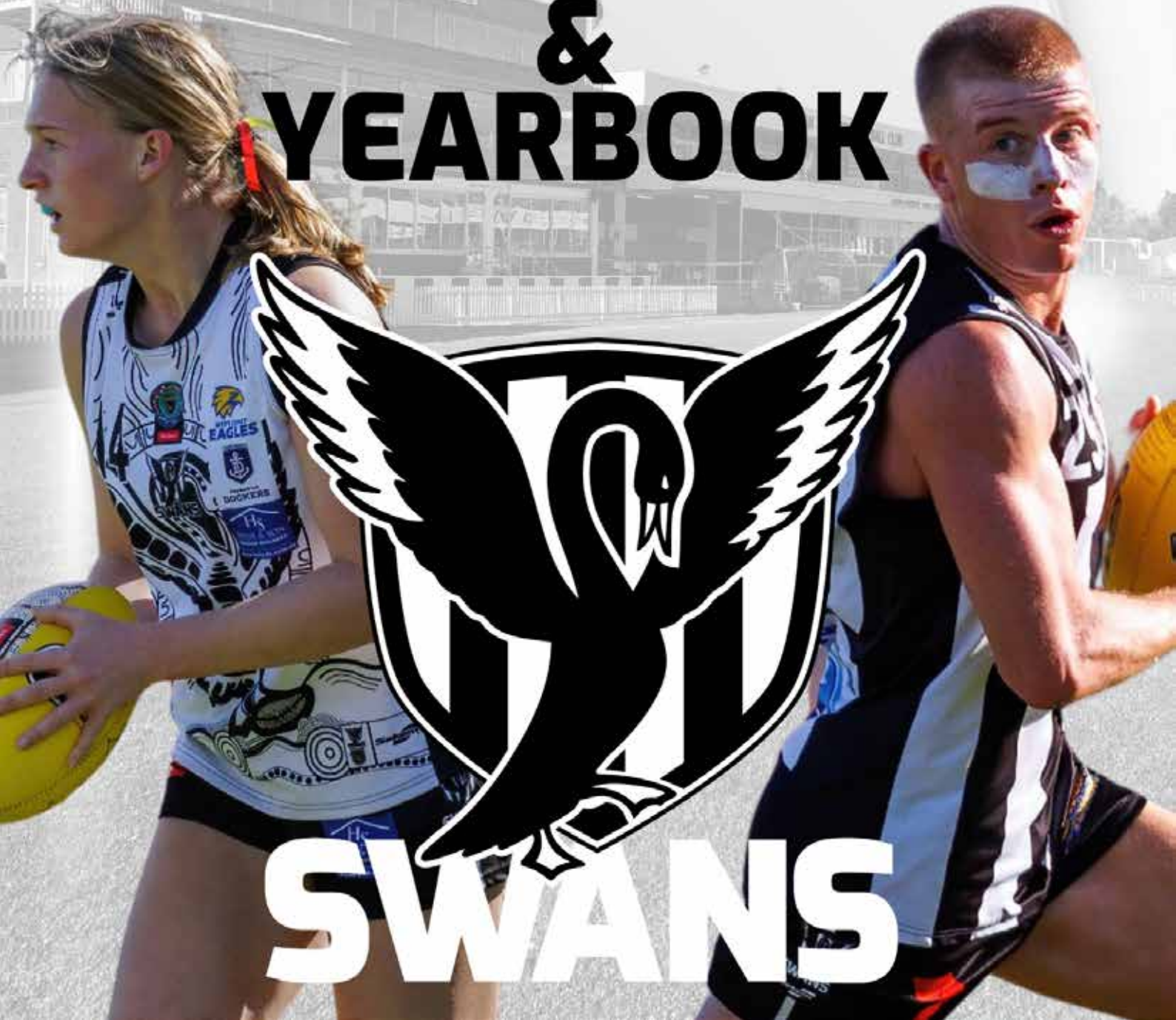




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President's Annual Report Season 2022

On behalf of the Board of the Swan Districts Football Club, it is with great pleasure I provide this 2022 annual report.

2022 saw many significant achievements within our club including our senior men's team building 'Fortress Steel Blue' with only one home loss for the year by 9 points we certainly made coming to Bassendean once again a daunting mission for our opposition. Unfortunately, we could not quite get the same result away and lost many winnable games by small margins.

The 2022 season end saw the Club and WAFL Senior coach Adam Pickering part ways. Adam started at Swans at the end of 2017 and played a significant part in nurturing our younger talent to get them where they are today. We sincerely thank Adam for his service to Swans and wish him every success in the future.

We continue our football strategic plan journey which is designed to achieve a top three finish year on year in all grades and we believe we are certainly on the right path.

Andrew Pruyn takes the reins as WAFL Senior Coach for 2023 and 2024 and already has had a profound influence on the playing group. Andrew has been a Swans person all his life and takes on this role with a great deal of experience behind him. We wish Andrew all the very best for 2023 and are really excited about our continued journey towards our next men's premiership.

I would also like to thank and acknowledge the contributions of Greg Harding who ends his time at Swans as our Talent Manager. Greg took over this role in 2018 after seven years as our Senior Coach and has been instrumental in identifying and guiding our young talented players along their football journey. We wish Greg well in the new direction his professional life takes him and look forward to him continuing his involvement with Swans also.

Our WAFLW teams did well with our Seniors finishing fourth and winning their elimination final only to bow out the next week in the First Semi Final. Season 2023 is just around the corner and we're looking forward to our continual development into a high performance WAFLW powerhouse. Congratulations to Adam Dancey on his appointment as our WAFLW Senior Coach for a further two years. Adam provides the professional approach we need to ensure our women's program continues to develop.

Our Players, Coaches and Support Staff from all teams and grades have been sensational once again and the club is as ever indebted to you all for your commitment to Swans.

The establishment of our own Swans All Abilities team competing in the Western Australian Amateur Football League was a first for the WAFL. To be able to provide a vehicle to allow all members of our community to partake in the wonderful game of Aussie Rules under the Swans banner further cements our position as a community enabler.

Congratulations and thanks to John Stone, our All-Abilities Coach, who has led this group of motivated players all year. We look forward to watching the development of the team and the people within to simply be the best they can be.

**The journey continues**

The hard work we have done over the years to build cash reserves has allowed us to establish various strategies to ensure the long-term viability of the club. Investment in people and facilities is a part of this journey with the goal of not only being a community force but to also win on the field is paramount. This journey continues in 2023 with all goals firmly in sight.

Community and Facility

In addition to our football investment, we continue to lobby to have our ageing facilities upgraded. Working closely with the Town of Bassendean, Department and Local Governance Sport and Cultural Industries (DLGSC), the Western Australian Football Commission and the Department of Sport and Recreation we are moving closer (albeit very slowly) to establishing new football and community facilities at Steel Blue Oval Bassendean. In what is a very challenging period to gain funding assistance it is imperative we do not give up the club's 'Conditional Freehold' title over the land our club sits on. This situation does create very different challenges to other WAFL club facilities as effectively we control everything that occurs on our facility site.

We will continue to investigate our long-term future at Steel Blue oval in relation to facilities and have enjoyed continued support from the Town of Bassendean. The creation of shared visions has been one of the great challenges we face as we reside in a politically safe, small Town with limited resources. The new 'Town Centre master Plan' has been adopted by the town in conjunction with various stakeholders and is now moving forward again albeit in a slightly different direction to a few years ago. We will need to continue to work with the ToB to realise our vision of having a self-sustaining facility that will service our football and community needs into the next 50 years.

We have been able to secure a \$200,000 grant from Federal MP Patrick Gorman to assist in lighting up Steel Blue Oval to a 200lux level which is the minimum requirement for training at a WAFL venue. Further assistance from the ToB, the WAFC and the DLGSC still leaves a shortfall of some \$200,000 which the club will cover as a co-contribution.

Our community focus continues to grow and expands well beyond our well-known Pilbara programs to include significant metropolitan programs. Matt Hewitson leaves us after several years rebuilding our Social Impact programs and we thank him for his strong contribution.

Acknowledgements

I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank my fellow Board Members who volunteer so many hours and expertise to our club. In the face of continued upheaval with the threat of COVID 19 always present, we have again been able to ride the storms throughout 2022 to record a positive financial result once again. Without this band of determined and loyal Swans people our club would surely not be in the strong position we find ourselves in now.

Andrew Holmes has led our Men's football programs since 2014 strongly and has great respect and support from all concerned. Jo Taylor has provided strong advocacy for our Women's programs and along with her knowledge of



all things in women's football has proved a great asset for our club. Sadly, Jo will not be continuing as a director in 2023, however will still be heavily involved. Thank you for all you have contributed Jo.

Roanna Edwards was appointed in 2019 and has had a great influence on our Marketing Committee outcomes. Ro's expertise in the media has been extremely beneficial to our club providing great oversight within all our marketing strategies not to mention her polished performances as our resident MC.

Des Hardiman I have acknowledged previously, however his long association with Swans both in a professional and volunteer capacity has produced some amazing performances with our finances, history, and connections with our coterie group volunteers. The teams within teams are a crucial ingredient for success, so I thank all the committees for their continued support of Swans.

Ian Westmore continues to oversee our Social Impact Committee which includes a variety of sub committees reaching out to every corner of our community. The work and results we see from this committee are truly inspiring as we strive to ensure everyone matters and everyone receives equal opportunities in life.

Brendan Valentine oversees our Risk and Governance Committee and has done a wonderful job of ensuring our processes are in line with expectations. Brendan's ability to view any event from varying angles provides the board with a greater perspective of where we are at and how we go about fulfilling our roles within the club. This strong understanding of risk and governance has been vital to our decision making to ensure we not only make the correct decision, but also ensure we do so, following a strong set of guidelines.

Our volunteers have played, and will continue to play, an integral part in our clubs' success and there are many. Our coterie groups in The Swansmen, Past Players and

Life Members continue to provide both time and financial support during the year which is critical to the operations of our club. Thank you to John Rowe (Life Members and Past Players President) and Trevor Hoy (Swansmen's President) for all you do for Swans. Yours and your committees' efforts are incredibly appreciated and our club could not operate as we do without your support.

Our loyal sponsors and partners continue to partner our club and the buy in to our community enabling role benefits everyone. Thank you to our major partners in Steel Blue, Midway Ford, Swan Towing, Pilbara Motor Group and Chevron who all have been long term partners along with Sullivan Logistics. I would also like to acknowledge the many associate partners who collectively contribute significant financial and product benefits to our club.

The final acknowledgement goes to our incredible staff who we all would have encountered at some stage throughout the year. These people work tirelessly for our club and not in a 'normal' business environment. Having to work weekends, long weekends, Sundays etc along with completing their daily requirements takes some special people. Led by our more than capable CEO Jeff Dennis, they are all the envy of the competition, and we appreciate each one of them. Thank you to Jeff Dennis who continues to fight whatever fight always needs to be had, while out for the best interests of Swans. Jeff leaves no stone unturned to meet our strategic objectives and it is a pleasure to work alongside such motivated individuals.

2023 is fast approaching and we will continue to plan for success both on and off the field, but always have the survival and sustainability of the mighty black and whites as the cornerstone of our direction.

Peter Hodyl
President

CO-PATRONS

Ken Wyatt MP
Dr Bruce Robinson

2022 BALL LEGEND

Joel Cornelius

CLUB STAFF

Chief Executive Officer:
Operations Manager:
Finance Manager:
Membership & Events Coordinator:
Marketing Coordinator:
Facilities Officer:
Bar Manager:

Jeff Dennis
Ross Leipold
Gerard Roelofs
Mitchell Eastman
Joely Bouckaert
Jim Dougan
George Staminich
Lucy Atkinson

COMMUNITY

Head of Social Impact:

Matt Hewitson

PERTH REGION

Social Impact Manager:
Social Impact Officer:

Jason Burton
Hayley Cole

ONSLow

Social Impact Manager:
Early Years Manager:

Matt Bishop
Brooke Welsh
Di Earp
Ashling Delaney
Tamara Mott

Early Years Officer:

Youth Program Manager:

ROEBOURNE

Social Impact Manager:

James Westbrook

FOOTBALL DEPARTMENT

General Manager Football Operations:
Talent Manager:
Boxing:
Video Analyst:

Phil Smart
Greg Harding
Graham O'Donnell
Norm Tame

Match Committee:

Cristiano Collica
Phil Smart
Andrew Pruy
Adam Pickering
Mitchell Burgess
Aaron Dimasi
Nick Holman
Alex Howard
Jo Taylor
Adam Dancey
Fi Boucher
Danny Poultney
Travis Jones
Tiffany Ferguson-Blight
Karen Van Namen
Alan Hickling
Reg Connors
Peter Reidy
Naruhito "Geish" Hori
Ishan Sethi
Ben Livingston
Andrew Jonson
Arthur Pitt,
Alex Joseph (WAFLW)
Aiden White-Kiely
Scott Collins (WAFLW)
Amber Goodwin-Wissink
Andrew Kuchel
Chloe Heaton (WAFLW)
Lachie Owen (WAFLW)
Alan Hickling
Reg Connors
Peter Reidy

WAFLW Match Committee:

WAFLW Chaplain:
Property

Head of Sports Science:
Sports Science:

Colts S&C:
Rehabilitation Coach:

Strength Coach:

Assistants:

Property:

MEDICAL

Doctor:

Senior Physiotherapist:

Colts Physiotherapist:
Senior Head Trainer:
Colts Head Trainer:
Trainers:

Katherine Ong
Tony Sacretus
Belinda Mayger
Aleece Edmunds
Billy Sukroo
Tanya Ferguson
Gary Seaton
Jack Hunter
Gary Seaton
Montana Falloon
Kayia May

Water:

Jack Hunter
Connor Smart
Chris Jordan
John Nichols
Josh Pesqua
Art McCarthy
Tyler Solomon
Matthew Vander Westhuizen
Riley King

WAFL LEAGUE TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

Adam Pickering
Andrew Pryun
Alex Howard
Nick Holman
Mitch Burgess
David Cianciosi
Ian Bardwell

Team Manager:
Timekeeper:

WAFL RESERVES TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

Peter Ferguson
John Armstrong
Greg Harding
Aaron Dimasi
Darryl Crotty
Tony Myles

Team Manager:
Timekeeper:

WAFL COLTS TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

John Armstrong
Russell Whologan
Tom Martin
Simon Bergin
Percy Johnson
Jenny Kynaston
Paul Saylor
Shane Sander
Michael Brescascin
Terry Hall
Ian Bardwell

Team Manager:
Runner:

Timekeeper:
Interchange:

WAFLW LEAGUE TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

Adam Dancey
Travis Jones
Danny Poultney
Chris Maskiell
Tiffany Ferguson-Blight
Julie Harrison
James King
Alex Joseph
Scott Collins
Julie Sharpe
Oliver Beath

Team Manager:
Runner:

Timekeeper:
Head of Player / Coach Development:

WAFLW RESERVES TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

Danny Poultry
Tiffany Ferguson-Bright
Travis Jones
Hannah Corney
Julie Harrison
Lauren Bennetts
Corey Bavin

Team Manager:
Runner:
Statistics:

WAFLW ROGERS CUP TEAM

Coach:
Assistants:

Fiona Boucher
Olivia McCarthy
Hannah Corney
Davina Griffiths
Tom Price
Terry Beagley

Team Manager:
Runner:

Timekeeper:

MATCHDAY

Statisticians:

Scoreboard Attendants:

Historians:

Sean Doody
Daniel Mews (WAFLW)
James Roseveare
Brad Pimlott
Greg Wardell-Johnson
Brad Willey

AUDITORS

Auditors:

William Buck

MR PETER HODYL**President**

Re- elected to the Board in 2020 for a further 3-year term. Peter was first elected in 2012 and appointed President in 2014.

Peter is a former premiership player and club captain at the club with a history in Bassendean and surrounds totalling over 50 years. With strong community values Peter believes everyone has an obligation to give back to the community as those before you have. Peter's main priority is working closely with Swans board of management and an extremely talented team across all areas of the club to ensure the club remains competitive both on and off the field. Sustainability and building a very strong community focussed future are significant areas identified as critical to the future wellbeing of the club.

Peter's paid employment is a Station Officer with the Department of Fire and Emergency Services. Peter also ran very successful businesses in Plumbing and Franchising before focusing on his role in emergency services.

**MR ANDREW HOLMES****Vice President**

Re- elected to the Board in 2022 for a further 3 year term. Andrew's life time involvement with football commenced playing junior football in the Swans District for Swan View where he then progressed to playing for Swan Districts between 1986 - 1995 amassing 138 games and playing in the 1990 grand final victory.

He was previously a board member from 2004 - 2009 and was reappointed to the current board in 2014.

He is currently a Primary School Principal of a large metropolitan school of over 700 students, after completing a decade of Principal ship in the country. Andrew is also a Life Member of the Swan Districts Football Club, with his family having a long and distinguished connection to the club since the early 1980's.

**MS ROANNA EDWARDS**

Appointed to the Board 2019, Roanna began her career in 2003 as a Cadet Journalist at Geraldton Guardian.

She then moved on to her position as a Radio Broadcaster & Producer at the ABC where she spent over five years.

She has also worked as a Senior Media, Marketing and Communications Officer at Northern Land Council and as a Retail and Community Manager at Horizon Power where she is currently working.

As well as all of this, Roanna is also studying a Bachelor of Arts, Political Science and International Relations at UWA which she is due to complete in 2021.

**MR DES HARDIMAN****Treasurer**

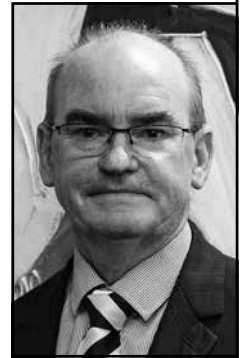
Re- elected to the Board in 2020 for a further 3 year term. Des is a Fellow of the Institute of Public Accountants, a Member of the Governance Institute of Australia and a Justice of the Peace.

He recently retired following a 30 year career in the education industry being the Bursar/Business Manager for a number of independent schools.

Prior to that, Des worked in accounting positions for a number of businesses, including 5 years as the accountant for Swan Districts between 1981 and 1985.

He has had a strong community and sporting involvement over many years including positions on numerous Boards and committees.

Des has been a past President and member of the Swansmen Committee since 2013, and a member of the Past Players & Officials Association since 1985.



MR IAN WESTMORE

Re-appointed to the Board in 2021 for a three-year term. Ian is a passionate Swans supporter with many years of experience and leadership in the Swan Districts community. Between 2012 and 2020, Ian was the Chair of the Swan Districts Football Development Council and a member of the West Australian Football Commission Council of Chairs, helping build a strong connection between the club and the junior football clubs in its metropolitan community.



Ian spent 14 years working in the Western Australia Police Force's Community Engagement Division where he drove community engagement and activation, particularly in the at-risk youth space, holding various leadership roles: Chair of the Midland Midnight Basketball Committee, which implemented and ran a highly successful and widely acknowledged youth-at-risk engagement program in Midland between 2009 and 2015, and President of the Midland PCYC Advisory Committee between 2010 and 2020. Ian also led or played key roles in corporate-wide programs in the WA Police Force, including the successful and award winning Bikelinc and ewatch programs.

Ian and his wife moved to Mt Barker in the Great Southern in mid-2021 to support and assist family members in their twilight years. He now holds the role of Operations Manager at the Museum of the Great Southern and continues to serve Swans in a remote capacity while still achieving the goals and outcomes of his directorship.

Ian's appetite for football was evident at a young age while playing junior football, and further grew as he represented the Victorian School Boys team as Vice-Captain, and when recruited to Melbourne Football Club at the age of 15. Injuries cut Ian's football playing career short, however his passion and commitment to the game, the people and the community of football, and to its extensive benefits, has never waned.

MS JOANNE TAYLOR

Joanne has been a volunteer at Swan Districts in various roles for the past 12 years predominantly within the club's successful female football programs helping the club become the envy of the industry with how its integrated the male and female football programs to be one club.



Jo's volunteer roles at the club have ranged from assistant coaching and team managing its WAWFL teams, team managing the WAFL 14's and 15's development squads, President/ Chairperson of the club's women's football program from 2014 with this role transitioning into Female Football Manager from 2017 and in 2020 she was also the Caretaker Coach of the WAFLW League team. Jo also previously worked for the club for 4 years as the Sales and Functions Manager.

Jo has a diverse professional life that has seen her develop a wide-ranging skillset. She's a qualified Chef having worked in a variety of different establishments from large resorts through to small restaurants across the country and in the USA. Jo has also spent the last six years working in a manufacturing and sales industry as an Operations Manager and in sales and marketing teams.

MR BRENDAN VALENTINE

Secretary

Elected to the Board in 2021 for a 3 year term. Brendan was a past Swans Colts and senior squad player before leaving Perth to focus on his career. In his role as Risk Manager for Woodside Energy, he helps organisations identify and manage uncertainty, to enable them to achieve their objectives while protecting what is important. Brendan provides governance, risk and compliance insights to executive leaders and Boards of Directors. This information supports making risk informed decisions and enables organisations to align their business strategy with their risk appetite.



Brendan was formerly on the Advisory Board for the Good Chat Foundation and has previously been on the Swans Finance and Risk Committee and Governance and Risk Committee. He's assisted with overseeing the club's policies, procedures and financial management and was instrumental behind the creation of the club's risk management policy and plan.

MR JEFF DENNIS

Chief Executive Officer

Jeff was born in Perth and has a Diploma of Teaching, Bachelor of Education, Graduate Diploma in Marketing and a Master in Business Administration. He's worked in sport management for almost three decades including GM Commercial for the National Basketball League, Marketing Manager and CEO of Perth Glory, CEO of Allia Venue Management responsible for the management of NIB Stadium (now HBF Park), CEO of Swan Districts Football Club, and various other roles in Western Australian soccer, Basketball WA, and the WA Football Commission. He's also been the owner and Managing Director of several commercial retail companies.



Jeff has been a Director/Deputy Chair at Basketball WA for 7 years. He has broad management experience covering corporate governance, strategic planning, financial management, senior leadership, risk management, marketing, event management, government relations, and building commercial and government partnerships.

He represented WA in five Australian Basketball Championships in the 1980's, represented Australia in an Under 20's team, played in a championship basketball team with Swan Districts in 1985, and also played for the Perth Wildcats.

The club continued to see improvements in 2022 both on and off the field. The club's five year Strategic Plan 2018 - 2022 has come to an end and has achieved significant results over the past five years which can't be overlooked.

Financially, the club continues to build strong cash reserves and working capital. Net assets have increased from \$138,000 to \$1.8m in the last five years. The current ratio has increased from 0.6 to 4, and the cash position has improved from -\$197,568 to \$1.35m.

The club continues to develop a strong, contemporary, and resilient business driven by community engagement and delivering positive social impact. Importantly, this has enabled us to continue delivering growth throughout the Covid-19 pandemic and during lean years without on field success.

The club also continues to deliver strong governance meeting the Australian Sports Commission's governance standards. The Board and club management is driven by accountability and transparency.

We continue to build club relevance through our regional and metropolitan community engagement programs together with our growth strategic plan which aims to increase home game attendances and membership.

While football's in our DNA, our club exists for a deeper purpose. We've shown that we have a role to play in strengthening community, creating social value, and building environments where people can be the best they can be.

