	21	18 (4) 3 (5)	3 (4)	27
Bonnici, Mark	17	16 (4) 1 (5)	1 (4) 1 (5)	335
Bourke, Nathan	3	1 (1) 1 (2) 1 (3)	1 (3)	167
Bray, Chris	16	14 (7) 2 (8)		139
Brookfield, Mark	14	14 (7)	7 (7)	594
Brown, Joel	10	9 (6) 1 (7)	2 (6)	133
Bryant, Daniel	20	2 (2) 16 (3) 2 (4)		37
Bryden, James	3	3 (7)		231
Busby, Gary	16	16 (8)	1 (8)	16
Calder, Scott	15	1 (7) 14 (8)	2 (8)	25
Callinan, Angus	25	10 (2) 15 (3)	1 (2) 1 (3)	25
Cartwright, Lachlan	19	7 (5) 11 (6) 1 (7)	5 (6) 1 (7)	54
Chambers, Glen	11	10 (6) 1 (7)		11
Chang, Andrew	15	10 (7) 5 (8)		15
Collins, David	1	1 (3)		196
Coman, Declan	18	14 (7) 4 (8)	2 (7) 1 (8)	23
Coman, Hugh	19	13 (7) 6 (8)	3 (7) 1 (8)	19
Crisafi, Scott	21	1 (1) 9 (2) 11 (3)	3 (2) 4 (3)	21
Crismale, Tim	21	4 (5) 17 (6)	1 (6)	112
Crowley, Ross	15	15 (8)		81
Crowley, Connor	17	17 (8)	2 (8)	70
Davies, Bryn	11	2 (5) 9 (6)		48
Demetriou, Michael	15	15 (7)	(-)	571
Donni, Nicholas	20	4 (4) 16 (5)	29 (5)	35
Duani, Michael	7	1 (5) 3 (6) 3 (7)	1 (6)	90
Fishlock, Chris	18	5 (5) 13 (6)	8 (6)	38
Gair, William	15	15 (5)		15
Gough-Fuller, Gilbert	12	11 (5) 1 (6)	2 (4)	100
Govers, Scott	15	15 (1)	3 (1)	79
Govers, Kieran	17	17 (1)	9 (1)	66
Govers, Blake	2	2 (1)	2 (1)	2
Groundwater, Lachlan	21	16 (5) 5 (6)	3 (5) 1 (6)	33
Hails, Sean	10	10 (8)	F (4)	27
Halyard, Christian	20	20 (1)	5 (1)	116

Player Name	2019	2019 by Grade	<b>2019 Goals</b>	Career Total
Harvey, Steven	14	14 (8)		450
Hausman, Tom	21	18 (5) 3 (6)		140
Hayes, Jack	2	2 (1)	1 (1)	80
Hernandez, Blake	22	5 (1) 16 (2) 1 (3)	5 (2) 1 (3)	56
Hol, Jon	12	12 (7)		231
Hol, Brendan	26	9 (3) 17 (4)	2 (4)	142
Holloway, James	1	1 (7)		1
Howard, Adam	21	14 (7) 7 (8)	1 (8)	70
Hoy, Andrew	14	13 (5) 1 (7)	1 (5)	162
Huston, Joe	17	8 (1) 9 (2)	1 (2)	30
Johnson, Matthew	18	18 (1)	14 (1)	327
Johnson, Kian	15	2 (2) 13 (3)		15
Johnston, Charlie	22	2 (3) 14 (4) 6 (5)	3 (4)	47
Jones, Matt	16	16 (5)	4 (5)	54
Keelan, Zak	18	5 (2) 13 (3)	1 (2) 3 (3)	21
Kelly, Jay	26	5 (2) 16 (3) 4 (4) 1 (5)	1 (3)	100
Kelly, Sean	20	17 (4) 3 (5)		151
Krepp, Aaron	17	16 (6) 1 (7)	5 (6)	17
Lloyd, Riley	20	5 (1) 15 (2)	1 (1) 2 (2)	55
Lucas, David	17	4 (7) 13 (8)		207
Mall, Tim	12	2 (2) 10 (3)	1 (2) 6 (3)	246
Malone, Ryan	21	3 (3) 17 (4) 1 (5)	1 (3) 6 (4)	46
Margetson, Kevin	18	3 (7) 15 (8)	2 (8)	18
Mcclung, Iain	16	1 (1) 14 (2) 1 (3)	2 (2)	70
Mecham, Jack	14	1 (5) 13 (6)	5 (6)	27
Mecham, Luke	21	5 (5) 16 (6)	6 (6)	33
Neale, Mason	18	18 (2)	10 (2)	122
Neale, Hayden	21	18 (2) 3 (3)	13 (2) 4 (3)	59
Newton, Paul	13	13 (3)	1 (3)	13
Nieuwendyk, Caleb	17	17 (8)	1 (8)	83
Noblett, Luke	4	4 (1)		41
Northwood, James	18	2 (3) 12 (4) 4 (5)	1 (4) 1 (5)	277
Northwood, Ray	16	14 (7) 2 (8)	4 (7)	290
Noy, Geoff	12	2 (6) 10 (7)		195
Nyrhinen, Zac	26	10 (1) 14 (2) 2 (4)	6 (2)	103
O'Leary, Ryan	21	3 (2) 16 (3) 1 (4) 1 (5)	1 (3) 1 (4)	86
O'Leary, Lachlan	22	6 (4) 15 (5) 1 (6)	2 (5)	25
Olsen, Isaac	24	1 (3) 5 (4) 18 (5)	1 (3) 1 (4) 4 (5)	24
Palmer, Adam	16	16 (8)		58
Phillips, Matthew	20	20 (1)	5 (1)	302
Prentice, Lachlan	2	1 (5) 1 (6)		3
Prince, Ralph	14	14 (3)	1 (3)	268
Quinlivan, Matthew	17	1 (3) 16 (4)	4 (4)	58
Richardson, David	17	15 (4) 2 (5)		226

Player Name	2019	2019 by Grade	<b>2019 Goals</b>	Career Total
Roberts, Harry	22	19 (1) 3 (2)	7 (1) 4 (2)	68
Rose, Nick	16	16 (3)		113
Rose, Jonathan	4	1 (3) 3 (4)		34
Rowling, Lachlan	7	6 (3) 1 (8)	1 (3)	124
Rowling, Mitchell	17	17 (6)	1 (6)	321
Rowling, Matthew	17	15 (6) 1 (7) 1 (8)	3 (7) 3 (8)	400
Rowling, Phillip	24	4 (5) 18 (6) 2 (7)	1 (5) 4 (6) 2 (7)	351
Ryan, Sean	26	9 (6) 17 (7)	4 (6) 4 (7)	49
Saunders, Darren	18	5 (6) 13 (7)	1 (7)	223
Scott, Jonathan	21	21 (1)	2 (1)	256
Scott, Mitchell	8	8 (5)	4 (5)	183
Sharkey, Michael	22	3 (1) 19 (2)	11 (2)	321
Sharp, Blake	19	19 (2)	6 (2)	374
Sharp, Brendan	3	3 (3)		369
Shaw, Alexander	20	20 (1)	3 (1)	30
Sheppard, Jake	21	5 (1) 16 (2)	7 (2)	21
Shields-Fox, Harrison	10	4 (7) 6 (8)	1 (8)	24
Shipp, Mitchell	15	15 (2)		100
Singleton, Brock	15	14 (7) 1 (8)		15
Sluggett, Josh	18	17 (6) 1 (7)		18
Smith, Shayne	19	18 (1) 1 (2)	1 (1) 1 (2)	224
Staples, Matt	13	1 (3) 4 (4) 8 (5)		24
Stark, Elliott	19	4 (3) 15 (4)	3 (4)	41
Stephens, Ty	21	19 (5) 2 (6)		111
Stevens, Jason	19	2 (3) 14 (4) 3 (5)		192
Stevens, Matthew	15	15 (6)		249
Sullivan, Adam	4	3 (3) 1 (4)		133
Sykes, Blake	16	14 (5) 2 (6)	1 (5)	22
Taylor, Martyn	21	7 (4) 14 (5)	6 (5)	21
Tonna, Wade	22	2 (1) 18 (2) 2 (3)		157
Turner, Craig	10	1 (4) 9 (5)		321
Turner, Matt	12	1 (1) 11 (2)	2 (2)	55
Turner, Oliver	23	9 (3) 13 (4) 1 (5)		31
Tyler, Matthew	15	14 (3) 1 (4)	5 (3) 1 (4)	15
Weaver, Julian	14	12 (7) 2 (8)	4 (7)	31
Weaver, Edward	21	11 (7) 10 (8)	2 (8)	21
Westblade, Joel	19	2 (2) 16 (3) 1 (4)	19 (3) 1 (4)	24
Whittingstall, Luke	1	1 (8)		1
Willcocks, Scott	1	1 (4)		18
Williams, Harry	3	2 (5) 1 (6)		5
Wood, Jordan	21	6 (7) 15 (8)	2 (7) 6 (8)	52
Wray, Mitchell	12	12 (1)	, , , , ,	222
Zainol, Mamat	13	13 (1)	6 (1)	13