Now that the business settings are secure, the club has become more focussed on building sustainable and enduring football success without compromising the club's broader purpose and vision. While we've made substantial progress in our football strategic plan over recent years, there's still improvements to be made.

In the club's next five-year Strategic Plan 2023 - 2027, we'll continue our transition to being an outward-looking engaged community enabler, improve our facilities, and build sustainable and enduring football success. It's essential we keep faith with our vision and strategy as we continue to build brand relevance and financial sustainability.

Our loyal and dedicated staff have continued to serve the club and its members with considerable enthusiasm and commitment.

Our Football Manager, Phil Smart continues to be a strong and committed advocate for the club overseeing all club football operations including WAFL, WAFLW and Talent.

The club's Talent Manager, Greg Harding again worked tirelessly driving our WAFL Colts and Talent programs with the support of our dedicated talent staff. We now welcome Greg's replacement Hayden Coble who has already hit the ground running.

Ross Leipold, Mitch Eastman, and Joely Bouckaert must be acknowledged for delivering high-quality home game days and club events throughout the year including the 1980's Premierships Celebration.

Ross continues to do an amazing job servicing and recruiting new corporate partners and working with Jim Dugan to maintain the club's ageing facilities. Joely helped deliver a communication strategy increasing the club's reach and engagement, and Mitch improved our membership sales and servicing.

Our community team led by Matt Hewitson continued to deliver high energy outreach programs working with young people, people with disability, Aboriginal peoples, and seniors in the Pilbara and metropolitan area. Our Perth Social Impact Manager Jason Burton has replaced Matt as Head of Social Impact and will help us continue to build on past successes.

All of our community staff and committee volunteers play a critical role in creating new partnerships and opportunities for the club to create real and measurable social impact in our communities.

We are enormously proud to be the only WAFL club with an All-Abilities football team playing in the Perth Football League. The team finished their first season this year which was very rewarding for players, families, coaching staff, and our supporters. Thanks to John and Kylie Stone for their continual leadership and commitment to our players and their carers and families.

We say farewell to our WAFL Senior Coach Adam Pickering after five years at the club and thank him for his support. We now look forward to a new era with Andrew Pruyn being elevated to Senior Coach. He's responsible for guiding the club's men's program over the final two years of the club's Football Strategic Plan 2020 - 2024.

Adam Dancey continues to drive our WAFLW to be a high performing program. His enthusiasm and drive are infectious, and he's become another key leader at the club.

Thank you to the club's Finance Manager Gerard Roelofs for his continued financial oversight and direction. Thanks also to John Rowe and the Past Players and Officials Association committee and Trevor Hoy and the Swansmen for their tireless work fundraising and supporting the club wherever and whenever they can.

We continue to work with the Town of Bassendean to redevelop the club's facilities and replace the current oval lighting. The Town has provided the State government a proposal to build new oval lighting infrastructure to 200 lux which, if approved, will be in place for the commencement of the 2024 season.

The Swan Districts Foundation kicked off this season. It's an independent charity with the primary aim to ensure the long-term future and sustainability of club. It's been endorsed for tax concessions by the Australian Taxation Office. The Foundation, led by Chairman Neville Bassett, has begun fundraising to assist the club fund education, training, and cultural learning opportunities, and also provide support for Swans past players who are disadvantaged or in necessitous circumstances.

While we've achieved much over recent years, we must remain stubbornly focussed on building our football programs, increasing revenue streams by exploring new products and markets, and continuing to develop an inclusive and diverse community facing club.

Jeff Dennis
Chief Executive Officer

Committee

The Finance Committee comprises Des Hardiman (Chair), Neville Bassett, Jeff Dennis, Peter Hodyl, Emilio Paterniti and Gerard Roelofs. Meetings are held monthly under a Terms of Reference which includes setting the annual budget, reviewing monthly financial statements, monitoring the Sports Clinic financials, home game statistics, functions, annual audit and general management assistance on operational matters when required.

Key objectives

The committee is conscious of the Strategic Plan (2018-2022) under the Business Sustainability pillar, and reviews performance against that annually. With the support of the Board and the leadership of the CEO, a very clear financial discipline has been implemented and maintained for many years. As has been highlighted previously, maintaining a strong Balance Sheet, diversifying revenue opportunities and building a sustainable economic model for the future has and will continue to drive the Board.

Result

The result for the year is a healthy surplus of \$64,004 after depreciation. Whilst this is less than the figures produced in recent years, the Board was extremely happy with the result. Due to extra-ordinary income in the past with COVID grants, and the loss of BHP funding, we have managed to return to a more balanced trading operation and actually exceeded our budgeted surplus.

Strong Balance Sheet

A critical strategic focus over recent years has been the improvement to the Current Ratio and hence the Club's liquidity. This measures the ability to meet current liabilities with sufficient cash and other current assets. Cash at Bank is healthy with Working Capital over \$1.2M. Other significant Balance Sheet comparatives are reflected in the table below.

New developments/ achievements

In addition to reviewing monthly financials, the following items were discussed and actioned in committee during 2022:

- Automatic Club membership renewal
- WAFL Club Balance Sheet benchmarking
- Monitoring of the bar and trading Gross Profit %
- Staff Wages Review Policy and Employment Contracts
- Committee Evaluation
- Advertising and Phone Tower Contracts
- Match Day Reconciliations
- State Government small business grants
- WAFL Funding Agreement
- Swan Districts Sports Clinic Review
- Oval Lighting Funding
- Budget 2022 discussion, review and endorsement
- Club Foundation and Donations

Acknowledgement

I thank the members of the Finance Committee for their time and expertise in discussions. The committee acknowledges the strong financial management and reporting provided by Jeff Dennis, Gerard Roelofs and staff.

Des Hardiman
Director of Finance/Treasurer


	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Net Surplus	64,004	229,746	902,669	202,791	103,480	34,722
Current Assets	1,702,246	1,666,501	1,708,872	928,990	742,362	570,879
Current Liabilities	448,446	546,739	931,400	809,760	866,354	996,891
Working Capital	1,253,800	1,119,762	777,472	119,230	-123,992	-426,012
Current Ratio	3.80	3.05	1.83	1.14	0.86	0.57
Net Assets (Equity)	1,764,000	1,699,996	1,468,820	567,456	364,665	138,649
Cash at Bank	1,356,012	1,445,764	1,574,255	812,638	415,041	269,919

Sources of Income 2022

Administration & Grants	20.5%
Commercial (Bar & Catering)	10.3%
Marketing & Sponsorship	16.5%
Senior Football Operations	5.0%
Talent & Football Development	9.6%
Community & Social Impact Programs	38.1%

Expenditure

Administration & Facility	17.7%
Commercial	6.5%
Marketing & Sponsors	8.9%
Senior Football	20.7%
Talent & Development	9.7%
Community Programs	36.5%

2022 has been a very successful year for our social impact team delivering on our purpose to develop people and build community.

Not only have we made significant improvements across all of our programs, but we have continued to build mutually beneficial relationships with a range of key stakeholders in each of our locations across WA.

As the proverb goes, if you want to go fast, go alone. But if you want to go far, go together. Our methodology is therefore based on being the conduit in the community and helping to build capacity in others whether that be in individuals, families or organisations. This means knowing when to step forward and when to step back. Similarly, if you want to build community, you cannot do that from behind a desk, and in isolation, so our team continues to play a significant role out in the community, building partnerships and opportunities for collaboration that impact those in our communities.

Towards the end of 2022, we received a further three-year commitment from Chevron for our program in Onslow as well as a two-year extension from the National Indigenous Australians Agency (NIAA) which funds our important social programs in Roebourne and Perth. This is a reflection of both Chevron and NIAA's trust and confidence in Swans and our transformation in the last two years, where we now have other tools than just sport in our arsenal. The challenging circumstances that many in our community have been exacerbated by the pandemic and the effects are still visible. This means that our role, and the impact we can have, has never been more important.

Our Social Impact Measurement

In 2021, we moved from talking about community to social impact. While community is who we are as an organisation, what we are striving to do every day is to have an impact in people's lives. Through collaboration with Dr. May Carter, we developed a social impact strategy which was based on delivering impact across five key dimensions: physical health, mental health, individual development, social and community development and access.

These dimensions have been demonstrated through empirical evidence to reduce the likelihood of young people engaging in at-risk behaviours such as experimenting with drugs and alcohol and have also been shown to reduce contact with the justice system. These dimensions are now measured on a 5-point scale, for impact across all our programs, including Swans Elevate in Perth and Roebourne, our all-abilities football team, as well as our early years programs in Onslow.

This is done at the end of each school term, or at the completion of the program. Through this process, we can report on the overall satisfaction of the participants, and their families, as well as the impact that Swans has on their overall impression of living and working in Onslow.

We ask participants to rate their involvement in our programs out of five for their impact, with one representing no or little impact, and five being for high impact.

The ratings for our early years programs are completed by the parent or caregiver on behalf of the participant.

While Physical Health is an important dimension for us, our programs have a much broader focus, so a score of 4.35 (out of 5) is still a significant achievement. Pleasingly, participants rated across our programs an impact score of 4.43 (out of 5) for positively impacting their mental health and 4.43 (out of 5) for creating a sense of inclusion and belonging (Social & Community Development).

Impacting mental health is extremely important given that a vast number of the people we work with are living in challenging circumstances. Creating opportunities for participants to increase and develop their skills is a vital component of our programs as well, whether this be in literacy and numeracy, learning to drive, shooting a basketball or building a bicycle from scratch, as we know that this can have a profound impact on other aspects of their life. Having a high impact score of 4.22 (out of 5) in the Individual Skills dimension is a demonstration of the variety of opportunities we bring to the Onslow community. It is these improvements in skills which lead to better outcomes and futures for the people we work with. One of the important impacts that we also make as an organisation is to create opportunities and access (Environment) to services and programs to people who would otherwise go without and pleasingly, respondents have rated their experience at 4.49 (out of 5) for this dimension which indicates that we have significantly increased the number opportunities available to our participants. In remote communities, the Environment dimension becomes significant as the challenge becomes more acute, particularly for families who are living away from broader family support and other necessary services.

Perth

In our Swans district in Perth's eastern suburbs, we currently operate in and support four high schools across six campuses, which have high populations of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, as well being very low on socio-economic indexes with the Swans Elevate Program. We also run the Maali Moorditj after school fitness program at four primary schools in the Town of Bassendean and City of Swan, with two also engaging in weekly Elevate sessions. As for all our youth focused programs, our focus in Perth is primarily on engaging youth who are at risk of disengaging from their community. We have an impact through engaging them in education, connecting them with community and helping them to transition to opportunities that reduce the likelihood that they will come into contact with police and the justice system.

Our community health programs have continued to expand in 2022, with the second year of the Swans Aussie Fit program for men with cardiovascular disease, and the Ironbark program (Bassendean and Mirrabooka) which is a falls prevention program for Aboriginal people over 45. Both programs are delivered in partnership with Curtin University and UWA.

These programs are literally life-changing and the impact on both the individuals and their families is incredibly rewarding.

In 2021, we established a community partnership with 360 Health + Community, and their Street Doctor program, to create the Swans Community Health Hub at Steel Blue Oval every Wednesday and Friday. Together, we are

working to provide greater access to health practitioners, and outcomes, for Aboriginal families in our community. Over the summer of 2021 / 2022 at the height of the pandemic, we were delivering a COVID vaccination clinic in partnership with 360 Health + Community and Derbarl Yerrigan, and now working closely with organisations such as Moorditj Djena, Midlas and Midland Meals.

This year we launched our very own All-Abilities football team in the Perth Football League, for people with a disability. This follows our support of the Integrated competition through our Count Me In Rounds each year since 2014. In addition to integrated football, we participated in the second season of the WA Wheelchair Football League with two of our players representing WA at the national carnival.

Through our new affiliation with Basketball WA, we are officially able to deliver junior and community basketball programs in Perth, Onslow and Roebourne. We are also partnering with Basketball WA to grow the number of people playing basketball in the City of Swan and surrounding areas through the establishment of Swans Basketball.

Onslow

Led by Matt Bishop, the team in Onslow has grown over the last 18 months. Tamara Mott joined the team at the start of term two to help with the youth programs, and Hayley Cole headed up from Perth for two months to help manage the early years program. They have been supported by our casual Program Support Officers, Chloe Feil and Josie Goodwill-Buczak, who have assisted with early years, After School Creations and Sport, the Homework Club, as well as Friday Night Lights and the Youth Shed. Volunteers, Deagan McLean and Noah Wright have also played an instrumental role supporting Afterschool Sports for the younger age groups.

The purpose of Swans in Onslow is to improve the lives of children, young people, and their families, by providing opportunities for growth and connection. To achieve this purpose Swans Onslow aims to:

- Be an integral part of the Onslow community.
- Positively impact children's physical and mental health, individual development, social and community development and access to opportunities.
- Create and foster a family environment in Onslow that is welcoming, inclusive and provides opportunities for connection.
- Engage children who are at risk of disengaging from their community and reduce the likelihood that they will come into contact with police and the justice system.

Most recently the team was joined by Amanda Pinkerton, and son Spencer, who is assisting with Early Years programs. Amanda is a teacher and social worker with extensive experience in both fields, we are fortunate to have her on the team. Finally, but certainly not least, Mr Tan, the school's Physical Education Teacher, helping with the Homework Club, Afterschool Creations, the Homework Club or just hanging out in general. This team has achieved amazing things and contributed significantly to the community, bringing a great deal of joy to the families that call Onslow home.

In Onslow, VSwans has long held a dual status. While VSwans has had a strong identity, in that it is both an "entity" and a "location" in Onslow, it has always been just a program name, not a separate organisation. Following an extensive brand and marketing review conducted in 2020 by an external consultant, Stephen Wells, which engaged with a broad range of stakeholders, including Chevron, Swans rebranded in 2021 as "Swans".

The only location where the "VSwans" brand now remains is in Onslow. From 2023, our programs in Onslow will be rebranded "Swans" using the main Swans logo. This provides greater consistency and recognition for the work we do in the community, as well as providing a greater connection between all our social impact team members across all our programs delivered across Western Australia. Similarly, while Chevron invests in Onslow through its partnership with Swans, it will now also be connected to the social impact programs we deliver in Perth, Roebourne and the rest of the Pilbara to at-risk youth, people with disabilities and Aboriginal communities.

Roebourne

Our Swans Elevate Program in Roebourne works with male students at the Roebourne District High School. We partner with the school to engage and retain students in education and help to prepare them for life after school. Roebourne as a town has long had significant community challenges, and Swans work together with students, the school and other community organisations to improve education and long-term community outcomes.

Our focus on creating vocational type training opportunities is essential to these young boys, as well as providing a platform to develop skills which enable a transition from education to employment.

Jimmy Westbrook took over leadership of the program at the start of 2022 and has made a significant difference within the school over the year. Through the relationships that he has built, student numbers have increased by 100% and through his individual work with older students to further develop their personal skills and interests, he is creating an aspirational pathway for younger students.

Swans Elevate has now acquired a café quality coffee machine via a small grant received from Citic Pacific which will be used to train students on during the school day to increase their skills and confidence not only in making coffee, but also handling money and customer service.

We have also partnered with the school to acquire a vinyl cutting machine where the students are now designing and making stickers and artwork with a view to building a school based enterprise where they will develop skills necessary for running their own small business.

In November, we introduced the Swans Personal Safety course in Roebourne via a grant from Horizon Power, which is designed to provide the tools for people to avoid and diffuse violent or potentially violent situations which so often result in negative outcomes irrespective of whether a person was just defending themselves.

2023

Sadly, we bid farewell to Matt Hewitson as he left the role in late 2022 to focus on his post graduate research

at Curtin University. We acknowledge the enormous contribution Matt has played in steering the ship and resetting our course after BHP ended our very long relationship and funding agreement in late 2020. Matt has helped reset the table and established new funding streams and partners and created a new future for us in the social impact space.

Matt's replacement as Head of Social Impact, Jason Burton, is our former Swans Social Impact Manager who has been instrumental in the development of our metro based programs, including the development of our joint venture with Westrac and Swan View Senior High School, will take over the reins at the end of 2022. Jason has an extensive background in social impact and community, as well an earlier career in football, so is the best person to help us continue to delivering on our purpose.

On behalf of all involved in our social impact work, I would like to say that the opportunity to represent Swans in the community has been extremely rewarding and we are very grateful for the opportunity. I'd like to extend an enormous thanks the volunteers who have served on our Swans Aboriginal Advisory Committee (SAAC), Swans Disability Access and Inclusion Committee (DAIS) and the Swans Youth Advisory Committee (SYAC) who have helped to guide us on our path. We are all very proud to have played a part in what I consider to be two very symbolic projects for Swans and their committees this year. Firstly with our SAAC to develop and commission our mural painted by Kevin Bynder for NAIDOC Week and with the DAIS to launch our new integrated team. Both projects represent significant groups of people within our broader community and our continued focus to create a true sense of belonging for everyone in our community at Steel Blue Oval.

Ian Westmore
Director of Social Impact





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The Club continues to strive on the back of its commitment to live by its values which has seen another productive year on the operational side of the club. It is fantastic to be involved with such a great club with many fantastic staff and volunteers making our game days the best there is in the WAFL. We now focus on setting up for season 2023 and maintaining our strong growth as a club in all areas of the Football Department both men and women, the Integrated team, wheelchair team and lots of other areas that are have a real social impact. We will once again focus on key important rounds for us in presenting excellent NAIDOC, Count Me In and ANZAC games.

There is a clear focus by the management team to increase awareness in our social media platforms and we have seen some really encouraging engagements in this area. With our Facebook following increasing by over 3,000 followers in 2022 and other platforms increasing on a regular basis, it is encouraging what we are doing is working and further enhancing the club's image. Marketing Coordinator Joely Bouckaert is doing an amazing job in this area.

Another key focus is building our membership baseline and Mitch Eastman is really getting his teeth into this area. Another of Mitch's roles is events and functions so making sure not only our club functions are well managed and organised but also any outside functions that are booked.

We are very lucky to have such great staff working on game days and at our functions. Lucy Atkinson has been fantastic in assisting with functions and game days, with arranging bar staff and organising menus for our functions. Lucy has been threatening to leave for a few years now but is still here. She must really love us.

Thanks also to Bar Manager George Stamenich, Chef Gail Bassett, canteen guru Natalie Crawford along with our casual staff on our members nights in particular Robyn Hart. Our members nights continue to be very enjoyable with plenty of raffles and Chase the Ace to keep everyone entertained.

We can't underestimate the value our volunteers bring to the Club. We were able to have them join our staff, Board, men and women players, coaches, support staff, Swansmen and Past Players and Officials to our Christmas Function in December with over 250 people in attendance. This was just a small way in which we could thank them for all their efforts during the season. Well done on a superb job done by our senior men players in putting on the night by cooking the meal and setting everything up for the evening. Excellent effort boys.

One can never question the strong leadership of CEO Jeff Dennis, President Peter Hodyl, and the Board. The club sits in a strong position moving forward and there is plenty to look forward to both on and off the field.

What an amazing luxury to have two such awesome coterie groups in the Past Players & Officials Association and our Swansmen who continue to make enormous contributions to the club with their fundraising efforts. To PP&OA President John Rowe, Treasurer Bruce Lauder

and the Swansmen President Trevor Hoy and their committees. It's a massive thank you for all the hours you put in and the financial support you provide the Club. It has been a pleasure working closely with both groups for the benefit of seeing the club remain in a strong position and continuing to improve facilities for its members and supporters.

SPONSORSHIP: Maintaining a strong band on sponsors is vital to the Club, and a number of new sponsors in 2022 and the inclusion of more in 2023 is testament to the work we are doing both on and off the field. We welcomed Autoplus WA and TRACS in 2022, and have seen Malaga Welding Supplies and Iron Mine Contracting come on board for 2023 with other new signings in the wings. The continued challenge of always seeking new sponsors is important for our commitment to providing a quality family environment and a Club that people want to be part of and involved. The support of our very loyal sponsors cannot be underestimated as they contribute a significant amount to the Club which allows us to continue our great work.

Thanks to all of our members, supporters, volunteers, staff, players and their families for being part of a great club. Take care and stay safe.

Ross Leipold
Operations Manager



It is a privilege to be able to present the Football Report for the 2022 season.

The Swan Districts Football Club continues to be at the forefront of innovation and change, having embarked on our 2018 - 2022 five year club strategic plan to transform our football club in to a well-connected community club and the 2020 - 2024 Football Strategic Plan.

Our 2020 - 2024 Football Strategic Plan key deliverables for 2022 and beyond are:

- Building an enduring and sustainable high performance football program -
 - A) Develop, deliver and monitor a comprehensive Football Strategic Plan 2020 - 2024 building a strong player culture and leadership, and positioning Swans as a destination club for players, coaching and support staff, and volunteers.
 - B) Consistently deliver a top three WAFL and WAFLW ladder position, and a premiership in the near future.
- Building a high-quality club based WAFL and WAFLW talent identification and development program -
 - A) Liaise with other WAFL clubs and the WAFC to return the WAFL talent program to the WAFL clubs.
 - B) Liaise with other WAFL clubs and the WAFC to design and fund a WAFLW talent program based at WAFL clubs.
 - C) Delivery of a junior club coaching education program.
 - D) Partner with high schools and junior clubs to assist delivering community football and talent programs.
- Build strong and mutually beneficial relationships with the club's metropolitan and regional zones -
 - A) Build a stronger connection with junior clubs and metropolitan and regional football leagues.

With the many community initiatives now at the forefront of our clubs thinking outlined by the President and CEO in this Annual Report, our club has never lost sight that we are a football club in the WAFL and WAFLW competition which is steeped in history. To be sustainable we have to continue to build community, develop people, and be competitive across all grades of football, both men and women.

It is also important to note that this was the first year we fielded an All Abilities Swan Districts football team in the Perth Football League competing against other all abilities teams across the Perth Metropolitan region. Under the guidance of our all abilities coach, John Stone and wife Kylie the team acquitted themselves superbly, and as we head in to our second season with the ability to recruit players in our zone, 2023 promises to be an exciting year for our all abilities players. To see these players, men and women embrace the black and white jumper, with their carers involving themselves in club activities and exhibit the joy of playing in a team environment, provides an authentic example of the well-connected community club we aspire to be, and I look forward to watching more of them in 2023.

On to the men's 2022 season. The previous years of being financially prudent, and having a clear and concise five year plan, meant that we were again in a position to look outside of our local area to attract players to Steel Blue Oval, although our mantra remains to develop our "Own and Promote from Within" - acknowledging and respecting our local Swan Districts zone to develop high quality football players.

As per our 2020 - 2024 five year strategic plan to identify

and attract "A" grade players to fill the needs of the club, the Football Department through the General Manager Football Phil Smart again cast their net far and wide looking for suitable players to build on the recruits of the two previous years, Sam Fisher, Frank Anderson (who had an ACL injury from the 2021 preliminary final and would be unavailable for the entire 2022 season), Jesse Palmer and Chris Jones. Players to assist our younger developing players.

We were very excited to welcome Jarvis Piner, Tobe Watson and Ryan Kemp to the club to compliment the playing squad.

Under the guidance of League Coach Adam Pickering, entering his fifth year as coach, players were given individual pre season plans before returning to the club in early November to commence pre season training.