Note: career total games from Club records maintained since 1987

# **SENIOR GAMES PLAYED – WOMEN**

Surname	2019 Games (grade)	2019 Games	Career Games to 2019
Agius Kristen	8 (1)	8	65
Barnard Paris	15 (1)	15	32
Barton Anna	16 (1)	16	143
Beehag Hillary	16 (1), 1 (3)	17	95
Burrell Hannah	10 (1)	10	100
Callinan Clare	4 (1)	4	51
Cummins Elise	9 (3)	9	88
Cummins Lisa	12 (3)	12	130
Cummins Emily	14 (3)	14	69
Earle Vicki	9 (3)	9	403
Edgar Fiona	12 (3)	12	318
Edwards Kayla	15 (1)	15	31
Gibson Tahlia	11 (2), 1 (1)	12	23
Gilbertson Jess	15 (1)	15	46
Goman Grace	15 (3), 2 (2)	17	17
Gordon Jacqui	13 (3), 3 (2)	16	16
Hagan Chris	13 (3)	13	83
Hales Kathy	14 (3)	14	182
Halyard Liz	15 (1)	15	58
Hoddinott Amanda	12 (1)	12	12
Hodgson Karen	9 (3)	9	176
Hunter Darcy	12 (2), 4 (1)	16	16
Janes Bec	3 (1)	3	10
Johnson Cathryn	16 (1)	16	35
Johnson Holly	14 (2)	14	14
Kirby Ameila	3 (1)	3	3
Leach Kathleen	13 (1), 1 (3)	14	31
Margetson Kirsty	13 (3)	13	45
Martin Andrea	14 (2)	14	62
Matthews Janet	16 (2), 1 (3)	17	17
Momsen Jo	14 (1)	14	117
Morris Sarah	14 (2), 6 (1)	20	249
Rose Sarah	10 (2)	10	94
Sannes Ruth	16 (1)	16	180
Scott Lois	14 (3)	14	362
Shaw Kiara	11 (2), 1 (1)	12	74
Singh Julie	14 (3)	14	493
Smith Chloe	15 (2)	15	29

Surname	rname 2019 Games (grade) 2019 Games		Career Games to 2019
Smith Lyn	16 (3)	16	574
Squires Megan	7 (3)	7	278
Swift Felicia	16 (1)	16	98
Vanhecke Iris	12 (1)	12	29
Waters Ashton	13 (1)	13	47
White Jessica	14 (2)	14	49
White Emily	15 (2)	15	31
Wilde Theresa	16 (2)	16	52
Wu Liz	12 (2), 3 (3)	15	146

# **COMPETITION POINTS TABLES**

# **Sydney Hockey Association – Senior Men**

## **Sydney Premier League 1**

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Moorebank Liverpool	18	16	2	0	98	11	87	50
Sutherland	18	12	4	2	88	29	59	40
NWS/BH	18	12	2	4	80	30	50	38
UNSW	18	11	3	4	70	31	39	36
Ryde HH	18	11	2	5	76	34	42	35
Sydney Uni	18	5	1	12	37	60	-23	16
Briars	18	4	1	13	25	75	-50	13
Glebe	18	4	1	13	23	77	-54	13
GNS	18	4	1	13	28	83	-55	13
Northern Districts	18	2	1	15	20	115	-95	7

# **Sydney Premier League 2**

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Moorebank Liverpool	18	16	1	1	101	20	81	49
UNSW	18	15	1	2	79	29	50	46
Sutherland	18	14	1	3	72	28	44	43
Sydney Uni	18	10	2	6	49	39	10	32
Ryde HH	18	9	2	7	46	45	1	29
Briars	18	8	1	9	45	51	-6	25
Macquarie Uni	18	7	0	11	28	39	-11	21
St George/Rand	18	6	2	10	34	62	-28	20
UTS	18	4	3	11	36	58	-22	15
Glebe	18	4	2	12	35	64	-29	14
NWS/BH	18	3	4	11	32	53	-21	13
GNS	18	1	3	14	17	86	-69	6

## **Sydney Premier League 3**

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Easts	18	13	3	2	69	31	38	42
Ryde HH	18	12	4	2	61	27	34	40
Sydney Uni	18	10	2	6	37	31	6	32
Sutherland	18	9	4	5	50	30	20	31
Moorebank Liverpool	18	9	4	5	40	29	11	31
Briars	18	8	5	5	42	31	11	29
Glebe	18	7	6	5	55	41	14	27
UNSW	18	6	6	6	37	31	6	24
Northern Districts	18	3	9	6	22	26	-4	18
Macquarie Uni	18	3	5	10	27	52	-25	14
UTS	18	3	1	14	23	70	-47	10
St George/Rand	18	0	1	17	13	77	-64	1

## **Sydney Premier League 4**

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Ryde HH	18	16	1	1	73	13	60	49
Easts	18	14	1	3	69	22	47	43
GNS	18	12	0	6	55	34	21	36
Sutherland	18	10	3	5	32	13	19	33
Sydney Uni	18	10	3	5	32	25	7	33
UNSW	18	10	2	6	46	25	21	32
Briars	18	8	1	9	41	36	5	25
Northern Districts	18	6	3	9	36	42	-6	21
NWS/BH	18	6	2	5	26	61	-35	20
Glebe	18	3	2	13	18	44	-26	11
Moorebank Liverpool	18	1	3	14	14	70	-56	6
UTS	18	1	1	15	16	73	-57	4

## Sydney League 1

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Ryde HH	18	15	2	1	105	14	91	47
Manly	18	14	2	2	66	25	41	44
UNSW	18	11	2	5	59	39	20	35
Sutherland	18	10	3	5	50	31	19	33
Bankstown	18	8	0	10	43	66	-23	24
Macquarie Uni	18	6	4	8	29	32	-3	22
St George/Rand	18	5	2	11	35	67	-32	17
Monterey	18	5	2	11	35	75	-40	17
Northern Districts	18	3	3	12	23	58	-35	12
Sydney Uni	18	1	4	13	20	58	-38	7

## Sydney League 2

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Briars	18	15	1	2	94	21	73	46
Ryde White	18	14	2	2	79	22	57	44
Bentstix	18	11	3	4	65	22	43	36
Ryde Black	18	11	2	5	65	33	32	35
Sutherland	18	10	0	8	43	48	-5	30
Easts	18	7	3	8	56	36	20	24
UTS	18	6	2	10	35	58	-23	20
St George/Rand	18	5	4	9	37	52	-15	19
Sydney Uni	18	2	0	16	14	109	-95	6
Moorebank Liverpool	18	0	1	17	11	98	-87	1

## Sydney League 3

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Ryde HH	18	18	0	0	87	21	66	54
Briars	18	12	1	5	61	31	30	37
Glebe	18	12	1	5	57	28	29	37
NWS/Baulkham Hills	18	10	4	4	61	30	31	34
Manly	18	8	0	10	56	55	1	24
Sutherland	18	8	0	10	33	49	-16	24
UNSW	18	6	0	12	30	44	-14	18
Northern Districts	18	5	1	12	32	52	-20	16
Bankstown	18	5	1	11	32	65	-33	16
UTS	18	1	0	16	7	81	-74	3