After the brief Christmas break, players and coaching staff, together with our new recruits returned to Steel Blue Oval.

Unfortunately, just as pre season was gaining momentum a COVID 19 wave struck again impacting training and up coming pre season scratch matches. Throughout this time the football club at all levels demonstrated exemplary leadership in the way that the COVID 19 virus was handled again. Health advice was always front and centre with all Health Department guidelines implemented, and our new sports scientist Geish developing a player recording and tracking system. The dynamic nature of COVID 19 spread meant that numbers on the training track were inconsistent at times, however our excellent protocols ensured the health and safety of all of our players and staff was a priority. All issues aside the playing group had a positive pre season and strength and fitness data indicated they were in better shape than at the same time last year.

The season got underway with our first game against East Perth at Leederville on Friday 15 April. Our pre season promise wasn't on show and after trailing all day, we tried to come home strong losing by four points, a game that we should have taken the four points with a win!

In round 2, our first home game against East Fremantle, we learnt from the week before and opened up a sizeable lead in the first half and up to the end of the third quarter. After leading all day and up by 15 points halfway through the last East Fremantle came storming home to eventually win by nine points. Although not an excuse, 5 of our players tested positive for COVID that evening and would be sidelined for the next game.

Our first win was in round 3 against Perth where we won by five points. The closeness of the first three games would be replicated throughout the remainder of the season with most of our games won or lost by under 12 points.

By round 5 we travelled to Kalgoorlie to take on Subiaco. In hindsight, this was probably the game that cost us dearly, as again after leading all day and playing some outstanding football, being up by 14 points at the end of the third quarter in drizzling conditions, we didn't take the game on in the last and failed to score, being over run by Subiaco to lose by 14 points, with Subiaco kicking several of their goals in the time on period of the last quarter.

By the end of Round 5 we sat fifth with two wins and

three losses, all by small margins. At the same time our reserves were struggling with only one win sitting 9th while the colts were in the same situation sitting 8th with one win.

The next rounds saw us play consistent football beating South Fremantle, West Coast and Peel, losing to West Perth, but then having our biggest win of the year by 51 points against Subiaco. At the conclusion of Round 10 we had crept in to the top 5 with 6 wins and 4 losses a game ahead of Peel. Our Reserves sat 8th with only 2 wins, and our Colts coming off a Premiership hangover were sitting on the bottom with 2 wins. This was not through lack of effort as John Armstrong continued to develop our younger players, a recipe that will benefit our club in the long run as these players develop over the coming years.

The second half of the year was set up to be close for ladder positions from 2nd to 8th and wins against teams above and below crucial to a finals appearance.

A heartbreaking 1pt loss to South Fremantle in Round 13 and then again some consistent football had the league side at the end of Round 14 sitting on 5th position - a game from 2nd spot but still only just ahead of Peel and East Perth.

The pressure was building, and a finals appearance was still within reach if we played our most consistent football. Coming off a thumping 95pt win against a very much undermanned West Coast side, we then fronted up to East Fremantle at the WACA for our worst performance over the last three seasons, to lose by 82 pts and really put our final aspirations in doubt as we were playing the top side West Perth the following week at Steel Blue. We were now level with Peel chasing 5th spot on the ladder.

The reserves had started to play some consistent team football, and with several close wins had managed to sneak into the top 5 with 6 wins. The colts continued to develop, but still found themselves on the bottom but working hard.

The West Perth game was our 1982, 83 and 84 Premierships Reunion, and there hasn't been a bigger and more excited crowd at Steel Blue for a long time. Many of our past playing legends and administrators were present with the current players getting to understand some of the history of our great club. Whatever the reason, our boys came from 11pts down at three quarter time to run out eventual winners by 12pts. Pandemonium ensued, with past and present players celebrating a historic win, meaning that the following week, we would be playing against Peel for a spot in the finals.

With Round 20 being changed to a Sunday to accommodate Fremantle Dockers players eligibility to play for Peel, we knew that it was going to take our best football to win and hold on to 5th position on the ladder. Unfortunately, Peel were far too strong and the game was over by half time. This was the end to a season that promised so much, and with a couple of the earlier games against Subiaco and South Fremantle having a different result, we would have played finals and pressured the teams above us, and in all seriousness be fighting for the premiership

Although we can look back at the season and see success both on and off the field, I know that all players and coaches were feeling disappointed at the conclusion of the season that we didn't go further. Immediately at the conclusion of the season the Football Department sat down with League Coach Adam Pickering, reflected

on season 2022 and the requirements to ensure that we continued to develop. During these discussions, it was evident that Adam could not commit the necessary time to our program as required and a decision for Adam to step down as League Coach was arrived at. As Football Director, I together with all Swan Districts Club Members would like to acknowledge Adam's significant contribution to our football program over the last 5 seasons and wish him, and his family - Lauren and Michael all the best in his coaching journey.

Andrew Pruyn was appointed League Coach for the next 2 years, ahead of several experienced coaches who also applied. It is with great excitement that we appoint Andrew to the League position, a passionate past Swans player, Reserves and League Assistant Coach. Already Andrew's influence on our playing group is evident with the appointment of Andrew Budge to lead our pre season program as well as several past players returning in a coaching capacity to assist our developing players.

As the Director of WAFL Football, I would like to acknowledge and thank a number of people who make our club a leader in the WAFL competition. The Past Players and Officials Association who provide morning tea at every colts home game for all home and visiting parents. We are the only WAFL club that does this and it takes an enormous effort by the ladies to prepare and serve such a wonderful spread every game. To the coaches - John Armstrong and his support staff in the colts program who continued to develop our young players of the future, Peter Ferguson and his support staff in the Reserves and Adam Pickering and his support staff in the league. The time commitment for each and every coach is significant and goes above just the hours they are at the football club.

To Greg Harding as the Talent Manager in the Colts and Youth programs who knows every junior player with potential in our development zone, including the Pilbara and South West, as well as many players just outside of our district. Greg moves on from this role in 2023, but finds himself with a significant coaching role. Greg leaves our development programs and talent identification in a very healthy state, with an incoming Talent Manager ready to continue Greg's outstanding work.

To Phil Smart, General Manager Football, during a season of highs and lows, Phil kept it all together, and has been critical in the off season in recruiting the types of players we have identified through our strategic plan. Much of Phil's work goes unseen and ensures that players can get on with what they love to do, play football. We look forward to welcoming some exciting recruits to our club in 2023

To the Board of Directors, and especially President Peter Hodyl, and Jeff Dennis CEO, thank you for your relentless drive to ensure that our football club continues to have relevance in the WAFL and remains competitive across all three grades of senior football, women's football, All Abilities Football and the grades of junior football commencing with the under 14's development program.

Finally, last but not least, thank you to our many loyal supporters who week in week out show their loyalty to the Black and White. Your support is what makes this great club. As with all members I can't wait for the 2023 football season to commence and our announcements on more recruits for next season.

Andy Holmes
Director of WAFL Football

COMMITTEE – Brendan Valentine (Chair), Jeff Dennis (CEO), Peter Hodyl (President), Sarah Reilly

The Governance and Risk Committee is a Board Sub-Committee responsible for oversight of, and advice and recommendations to the Board on areas such as governance and compliance issues.

This year the committee's area of accountability expanded to incorporate risk. This is a positive shift for the committee and for the organisation as risk management and governance go hand in hand with one another.

The committee met more frequently in 2022 than in recent years, in part due to the significant impact of Covid-19 protocols placed on the WAFL. Our committee was able to make decisions that allowed us to pivot when necessary to stay ahead of the restrictions placed on us by the WAFC and the State government. The support of the Board, Jeff's leadership and the cooperation of our staff and volunteers has resulted in Swans as an organisation being well placed after some of the most challenging times we've faced. We expect that 2023 will be significantly less impacted by the pandemic and we will return to a natural state of business.

The Governance and Risk Committee plays a role in the relationship between the Club and the WAFC. This year we spent a great deal of time determining the club's best path to success through negotiating outdated agreements in a way that will benefit Swans and the greater WAFL for many years to come. Swans continue to be one of the loudest voices at the table when it comes to working with the WAFC to strengthen the game of Australian rules football across the state.

Every year the Governance and Risk Committee assist the Nominations Committee by overseeing the election process. As a result of the election, Jo Taylor's time on our Board has come to an end. On behalf of the Committee, I would like to thank Jo for her contribution to the success of our organisation especially in the area of women's football. The election saw the Hon Ken Wyatt AM join our board of directors. As a long-time supporter of our club and a person with decades of esteemed political success, Ken is a fantastic fit for our Board. Ken will assume the role of Chairperson of the Governance and Risk Committee for 2023.

As the outgoing Chair, I'd like to thank Peter and Jeff for their relentless dedication to the success of our club and to Sarah, thank you for your guidance and words of wisdom.

Brendan Valentine
Director of Governance and Risk



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2022 was a growth year for the Swan Districts Talent pathway programs.

Despite finishing last in the WAFL Colts, there were several highlights throughout that indicate towards a strong 2023 campaign. 75 players were exposed to Colts football in 2022, many of whom were promoted from our Futures program and therefore competing against players 3 years their senior. Several players were also exposed to Reserves football in the second half of 2022 with 6 Colt aged players being selected in the Reserves elimination final against Subiaco at Fremantle Oval. We're confident that these invaluable learning opportunities will hold our players in strong stead for 2023 as their development towards becoming long term players for the Swan Districts Football Club continues.

It was a tremendous year for several players within our Colts program - resulting in three players achieving State 18's representative honours and two realised their lifelong dreams of being drafted into the AFL. Along with both Elijah Hewett and Darcy Jones, Riley Hardeman was selected in the State 18's squad as an underage player and become one of WA's shining lights throughout the championships.

For the first time since 2011, Swan Districts had two players drafted in the first round on AFL Draft night. After playing the vast majority of season 2022 in the Senior program, Elijah Hewett was drafted to West Coast. Darcy Jones, our 2022 Colts Fairest & Best and breaker of Stephen Hill's 14 year agility test record at the NAB AFL combine, was selected to the Greater Western Sydney Giants with the final pick of round 1. Swan Districts would like to congratulate both players on realising their lifetime ambitions and wish them the best of luck as they continue their footballing journey within the AFL system.

Swans continued to invest considerably within our Pilbara and South West zones resulting in numerous players from both regions being exposed to the rigours of the WAFL Talent Pathway in Bassendean. A highlight was seeing 5 of our 8 WA State 16's representatives originate from our South West catchment - as a football club we would like to extend our congratulations to the families of both our South West & Metro based players in Anthony Hansen, Chayse Martinson, Cody Ryan, Colby McDonald, Harry

Jones (all South West) as well as Harry Creighton, Otis Harvey and Thomas Cathcart. Further congratulations in particular to Thomas Cathcart, Chayse Martinson and Anthony Hansen for their exceptional performances in the 16's Championships, resulting in All Australian honours.

To have such a momentous achievement showcases the years upon years of work put in by our South West and Metro zoned clubs, Jamie Douse, Greg Harding and each of the players families. Exciting times are ahead for our South West zoned players where several of them will transition into our Swans Colts program for 2023.

I personally would like to congratulate Greg Harding for the tremendous amount of effort he had put in as the Swans Talent Manager over several years prior to departing the club only a few month ago. The strong foundation he created over the last few years is certainly a testament to his character and work ethic and we wish him all the best in his future endeavours.

Words don't justify the level of effort or commitment our talent staff and volunteers put in year after year to best prepare our young men. Thankyou to all our talent coaches John Armstrong, Russel Wholagan, Tom Martin, David Grafton, Bill Brandsma, John Laurito, Paul Saylor and Simon Bergin who commit so much of there own time to assist our youngsters and equip them with the tools to ensure they are able to fulfil their potential both on and off the football field.

To all of our volunteers and supporters we cannot thank you enough. Thankyou to Jenny Kynasten, Shane Sander, Ken Ball, Indy and Peter in the property room, Sean Hughes our Strength and Conditioning man, Gary Seaton our head trainer and both Sean Doody and Norm Tame for all they do in the IT/Stats space.

I would like to thank the Swan Districts Football Club for its ongoing support. Jeff Dennis, Phil Smart and Peter Hodyl constantly strive for excellence and are committed to promoting our own and developing from within. It's this approach that will provide our club the best chance to succeed over the coming years.

Hayden Cobley
Talent Manager



The 2022 WAFL season was a rollercoaster ride for the League team. Despite facing tough competition, they managed to finish with a record of 10 wins and 8 losses, which was good enough for a sixth place finish at the end of the year. However, the Round 20 loss to Peel Thunder was a major disappointment for the team. Peel had an advantage with 15 AFL listed players, and this ultimately cost the club an opportunity to play in the finals despite strong performances throughout the season.

The season may not have ended with a spot in the finals, but it was still filled with a number of notable accomplishments. Nine players made their debuts for the team, including Jarvis Pina, who had a fantastic first season with the club after transferring from Peel Thunder. Toby Watson also made a strong return to the club after a stint with Fremantle.

Jesse Turner had an outstanding year, earning the Swan Medal and representing the state in several games. Sam Fisher also had a consistent season, earning a State jumper for his efforts. Despite missing out on the finals, the team had much to be proud of. Despite missing out on the finals, the season was still filled with a number of successes.

The team was thrilled to see two of their players, Elijah Hewitt and Darcy Jones, selected in the National AFL Draft. This was a great opportunity for both players to showcase their skills at the highest level and was a well-deserved reward for the hard work and dedication they had put in throughout the season. It was also a positive way to end the season, despite missing out on the finals.

The club would like to extend their sincere gratitude to the support staff and volunteers who have worked tirelessly to ensure the club's survival and growth. Without their dedication and hard work, the team would not have been able to achieve the success it has in recent years.

Looking ahead to the 2023 season, the team is filled with excitement and confidence. Several players, including Germs, Bain, Bright, Ireland, Riley, Collins, and Edwards, have grown and developed through the 2022 season and have gained a solid foundation of Senior Football experience. We are looking forward to watching these players reach their full potential in 2023 and are hopeful for an extremely successful season. The 2023 season promises to be an exciting one, and we can't wait to see what the team will accomplish.

Andrew Pruyn
WAFL Assistant Head Coach



PLAYER	GAMES	TOTAL GAMES	KICKS	HANDBALLS	DISPOSALS	AVERAGE	MARKS	TACKLES	HITOUTS	FREES FOR	FREES AGAINST	GOALS	BEHINDS
BAIN Mitchell	16	25	149	79	228	14.3	55	65	0	16	17	6	8
BAYOK Tarir	7	20	42	27	69	9.9	18	16	0	11	3	2	4
BECK Jackson	9	39	114	20	134	14.9	39	15	0	7	2	0	0
BRIGHT Sebastian	14	27	72	55	127	9.1	31	37	0	12	8	8	8
CHIPPER Max	1	1	8	3	11	11	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
CIPRO Joshua	14	60	133	132	265	18.9	39	55	0	11	9	4	6
CLARKE Aidan	17	51	289	164	453	26.6	87	84	1	23	16	5	7
COLLINS William	15	18	106	66	172	11.5	56	21	0	11	8	1	0
EHLERS Cian	14	14	64	58	122	8.7	32	34	0	5	11	0	0
ERCEG Brandon	16	59	186	74	260	16.3	104	26	0	17	9	1	0
EDWARDS Thomas	17	29	110	62	172	10.1	65	19	0	23	9	20	14
FISHER Samuel	17	43	183	226	409	24.1	71	66	0	26	17	11	9
GERMS Matthew	13	23	42	64	106	8.2	12	21	467	8	4	0	1
HEWETT Benjamin	5	5	20	14	34	6.8	7	19	0	2	1	1	0
HILTON Brenton	4	4	43	19	62	15.5	21	13	4	3	0	0	1
HEWETT Elijah	9	9	72	50	122	13.6	26	19	0	6	4	5	2
IRELAND Nathan	10	10	61	51	112	11.2	45	37	46	13	6	2	2
JONES Christopher	17	17	126	41	167	9.8	92	15	5	12	7	29	14
JONES Darcy	3	3	24	14	38	12.7	13	5	0	1	0	4	3
KEMP Ryan	16	16	133	87	220	13.8	58	39	0	23	12	19	6
MORRIS Brodie	2	2	7	17	24	12	1	5	41	2	1	0	0
NOBLE Brayden	16	96	114	40	154	9.6	69	40	81	14	6	16	10
NOTTE Tony	15	279	198	55	253	16.9	95	30	1	11	10	0	1
O'DONOHUE Jehb	14	16	125	94	219	15.6	46	65	0	16	10	0	0
OTTAVIANO Gregory	10	14	82	45	127	12.7	22	40	0	14	10	5	3
PINA Jarvis	17	17	194	108	302	17.8	97	37	0	12	19	2	0
PALMER Jesse	15	34	88	27	115	7.7	48	23	0	7	9	22	11
RILEY Lachlan	17	40	155	80	235	13.8	55	36	0	15	8	11	6
SPACKMAN Brayden	1	14	5	1	6	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
STEPHENS Anthony	14	58	131	45	176	12.6	34	38	0	8	8	0	1
TURNER Jesse	18	119	303	248	551	30.6	110	71	0	28	15	5	6
WATSON Tobe	17	39	182	176	358	21.1	89	77	0	15	12	2	4
WATSON Jak	3	19	18	28	46	15.3	5	5	0	2	1	1	0
WILSON Warrick	1	77	2	3	5	5	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
WATSON Bryce	2	2	12	4	16	8	2	2	0	1	0	0	0

The club had high expectations for all grades in season 2022, with a young group, having as many as 12 - 15 players graduate from a successful 2021 Colts program. It was always going to be exciting to see what we could achieve as a group. We faced many challenges during the season, early injuries to the playing group and with the reality of covid impacting society in WA, our resilience and unity was tested.

Our season can be split into three different phases. We struggled in the early season to build a competitive team capable of matching it with the top teams of the competition. The club then made the strategic decision to change the profile of the Reserves group and we started to promote top age Colts players and give them an opportunity at a higher level. This change in direction resulted in improved performances, although we weren't necessary winning games of football, we were competitive, and we were heading in the right direction.

The back end of the season is where we started to get our rewards. Winning four out of the last five games cemented us in fifth position on the ladder and put us two games clear of sixth spot. Although our finals campaign was short and the loss to Subiaco in the Elimination Final was disappointing, to secure a spot in the top five and play finals football was a great achievement and a great reward for the season.

I would like to thank my Assistant Coaches in Aaron Dimasi, Greg Harding and John Armstrong for their support and guidance this season, it was very much appreciated. Thanks also to my Team Manager Darryl Crotty for the work he did in the background and making sure I was organised. Thanks to the stats team Norm Tame and Sean Doody for providing valuable real time information.

Thanks to the Medical team lead by Belinda Mayger (Physio) and Tanya Ferguson (Head Trainer) plus the Sports Science team lead by Naruhiro 'Geish' Hori and Arthur Pitt for their tireless work in giving the player's their best opportunity to recover and remain healthy.

On a personal note, I would like to thank Adam Pickering and Phil Smart for the opportunity to join the coaching panel and coach the Reserves.

Congratulations to the award winners, Max Chipper (Fairest and Best), Lewis Tester (Runner up Fairest and Best) and Ben Hewett (Third Best Player). Congratulations to the players that played League football and to the players that made their League debuts.

Finally, thank you to the whole playing group for their commitment and dedication to this season. The enjoyment and positive attitude the playing group displayed was a real highlight. The future of this football club is looking bright, the players desire to improve and get better will set them up for success in coming seasons. I look forward to seeing what this group can achieve in 2023 and beyond.

Peter Ferguson
WAFL Reserves Coach

PLAYER	GAMES	GOALS	BEHINDS
ALONE Gordon	1	0	2
BABICH Hudson	14	1	1
BAIN Mitchell	1	0	1
BASHEMULE Eric	7	2	2
BAYOK Tarir	9	1	2
BECK Jackson	2	0	0
BOLTON Ezekiel	9	8	8
BROWN Tyreice	4	0	0
BOLTON Izzak	2	1	1
BROCK Adam	1	0	0
BROWN Cooper	3	1	1
BUCKLAND Jacob	1	0	0
CAPORN Kristian	13	17	7
CARTWRIGHT Ayden	12	5	5
CHIPPER Max	15	6	5
CIPRO Joshua	1	1	0
COX Jack	3	3	1
DADALIARIS Antonio	2	0	0
DE LACY Tyler	1	0	1
EHLERS Cian	4	1	0
FAWCETT Braydon	5	1	2
FITZGERALD Brodyn	7	4	4
GRAY Lachlan	8	0	0
HEWETT Benjamin	9	7	3
HILTON Brenton	12	0	0
HUGHES Kane	16	13	8
HUMPHRIES Lawson	15	3	3
HANNAN Noah	14	6	2
HARDEMAN Riley	5	0	0
HEWETT Elijah	1	1	0
JENKIN Bailey	4	0	0
JONES Brayden	4	0	1
JONES Darcy	2	2	1
JUSTICE Adam	14	0	1
KANE Ethyn	17	2	0
KELLY Luke	2	0	0
KEMP Ryan	1	2	1
LAURISSON Angus	8	2	1
MANCUVENI Noel	1	0	1
MORRIS Brodie	14	2	5
MCDONALD Tristan	8	1	2
MCPARTLAN Kaedyn	3	1	0
MIDDLETON Joshua	2	2	0
O'DONOHUE Jehb	2	0	0
OTTAVIANO Gregory	7	3	2
PARSONS Brent	2	0	0
RALPH Dylan	2	1	0
RAYNOR Tristen	13	0	0
RILEY Lachlan	1	0	0
ROWE Darcy	4	0	0
SAYLOR Jaxon	7	3	1
SIDERIS Jacob	3	1	0
SPACKMAN Brayden	3	0	0
SMITH Tom	3	1	1
SULLIVAN James	6	1	0
TEAKLE Bohan	5	0	1
TESTER Lewis	16	0	0
TAYLOR Luke	2	3	1
UGLE Jamison	9	4	1
WAITE Nelson	5	2	1
WILSON Warrick	7	12	7
WATSON Bryce	4	1	1
WATSON Mel (Jiripas)	2	1	1
WHITE Jaxon	7	3	0

This year we obviously didn't achieve the results on field as we had planned at the start of the year but a huge positive was we were able to develop and give plenty of playing experience to a lot of young players coming from our 16's program which is what Colts football is all about and will strengthen the colts team in the years to come.

Across the season, we saw a number of young colts players make great strides forward in their development, numerous boys made their senior debuts for our league and reserves team and was fantastic for their personal development as footballers. Furthermore, I would like to recognise Anthony Hansen, Chayse Martinson, Cody Ryan, Colby McDonald, Harrison Creighton, Harry Jones, Otis Harvey and Thomas Cathcart who all represented our state 16's squad and will all look to having a big pre-season and a successful 2023. Congratulation also to Elijah Hewett, Riley Hardeman, Tom Smith and Darcy Jones who made the State 18's squad and Darcy Jones being selected as an All Australian was a credit to his impressive carnival.

I would also like to commend Darcy Jones who was our lone representative in the Colts Team of the season and won the Colts Fairest and best with 80 votes ahead of Jack Saunders

and Angus Laurisson in a very close count on 79 votes who both had fantastic seasons ahead of Luke Kelly who joined us after his PSA season to finish the year in fantastic form.