# Sydney League 4

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Aga.	Diff.	Pts
Monterey	18	16	0	2	72	23	49	48
Ryde HH	18	14	2	2	85	26	59	44
St George/Rand	18	12	2	4	55	23	32	38
Macquarie Uni	18	12	2	4	51	23	28	38
Manly	18	7	2	9	27	36	-9	23
Sutherland	18	6	2	10	25	37	-12	20
Bentstix	18	6	1	11	17	34	-17	19
NWS/Baulkham Hills	18	4	2	12	21	53	-32	14
UNSW	18	3	2	13	20	58	-38	11
Northern Districts	18	2	1	15	14	74	-60	7

# **Sydney East Hockey Association – Senior Women**

#### **Women's Premier**

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss	Forfeit	<b>BYEs</b>	For	Aga	Diff. I	Points
Esquires 1	16	9	5	2	0	1	43	17	26	32
Pohogs 1	16	8	4	4	0	1	24	25	-1	28
RSL 1	16	8	4	3	1	1	34	23	11	27
SGR 1	16	8	4	3	1	1	31	28	3	27
Sutherland 1	16	7	4	5	0	1	28	14	14	25
UNSW 1	16	6	2	6	2	1	24	29	-5	18
Easts 1	16	5	3	8	0	1	19	31	-12	18
Tartans 1	16	0	0	16	0	1	9	45	-36	0

## Women's 2<sup>nd</sup> Division

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss F	orfeit	BYEs	For	Aga	Diff. P	oints
Dolphins 2	16	13	2	1	0	2	55	13	42	41
UNSW 2	16	9	4	3	0	2	28	21	7	31
Sharks 2	16	6	4	6	0	2	39	35	4	22
Easts 2	16	6	4	5	1	1	24	23	1	21
Pohogs 2	16	4	1	11	0	4	14	30	-16	13
Sutherland 2	16	3	4	9	0	2	23	42	-19	13
Bosco 2	16	2	5	8	1	2	13	32	-19	10

### Women's 3rd Division

Team	Play	Win	Draw	Loss Fo	rfeit	BYEs	For	Aga	Diff. Po	oints
Bentstix 3	16	15	1	0	0	2	66	10	56	46
Dolphins 3	16	13	1	2	0	3	63	18	45	40
UNSW 3 Black	16	5	2	8	1	2	13	31	-18	16
Sutherland 3	16	6	2	5	3	3	17	27	-10	15
Easts 3	16	3	4	9	0	3	11	38	-27	13
UNSW 3 Gold	16	4	1	10	1	1	20	40	-20	10
SGR 3	16	3	1	11	1	3	13	39	-26	9

# **2019 Competition Points Tables – Sydney Metro**

**Under 17 Sydney Metro** 

Team	Played	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	+/-	Points
Sutherland	15	12	1	2	3	52	9	43	38
Briars	15	9	5	1	3	59	30	29	28
ND Metro	14	7	6	1	4	41	25	16	22
Ryde	14	5	9	0	4	21	37	-16	15
Glebe	14	1	13	0	4	6	78	-72	3

Grand Final: Sutherland 0 Briars 1

## **Under 15 Sydney Metro**

Team	Played	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	+/-	Points
Ryde	16	15	1	0	2	97	16	81	45
Mosman	15	9	4	2	3	54	29	25	29
Briars	16	9	5	2	2	57	33	24	29
Sutherland	16	8	6	2	2	34	33	1	26
Manly/GNS	15	3	7	5	3	32	50	-18	14
ND Metro	15	3	11	1	3	19	57	-38	10
Glebe	15	1	14	0	3	8	83	-75	3

Semi-Final: Sutherland 0 Briars 4

# **2019 SEHA Junior Competition**

U11A	Game	s Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	GF	GA	F/A	Points
Bankstown	13	10	2	1	2	57	23	34	31
<b>Sutho Geckos</b>	13	9	3	1	2	61	18	43	28
UNSW	13	9	3	1	2	55	19	36	28
Glebe Backs	12	7	3	2	3	51	25	26	23
Moorebank	13	3	9	1	2	17	66	-49	10
USYD Gold	13	2	10	1	2	18	58	-40	7
Glebe Reds	13	1	11	1	2	15	66	-51	4
1111D	Cama	a NA/im	Loss	Draw	CF.	CA	F/A	Doint	_
U11B	Game	S VVIN	Loss	Draw	GF	GA	F/A	Points	•
St George	15	13	1	1	71	12	59	40	
Sutho BD	15	13	2	0	81	14	67	39	
Sutho BT	15	7	5	3	35	36	-1	24	
Glebe	15	7	6	2	37	34	3	23	
Moorebank	15	7	7	1	29	30	-1	22	
UNSW	15	3	11	3	16	45	-29	12	
USYD Blue	15	2	12	1	7	52	-45	7	
Bankstown	15	2	12	1	13	66	-53	7	
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U13A	Game	s Win	Loss	Draw	GF	GA	F/A	Points	5
Sutho Geckos	14	13	0	1	74	5	69	40	
St George	14	8	4	2	31	15	16	26	
Glebe	14	2	10	2	6	44	-38	8	
UNSW	14	1	10	3	7	54	-47	6	
U13B	Game	s Win	Loss	Draw	GF	GA	F/A	Points	5
Moorebank	14	10	2	2	58	12	46	32	
St George	14	9	4	1	39	15	24	28	
Sutho TD	14	8	5	1	39	19	20	25	
Sutho BT	14	7	5	2	37	24	13	23	
UNSW	14	4	9	1	25	42	-17	13	
Glebe	14	0	13	1	5	91	-86	1	

# **2019 SEHA Junior Competition**

U15A	Game	es Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	GF	GA	F/A	Points
Moorebank	12	10	1	1	3	49	11	38	31
St George	11	10	1	0	4	57	7	50	30
Sharks	12	4	7	1	3	20	30	-10	13
<b>Sutho Geckos</b>	13	3	8	2	2	22	39	-17	11
UNSW	12	0	10	2	3	2	62	-60	2
U15B	Game	es Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	GF	GA	F/A	Points
Bankstown	12	10	0	2	3	48	8	40	32
St George	13	6	3	4	2	30	11	19	22
UNSW	13	7	6	0	2	27	13	14	21
Sutho BT	13	6	6	1	2	28	30	-2	19
Sutho TD	13	6	6	1	2	21	23	-2	19
Moorebank	13	5	7	1	2	21	36	-15	16
Glebe	13	0	12	1	2	3	47	-44	1
U17	Game	es Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	GF	GA	F/A	Points
SGR Knights	13	11	0	2	2	38	11	27	35
Sutho BT	13	8	2	3	2	39	21	18	27
SGR Dragons	13	7	3	3	2	50	12	38	24
<b>Sutho Geckos</b>	14	7	7	0	1	40	31	9	21
Bankstown	13	5	3	5	2	31	24	7	20
UNSW	13	5	6	2	2	33	24	9	17
Moorebank	14	4	7	3	1	39	36	3	15
Glebe	14	3	9	2	1	21	50	-29	11
USYD	13	0	13	0	2	3	85	-82	0

## **CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS AND PREMIERSHIPS**

#### MENS SHA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

SHA	<ul><li>A1-A3 Division</li></ul>	<ul><li>Premier A Division</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Premier Division</li> </ul>	- PL1 & 2	
	1992	1998	2004, 2005, 2010	2016	
SHA	– Premier B Div	<ul><li>First Division</li></ul>			
	1983, 2002	2007			
SHA	– Second Div	- Sydney League 3&4			
	2004	2015			

#### **MENS SHA PREMIERSHIPS**

1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	– Prem B. 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr.	– A1 Div.		– Prem Div, 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr.
	1982, 1983	1991, 1992,		1998, 2004, 2011, 2012, 2017
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	– 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div, B Gr.	– B2 Div.	– A2 Div.	– Prem Div, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.
	1966	1985	1988, 1991	1998, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2006,
				2008, 2009, 2010
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	– Prem. B, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.	– A3 Div.		– Prem Div, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.
	1983	1992		2006
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	– 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div, D Gr.	– 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div, 1 <sup>st</sup>	Gr.	– A4 Div.
	1967	1982, 2002		1992
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	– 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.			
	1980, 2004			
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<ul> <li>– 2<sup>nd</sup> Div, B Central</li> </ul>	– C2 Div.		
	1973	1986		
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	– 3 <sup>rd</sup> Div. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.	– 4 <sup>th</sup> Div. 2 <sup>n</sup>	d Gr.	
	2005, 2006	2008		