Personally, I would like to thank all that helped with the Colts this year especially our Strength and Conditioning co-ordinator Sean Hughes and Billy Sukroo, Team Manger Jenny Kynasten , property man Alan Hickling, Head Trainer Gary Seaton and his amazing team. To the coaching staff, I can't thank them enough for their commitment to promoting talent within our club. Simon Bergin, Russell Wholagan, Thomas Martin, David Grafton and John Laurito have all been a huge help this year in developing our colts team. Michael Brescacin and Shane Sanders also put in hours and have looked amazing this year in pink.

Lastly to Greg Harding who has done so much for the development of all players and coaches who have come through our development program over many years, Thank you for all your time and effort it has made a huge difference and made coaching the colts so much fun.

I look forward to what this group can achieve in 2023.

John Armstrong
WAFL Colts Coach

PLAYER	GAMES	KICKS	HANDBALLS	DISPOSALS	AVERAGE	MARKS	TACKLES	HITOUTS	FREES FOR	FREES AGAINST	GOALS	BEHINDS
BLONDEL Kynan	3	21	9	30	10	7	12	0	3	1	0	0
BLURTON Leonard	4	13	7	20	5	1	3	0	1	0	2	2
BOLTON Izzak	7	44	26	70	10	16	16	0	5	6	1	2
BOMBARDIERI Blake	8	22	25	47	5.9	11	19	0	5	3	0	0
BROCK Adam	9	59	27	86	9.6	19	18	0	11	10	4	6
BRYDSON Chase	9	42	23	65	7.2	8	34	0	2	7	1	0
BURGESS Tristen	15	130	21	151	10.1	31	35	46	9	4	3	2
CAHILL Jai	10	58	31	89	8.9	19	28	6	10	7	7	2
CATHCART Thomas	6	82	16	98	16.3	13	12	3	6	6	2	1
CHESHIRE Judd	2	8	12	20	10	0	4	0	1	0	0	1
COWIE Brandon	2	6	6	12	6	2	1	0	3	4	0	0
CREIGHTON Harrison	9	59	30	89	9.9	22	26	0	6	16	1	1
DADALIARIS Antonio	4	29	14	43	10.8	10	5	0	4	5	0	0
DURACK Michael	8	73	38	111	13.9	21	26	0	7	6	2	1
FAWCETT Braydon	8	67	31	98	12.3	12	28	0	5	6	5	4
FERGUSSON James	1	2	2	4	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
FIELD Trae	1	6	5	11	11	4	1	0	2	0	0	2
FITZGERALD Brodyn	10	94	30	124	12.4	38	30	0	14	15	9	3
GARCIA Liam	10	46	51	97	9.7	15	29	0	11	8	4	7
HANSEN Anthony	1	4	2	6	6	0	6	0	0	1	0	0
HARDEMAN Riley	6	96	54	150	25	18	10	0	9	2	1	2
HARVEY Otis	2	13	16	29	14.5	4	10	0	2	2	1	1
HEWETT Ezekiel	1	3	5	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
HIRST Daniel	6	42	26	68	11.3	18	13	0	5	1	7	3
HORTON Joshua	1	1	2	3	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
JARVIS Austin	1	2	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
JONES Harry	1	6	1	7	7	2	4	0	0	0	0	0
JAGO Jack	2	17	11	28	14	5	4	0	3	0	0	0
JENKIN Bailey	9	69	79	148	16.4	25	51	0	4	14	2	2
JONES Brayden	10	74	48	122	12.2	33	16	1	6	10	7	6
JONES Darcy	6	97	56	153	25.5	23	25	0	10	5	6	4
KELLY Luke	6	80	44	124	20.7	12	37	0	6	4	2	0
LAURISSON Angus	7	75	40	115	16.4	37	21	0	9	7	0	2
LAWSON Jack	2	8	10	18	9	3	4	0	0	1	0	0
MARTINSON Chayse	4	36	14	50	12.5	10	15	0	6	4	1	2
MCDONALD Colby	5	12	6	18	3.6	7	10	3	2	2	1	3
MAHER Jackson	3	17	13	30	10	4	8	0	2	0	1	1
MARRIOTT Liam	1	2	1	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
MARRIOTT Riley	1	4	5	9	9	0	3	0	1	0	0	1
MARSHALL Liam	3	4	12	16	5.3	1	4	0	1	3	0	0
MCELWEE Joshua	12	88	32	120	10	30	33	0	11	4	0	1
MCEWAN Connor	6	30	8	38	6.3	6	16	0	7	0	2	0
MCPARTLAN Kaedyn	2	5	2	7	3.5	4	3	10	1	0	0	1
MIDDLETON Joshua	7	44	17	61	8.7	17	28	0	4	3	4	5
NEESON Ruairi	1	5	1	6	6	1	1	0	0	2	0	0
NEWLAND Jamie	2	5	2	7	3.5	1	6	0	0	6	1	2
PARSONS Baiden	1	3	7	10	10	3	2	1	0	0	1	0
PEET Owen	6	31	16	47	7.8	17	6	0	3	1	0	1
RYAN Codv	2	8	3	11	5.5	1	4	0	1	0	1	0
ROBERTS Denver	2	8	3	11	5.5	2	6	0	0	0	0	1
ROPER Tyson	1	2	1	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
ROSSEN Joshua	2	6	1	7	3.5	2	2	0	0	1	1	1
ROSSEN Dane	2	6	9	15	7.5	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
SAUNDERS Jack	11	169	71	240	21.8	24	43	0	11	8	2	3
SCREAIGH Corey	7	36	27	63	9	11	23	0	5	3	0	0
SILLS Oliver	5	38	19	57	11.4	8	5	0	8	2	0	0
SKEEN Colin	13	62	35	97	7.5	15	48	0	7	9	4	0
SMITH Evan	15	105	44	149	9.9	43	37	279	21	10	8	7
SMITH Tom	11	53	44	97	8.8	27	21	221	20	10	3	3
SOMAS Alexander	2	3	9	12	6	3	9	0	1	0	0	0
SULLIVAN James	9	104	42	146	16.2	21	57	0	22	12	2	1
SZYSZKA Kade	11	66	35	101	9.2	16	27	1	10	5	0	1
TAYLOR Tom	4	22	8	30	7.5	10	3	0	4	2	0	1
TAYLOR Luke	2	6	6	12	6	5	2	1	0	3	3	0
WILLIAMS Ethan	8	64	40	104	13	20	10	0	8	2	0	0
WADEISHA Jesse	3	10	6	16	5.3	5	9	5	1	0	1	2
WATSON Mel (Jiripas)	2	20	11	31	15.5	5	5	0	1	1	0	0
WELLSTEAD Jack	5	26	10	36	7.2	7	13	0	4	3	0	2
WHITE Dvlan	1	3	1	4	4	1	2	0	1	1	0	1
YORK Maxwell	2	19	15	34	17	6	6	0	0	2	0	0
YORK Max	2	10	5	15	7.5	5	0	0	0	0	2	1
ZOLNIER-OWENS Lewis	5	25	13	38	7.6	17	6	0	2	1	4	4

WAFL LADDERS

LEAGUE	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 West Perth	18	13	4	1	1439	1043	137.97	54
2 East Fremantle	18	13	5	0	1588	1155	137.49	52
3 Claremont	18	13	5	0	1339	1146	116.84	52
4 South Fremantle	18	12	5	1	1307	999	130.83	50
5 Peel Thunder	18	11	7	0	1569	1172	133.87	44
6 Swan Districts	18	10	8	0	1252	1242	100.81	40
7 Subiaco	18	7	11	0	1154	1346	85.74	28
8 East Perth	18	6	12	0	1199	1286	93.23	24
9 Perth	18	3	15	0	1032	1637	63.04	12
10 West Coast	18	1	17	0	818	1671	48.95	4

RESERVES	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 West Perth	16	14	2	0	1180	881	133.94	56
2 Claremont	16	12	4	0	1176	750	156.80	48
3 South Fremantle	16	11	5	0	985	818	120.42	44
4 Subiaco	16	10	6	0	1111	913	121.69	40
5 Swan Districts	16	7	9	0	876	922	95.01	28
6 East Perth	16	5	11	0	935	1134	82.45	20
7 East Fremantle	16	5	11	0	761	1149	66.23	20
8 Peel Thunder	16	4	12	0	950	1092	87.00	16
9 Perth	16	4	12	0	777	1092	71.15	16

COLTS	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 West Perth	16	12	4	0	1141	790	144.43	48
2 Peel Thunder	16	12	4	0	1077	799	134.79	48
3 Subiaco	16	10	6	0	1147	919	124.81	40
4 East Perth	16	10	6	0	1052	948	110.97	40
5 South Fremantle	16	8	8	0	895	951	94.11	32
6 Claremont	16	7	9	0	906	975	92.92	28
7 East Fremantle	16	5	11	0	854	1044	81.80	20
8 Perth	16	5	11	0	746	1006	74.16	20
9 Swan Districts	16	3	13	0	785	1171	67.04	12

WAFLW LADDERS

LEAGUE	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 East Fremantle	14	14	0	0	788	226	348.67	56
2 Claremont	14	11	3	0	722	247	292.31	44
3 Peel Thunder	14	8	6	0	632	475	133.05	32
4 Swan Districts	14	6	8	0	521	530	98.30	24
5 Subiaco	14	6	8	0	409	462	88.53	24
6 South Fremantle	14	4	10	0	429	613	69.98	16
7 West Perth	14	0	14	0	105	1053	9.97	0

RESERVES	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 East Fremantle	12	9	2	1	655	256	255.86	38
2 Claremont	12	9	2	1	562	247	227.53	38
3 Swan Districts	12	7	5	0	537	314	171.02	28
4 Subiaco	12	2	10	0	175	737	23.74	8
5 Peel Thunder	12	2	10	0	191	567	33.86	4

ROGERS CUP	PLAYS	WINS	LOSSES	DRAWNS	FOR	AGAINST	WIN %	POINTS
1 East Fremantle	13	12	1	0	678	323	209.91	48
2 Peel Thunder	14	10	4	0	692	370	187.03	40
3 South Fremantle	14	9	5	0	592	537	110.24	36
4 Claremont	14	8	6	0	653	586	111.43	32
5 West Perth	14	7	6	1	495	434	114.06	30
6 Swan Districts	14	4	10	0	636	588	108.16	16
7 Subiaco	14	3	11	0	375	736	50.95	12
8 East Perth	13	1	11	1	292	839	34.80	6

RODRIGUEZ SHIELD

Named after renowned former West Australian football administrator Pat Rodriguez, the Rodriguez Shield was introduced in 1957 to reward the team with the best combined record at league, reserves and senior colts level. 10 Points are awarded for a league win with 4 points allocated for colts and reserves wins.

TEAM	LEAGUE	RESERVES	COLTS	TOTAL
1 West Perth	135	56	48	239
2 Claremont	130	48	28	206
3 South Fremantle	125	44	32	201
4 Peel Thunder	110	16	48	174
5 East Fremantle	130	20	20	170
6 Subiaco	70	40	40	150
7 Swan Districts	100	28	12	140
8 East Perth	60	20	40	120
9 Perth	30	16	20	66
10 West Coast	10	0	0	10



ROUND BY ROUND

WAFL ROUND BY ROUND

ROUND	LEAGUE	RESERVES	COLTS
1 vs. East Perth	LO ★12.7 (79) 11.9 (75) 2:10PM	6.9 (45) ★13.5 (83) 5:10AM	★11.11 (77) 6.10 (46) 11:30AM
2 vs. East Fremantle	SBO 12.8 (80) ★13.11 (89) 2:00PM	9.5 (59) ★10.7 (67) 9:00AM	9.3 (57) ★9.13 (67) 9:10AM
3 vs. Perth	MRP 10.13 (73) ★12.6 (78) 5:10PM	★14.8 (92) 7.4 (46) 11:40AM	★5.8 (38) 4.10 (34) 9:10AM
4 vs. Claremont	SBO ★11.14 (80) 10.11 (71) 2:10PM	7.2 (44) ★11.8 (74) 9:30AM	13.18 (96) 8.2 (50) 9:10AM
5 vs. Subiaco	KAL ★12.10 (82) 10.8 (68) 12:10PM	★9.12 (66) 4.6 (30) 9:15AM LO	★17.8 (110) 7.4 (46) 9:10AM
6 vs. South Fremantle	SBO ★9.10 (64) 8.7 (55) 2:10PM	★7.7 (49) 6.8 (44) 11:40AM	9.12 (66) ★13.6 (84) 9:10AM
7 vs. West Coast	SBO ★11.11 (77) 8.9 (57) 2:10PM		
8 vs. Peel Thunder	SBO ★12.6 (78) 11.8 (74) 2:10PM	5.13 (43) ★10.9 (69) 11:40AM	8.5 (53) ★9.7 (61) 9:10AM
9 vs. West Perth	PS ★10.8 (68) 7.8 (50) 2:10PM	★10.5 (65) 7.8 (50) 11:40AM	7.3 (45) ★9.9 (63) 9:10AM
10 vs. Subiaco	SBO ★16.8 (104) 7.11 (53) 2:10PM	8.7 (55) ★9.9 (63) 11:40AM	6.7 (43) ★15.8 (98) 9:10AM
12 vs. Perth	SBO ★9.11 (65) 7.6 (48) 1:40PM	★6.6 (42) 5.8 (38) 10:50AM	6.8 (44) ★8.13 (61) 8:20AM
13 vs. South Fremantle	FCBO ★7.14 (56) 8.7 (55) 2:10PM	★12.10 (82) 8.5 (53) 11:40AM	★11.6 (72) 10.7 (67) 9:10AM
14 vs. East Perth	SBO 10.7 (67) 6.8 (44) 2:10PM	★5.9 (39) 4.8 (32) 11:30AM	4.8 (32) ★8.16 (64) 9:00AM
15 vs. Claremont	RFS ★10.12 (72) 9.9 (63) 2:10PM	★7.4 (46) 6.13 (49) 11:40AM	★12.14 (86) 4.8 (32) 9:10AM
17 vs. West Coast	SBO ★13.18 (96) 1.5 (11) 2:10PM		
18 vs. East Fremantle	WACA ★20.15 (135) 8.9 (57) 2:10PM	3.12 (30) ★13.9 (87) 10:40AM	★8.4 (52) 7.11 (53) 9:10AM
19 vs. West Perth	SBO ★9.5 (59) 6.11 (47) 2:20PM	8.8 (56) ★8.9 (57) 11:30AM	3.8 (26) ★11.12 (78) 9:00AM
20 vs. Peel Thunder	LGS ★18.20 (128) 5.6 (36) 12:10PM	6.16 (15) ★14.7 (91) 2:55PM	★18.20 (128) 4.3 (27) 9:40AM
Finals 1 vs.		★16.10 (106) ★5.3 (33) Subiaco 9:30AM	
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Finals Grand vs.	SBO		



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ROUND	LEAGUE
1 vs. Claremont	RFS ★8.12 (60) 1.2 (8) 12:30PM
2 vs. East Fremantle	NCHP ★6.3 (39) 4.8 (32) 3:00PM
3 vs. West Perth	SBO ★15.8 (98) 1.3 (9) 2:00PM
4 vs. Subiaco	SBO ★11.6 (72) 3.5 (23) 2:00PM
5 vs. Peel Thunder	SBO ★7.8 (50) 5.3 (33) 2:00PM
7 vs. South Fremantle	FCBO 4.3 (27) ★6.5 (41) 6:00PM
8 vs. Claremont	RFS ★9.6 (60) 2.6 (18) 12:00PM
10 vs. East Fremantle	SBO 1.1 (7) ★7.5 (47) 11:40PM
11 vs. West Perth	PS 2.3 (15) ★10.8 (68) 12:30PM
12 vs. Claremont	SBO 3.4 (22) ★7.11 (53) 12:00PM
13 vs. Subiaco	LO ★6.9 (45) 4.4 (28) 2:00PM
14 vs. Peel Thunder	LGS ★7.12 (54) 1.3 (9) 2:30PM
15 vs. South Fremantle	SBO ★5.6 (36) 2.4 (16) 2:00PM
16 vs. Peel Thunder	SBO 4.8 (32) ★7.7 (49) 12:15PM
Finals 1 vs. Peel Thunder	LGS 4.5 (29) ★5.4 (34) 1:30PM
Finals 2 vs. Claremont	RFS ★6.9 (45) 4.3 (27) 2:00PM

ROUND	ROGERS CUP
1 vs. Claremont	RFS ★10.5 (65) 5.5 (35) 8:30AM
2 vs. East Fremantle	NCHP ★10.5 (65) 6.6 (42) 11:00AM
3 vs. West Perth	SBO 4.4 (28) ★5.4 (34) 12:00PM
4 vs. Subiaco	SBO ★4.5 (29) 2.2 (14) 10:00AM
5 vs. Peel Thunder	SBO 1.1 (7) ★9.6 (60) 12:00PM
6 vs. East Perth	SBO ★22.5 (137) 1.5 (11) 10:00AM
7 vs. South Fremantle	FCBO ★9.6 (60) 5.3 (33) 4:00PM
8 vs. Claremont	RFS
9 vs. West Perth	PFO
10 vs. East Fremantle	SBO 2.5 (17) ★4.6 (30) 12:00PM
11 vs. West Perth	PS ★5.8 (38) 5.5 (35) 10:30AM
12 vs. Claremont	SBO 8.5 (53) ★10.4 (64) 12:00PM
13 vs. Subiaco	LO 4.3 (27) ★16.6 (102) 12:00PM
14 vs. Peel Thunder	LGS ★10.3 (63) 9.6 (60) 10:40AM 13/6
15 vs. South Fremantle	SBO 3.3 (21) ★5.7 (37) 12:00PM
17 vs. East Perth	LO 3.2 (20) ★5.7 (37) 10:00AM
Finals 1 vs. Claremont	SBO
Finals 2 vs. Peel Thunder	SBO



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Turner proud to join Swan Medal winners

Jesse Turner has left no stone unturned to get the best out of himself for Swan Districts and that's why he couldn't be prouder to now be able to call himself a Swan Medallist as he chases that dream of becoming a premiership player.

The Swan Medal Count was held on Saturday 15th October at Mandoon Estate to celebrate the 2022 WAFL season.

By the end of the night, it was Swan Districts wingman and vice-captain Jesse Turner who won the Swan Medal for the first time as the league fairest and best to top off a brilliant season from the 26-year-old.

Along the way, Turner was named to the WAFL Team of the Year, played for the WAFL State Team against South Australia, and was vice-captain at Swan Districts as his 119-game career continues to go from strength to strength.

He was the leading ball winner across the WAFL competition as well with 551 disposals at an average of 30.6 a game to poll 183 votes in the Swan Medal count to take out the award for the first time.

Runner-up was Aidan Clarke who also had the best season of his 51-game career to finish on 91 votes ahead of the returning Tobe Watson on 90. Elijah Hewett was named Rookie of the Year and Chris Jones the leading goalkicker.

Meanwhile, for the reserves team who made the finals in 2022, Max Chipper backed up winning the Prendergast Medal by also being named fairest and best at Swan Districts ahead of Lewis Tester and Ben Hewett.

And in the colts, Darcy Jones was named fairest and best ahead of Angus Laurisson, Jack Saunders and Luke Kelly.

As for Turner, winning the Swan Medal is something that means the world to him although his ultimate goal remains that premiership.

"It definitely means a lot. Obviously it's not the medal I hoped for going into this season and I would have preferred to play for a premiership, but to follow players like Tallan Ames, Tony Notte, Matt Riggio, Ryan Davis and even more recently Gaulty and Frank, it sets you back a bit," Turner said.

"When you kind of put me in the conversation of some of those blokes it doesn't really feel right for what they've accomplished. I've looked at the board of previous winners of players before I was even there and to know I'm also a winner of the Swan Medal it's a huge achievement, and honour."

What makes Turner even more proud to become a Swan Medallist is because he knows how hard he has had to work to take his body and game to a point now where he's among the elite WAFL players.

"When you look back to my Colts days and when I first came up into the senior program and people thought I'd struggle to even play reserves after being dropped for the colts grand final," he said.

"I don't think anyone ever thought I'd get to a stage of even being in the running for a Swan Medal let alone win it. To me it's a bit of acknowledgement for a lot of hard work I've put in over the years, and the sacrifices and time I've dedicated to get the most out of myself individually and as a team.

"It does mean a lot to win it and it's something I will look back on once I finish footy and I'll be very proud of it."

Turner now having become a Swan Medal winner, a State

player, a member of the WAFL Team of the Year and the leading ball winner in the competition has all come about through nothing but sheer determination and dedication from him.

He has been handed nothing along the journey, in fact he's had obstacles thrown in his way the whole way through including being dropped for a colts grand final, being told he wasn't fit enough or good enough to play league football, and having doubters rack up all the time.

However, all Turner did was use that as added motivation. He got stuck into the hard work to the point now where he is one of the fittest and hardest running players in the WAFL, and someone who just grinds his opposition into the dirt and can continue to outrun, and outwork them.

Knowing how hard he has had to work and how many people he's had to prove wrong makes Turner even more proud to earn an award like the Swan Medal.

"Coming out of Colts where I played most of the games before the grand final and got told when I came up to seniors I wasn't strong enough or fit enough, and chances are I wouldn't even play reserves," Turner said.

"It was that meeting I had where things kind of switched for me and ever since the last seven years I've put in the hours of work and even though there's so many more downs than ups, it's worth it.

"I keep having setbacks along the way and things don't go to plan, and some days you train in the morning, twice in the afternoon and you're absolutely dead tired, and you give up family and social time because you have this obsession to get the best out of yourself.

"Sometimes you wonder if you are doing it right and if it's all worth it, but then achievements like this show that maybe you are doing something right. Not many people up until the last couple of years knew much about me, but I've had the same mindset of just giving it everything I've got," Turner added.

"I'm obsessed with this and I'm doing it for something bigger than me. I have a little eight-year-old brother and I want to show him what you can achieve no matter what people say or how many times you get knocked down.

"I now get younger players ask for my advice and look up to me, and that's what I'm doing it for. I'm trying to show that you can achieve big things even when you are told you never will. "

While Turner always wanted to be a quality WAFL player, more than anything he wanted to be an inspirational teammate and leader, and someone everyone he played with could see what he's putting in, and come along for the ride.

That's why Turner idolised Subiaco premiership legends Leigh Kitchin and Kyal Horsley as two players he modelled his game and mindset on. You could say he's doing a good job especially the many similarities you can see to Horsley.

But more than that, Turner is also taking it seriously to be a role model for so many others whether it's his own brother or the next generation at Steel Blue Oval.

"What really stood out to me with them is as great as they are as players, but it was their leadership and the way they conducted themselves," Turner said.

"You could tell the way their teammates followed their lead so I looked at what they did and have tried to do similar.



And in terms of being a role model, when I first started out and I was doing the training I was kind of just trying to prove to myself I was good enough.

“But as I’ve gotten older, I have realised I can actually impact more people than just myself. Obviously my little brother is my best friend and I try to do everything I can for him. For him to then tell me he’s proud of me and follows my games so closely, there’s no better feeling.

“And now having some people who I don’t even know looking up to me a little bit or asking me for training tips or whatever it might be, it’s really opened my eyes and I’ve become a lot more open to it as a leader, and helping others.