#### MENS TOURNAMENTS, CUPS & SHIELDS

1 <sup>st</sup> Grade – NSWHA State Leagu	e – Div. 2	1989
– NSWHA State Leagu	e – Div. 1	1991, 1992, 1993
<ul> <li>Syd Knockout Cup</li> </ul>		1988
– Bisley Cup	– Prem. B, 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr.	1983
<ul> <li>Yates mem. Cup</li> </ul>	– A1 Div.	1987, 1991 <sub>j</sub> , 1994, 1998, 2001
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade – Bisley Cup	– Prem. B, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.	1983
<ul> <li>Yates mem. Cup</li> </ul>	– B1 Div.	1985
	– A2 Div.	1989, 2006
	– Prem Div, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.	2010
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade – Bisley Cup	– Prem A, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.	1977
	– Prem. B, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.	1983
– Yates mem. Cup	– A3 Div.	1991

#### **WOMENS CHAMPIONSHIPS & PREMIERSHIPS**

EDWHA Club Championship	2012
SEHA Club Championship	2018
SEPL 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr.	2008, 2009, 2010, 2011
EDWHA – Div 1	2007, 2012
EDWHA – Div 2	2006
EDWHA – Div 3	2009j
EDWHA – Div 5	2008
SSWHA – DIv 1 / 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr.	1987, 1994 <sub>j</sub> , 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007
SSWHA – Div 2 / 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.	1989, 1996j(both), 1998, 2001, 2005, 2012
– 2A Gr.	2003, 2007, 2008
– 2B Gr.	2003, 2007
SSWHA – Div 3 / 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr.	1992, 1999, 2001, 2007, 2010
SSWHA – 4 <sup>th</sup> Gr.	2003j(both), 2009, 2010
SEHA – Div 2	2016

#### MIXED CAJHA / SEHA CHAMPIONSHIPS & PREMIERSHIPS \*

САЈНА	1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1996, 1997, 1998,
Club Championship	1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010,
oras championship	2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
SHA U17 A Div (Metro)	1987, 1988, 1989, 1992, 2000, 2002, 2006, 2009, 2017, 2018
SHA U17 B Div	1988, 2003, 2006
CAJHA/SEHA U17	2012, 2013, 2014, 2018, 2019
SHA U15 Metro	2008, 2009, 2016, 2017
CAJHA/SEHA U15 A Div	1986, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1998, 1999, 2004, 2009, 2014, 2015,
	2016
CAJHA/SEHA U15 B Div	1997, 2001, 2002, 2006, 2007, 2015, 2016
CAJHA/SEHA U15 C Div	1997
CAJHA/SEHA U13 A Div	1984, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1992, 1995, 1996, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2006,
	2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018,
	2019
CAJHA/SEHA U13 B Div	1996, 1997, 2006, 2008, 2011, 2013, 2018, 2019
CAJHA/SEHA U11 A Div	1984, 1985, 1986, 1989, 1992, 1995, 1996, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
	2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2019
CAJHA/SEHA U11 B Div	1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2017, 2018, 2019

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^{*}}$  CAJHA was replaced by Sydney East Hockey Association (SEHA) from 2015

#### GIRLS SSWHA / SSHA PREMIERSHIPS

SSWHA – Schoolgirls Div.1	1989, 1990, 1991
– 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr, B div.	1995
– 1 <sup>st</sup> Gr. Jnr	1998, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013
SSWHA – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr. Jnr	1997, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005j, 2006
SSWHA – Primary Div.	1988
– 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr. Jnr	1996, 1997, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2010
SSWHA – 4rh Gr. Jnr	1995, 1998, 2000, 2002 <sub>j</sub> , 2003



# Thankyou!

To all the coaches, managers, umpires, officials, parents and supporters who volunteered their time and made 2019 a season to remember for all our hockey players