“I’ve still got a lot to learn in terms of that leadership and role model side, but it’s something I’ve come a long way in and will continue to build on.”

While Turner’s own game is at its peak right now, his focus is on trying to win Swan Districts’ first premierships since 2010. With a new coach on board in Andrew Pruyne and a playing group with ever growing belief of what they can do, Turner isn’t afraid to set the goals high for 2023.

“We’ve now shown that we can beat anyone on our day, we were the last team to beat West Perth, and I think for us it’s finding that consistency and having that belief from the whole group that we are good enough,” Turner said.

“We’ve been a hard working team who has been competitive for a while now, but the biggest thing for us is to have that belief. I do believe a lot of the boys started to feel we could take that leap this year to actually contend for a premiership.

“Now I think coming into this next season the boys are already firing and can’t wait to get into pre-season because I think that confidence is really starting to grow.

“We do have a real young list still and we are getting to a stage now where those boys who have played 20, 30 or 40 games are starting to believe in their own ability, and what this team can do.

“We’re not hiding away from the fact that we are expecting a top three finish and to be right in it and competing for the premiership come September, October next year.”

LEAGUE AWARD WINNERS

- Swan Medal winner (Fairest and Best): Jesse Turner
- Norm Thomas Memorial Award (Runner-Up): Aidan Clarke
- Mrs N Innes Memorial Award (Third-Place): Tobe Watson
- Jack Hickling Memorial Award (Most Outstanding Player on and off field): Jesse Turner
- RA Newbey Award (Rookie of the Year): Elijah Hewett
- Ted Holdsworth Memorial Award (Leading Goalkicker): Chris Jones (29 goals)

RESERVES AWARD WINNERS

- FA Bonney Sweetapple Memorial Award (Fairest and Best): Max Chipper
- DC Goddard Memorial Award (Runner-Up): Lewis Tester
- Lew Armstrong Award (Third-Place): Benjamin Hewett
- WAFL Combined Past Players and Officials Association Encouragement Award: Adam Justice

COLTS AWARD WINNERS

- EJ McManus Award (Fairest and Best): Darcy Jones

Judy Sarich Memorial Award (Runner-Up): Angus Laurisson, Jack Saunders

Cooper Brothers Award (Third-Place): Luke Kelly
 WAFL Combined Past Players and Officials Association Encouragement Award: Blake Bombardieri

CLUB AWARD WINNERS

PJ Bright Memorial Award (Best Club Person): Eliza and Tim Outred

Joe Pearce Courage Memorial Award: Mark McNair









Forth row (left to right): Jesse Palmer, Cian Ehlers, Tobe Watson, William Collins, Thomas Edwards, Brodie Morri
 Third row (left to right): Lawson Humphries, Dylan Ralph, Jaxon Saylor, Bryce Watson, Tyler De Lacy, Joshua Cipro, Darcy
 Second row (left to right): Jarvis Pina, Sebastian Bright, Bohan Teakle, Jackson Beck, Samuel Fisher, Brandon Erceg, Adam
 First row (left to right): Greg Ottaviano, Cooper Brown, Noel Mancuveni, Jacob Buckland, Tarir Bayok, Nelse
 Absent: Elijah Hewett, Nathan Ireland, Brayden Noble, Tony Notte, Jesse Turner, Jacob Sideris, E



Forth row (left to right): Chanel Jetta, Emma Nanut, Tamzyn Beros, Aimee Ralph, Erin Brown, Sop
 Third row (left to right): Danny Poultney (Reserves Head Coach), Taylah Edwards, Abbygail Bushby, Keira Kennedy, Emily Bourne, Tahlia Lough, Isabel Strove
 Second row (left to right): Tara Stribley, Hope Arrowsmith, Charity Ryder, Naomi Baker, Jaime Henry, Lauren Osborne, Adam Danc
 First row (left to right): Hayley Hill, Lashonte Whitby, Melisha Hardy, Olivia Cripps, Hope Na
 Absent: Kyah Chirichilli, Tannah Lee, Emily McC



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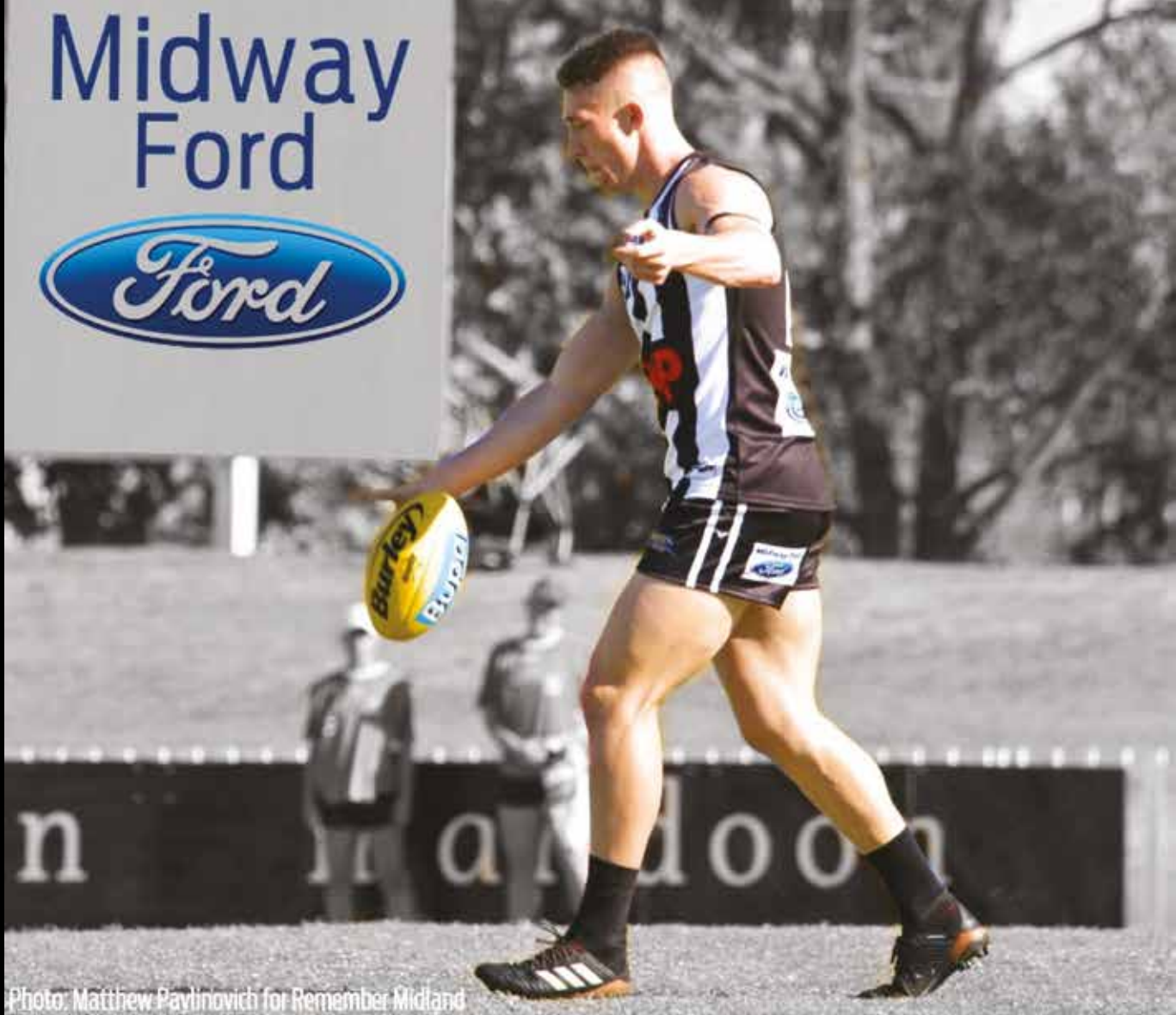


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SUMMARY

Total Games Played	1800
Total Games Won	742
Total Games Lost	1047
Total Games Drawn	11
Total Winning %	41.2%
Total Finals	64
Finals Games Won	30
Finals Games Lost	34
Finals Winning %	46.9%
Premierships	8
	4

HIGHEST SCORES

SCORE	OPPONENT	YEAR	ROUND
251	Subiaco	1979	19
249	Perth	1981	2
207	Subiaco	1996	17

LOWEST SCORES

SCORE	OPPONENT	YEAR	ROUND
18	East Perth	2016	16
18	South Fremantle	2016	2
20	East Perth	1968	18

GREATEST WINNING MARGINS

SCORE	OPPONENT	YEAR	ROUND
162	Perth	1981	2
155	Peel Thunder	1997	11
144	Peel Thunder	2003	12

GREATEST LOSING MARGINS

SCORE	OPPONENT	YEAR	ROUND
-164	South Fremantle	1952	2
-163	Claremont	1940	16
-160	South Fremantle	1955	20

RECORD AT EACH VENUE

VENUE	P	W	L	D	%
Broome	1	0	1	0	0.0
Bunbury	4	0	4	0	0.0
Dampier	2	1	1	0	50.0
David Grays Arena	28	19	9	0	67.9
Domain Stadium	171	72	99	0	42.1
Fremantle Community Bank Oval	136	46	90	0	33.8
Kalgoorlie	1	0	1	0	0.0
Karratha	1	0	1	0	0.0
Kununurra	1	1	0	0	100.0
Leederville Oval	129	33	96	0	25.6
Manjimup	1	0	1	0	0.0
Mineral Resources Park	86	43	41	2	50.0
Moora	1	0	1	0	0.0
New Choice Homes Park	89	31	57	1	34.8
Newman	2	0	2	0	0.0
Perth Oval	96	32	64	0	33.3
Port Hedland	2	0	2	0	0.0
Provident Financial Oval	34	11	23	0	32.4
Revo Fitness Stadium	115	34	81	0	29.6
Rockingham	1	1	0	0	100.0
Show Grounds	2	0	2	0	0.0
Sir Stewart Bovell Park	1	0	0	1	0.0
Sounness Park	1	0	1	0	0.0
Steel Blue Oval	847	404	436	7	47.7
WACA	47	14	33	0	29.8
Wickepin	1	0	1	0	0.0

POINTS • WINS • LOSSES • DRAWS • WIN %

RECORD AGAINST EACH CLUB

VENUE	P	W	L	D	%
Claremont	260	97	161	2	37.3
East Fremantle	243	94	147	2	38.7
East Perth	247	93	153	1	37.7
Peel Thunder	57	42	15	0	73.7
Perth	251	114	134	3	45.4
South Fremantle	252	107	145	0	42.5
Subiaco	246	105	140	1	42.7
West Coast	2	2	0	0	100
West Perth	242	88	152	2	36.4

POINTS • WINS • LOSSES • DRAWS • WIN %

LEADING GOAL KICKERS

YEAR	PLAYER	GOALS	YEAR	PLAYER	GOALS
1934	N Gorn	45	1979	M Olsen	85
1935	F Sweetapple	22	1980	S Beasley	97
1936	T Holdsworth	71	1981	S Beasley	119
1937	T Holdsworth	109	1982	M Richardson	75
1938	T Holdsworth	116	1983	P Werner	41
1939	C Rosewarne	51	1984	B Hutton	83
1940	T Holdsworth	73	1985	G Sidebottom	78
1941	T Holdsworth	65	1986	D Holmes	36
1942	No Side Fielded		1987	K Caton	47
1943	B Porter	44	1988	A Holmes	41
1944	J Cusack	91	1989	A Holmes	56
1945	T Holdsworth	80	1990	A Holmes	53
1946	G King	36	1991	K Caton	77
1947	G King	30	1992	K Caton	51
1948	R Latham	39	1993	S Cummings	85
1949	R Latham	59	1994	D Ogg	45
1950	V Zani	36	1995	M Brown	26
1951	R Hawke	29	1996	T Ugle	35
1952	J O'Connell	39	1997	T Ugle	76
1953	B Gray	40	1998	T Ugle	45
1954	B Lowry	24	1999	C DeCorsey	38
1955	M Clements	25	2000	M Piani	25
1956	B Lowry	46	2001	C DeCorsey	20
1957	B Lowry	45	2002	A Hansen	19
1958	C Edwards	40	2003	A Hansen	41
1959	C Edwards	46	2004	C DeCorsey	31
1960	H Fullgrabe	33	2005	C Maguire	55
1961	W Walker	61	2006	C Maguire	36
1962	E Gorman	93	2007	D Wulf	35
1963	E Gorman	71	2008	C Yarran	31
1964	E Gorman	67	2009	T Geappen	55
1965	E Gorman	97	2010	T Geappen	71
1966	E Gorman	68	2011	T Geappen	51
1967	E Gorman	73	2012	A Hansen	67
1968	E Gorman	60	2013	T Geappen	49
1969	M George	30	2014	R Cary	49
1970	I Cooper	39	2015	M Jukes	28
1971	I Cooper	33	2016	R Cary	21
1972	M Foxon	33	2017	R Cary	42
1973	M George	46	2018	B Noble	29
1974	M George	90	2019	L Kohlmann	21
1975	B Close	43	2020	L Kohlmann	17
1976	M Olsen	50	2021	J Palmer	35
1977	M Olsen	46	2022	C Jones	29
1978	M Olsen	79			



With the Covid Pandemic melting away in the background the Swansmen were able to enjoy a very busy and very successful 2022 and once again provide many opportunities for our members to enjoy good fellowship and help raise some very valuable money for the Club at the same time.

It was an exciting year on field, with the Men's Reserves and the Women's League and Reserves sides reaching the finals. Unfortunately neither sides made it to the Grand Final but it was a great effort none the less. The Men's League team was unlucky not to make Finals bowing out in the last game of the season. The addition of an Integrated team into the Perth Football League All Abilities Competition was a great success with the team making Finals in their first year, another great effort by all concerned. We congratulate the whole football department and the Men's, Women's and Integrated teams on their outstanding seasons and the continuing effort to develop home grown players for the future. The Swansmen appreciate the support received from Phil Smart and the coaching staff, both male and female, and to the players for making themselves available to speak at our dinner meetings. We look forward to the 2023 season.

The year commenced as normal with the Annual Planning Seminar in February followed by the Lounge Busy Bee. The first of the Swansmen monthly dinners kicked off in March as did the fundraising for 2022.

The monthly dinner meetings were successful with approximately 30 in attendance each month. We heard from coaches, players and a diverse range of entertaining guest speakers including Adam Pickering, John Stone (Integrated Coach), Tim McLernon (Pub Owner), Glen Jakovich, Scott Cummings, Alisdar McLaren (Piper), Glen Quartermain (Journalist), and Emma Kraus (Comedian).

We have had an exceptionally successful fundraising year. Over \$90,000 net was raised through:

- The Thursday Members Night, Chase the Ace, raffle and wheel - \$12,150.
- Cash Bonanza Raffle - \$12,000 (thanks to Peter Snow for coordinating).
- Auction - \$57,000 (thanks to the Committee, Ross Leipold and the Club staff and all the donors).
- Wine Wall - \$6000.
- Home Game Winning Margins - \$2,400 (thanks to George van der Meulen).
- Swansmen Lounge Home Game Bar - \$5,200 (thanks to 'bar manager' Peter Bacon).
- Plus, our Membership Subs, Face Masks, Bucket Hats, Sponsor-A-Picket, monthly dinner meetings and fines.

This amount was returned to the Club through the annual sponsorship of a Count-Me-In table; renovations towards the office of the Women's League Coach; the Women's League Best Player Awards; the Men's League Leading Goal Kicking Award and an end of season cash donation to the Club of \$90,000 (including the Auction and Wine Wall).

The support of the Thursday Members' night has been outstanding on all fronts. To the members who support us

every week, the ticket sellers Tim Outred, Peter Clements and Andrew Holmes, the raffle prize shoppers, Ken Ball, Andrew Holmes and Peter Hodyl, the lotto ticket donator Darryl Crotty and all other helpers, we have created something special.

We continue to work with and welcome our Judda Bee members and look forward to strengthening the networking opportunities and mutual benefits that may arise. We ask all members to support and consider all the Club and Auction sponsors when in the market for appropriate goods and services.

I would like to sincerely thank your Committee for their support and strong contribution this year and to all the Club staff for their assistance and catering. I also acknowledge the interaction and cooperation we have with the Board, Club Staff and the Past Players & Officials Association.

We welcome new members to the Swansmen group. It is a great way to support the Club and get to experience it from the inside. Good luck to everyone for season 2023.

Trevor Hoy
President



Swansmen 2022 Committee with the 2022 Club contribution cheque



Chris Jones receiving his Leading Goal Kicking award



The 2022 WAFL and WAFLW season were one that showed a lot of promise at certain points and ended in disappointment. The men's senior team had its chances to participate in finals but failed. Where simply, we underachieved in a season had we played to our potential on a consistent basis we would have played finals. The WAFLW senior team made the finals but again probably underachieved.

I would like to wish Adam Pickering and his family all the best in the future. It is always a difficult decision to replace a coach and one that is not taken lightly. The decision to replace Adam was based around the qualities a coach could bring to move the list forward. Adam worked hard to take the club to the next level but unfortunately over the 5 seasons at the helm we only made the finals once.

We now welcome Andrew Pruyne as the new League Coach for season 2023 and 2024. Andrew has had a long association with the club both as a player and coach. He has already been able to bring a number of former Swans people back to the club in coaching roles including Josh Roberts, Tallan Ames, Scott Cummings, Greg Harding, Travis Edmonds, Corey Gault, John Laurito, and Mark Piani. Andrew brings proven communication and management skills to the role. His knowledge of the game is first class and will bring a refreshing style of football to the club which I am confident will give us every chance of success.

Adam Dancy has been reappointed for another two years as WAFLW Senior coach. As the club works hard to transition the women's program into a semi-professional environment, we are confident that Adam has the right attributes to see this through. The club will endeavour to fund the female program to a level that it can afford. As a club we look forward to the AFL contributing the funds so this arm of our game can develop at grass roots not just at the national competition level.

The club welcomes Jackson McLachlan to its playing ranks for 2023. Jackson was captain of Geelong in the VFL in 2022 and has played five seasons at VFL level. We look forward to Jackson adding both leadership and his playing qualities to the team. We also welcome back Frank Anderson, the 2021 Swan Medallist, who returns from knee injury, and Jesse Glass-Mcasker back from a stint in the VFL.

Under the current WAFL rules each club can only have a maximum of seven interstate players/recruits. Jackson brings Swans tally to six once added to Sam Fisher, Frank Anderson, Chris Jones, Jesse Palmer and Ryan Kemp. We are currently speaking to several players to add to this list, but this will likely be for 2024. Even as the club over the last few years has transitioned into a position to be financially able to recruit a number of quality players we will not lose sight of our philosophy of developing our own players.



I would like to congratulate four of our players getting drafted this year Darcy Jones, Elijah Hewett, Tara Stribley and Abby Bushby. It was interesting to note that both Darcy and Elijah were taken in the first round by their respective AFL clubs. A rare feat for any club.

I will not individually thank all the support staff for our teams as this would take up several pages. Swan Districts is very fortunate across our seven teams (three male, three female and Integrated) to have a large number of quality people that assist in all areas of the football teams. These people are the heroes of the club that make the club viable as the vast majority are volunteers that do it for their sheer love of the club. It's simple, without them the club could not afford to operate. They will be listed in a separate part of this report.

A big thank you to all the staff in the front office for their tireless work for the club and in particular the Football Department. Ross, Gerard, Joely and Mitchel thanks for all your assistance and keeping us on our toes. To Jeff Dennis (CEO), Peter Hodyl, Andy Holmes and all the Board, we appreciate the wonderful support and professional governance of the club.

We enter 2023 as a club with high expectations. Expectations to not only make finals and to have success in finals. Our goals are simple, over the next couple of years to finish as high as we possibly can to give our teams every chance to win a premiership.

Phil Smart
Football Manager





The Swansmen most sincerely thank the many businesses and individuals below who contributed goods and services to the Annual Auction and to the Swansmen during 2022:

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- ★ Adultshop.com
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- ★ Andy Holmes
- ★ Ashworth Office Concept
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- ★ Beros Damon
- ★ Brewmart Bayswater
- ★ Brittons Suit Hire
- ★ Brendan Valentine
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- ★ Catalano Seafoods
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- ★ Chidlow Tavern
- ★ Coco's Riverside Bar
- ★ Gary Cox
- ★ Hon Dave Kelly, MLA
- ★ David Grays
- ★ Di Blasio Hair Salon
- ★ Dingo Brewing Midvale
- ★ Engel World & Gun Mart Midland
- ★ Embley M & A
- ★ Evenflow Irrigation
- ★ F45 Training Midvale
- ★ Freestyle Brewing
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- ★ Guildford Garden Machinery
- ★ Guildford Town Garden Centre
- ★ Guildford Hotel
- ★ Hainault Winery & Café
- ★ Hardiman Family
- ★ Hartfield Country Club
- ★ Hayashi Japanese Restaurant
- ★ Herne Hill Village Lottery Post Office
- ★ Hodyl Peter & Ness
- ★ Holly Raye's Cafe
- ★ Henley Park Wines
- ★ Joey's Swan Valley Diner
- ★ John Kosovich Wines
- ★ John Rowe
- ★ John Holman
- ★ Jeff Dennis
- ★ Kim Doust
- ★ Kappy's Italian Restaurant
- ★ Hawaiian Bassendean
- ★ Lakelands Country Club
- ★ Lavender Bistro & Boutique
- ★ Lamonts Winery
- ★ Livefit Australia
- ★ Luci Gill Painting
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- ★ Lotterywest
- ★ Malaga Print & Copy
- ★ Morley City Nissan, Kia,
- ★ Mandoon Estate
- ★ Maureen Ashworth
- ★ Metro Hotel Perth
- ★ Mann Winery
- ★ Midland Gate Shopping Centre
- ★ Midland Cycles
- ★ Midway Ford
- ★ Odin Tavern
- ★ Oakover Wines
- ★ Optus Stadium
- ★ Out & About Swan Valley Tours
- ★ Parmelia Hilton
- ★ Paintball Skirmish Perth Pty Ltd
- ★ Pro Care Mechanical Services
- ★ Peake Livestock Services
- ★ Peter Bacon
- ★ RetraVision
- ★ Ron & Murray Reid
- ★ Ross Fitzgerald
- ★ Scott Howard Painting Services
- ★ Sibley Mal
- ★ Slater Gartrell Sports
- ★ Smith Broughton Auctioneers
- ★ Snow Family
- ★ Solarban Bayswater
- ★ Springs Shopping Centre
- ★ Sportrophy
- ★ Steel Blue
- ★ Hon Stephen Price
- ★ Stirling Arms Hotel
- ★ Swan Valley Brewery
- ★ Swan Districts Football Club
- ★ Swan Districts Sports Clinic
- ★ Swansmen Members
- ★ TAB touch
- ★ Talijancich Wines
- ★ The Framing Factory
- ★ The Good Guys Midland
- ★ The 5 Four Store
- ★ The Henley Brook
- ★ TJ Hoy's Drafting
- ★ TJ Signs
- ★ Trevor's Painting Services
- ★ Windy Creek Estate
- ★ Varsity Club
- ★ Vines Resort & Country Club
- ★ WA Ink Tattoo
- ★ WA Football Commission
- ★ Wanneroo Botanical Golf
- ★ Warrior Wines
- ★ Wayne Peake
- ★ West Cape Howe
- ★ Westar Capital Ltd
- ★ Westmore Ian
- ★ Wishart Brian
- ★ Willow Bidge Wines
- ★ Wellness Place
- ★ Woodbridge Hotel



Tony Notte holds 'his' 1980's 40th Anniversary jumper, as Wayne Peake is about to auction it off in August.

Premiership player Jon Fogarty bid \$10,000 for the jumper and helped boost the Swansmen Auction to over **\$59,000** as well as a further \$25,000 to the Foundation.

YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY/CEO	TREASURER	COACH	CAPTAIN
1934	RA McDonald	JF Jenner	LR Latham	G Bee	G Bee
1935	FC Lange	JF Jenner	J Reilly	G Bee/G Margetich	G Bee/R Grieve
1936	FC Lange	J Mottram	TH Nielsen	B Chandler	B Chandler
1937	RA McDonald	JF Jenner	TH Nielsen	J Ditchburn	J Ditchburn
1938	FC Lange	JF Jenner	TH Nielsen	J Ditchburn	J Ditchburn
1939	FC Lange	RM Leethbridge	TH Nielsen	J Ditchburn	J Ditchburn
1940	FC Lange	RM Leethbridge	AWH Lucas	S Sinclair/C Rosewarne	S Sinclair/C Rosewarne
1941	FC Lange/J Fitzpatrick	RM Leethbridge/W Dobson	AWH Lucas	H Mosey	H Mosey
1942	FC Lange	W Dobson	AWH Lucas	Did Not Field Side Due to War	
1943	EJ Reilly	W Dobson	JH Hollis	R Maynard	L Bowen
1944	EJ Reilly	W Dobson	JH Hollis	E Gundry	J Davies
1945	EJ Reilly	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	R Maynard	R Maynard
1946	EJ Reilly	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	L McComish	C Rosewarne
1947	EJ Reilly	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	L McComish	C Rosewarne/H Andrews
1948	K Drake-Brockman	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	W Kingsbury	W Kingsbury
1949	K Drake-Brockman	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	W Kingsbury	W Kingsbury
1950	RA McDonald/RA Newbey	LG Lowry	JH Hollis	W Kingsbury	V Zani
1951	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	W Kingsbury	D Anderson
1952	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	E Holdsworth	D Anderson
1953	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	F Sparrow	F Sparrow
1954	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	F Sparrow	F Sparrow
1955	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	F Sparrow	F Sparrow
1956	RA Newbey	AT Moiler	JH Hollis	D Scott	D Scott
1957	R Retallack	AT Moiler	RJ Cooper	D Scott/E Strauss	D Scott/E Barker
1958	R Retallack	AT Moiler	RJ Cooper	E Strauss	E Barker
1959	R Retallack/AJ Calnon	AT Moiler	RJ Cooper	P Johnson/B Gray	P Johnson/J Lawson
1960	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	RJ Cooper/P Lynch	C Doig	B Gray
1961	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	P Lynch	H Bunton jnr	H Bunton jnr
1962	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	P Lynch	H Bunton jnr	H Bunton jnr
1963	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	P Lynch	H Bunton jnr	H Bunton jnr
1964	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	P Lynch	H Bunton jnr	H Bunton jnr
1965	PJ Bright	AT Moiler	P Lynch	F Castledine	F Castledine
1966	PJ Bright	RJ Melbourne/RJ Cooper	P Lynch	F Castledine	F Castledine
1967	PJ Bright	RJ Cooper	P Lynch	F Castledine	F Castledine
1968	SE Moses	RJ Cooper	P Lynch	A Nesbit	A Nesbit
1969	SE Moses	RJ Cooper	P Lynch	W Walker	W Walker
1970	SE Moses/TA Cameron	RJ Cooper	P Lynch	W Walker	W Walker
1971	TA Cameron	SE Moses	P Lynch	W Walker	W Walker
1972	TA Cameron/AG Charleson	SE Moses	P Lynch	J Ensor	W Walker
1973	AG Charleson	SE Moses	P Lynch	J Ensor	W Walker
1974	AG Charleson	SE Moses	P Lynch	J Ensor	W Walker
1975	AG Charleson	SE Moses	P Lynch	J Ensor	W Walker
1976	RJ Cooper	SE Moses	P Lynch	S Magee	S Magee
1977	RJ Cooper	SE Moses	PJ Bright	J Todd	S Nowotny

HALL OF FAME

INDUCTEE	YEARS
Duggan Anderson *	1945-56
Ken Bagley	1958-70
Tim Barker	1944, 1947-59
Shane Beros	1998-2008
Ron Boucher	1971-76, 1978-84
Percy Bright *	1952-1984
Bob Bryant *	1934-78
Haydn Bunton Jnr.	1961-64
Fred Castledine *	1958-67, 1969
John Cooper +	1951-1958, 1957-Current
Travis Edmonds	1990-2005
Ted Holdsworth *	1953-38, 1940-41, 1945-47
Don Holmes	1978-90
Ron Jose *	1947-2007
George Krepp *	1934-1939
Don Langsford	1977-87, 1989-90
Joe Lawson *	1955-1966
Peter Manning	1964-1975
Tom Moiler *	1935, 1937-1941, 1951-1965

Stan Moses *	1951-97
Lal Mosey *	1934-41
Tom Mullooly	1971-1986
John (Jack) Murray *	1935-1940, 1945-49
Keith Narkle	1971-85
Phil Narkle	1978-1983, 1987-1993
Tony Nesbit *	1958-70
Stan Nowotny	1969-83
Joe Pearce *	1939-51
Garry Sidebottom *	1973-77, 1985-87
Keith Slater	1955-58, 1960-63, 1967
John Todd	1977-87, 1990-94, 2000-02
Bill Walker +	1961-76, 1979-1995
Robert Beecroft	1970-75
Joel Cornelius	1995-2006
Colin Maynard	1955-58, 1961-66, 1967-72
David Sidebottom*	1961-69, 1977-91
Sydney (Spec) Sinclair*	1934-40, 1945
John Turnbull	1960-71

* DECEASED + IMMORTALISED



CLUB HISTORY / NFL CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY/CEO	TREASURER	COACH	CAPTAIN
1978	RJ Cooper	SE Moses	PJ Bright	J Todd	S Nowotny
1979	RJ Cooper	SE Moses/PJ Brophy	PJ Bright	J Todd	S Nowotny
1980	RJ Cooper	PJ Brophy	R Sergeant	J Todd	S Nowotny
1981	RJ Cooper	PJ Brophy	R Sergeant	J Todd	S Nowotny
1982	RJ Cooper	PG Evans	R Sergeant	J Todd	G Melrose
1983	WH Walker	PG Evans	R Sergeant	J Todd	G Melrose/K Narkle
1984	WH Walker	PG Evans	R Sergeant	J Todd	K Narkle
1985	WH Walker	PG Evans/BA Close	R Sergeant/D Hewitt	J Todd	D Langsford
1986	WH Walker	BA Close	J Ride	J Todd	D Langsford
1987	WH Walker	BA Close	J Ride	J Todd	SB Hutton
1988	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	E Blackaby	P Ware
1989	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	E Blackaby	B Shine
1990	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	J Todd	B Shine
1991	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	J Todd	P Hodyl
1992	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	J Todd	P Narkle
1993	WH Walker	BA Close	J Farris	J Todd	P Narkle
1994	WH Walker	BA Close	P Carter	J Todd	M Broadbridge
1995	WH Walker/RA Manning	BA Close/A Abbott	R Raynor/J Eley	G Melrose	S Kestel
1996	RA Manning	C Isaia/R Cox	J Eley	G Melrose	S Kestel
1997	C Stannage	R Cox	PJ Snow	P Cronan	B Retzlaff
1998	C Stannage	J Rose	PJ Snow	P Wilson	T Ugle
1999	C Stannage	J Rose	PJ Snow/A Yukich	P Wilson	T Ugle
2000	L Putland/J Watterston	J Rose/B Robertson	A Yukich/K Rutherford	J Todd	T Edmonds/M Brown
2001	J Watterston	K Rutherford	A Yukich	J Todd	T Edmonds
2002	J Watterston	K Rutherford/S Ballem	A Yukich	J Todd	J Cornelius
2003	J Watterston	S Ballem	A Yukich	S Turner	J Cornelius
2004	J Watterston	S Ballem	A Yukich	S Turner	J Cornelius
2005	J Watterston	S Ballem	A Yukich	S Turner	J Cornelius/S Beros
2006	P Harvey	S Ballem/B Parker	A Yukich	S Turner	S Beros
2007	P Harvey	P Taliangis	A Yukich	S Turner/C Lewis	A Lange
2008	P Harvey	P Taliangis	A Yukich	B Dawson	A Lange
2009	P Harvey	B Parker	A Yukich	B Dawson	A Lange
2010	P Harvey	B Parker		B Dawson	J Roberts
2011	P Harvey	B Parker/A Doyle		G Harding	J Roberts
2012	P Harvey	T Bottrell	P Douglas	G Harding	J Roberts/T Ames
2013	D Parkinson	T Bottrell	P Douglas	G Harding	T Ames
2014	P Hodyl	T Bottrell	P Douglas	G Harding	T Ames
2015	P Hodyl	T Bottrell	P Douglas	G Harding	T Ames
2016	P Hodyl	T Bottrell	D Hardiman	G Harding	T Ames
2017	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	G Harding	T Ames/D Ellard
2018	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	A Pickering	D Ellard/T Notte
2019	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	A Pickering	D Ellard/T Notte/M Riggio
2020	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	A Pickering	T Notte/M Riggio
2021	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	A Pickering	T Notte/M Riggio
2022	P Hodyl	J Dennis	D Hardiman	A Pickering	B Erceg/C Jones

NFL CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

YEAR	AWARDEE
1970	Robert Bryant *
1977	Bob Black +
1981	Percy Bright *
1981	Ted Holdsworth *
1987	Ron Jose *
1993	John Cooper
1994	Stan Moses *

* DECEASED + SWNFL COUNTRY ZONE





A year to learn from and admire under reflection.

We were challenged, both on and off the field, and personally and as a team. We not only survived this challenge, but managed to harness our resilience to see both senior teams play in Preliminary Finals, 2 kicks short of Grand Finals. We voted in a new leadership group after being extremely well led by Emily McGuire for the previous 2 years.

We witnessed special milestones for Lauren, Eliza, Ashley, and Tara and Abbey being drafted along with our state cohort, Jaime and Tyla going to Melbourne as part of the top 50 talents under 17. And to debut more footballers at League level.

We visited CTI to discover careers in construction and engineering for our girls. Jones and Co, came and presented on career pathways in real estate and we continued towards our one club philosophy. We engaged and welcomed players from our Southwest zone and players from the North west as well, and look forward to creating a Hub next year.

As a group, a program and a club, we have a long way to go to becoming Semi Professional paid athletes. It will take courage, empathy, authenticity and a lot of hard work, but we are on the right path. We will be challenged in many ways in the coming years, but we have the people and the support so we will succeed.

We are grateful for everyone's contributions this year. It's a humbling moment to reflect upon a journey that challenged us in so many ways, but this is not the end. It's just the start of a new Chapter.

We'd like to take just a moment longer of your time, for us to appreciate the efforts, contributions and legacy of a few people who have influenced and shaped not only our players, but our club.

We'd like to thank HS Hyde and son for many years of sponsorship and support.

We say good by to many that have not only influenced our club, but have been trailblazers for female football in WA including Fi Boucher a Life Member, a player, a coach, a mentor and a true game changer, and Lauren Huyerman (nee Osborne), a Life Member who retired.

Thanks to you both for what you have given to Swans and the player group.

To those players and staff that exit the program, know that you will always be a part of this club and team for what you have contributed individually and collectively.

Adam Dancey
WAFLW Senior Coach





Abby reigns supreme in 2022

Abbygail Bushby has topped off a stellar season, taking home her maiden 2022 McSherry Medal on Friday night at the Swan Districts WAFLW Fairest & Best awards.

The McSherry Medal is an award named after foundation captain, WA representative and dual Reserves Premiership coach - Mandy McSherry. A three time Club Fairest and Best winner herself, McSherry is the clubs longest serving captain and has seen the women's teams through a number of jumper changes before the club eventually became a part of Swan Districts. Previous winners of the McSherry Medal include: Chelsea Randall, Lauren Osborne, Kara Donnellan (now Antonio), Gemma Houghton, Stephanie Cain, Angelique Stannett, Shanae Davison, Jess Cox and Dana East. Voting is conducted using a 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 system. Three vote cards were completed for each game. 45 votes are awarded in each round with players able to earn a maximum of 15 votes in each round

In a close count, Bushby pipped first year player, Ruby Mahony, and her under 18's state game teammate, Jaime Henry, who finished second and third, respectively.

Having been selected to pull on the black and yellow jumper for WA in this year's state championships, along with being drafted by the West Coast Eagles with pick #24 in this seasons AFLW Draft, Bushby would have been forgiven to think that her year couldn't get any better. Having finished third in the Rogers Cup best and fairest award in 2021, she made the most of her opportunities in the league side this season, playing 12 games while averaging over 16 disposals, 3 marks and 3 tackles a game. Finishing the count with 72 votes to her name, she edged out Mahony (67) and Henry (62), along with veterans Eliza Gelmi (53) and Aimee Ralph (52), on her way to the top honour.

"It is an amazing feeling to win this medal" Bushby said. "I had actually told mum and dad not to bother coming tonight as I didn't think I'd be winning any awards".

"Last season I split my time playing in the Rogers Cup and the League teams, so to spend this year playing in the top side was amazing".

"I'm really excited to have won this award".

Coming to the club for season 2022 after playing for the Bunbury Bulldogs, Ruby Mahony not only finished runner up in the McSherry Medal, she also took home the clubs Rookie of the Year, in just her first year of WAFLW football. As one of 20 debutants to play in the league side this season, Mahony stood out amongst the pack to take out the award.

"It was definitely unexpected and it's such an honour" Mahony said. "I've loved every minute of this season and am so glad that I decided to play at the club".

"I'll definitely be back again next year".

First year players dominated the awards on the night, with Hayley Hill standing out above her Reserves teammates to take home the Helen Wheeler Medal, while Carys D'Addario received the Chelsea Randall Medal for the Rogers Cup.



Hill finished the count 7 points ahead of the 2022 WAFLW's association best and fairest winner, Amber Ugle-Hayward (63) and fellow first year player, Charity Ryder (41).

"I can't believe it" Hill said. "I had a really good start to the season but didn't think I'd done enough in the second half to receive an award like this".

"So many of the girls had good seasons this year and I'm so happy to be at the club".

At just 14 years of age to start of the season, Carys D'Addario has already produced an impressive football resume. She not only dominated the Roger's Cup best and fairest count, finishing 44 votes ahead of runner up, Kailea Thomas (58) and 60 votes above third placed, Luka Davis (42), D'Addario also won the associations Rogers Cup Leading Goalkicker award and represented WA in the under 15's state team.

Unable to be in attendance on the night due to state commitments, Rogers Cup coach Fiona Boucher couldn't speak highly enough about D'Addario's football talent.

"She would have to be one of the most talented 14-year old's I've ever seen play the game" Boucher said. "Her age was the only thing stopping her from playing in the top side this year".

"I'm in awe of her skill and talent on the field. She has such a bright future in football".

Long-standing club allrounder, Julie Harrison, was presented with the clubs WAFLW Person of the Year award for showing her ongoing commitment to the club by going above and beyond to aid the women's teams in every conceivable way.

PREMIERSHIP PLAYERS

PLAYER	YEAR
Nikki Allen	2013, 14
Taylah Angel	2016, 17
Ebony Antonio	2016, 17
Lauren Austin	2013, 14
Merindah Bairnsfather-Scott	2017
Kelly Barnett	2014
Stacey Barr	2016
Jenna Basse	2017
Kirby Bentley	2014
Megan Boddington	2013, 14, 16
Emily Bonser	2013, 14, 16
Fiona Boucher	2013, 14, 16, 17
Stephanie Cain	2016, 17
Caitlin Couch	2016
Gemma Dilello	2013, 16
Kara Donnellan	2013, 14, 16, 17
Jodie Eaton	2014, 16, 17
Eliza Gelmi	2014, 16, 17
Kellie Gibson	2013, 14, 17
Bronwyn Hansen	2014, 17
Alicia Janz	2017
Caitlin Johnson	2013
Leigh Jay Kelly	2017
Louise Knitter	2013, 14
Rheanne Lugg	2013, 14, 16
Akec Makur Chout	2014, 16
Shelley Matcham	2013, 16
Tayla McAuliffe	2017
Emily McGuire	2016, 17
Kristin Mckay	2014
Lisa-Marie McLachlan	2013, 14

PLAYER	YEAR
Sophie Millington	2013
Gabrielle Moran	2013
Lauren Osborne	2013, 14, 16, 17
Chloe Piparo	2017
Taryn Preistly	2016, 17
Asha Price	2013
Aimee Ralph	2017
Chelsea Randall	2013, 14, 16
Shannan Rene	2016
Savanna Schimmel	2013, 14
Tracey Schischka	2013, 14, 16, 17
Ashley Sharp	2013, 14, 16, 17
Megan Trezise	2013, 14
Courtney Ugle	2016, 17
Maddison Ugle	2016, 17
Rhonda Williams	2013, 14, 17
Colleen Winstanley	2013

LEAGUE AWARD WINNERS

2022 McSherry Medallist	Abbygail Bushby (72 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	Ruby Mahony (67 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Jaime Henry (62 votes)
Rookie of the Year Award	Ruby Mahony

RESERVES AWARD WINNERS

Helen Wheeler Medallist	Hayley Hill (70 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	Amber Ugle-Hayward (63 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Charity Ryder (41 votes)

ROGERS CUP AWARD WINNERS

EJ McManus Medallist	Carys D'Addario (102 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	Kailea Thomas (58 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Luka Davis (42 votes)

OTHER AWARD WINNERS

WAFLW Person of the Year Award | **Julie Harrison**

OTHER NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2022

Under 18's State Representatives	Jorjina Kean, Tara Stribley, Tamzyn Beros, Abbygail Bushby, Tyla Fitzgerald, Jaime Henry & Emma Nanut.
League Debutants	Tamzyn Beros, Beth Bond, Emily Bourne, Kyah Chirichilli, Sonia Dorizzi, Riley Fisher, Tyla Fitzgerald, Jasmyn Fullgrave, Natalie House, Jorjina Kean, Kayley King, Tannah Lee, Demi Liddle, Ruby Mahony, Lani Pigram, Sophie Proudfoot, Chloe Spence, Amber Ugle-Hayward, Charlie Wicksteed and Courtney Zappara.
200 Games	Lauren Osborne
150 Games	Eliza Gelmi
100 Games	Ashley Sharp & Shannan Rene
AFLW Signings	Abbygail Bushby (pick #24) - West Coast Eagles Tara Stribley (pick #59) - Fremantle Dockers

McSHERRY MEDALLISTS

YEAR	PLAYER
2007	Asta Naden
2008	Kelly Player
2009	Ashleigh Atkins
2010	Chelsea Randall
2011	Rheanne Lugg
2012	Lauren Osborne
2013	Chelsea Randall
2014	Kara Donnellan
2015	Kara Donnellan
2016	Kara Donnellan
2017	Stephanie Cain
2018	Gemma Houghton
2019	Ange Stannett
2020	Shanae Davison
2021	Jess Cox
2021	Dana East
2022	Abbygail Bushby

2021 WAFLW & WAWFL TOTAL COUNT

McSHERRY MEDAL (LEAGUE)		
RANK	PLAYER	VOTES
1	Abbygail Bushby	72
2	Ruby Mahony	67
3	Jaime Henry	62
4	Eliza Gelmi	53
5	Aimee Ralph	52
6	Jessica Cox	48
7	Isabella Edgely	39

HELEN WHEELER MEDAL (RESERVES)		
RANK	PLAYER	VOTES
1	Hayley Hill	70
2	Amber Ugle-Hayward	63
3	Charity Ryder	41
4	Erin Brown	34
5	Isabel Strover	33
6	Kelly Polla	32
7	Keira Kennedy	29

CHELSEA RANDALL MEDAL (ROGERS CUP)		
RANK	PLAYER	VOTES
1	Carys D'Addario	102
2	Kailea Thomas	58
3	Luka Davis	42
4	Jorjina Kean	38
5	Kaylee Myles	38
6	Hope Arrowsmith	36
7	Vienna Marshall	29

WAFLE AWARDS WINNERS / PREMIERSHIP PLAYERS

LEAGUE AWARD WINNERS

2022 Swan Medallist	Jesse Turner (183 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	Aidan Clarke (91 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Toke Watson (90 votes)
Most Outstanding On and Off the Field Award	Jesse Turner
Rookie of the Year Award	Elijah Hewett
Leading Goal Kicker	Christopher Jones (29 goals)

RESERVES AWARD WINNERS

FA Bonney Sweetapple Medallist	Max Chipper (170 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	Lewis Tester (106 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Ben Hewett (68 votes)
Encouragement Award	Adam Justice

COLTS AWARD WINNERS

EJ McManus Medallist	Darcy Jones (80 votes)
Runner-Up Fairest & Best	A Laurisson & J Saunders (79 votes)
Third Place Fairest & Best	Bryce Watson (84 votes)
Encouragement Award	Blake Bombardieri

OTHER AWARD WINNERS

Club Person of the Year Award	Eliza Outred and Tim Outred
Merit Award	Jo Taylor

OTHER NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2020

League Debutants	Ryan Kemp, Jarvis Pina, Bryce Watson, Elijah Hewett, Benjamin Hewett, Brodie Morris, Brenton Hilton, Darcy Jones, Max Chipper, Cian Ehlers
Team of the Year	Darcy Jones (Colts), Jesse Turner (League), Sam Fisher (League)
State Team Representatives	Jesse Turner and Samuel Fisher
State U18's Representatives	Darcy Jones, Riley Hardeman, Elijah Hewett and Tom Smith
U18 Boys all Australian team	Darcy Jones
WAFL Prendergast Medal Reserves Fairest & Best	Max Chipper
WAFL Mark of the year	Thomas Edwards

SWAN MEDALLISTS

YEAR	PLAYER
1934	George Krepp
1935	George Krepp
1936	George Krepp
1937	Andy Zilko
1938	Syd (Spec) Sinclair
1939	Jack Murray
1940	Clem Rosewarne
1941	Tom Darmody
1943	Laurie Bowen
1944	Jim Davies
1945	Syd (Spec) Sinclair
1946	Duggan Anderson
1947	Jack Murray
1948	Duggan Anderson
1949	Joe Pearce
1950	Joe Pearce
1951	Duggan Anderson
1952	Tim Barker
1953	Frank Sparrow
1954	Wally Sidebottom
1955	Greg Cox
1956	Keith Slater
1957	Keith Slater
1958	Joe Lawson
1959	Wally Brown
1960	Keith Slater
1961	Haydn Bunton Jnr.
1962	Haydn Bunton Jnr.
1963	Haydn Bunton Jnr.
1964	Tony Nesbit
1965	Bill Walker
1966	Bill Walker
1967	Peter Manning
1968	Bill Walker
1969	Bill Walker
1970	Bill Walker
1971	Peter Manning
1972	Bob Beecroft
1973	Peter Manning
1974	Stan Nowotny
1975	Gary McDonald
1976	Garry Sidebottom
1977	Keith Narkle
1978	Keith Narkle
1979	Gerard Neesham

YEAR	PLAYER
1980	Gerard Neesham
1981	Phil Narkle
1982	Ron Boucher
1983	Leon Baker
1984	Keith Narkle
1985	Garry Sidebottom
1986	Peter Sartori
1987	Troy Ugle
1988	Mick Grasso
1989	Danny Penny
1990	Mick Grasso
1991	Phil Narkle
1992	Travis Edmonds
1993	Travis Edmonds
1994	Craig Callaghan
1995	Geoff Passeri
1996	Rod O'Neill
1997	Travis Edmonds
1998	Joel Cornelius Mark Piani
1999	Joel Cornelius
2000	Travis Edmonds
2001	Travis Edmonds
2002	Dwayne Griffin Clint Hampson
2003	Shane Beros
2004	Adam Lange
2005	Shane Beros
2006	Adam Lange
2007	Luke Miles
2008	Garth Taylor Josh Roberts
2009	Josh Roberts
2010	Andrew Krakouer
2011	Tallan Ames
2012	Shaun Hildebrandt
2013	Tony Notte
2014	Ryan Davis
2015	Matt Riggio
2016	Matt Riggio
2017	Corey Gault
2018	Tony Notte
2019	George Hampson
2020	Corey Gault
2021	Frank Anderson
2022	Jesse Turner



2022 WAFL Ball Legend, Joel Cornelius

WAFLE PREMIERSHIP PLAYERS

PLAYER	YEAR
Joe Ahmat	1984
Tallan Ames	2010
Max Ashworth	1961
Ken Bagley	1961, 62, 63
Leon Baker	1982, 83
Ken Bell	1990
Ron Boucher	1982, 83
Leigh Brenton	1983
Wally Brown *	1961, 62
Haydn Bunton Jnr.	1961, 62, 63
Travis Casserly	2010
Fred Castledine *	1961, 62, 63
Kevin Caton	1984
Ben Colreavy	2010
Stephen Coniglio	2010
Ken Cooper *	1962, 63
Frank Copeman	1962, 63
Alan Cransberg	1982, 83
Shaun Davey	1990
Jeff Davidson	1982
Ryan Davis	2010
Graham Devitt *	1962, 63
Peter Downey	1963
Maurie Drennan *	1962
Stephen Eaton	1990
Ross Fitzgerald	1982
Jon Fogarty	1982, 83, 84
Henry Fullgrabe	1962
Len Gandini	1990
Tim Geappen	2010
Eric Gorman	1962, 63
Paul Gow	1990
Mick Grasso	1990
Brian Gray *	1961, 62, 63

PLAYER	YEAR
Ashley Hansen	2010
Kim Hetherington	1990
Clayton Hinkley	2010
Peter Hodyl	1990
Andy Holmes	1990
Don Holmes	1982, 83, 84, 90
Brent Hutton	1984, 90
Graham Jetta	2010
Mick Johns	1984
Lindsay Johnston	1961
Max Kelleher	1961
Peter Kenny	1982, 83
Barry Kimberley	1983, 84
Andrew Krakouer	2010
Don Langsford	1982, 83, 84, 90
Joe Lawson	1961, 62, 63
Cyril Litterick *	1961, 62, 63
John Mack	1961
Ken Marshall	1984
Colin Maynard	1961, 62, 63
Robin McVee	1963
Graham Melrose	1982
Todd Menegola	1990
Tom Mullooly	1982, 84
Keith Narkle	1982, 83, 84
Phil Narkle	1982, 83, 90
Gerard Neesham	1983, 84
Tony Nesbit *	1961, 62, 63
Craig Noble *	1961, 62, 63
Stan Nowotny	1982, 83
David Ogg	1990
Gavin Outridge	1984
Geoff Passeri	1990
Clancee Pearce	2010

PLAYER	YEAR
Danny Penny	1990
Murray Rance	1982, 83, 84
Shane Renfree	1984
Brendon Retzlaff	1990
Mike Richardson	1982
Paul Richardson	2010
Steve Richardson	1984
Matt Riggio	2010
Tom Roach	2010
Josh Roberts	2010
Brett Robinson	2010
Tony Sangalli *	1961
Peter Sartori	1983, 84
Brad Shine	1982, 83, 84
Allan Sidebottom	1982
Dave Sidebottom *	1963
Justin Simpson	2010
Bill Skwirowski	1982, 83, 84
Keith Slater	1961, 62, 63
Michael Smith	1983
Tony Solin	1982, 83, 84
Lane Spaanderman	2010
Matt Spencer	2010
Shane Strempel	1990
Dave Thompson	1961
John Turnbull	1961, 62, 63
Wayde Twomey	2010
Bill Walker	1961, 62, 63
Greg Walker	1990
Michael Walters	2010
Peter Ware	1983
Keith Watt	1961, 62, 63
Brett Wolfenden	2010

* DECEASED

While the 2022 season didn't end the way Swan Districts was hoping with the Week 2 finals loss to Kelmscott, there was a lot to be excited about with the inaugural Integrated season and what the team was able to produce.

The Swan Districts Football Club has been working hard towards entering a team in the Integrated League on the back of a focused effort for a number of years through the Count Me In Round and the club's social impact program to provide access for people of different abilities to play sport.

Swans lodged an application with the Perth Football League back in September of last year and then received the good news that the application to join the Integrated competition was accepted for 2022 a couple of months later.

From there, plans were put in place for the team to come together for the 2022 season and pre-season training began in February with some encouraging numbers turning out on the track despite the summer sun beaming down.

The mix of players wanting to get involved showed exactly why it was so important for Swans to have an Integrated team with a lot of those turning out to train never having had a chance to either ever play previously or not since they played juniors.

However, there was a blow in preparation for the season with the disappointing news that the approval of the club's application was on the proviso that players who were playing at another Perth Football League Integrated team in 2021 weren't able to register for Swan Districts in 2022.

A host of individuals had already committed to playing for the Swans Integrated team in 2022 having longed for the opportunity to pull on the black-and-white jumper, but the club had no choice but to accept that decision and move on with preparations for the inaugural season ahead.

The Swan Districts Integrated team played its first ever game on April 23 at Steel Blue Oval against Curtin Uni-Wesley with a strong crowd turning out for the occasion with the Swans League side providing a guard of honour as the side ran out.

While it wasn't a first up win, there was a lot to be encouraged by in the first up showing by the Swans team before the next Round saw a trip down the highway to take on Fremantle CBC. It was another competitive showing before Fremantle CBC snatched the win with a late goal to win by three points.

After those first two matches, the Swans team had a bye before resuming their season in Round 4 and it was another thriller against Kingsway at Ron Jose Oval in Midvale. Swans were able to snatch the draw thanks to a shot after the siren with that first win within striking distance.

Round 5 then saw a return to Steel Blue Oval for the Swan Districts Integrated team and the opponent was fellow first year team, Ocean Ridge.

The Ocean Ridge team was topped up with players from the Mandurah Mustangs to ensure the match went ahead and the sunny weather provided the ideal backdrop for the first ever Swans win by the tune of 39 points.

It was another home game at Bassendean in Round 6 with Swans this time taking on Kelmscott. It was a terrific team performance with the black-and-whites ending up winning by 18 points to make it consecutive victories.

On the back of those two victories, the next challenge was a significant one against the in-form High Wycombe, who ended up coming away with the 32-point win.

It was a big road trip next for Swan Districts heading down to Mandurah to take on the Mustangs. The team travelled down by bus but were greeted by cold and windy conditions, and in the end it was Mandurah who ended up winning by 17 points.

Round 9 saw Swans return to Ron Jose Oval to host Willetton and in the end while Willetton won by six goals, they were also inaccurate to stop the result blowing out further on a tough afternoon.

Next up was an away clash against Coolbinia with this a hotly anticipated clash that had been brewing for nearly 12 months. It turned out to be a good battle too, but in the end Coolbinia kicked two late goals to end up snatching the eight-point win.

It was another trip south in Round 11 this time to take on Warnbro, The game was met with a deluge of rain making the conditions remarkably challenging. It ended up in a draw with both teams doing their best given the conditions.

Then following another bye, Swan Districts was back in action in Round 13 where the black-and-whites were in front all day to produce one of the best performances of the season to end up beating Wembley by 28 points.

That led into the final round of the season where Swans took on North Beach on the road with the home team ending up winning by seven points.

With the way the Integrated competition is set up with a conference system, Swan Districts got to play finals in its first season and the opponent was Ocean Ridge at Steel Blue Oval.

It turned into a challenging afternoon and because of the unavailability of several players and top-up players from other clubs, both teams played 10-aside with a number of players also taking turns playing for Ocean Ridge throughout the match.

In the end, Swan Districts made history by winning its first ever Integrated final with the 26-point victory to advance to Week 2 of the finals in the competition.

Next up everything came together nicely for Swans to play host to Kelmscott in the second week of the finals. The team got to play in front of a healthy crowd ahead of that afternoon's WAFL game between Swans and West Coast Eagles as part of our Count Me In home game.

The weather again turned out to be terrible again for the day making effective ball use difficult for both teams and while Swan Districts had its chances, it was Kelmscott who went on to win by three points to end the season of the black-and-whites.

There were plenty of lessons learned in all areas in the first season of having an Integrated team and the side will now take some time off over the summer before getting back on the track early in 2023 to prepare for the second season.

In the end, it was a case of what could have been for the season with Swan Districts suffering four losses along the way by eight points.

However, plenty of exciting players were unearthed throughout 2022 including Will Brensell, Lewis Collins, Luci Gill, Dylan Farrow, Damian de Grussa, Ben Klassen, Stephanie Pearson, Liam Trifon, Aaron de Grussa, Josh Rudd, Chad Shilling, Blair Maitland, Mark McNair, Jayson Mann and Jackson Foskett.

Brensell is known as 'The Flash' for his blistering speed on the wing where no one could catch him while, Collins showed a ferocious attack on the ball where he always put his body on the line.

Gill is another player who loved nothing more than weaving and dodging around an opponent to kick a goal or to set up a teammate, while Farrow surely had the most centre clearances in the competition for his work at the bottom of the packs.

Damian de Grussa provided great strength and leadership in defence while Klassen and Pearson always popped up to kick crucial goals as the goal sneaks of the team.

Trifon grew in confidence throughout the season as did Aaron de Grussa, Rudd, Shilling and Maitland with all improving strongly the longer the season went on.

McNair might have spent a lot of the season held together by Elastoplast, but he always provided a strong marking option in attack and went on to be an important goalkicker and forward.

Mann created attacking options in half-back throughout the season and continued to work hard to get involved again across half-forward, while Foskett battled hard in the ruck for a lot of the campaign.

There was a lot to be proud of with the team given it was completely built from scratch with 17 new players to the competition joining Swan Districts who didn't play football anywhere at all in 2021.

Coach John Stone and team manager Kylie did a tremendous job all season long and worked tirelessly to make the season the success that it was.

They received strong support from team runner Leigh Farrow along with trainers Conor Heydon and Montana Fulton along with Ashley Mann, Dannika Mann and Richard Phan who assisted on game day.

The team wouldn't also have been able to do what they did without the support of foundation partners, 360 Health + Community, The Vines Resort, PMG and new partners Loan Market Ellenbrook and McIntosh & Son.

The Integrated team is also grateful for generous contributions from the Swansmen and the Past Players and Officials Association.





2022 A.G.M. Report

The League side were in contention for most of the season with a number of games finishing a kick or two off wins and finishing in sixth spot had they prevailed in those tight games we could have finished top two. All the best for next season under new League Coach Andrew Pruyn. To our Reserves who also had a good year but unfortunately going down in the elimination final. The Colts who had a very successful season in 2021, were unable to repeat the performance again this year.

Club Awards

Congratulations Jesse Turner on winning the Swan medal and Aidan Clarke on winning the Norm Thomas Memorial Award as R/up to the Swan Medal. Congratulations to Tobe Watson for winning the Mrs Norma Innes Memorial Award, Christopher Jones on winning the Ted Holdsworth Memorial Award Leading Goalkicker, Elijah Hewett the R A Newby Memorial Award SDFC Rookie of the year, Max Chipper the F.A. (Bonney) Sweetapple Award Reserves Fairest and Best, and Darcy Jones the E.J. McManus Memorial Award Colt's Fairest and Best.

The following financial support was provided**Football Financial Support**

Talent Development Program - \$3000
 Under 16s State Boys Representatives - \$400
 Colts Match Day Awards - \$400
 Reserves Match Day Awards - \$400
 League Match Day Awards Home Games - \$500
 Integrated football award - \$200

Other Financial Support

In addition to the financial support to football, the Association was able to assist the club with:

Window Cleaning Club - \$700
 Update Honour Boards - \$536
 Framing Club Photo's - \$583
 M.R.T. minor maintenance - \$1034
 Cubicles men's showers - \$6284
 Screens in Presidents lounge - \$1740
 Swan Districts Foundation Fund Ltd. - \$5000

Colts - Half Time Morning Teas

Morning teas were once again well supported by the parents and friends of our Colts boys as well as visiting parents of the opposition.

Thanks to our ladies Kathy Rowe, Judy Holmes, Agnes Preedy, Eliza and Tim Outred, Kay McCarthy and daughter Ella, Caroline Clements and Julie Staniforth and daughter Fiona.

Thanks to President Peter Hodyl and Director Andy Holmes for addressing the parents throughout the season during the halftime breaks.

Halftime League Fraternalization

The halftime fraternizations were again very successful. Thanks to Tony and Roz Myles and Kay McCarthy who supplied the catering for all home games.

Thanks again to all who generously donated the liquid refreshments.

Merv & Joan Hansen & Arthur Thornton Luncheons
 These events were well attended. A couple of raffles and

wheel money spins proved fruitful for the recipients.

Thanks again to Allan Jelleff and Phil Pitchers for donation of Mrs. Mac's pies. Also to the generous drinks donors and our major sponsors this year, Norm Brewer (Chidlow's Tavern), Astute Security, and John Komorowski.

Thanks to Peter Hodyl for addressing the Luncheons and giving our members the up-to-date news of our club.

M.R.T.

To the M.R.T, Bruce Lauder, Marcel Weggelaar, Greg Robinson, Alan Jones Bruce Perich and Barry Main and Jim Dougan, thanks for their time and effort in attending to minor Club Maintenance. Our usual sprucing up of the club prior to the start of the season, and continued maintenance as required.

Home Game Gate Raffles

The raffles again raised funds during the season in support of the club's youth development. Thanks to Norm Kirkup and Marcel Weggelaar for heading this up and also to our members who responded to Norm to sell tickets on nominated days throughout the season. Also, to Tony Myles and Boris Pavicevic for the support of their families to sell tickets on our Pie & Chip days.

Vale

We mourn their passing during the year of Thetis Woods, Hon. Life Member of the PP&OA, and Doreen Udy. Two wonderful SWAMS Ladies who worked tirelessly for the club over many years.

In closing, I thank my committee for their support over the past year and to Keith Michaelson who has decided it's time for a rest after numerous years serving the PP&OA and also the Heritage Committee.

Special thanks to the Club Operations Manager Ross Liepold for his support along with Bar Manager George Stamenich.

Thanks also to Jeff Dennis (CEO), Gerard Roelofs, and Joely Bouckaert for their cooperation over the past year.

John Rowe

President, Swan Districts Past Players & Officials Association "INC".



MERIT AWARD

FOR TEN YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CLUB
(DOES NOT INCLUDE LIFE MEMBERS)

NAME	YEAR
David Abbott	2004
Graham Acott	1985
Len Aubrey *	1968
Peter Bacon	2012
Steve Banfield	2011
George Baynes *	1962
Brendan Bettridge *	1987
Ed Blackaby	1989
George Bond *	1985
Jim Boyd	1976
Tony Brnich *	1985
Syd Brown *	1977
William Burns *	1977
Tom Cameron *	1976
Robert Campbell	1994
Daryl Chester	1986
Reg Connors	2020
Les Cooper	1980
Charles Coote *	2003
Gill Corcoran	2018
Gary Cox	2001
Greg Cox *	1994
Darryl Crotty	2018
Harry Davey *	1988
Ian Doig *	1975
Sean Doody	2015
Bruce Douglas *	1988
Mrs. Marjorie Dowell	1989
Alan Drinkwater *	2002
Joe Eaton *	1984
David Etheridge *	2000
Bob Falkingham *	1976
Mrs. Dawn Franzinelli *	1986
Ken Guest	1987
Greg Harding	2020
Andrew Hayes	2001
David Hewitt	2006
Mrs. June Higgins	1992
Ron Hoy *	1993
Albert Hunt *	1974
Jim Hunter *	1986
Peter Huntley *	1976
Phil Jennings *	1976
Roy Jewell	2011
Percy Johnson *	2015
Ian Jones	2007
Dave Kenyon	1985
Stewart Kestel	2001
Max Kiernan	1982
John Komorowski	2014
John Laurito	2020
Ralph Latham *	1976
Charlie Liddell *	1987
Lloyd Lockhart	2020
Allan Lockyer *	1994
Ron Lorimer *	1991
Gary Lovelock	1999
Ken Mansom *	1989
Jack McCabe *	1974
John McCue	1987
Gary McDonald	2006
Tonya McGlew	2020
Keith Michaelson	2015
Bill Mills *	1986
Gordon Minchin *	1970
William Morris *	1978
Mrs. Anna Morrison *	1974
Alan Morton	2014
Mrs. Bernice Morton *	1985
Ernie Morton *	1983
Brian Negus	2016
Don O'Brien *	1987
Jim O'Connell *	2000
Robert O'Connell	1962
Graham O'Donnell	2020
John O'Neil	1971
Ron Pascoe *	1986
Rod Perry	2010

NAME	YEAR
Mrs. Marj Pervan *	1999
Allan Raynor	1995
Ron Reid	1993
Robert Reynolds	1985
Ray Reynolds *	1992
Mrs. Joy Ripp *	1974
Bill Roseveare	1987
Kim Rutherford	2021
Pat Scott *	1967
Gary Seaton	2020
Mal Sibley	2011
Tom Stannage *	1982
Emily Stott	2018
Jim Sutherland *	1970
Carmel Tassone	2010
Mrs. Eva Taylor *	1982

NAME	YEAR
Joanne Taylor	2021
Ross Taylor	1995
Mrs. L. Templeman *	1985
Cedric Turner	1981
Mrs. Doreen Udy	1985
Adrian Van den Avoort *	2001
George Van der Meulen	2016
Bronwyn Walker	2007
Ray Warburton *	1976
Robin Warnock	1967
Maurice Wellstead *	1989
Russell Wholagan	2020

* DECEASED

STATE REPRESENTATIVES

PLAYER	YEAR	GAMES
Tallan Ames	2006, 11, 13	3
Brady Anderson	2003	1
Duggan Anderson	1946, 48, 50, 52	6
Harold Andrews	1939, 47	4
Vic Ashworth	1946, 50-51	6
Ken Bagley	1961-66	16
Leon Baker	1984-86	6
Jason Ball	1992, 96, 98	3
E.A. (Tim) Barker	1953-54, 56	5
Simon Beasley	1980-82, 85	4
Bob Beecroft	1972, 74-75, 78-79	8
Shane Beros	2003-06	4
Ron Boucher	1980, 83	2
Leigh Brenton	1984	1
Michael Broadbridge	1993	1
Wally Brown	1959, 61	3
Haydn Bunton Jnr.	1961-64	11
Craig Callaghan	1997-98	2
Dennis Carrick	1955	1
Fred Castledine	1961-64	5
Kevin Caton	1985, 92	2
Michael Clark	1996	1
John Clarkson	1993, 97	2
Ian Cooper	1970-71	4
Kenneth Cooper	1964	1
Joe Cormack	1988, 90	3
Greg Cox	1955	4
Scott Cummings	1996-98	3
Craig DeCorsey	2003	1
Jim Ditchburn	1938	5
Travis Edmonds	1992-94, 97, 2001	4
Sam Fisher	2021-22	2
Jon Fogarty	1984-85	2
Hugh Forbes	1934	1
Corey Gault	2018, 19, 21	3
Tim Geappen	2011, 13	2
Maxwell George	1974-75	3
Eric Gorman	1962	1
Gary Gray	1961	1
Clint Hampson	2002	1
George Hampson	2019	1
Kyle Hams	2012-13	2
Ashley Hansen	2011	1
Mick Hastie	1992	1
Kim Hetherington	1987	1
Peter Hodyl	1990-91	2
Craig Holden	1981, 84-85, 87	4
Ted Holdsworth	1938, 46	3
Don Holmes	1984	1
Brent Hutton	1987	1
Graham Jetta	2011-12	2
Percy Johnson	1959	1
Peter Kenny	1982	1
Andrew Krakouer	2010	1
George Krepp	1935-38	9
Adam Lange	2004-05, 07	3
Don Langsford	1983-85	5
Ralph Latham	1947, 49	3
Joe Lawson	1959	1

PLAYER	YEAR	GAMES
Cyril Litterick	1961, 66	4
Chris Maguire	2006	1
Peter Manning	1965, 68-70, 74	12
Colin Maynard	1962, 64-65	6
Gary McDonald	1975	1
Todd Menagola	1994	1
David Morgan	1996-97	2
Harry (Lal) Mosey	1938	2
Tom Mullooly	1973	1
Jack Murray	1937-39, 47	9
Keith Narkle	1977-79	3
Phil Narkle	1980, 82-83, 86-87	5
Gerard Neesham	1980-81	3
Tony Nesbit	1963-65	8
Tony Notte	2014-19	6
Stan Nowotny	1974-76, 78-80	7
John O'Neil	1971	2
Rod O'Neill	1997	1
Stephen O'Reilly	1992, 95-96, 98	4
David Ogg	1990	1
Mark Olsen	1977	1
Rhys Palmer	2018	1
Geoff Passeri	1991-92	2
Joe Pearce	1950	2
Chris Peel	1995-97	3
Geoff Rakich	1953	3
Murray Rance	1983-85, 87-89	7
Brendan Retzlaff	1990-91, 93-94	4
Michael Richardson	1980-85, 88, 92	10
Stephen Richardson	1985	1
Matt Riggio	2012, 2016	2
Tom Roach	2010-11	2
Josh Roberts	2007, 10, 12	3
Brett Robinson	2008-09	2
Peter Sartori	1986	2
Allan Sidebottom	1985	1
Garry Sidebottom	1974-80, 83-85	15
Wally Sidebottom Snr.	1952	2
Justin Simpson	2015	1
Syd Sinclair	1938-39	8
Bill Skwirowski	1985	1
Keith Slater	1956-57, 60-64, 67	15
Michael Smith	1980	2
Nathan Smith	1997	1
David Snow	1996	1
Anthony Solin	1983	2
Frank Sparrow	1953, 55	6
Tom Stannage	1965	1
Shane Stempel	1990	1
Darryl Sutton	1981	1
John Turnbull	1961-62, 64, 68-69	10
Jesse Turner	2022	1
Wayde Twomey	2013	1
Kirk Ugle	2015, 17	2
Bill Walker	1962-70, 73	21
Peter Ware	1984	1
Ian Williams	1980	1
Brett Wolfenden	2009	1
Andrew Zilko	1938	4

WAFL DRAFTEE HONOUR BOARD

YEAR	PLAYER	CLUB
1987	Don Holmes	West Coast
	Don Langsford	West Coast
	Phil Narkle	St. Kilda, West Coast
1988	Murray Rance	Footscray, West Coast
	Brent Hutton	West Coast
	Troy Ugle	West Coast
1989	Joe Cormack	West Coast, Fitzroy
	Kevin Caton	West Coast, Fitzroy, Brisbane
	Greg Jones	St. Kilda, Western Bulldogs
1990	Paul Gow	Footscray, West Coast
	David Ogg	Brisbane, West Coast
	Todd Menegola	Richmond, Fremantle
1991	Brendon Retzlaff	Collingwood, Brisbane, West Coast
	Shane Stempel	Brisbane, Essendon
	Steven Handley	Geelong
1992	Stephen O'Reilly	Geelong, Fremantle, Carlton
	Todd Hawes	Richmond
	Travis Edmonds	Hawthorn, West Coast
1993	Jason Ball	West Coast, Sydney
	Scott Cummings	Essendon, Port Adelaide, West Coast, Collingwood
	Chris Peel	Carlton
1994	Travis Edmonds	Fremantle
	Craig Callaghan	Fremantle/St Kilda
	Todd Menegola	Fremantle
1995	Jonson Clifton	West Coast
	Michael Brown	Fremantle
	Michael Clark	Fremantle, Collingwood
1996	Dwayne Griffin	Collingwood
1997	Beau McDonald	Brisbane
1998	Garth Taylor	Fremantle, Richmond
	Andrew Embley	West Coast
1999	Brett Johnson	Hawthorn, Carlton
	Adam Hunter	West Coast
2003	Matthew Spencer	Geelong
2004	Michael Embley	West Coast
2005	Luke Blackwell	Carlton
	Travis Casserly	Richmond
	Alex Rance	Richmond
2007	Tony Notte	West Coast
	Dennis Armfield	Carlton
	Luke Pratt	Fremantle
2008	Luke Miles	St. Kilda
	David Ellard	Carlton
	Nicholas Naitanui	West Coast
2009	Chris Yarran	Carlton
	Jamie Bennell	Melbourne, West Coast
	Todd Banfield	Brisbane
2010	Jarrad Blight	Collingwood
	Neville Jetta	Melbourne
	Michael Walters	Fremantle
2011	Jeff Garlett	Carlton, Melbourne
	Clancee Pearce ^	Fremantle
	Lewis Jetta	Sydney, West Coast
2012	Wayde Twomey	Carlton
	Kirk Ugle	Collingwood
	Stephen Coniglio	Greater Western Sydney
2013	Murray Newman	West Coast
	Corey Gault	Collingwood
	Clancee Pearce ^^	Fremantle
2014	Rory Lobb	Greater Western Sydney, Fremantle
	Dayle Garlett	Hawthorn
	Charlie Cameron ^	Adelaide
2015	Blaine Boekhurst	Carlton
	Connor Blakely	Fremantle
	Ethan Hughes	Fremantle
2016	Nathan Broad	Richmond
	Yestin Eades	Essendon
	Ryan Davis ^	Gold Coast
2017	Jessie Glass-McCasker ^	Carlton
	Bradley Lynch ^	Western Bulldogs
	Griffin Logue	Fremantle
2018	Sam Taylor	Greater Western Sydney
	Jarrold Cameron	West Coast
	Harry Edwards ^	West Coast
2019	Tobe Watson ^	Fremantle
	Riley Garcia	Western Bulldogs
	Jake Pasini ^	Port Adelaide
2020	Denver Grainger-Barras	Hawthorn
	Zane Trew ^	West Coast
	Rhett Bazzo	West Coast
2021	Elijah Hewett	West Coast
2022	Darcy Jones	Greater Western Sydney

^ ROOKIE LISTED ^^ ELEVATED ROOKIE

WAFLW DRAFTEE HONOUR BOARD

YEAR	PLAYER	CLUB
2016	Chelsea Randall	Adelaide
	Kellie Gibson	Adelaide
	Kara Donnellan	Fremantle
	Kirby Bentley	Fremantle
	Ebony Antonio	Fremantle
	Ashley Sharp	Fremantle
	Stacey Barr	Fremantle
	Taylah Angel	Fremantle
	Stephanie Cain	Fremantle
	Akec Makur Chout	Fremantle
	Taryn Priestly	Fremantle
	Gemma Houghton	Fremantle
2017	Emily Bonser	Fremantle
	Jacinda Barclay	Greater Western Sydney
	Emily McGuire	Fremantle
	Alicia Janz	Fremantle
	Tayla McAuliffe	Fremantle
2018	Ashleigh Brazill	Collingwood
	Rheanne Lugg	Adelaide
	Georgia Nanscawen	North Melbourne
	Angelique Stannett	Fremantle
2019	Mikayla Bowen	West Coast
	Imahra Cameron	West Coast
	Mim Strom	Fremantle
	Emma O'Driscoll	Fremantle
2020	Bianca Webb	Fremantle
	Shanae Davison	West Coast
	Mikayla Morrison	Fremantle
2021	Sarah Wielstra	Fremantle
	Dana East	Fremantle
	Sarah Lakay	West Coast
2022	Abbygail Bushby	West Coast
	Tara Stribley	Fremantle

CLUB SERVICE NOMINATIONS



Darryl Crotty (Life Membership)

Darryl has volunteered at the club for over 20 years. His roles have included being the runner, trainer, team manager and the assistant coach for the club's WAFL Reserves. He's also been a committed member of the Swansmen. Darryl was awarded the 10 year long service award in 2018 and Best Club Person in 2020.



Gillian Corcoran (Life Membership)

Gillian has been an active volunteer for be years including helping with club functions, selling merchandise, serving food to the players, working in the canteen and at club events, and helping membership drives and club raffles. Gillian has received a 10 year long service award.



Trevor Wilbraham (Ten Year Certificate)

Trevor has been the club's car park attendant since the early 1990's. He's always been reliable and friendly and polite to everyone looking for a car park.

2022 was a season our league side had many games winnable, but unfortunately fell a kick or two short and finishing out of the finals. The Reserves unfortunately lost in the Elimination Final and the Colts were unable to carry on from the 2021 triumph. Hopefully all will fare better in 2023.

New Life Members

At the last Swan's AGM Life membership was awarded to the following members of our club Peter Hodyl, Des Hardiman, and Graeme Higgins all who have over many years served our club in numerous positions.

The Life Members Lunch

The lunch was combined with the Presidents pre-game lunch held on the 23rd April. Thanks to club President Peter Hodyl and CEO Jeff Dennis for making it possible. The lunch was well attended and appreciated.

Swan Medalist

This year's medalist was won by Jesse Turner and unfortunately due to salary cap restrictions we were unable to provide our cash award at the medal count held at Mandoon Estate. Congratulations to all other winners on the night.

Due to the salary cap restrictions the committee made a resolution to make a one-off contribution of \$2000 to the newly formed SWAN DISTRICTS FOUNDATION LTD at the first

home game Life Members Luncheon in 2023. Hopefully we may resume our contribution to the medal in the 2023 season.

Vale

The Association extends condolences to the family of our life member Thetis Woods who passed away during the current year. Please accept our deepest sympathy.

In closing, to my committee thanks for your support and in particular my secretary Kathy Rowe.

John Rowe President



SWAN DISTRICTS LIFE MEMBERS

MEMBER	YEAR
Charlie Wicks *	1934
Tom Nielsen *	1935
Richard McDonald *	1936
Dr. Eric Kyle *	1937
Fritz Lange *	1938
JF (Eric) Jenner *	1939
Edward Byrne *	1940
George Roberts *	1941
Dr. Ben Buttsworth *	1942
Lal Mosey *	1942
Ernie Reilly *	1943
Wally Counsel *	1944
Ted Holdsworth *	1945
Jack Hollis *	1946
Jack Murray *	1947
Frank Hatton *	1948
Robert Bryant *	1949
Mrs. Norma Innes *	1950
Len Lowry *	1951
Norm Jones *	1952
Charlie Carter *	1953
Tom Moiler *	1954
Duggan Anderson *	1955
Dr. Bob Bladen *	1956
Tim Barker	1957
Ron Newbey *	1958
Pat Mountain *	1959
Stan Moses *	1960
Percy Bright *	1961
John Batten *	1962
Brian Gray *	1963
Phillip Stephenson *	1964
Joe Lawson *	1965
Ernie Lawrence * +	1965
Norm Baty *	1966
Mick Cooper *	1967
George Jeffery * +	1967
Tom Beardman * +	1968
Tony Nesbit *	1968
George Ripp *	1968
John Cooper	1969
Ray Ferris *	1970
Ken Bagley	1971
Peter Lynch*	1971
Colin Maynard	1972
John Turnbull	1972
Keith Slater	1973
Tony Morrison *	1974
Albert Robbins *	1975
Peter Manning	1976

MEMBER	YEAR
Mrs. Terry Moses*	1976
Robert Hamilton *	1977
William Walker	1977
Dr. Ron Seman	1978
Fred Sweetapple *	1978
William Holloway	1979
Graeme Maynard*	1979
Dennis Carrick	1980
Fred Castledine *	1980
Eric Gorman	1980
Cyril Litterick *	1980
Robert Lowry *	1980
Jack Pauly *	1980
Steve Gillespie	1981
Don Goddard *	1981
Len Turner *	1981
Lew Armstrong *	1982
Wally Bagley *	1982
Ron Boucher	1983
William Cocks *	1983
Tom Mullooly	1983
Keith Narkle	1983
Stan Nowotny	1983
Tom Rowlands *	1983
Ron Jose *	1984
Robert Manning	1984
Rod Sergeant	1984
Jack Hickling *	1985
Lindsay Johnston	1985
Don Langsford	1985
Ray McMahon *	1985
Ron Payne *	1985
Bill Skwirowski	1985
Jim Roberts	1986
Joe Sarich	1986
Jim Taylor *	1986
John Todd	1987
Lance Bell	1988
Wally Noonan *	1988
Jim Craig *	1989
Donald Holmes	1989
David Sidebottom *	1989
Robin McVee	1990
Mrs. Mabel Spashett *	1990
Brent Hutton	1991
Vic Jeffery	1991
Rupe Maynard *	1991
Phillip Narkle	1991
Merv Hansen *	1992
Mrs. Thetis Woods *	1992

MEMBER	YEAR
Brian Close	1993
John Farris	1993
Dr. Peter Miller *	1993
Steve Thistleton	1993
Alan Gosling *	1994
Bruce Lauder	1994
Mrs. Jean Lynch *	1994
Alec Abbott *	1995
Steve Bazzo *	1995
Mrs. Joan McMahon *	1995
Geoff Passeri	1995
Kevin Knighton	1996
Mrs. Kath Mills*	1996
Alan Rumjantsev *	1996
Mrs. Ellen Rumjantsev *	1996
Ian Wedd *	1996
John Johnston *	1996
Peter Mahoney *	1997
Wayne Taylor	1997
Mrs. Peg Gobby *	1997
Haydn Bunton Jnr.	1998
Travis Edmonds	1998
Ian Foss	1998
Bob Harcourt *	1998
Mrs. Valda Smith *	1998
Ian Stewart	1998
Norm Davis *	1999
Mrs. Joan Hansen *	1999
Troy Ugle	1999
Ron Williams *	1999
Ken Ball	2000
Bob Beecroft	2000
David Lovatt *	2000
Murray Rance	2000
Michael Richardson	2000
Garry Sidebottom *	2000
Don Smith *	2000
Neville Bassett	2001
Mrs. Maureen Campbell	2001
John Rowe	2001
Terry Hall	2002
Chris Peel	2002
Joel Cornelius	2003
Mrs. Edie Dawson *	2003
Ron Preedy *	2003
Milton Tanner *	2003
Alan Hickling	2004
Mrs. Kathy Rowe	2004
Les Bowen *	2005
Jim Watterston	2005

MEMBER	YEAR
Shane Beros	2006
Joe Pearce *	2006
Leith Putland	2006
Brad Willey	2006
Wes Kestel	2007
Mark Piani	2007
Ljubo (George) Staminich	2007
Bob Hutchinson	2008
Brian Haley	2008
Andy Yukich	2008
Jim Byrne	2009
Andrew Holmes	2009
Herb Smith	2009
Joshua Roberts	2010
Tallan Ames	2010
Jim Dougan	2011
Rod Greene	2011
David Holmes	2011
Faye Stemp	2011
Kevin Gartrell	2012
Greg Walker	2012
Wally Brown	2013
Peter Kelly	2014
Lindsay Armstrong	2014
Paul McCarthy	2014
Tim Geappen	2015
Tony Notte	2015
Dr. Anthony Sciberras	2016
Jenny Kynaston	2016
Agnes Preedy	2016
Judy Holmes	2016
Matt Riggio	2017
Nicole Graves	2017
Fiona Boucher	2017
Tracey Schischka	2017
Marcel Weggelaar	2018
Jodie Eaton	2018
Peter Snow	2018
Lauren Osborne	2018
Alex Howard	2019
Ian Bardwell	2019
Edward (Ted) Martin	2020
Peter Hodyl	2021
Des Hardiman	2021
Graeme Higgins	2021
Gillian Corcoran	2022
Darryl Crotty	2022

* DECEASED + MEMBER'S CLUB

The Directors present their report, together with the financial statements, of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) ('the Club') for the year ended 31 October 2022.

Directors

The following persons were directors of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) during the whole of the financial year and up to the date of this report, unless otherwise stated:

- Peter Hodyl
- Andrew Holmes
- Des Hardiman
- Roanna Edwards
- Ian Westmore
- Brenda Valentine
- Joanne Taylor (resigned 31 October 2022)
- Ken Wyatt (appointed 1 November 2022)

Principal activities

During the financial year the principal continuing activities of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) were the promotion and provision of Australian Rules Football and community programs within the Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) district and zones. Grant funding, sponsorship revenue and other fundraising activities have been critical in providing much needed cash to effectively achieve the objectives of Swan District Football Club (Inc).

Significant Changes

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

Operating Result

The surplus for the year amounted to \$64,004 (2021: \$229,746).

Impact of COVID-19

During the financial year, the Club did not receive any COVID-19 funding and COVID-19 had minimal impact on the Club's operations.

On behalf of the officers



Peter Hodyl
President



Des Hardiman JP FIPA
Treasurer

20 January 2023 Perth



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STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2022

REVENUE	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Administration	18	867,388	810,283
Commercial Operations	19	437,942	472,793
Marketing and Business Development	20	699,394	640,275
Facility		-	52,759
Football Operations	21	211,435	202,493
Talent		404,853	360,193
Community Programs	22	1,611,222	1,816,936
Interest Received		1,375	1,076
Fair value adjustment of financial assets		-	33
		4,233,609	4,356,841

EXPENSES	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Administration	23	(465,745)	(468,949)
Commercial Operations	19 & 24	(270,822)	(299,516)
Marketing and Business Development	25	(372,466)	(352,089)
Facility	26	(177,046)	(197,103)
Football Operations	27	(861,843)	(710,744)
Talent		(406,157)	(324,935)
Community Programs	28	(1,520,999)	(1,663,689)
Depreciation/Amortisation		(94,527)	(110,070)
		(4,169,605)	(4,127,095)

Surplus		64,004	229,746
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
Total comprehensive income / (loss) for the year attributable to the members of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)		64,004	229,746

The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2022

ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Cash and cash equivalents	4	1,356,012	1,447,164
Trade and other receivables	5	280,580	175,299
Inventories	6	50,473	30,938
Prepayments		15,031	12,833
Financial assets	7	150	267
Total current assets		1,702,246	1,666,501
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Property, plant and equipment	8	510,200	580,159
Investment in joint venture	9	-	75
Total non-current assets		510,200	580,234
Total assets		2,212,446	2,246,735
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Trade and other payables	10	122,158	173,184
Employee benefits provisions	11	105,429	111,658
Other liabilities	12	220,859	261,897
Total current liabilities		448,446	546,739
Total liabilities		448,446	546,739
Net assets		1,764,000	1,699,996
EQUITY			
	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Retained surplus	13	1,764,000	1,699,996
Total equity		1,764,000	1,699,996

The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

GENERAL INFORMATION

The financial statements cover Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) as an individual entity. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s functional and presentation currency.

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) is a not-for-profit incorporated association.

The financial statements were authorised for issue on 20 January 2023.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2022

		RETAINED SURPLUS \$	TOTAL EQUITY \$
Balance at 1 November 2020		1,470,250	1,470,250
Surplus for the year		229,746	229,746
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year		229,746	229,746
Balance at 31 October 2021	13	1,699,996	1,699,996

		RETAINED SURPLUS \$	TOTAL EQUITY \$
Balance at 1 November 2021		1,699,996	1,699,996
Surplus for the year		64,004	64,004
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year		64,004	64,004
Balance at 31 October 2022	13	1,764,000	1,764,000

The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2022

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2022 \$	2021 \$
Receipts from customers	4,091,575	3,855,958
Receipts from Government Subsidies	-	-
Payments to suppliers and employees	(4,159,534)	(3,931,583)
	(67,959)	(75,625)
Interest received	1,374	1,076
Interest paid	-	(1)
Interest paid- lease liabilities	-	(1,430)
Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(66,585)	(75,980)

CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	2022 \$	2021 \$
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(24,567)	(20,951)
Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(24,567)	(20,951)

CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	2022 \$	2021 \$
Repayment of lease liabilities	-	(32,360)
Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	-	(32,360)

	NOTE	2022 \$	2021 \$
Net (decrease)/ increase in cash and cash equivalents		(91,152)	(129,291)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		1,447,164	1,576,455
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	4	1,356,012	1,447,164

The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2022

Note 1. Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period. Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted. The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the Club.

AASB 1060 General Purpose Financial Statements – Simplified Disclosures for For-Profit and Not-for-Profit Tier 2 Entities is operative for financial reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2021

Certain for-profit and not for profit entities will be required to prepare general purpose financial statements, rather than special purpose financial statements, to enhance consistency, comparability and transparency of financial reporting. To reduce the cost of preparing general purpose financial statements while maintaining their usefulness, affected entities will be required to follow the recognition and measurement requirements under Australian Accounting Standards, but may apply the simplified disclosure requirements in AASB 1060. AASB 1060 is the new simplified disclosure standard developed by the AASB based on IFRS for Small and Medium sized Entities.

Basis of preparation

These general-purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB'), the Western Australian legislation, the Associations Incorporation Act 2015, and associated regulations, as appropriate for not-for profit oriented entities.

Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for, where applicable, the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, investment properties, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and derivative financial instruments.

Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of the financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Club's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 2.

Revenue recognition

Revenue was recognised and measured at the fair value of consideration received or receivable. Revenue is recognised at the transaction price when the Club transfers control of the services to their members and customers. The performance obligations are satisfied when the services have been provided to the customer.

Revenue is recognised for the major activities as follows:

Sales revenue

Events, fundraising and raffles are recognised when received or receivable.

Donations

Donations are recognised as revenue when received.

Grants

Grant revenue is recognised in profit or loss when the Club obtains control of the grant, it is probable that the economic benefits gained from the grant will flow to the Club and the amount of the grant can be measured reliably. If conditions are attached to the grant which must be satisfied before the entity is eligible to receive the contribution, the recognition of the grant as revenue will be deferred until those conditions are satisfied.

When grant revenue is received whereby the Club incurs an obligation to deliver economic value directly back to the contributor, the grant revenue is recognised in the statement of financial position as a liability until the service has been delivered to the contributor; otherwise the grant is recognised as income on receipt.

Interest

Interest revenue is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

Recruitment Revenue and Expenditure

Transfer fees both received and paid for players are brought to account as income/expenses on an accrual basis upon obtaining a contractual agreement.

Other revenue

Other revenue is recognised when it is received or when the right to receive payment is established.

Government Subsidies

Income from government COVID-19 subsidies are recognised in profit or loss when the Club obtains control of the subsidies as the criteria for the subsidies are not sufficiently specific to apply AASB 15 and are recognised under AASB 1058.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax.

Income tax

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) is exempt from paying income tax under the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

Current and non-current classification

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification. An asset is classified as current when: it is either expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within 12 months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current. A liability is classified as current when: it is either expected to be settled in the Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within 12 months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any allowance for expected credit losses. Trade receivables are generally due for settlement within 30 days.

The Club has applied the simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses, which uses a lifetime expected loss allowance. To measure the expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on days overdue.

Inventories

Stock on hand is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost comprises of purchase and delivery costs, net of rebates and discounts received or receivable. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

Financial Instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the Club commits itself to either purchase or sell the asset. Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified as 'fair value through profit or loss', in which case transaction costs are recognised as expenses in profit or loss immediately.

Classification and subsequent measurement of financial assets

Financial assets are subsequently measured at either amortised cost or fair value depending on their classification. Classification is determined based on both the business model within which such assets are held and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset, unless, an accounting mismatch is being avoided.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets not measured at amortised cost or at fair value through other comprehensive income are classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. Typically, such financial assets will be either: (i) held for trading, where they are acquired for the purpose of selling in the short-term with an intention of making a profit, or a derivative; or (ii) designated as such upon initial recognition where permitted. Fair value movements are recognised in profit or loss.

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income include equity investments which the Club intends to hold for the foreseeable future and has irrevocably elected to classify them as such upon initial recognition. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows have expired or have been transferred and the Club has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership. When there is no reasonable expectation of recovering part or all a financial asset, it carrying value is written off.

Impairment of financial assets

The Club recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses on financial assets which are either measured at amortised cost or fair value through other comprehensive income. The measurement of the loss allowance depends upon the Club's assessment at the end of each reporting period as to whether the financial instrument's credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition, based on reasonable and supportable information that is available, without undue cost or effort to obtain.

Where there has not been a significant increase in exposure to credit risk since initial recognition, a 12-month expected credit loss allowance is estimate. This represents a portion of the asset's lifetime expected credit losses that is attributable to a default event that is possible within the next 12 months. Where a financial asset has become credit impaired or where it is determined that credit risk has increased significantly, the loss allowance is based on the asset's lifetime expected credit losses. The amount of expected credit loss is measured on the basis of the probability weighted present value of anticipated cash shortfalls over the life of the instrument discounted at the original effective interest rate. For financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, the loss allowance is recognised within other comprehensive income. In all other cases, the loss allowance is recognised in profit or loss.

Classification and subsequent measurement of financial liabilities

The Club's financial liabilities include trade and other payables. A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification

is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the statement of profit or loss.

Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write off the net cost of each item of property, plant and equipment over their expected useful lives as follows:

Leasehold improvements	20 - 25 years
Plant and equipment	2 - 20 years
Motor vehicles	6 - 7 years

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date. An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the Swan Districts Football Club (Inc). Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss.

Impairment of non-financial assets

Non-financial assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

Recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value-in-use. The value-in-use is the present value of the estimated future cash flows relating to the asset using a pre-tax discount rate specific to the asset or cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. Assets that do not have independent cash flows are grouped together to form a cash-generating unit.

Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. Due to their short-term nature they are measured at amortised cost and are not discounted. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

Employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and long service leave expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

Other long-term employee benefits

The liability for annual leave and long service leave not expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Defined contribution superannuation expense

Contributions to defined contribution superannuation plans are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

Fair value measurement

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principal market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interests. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value,

are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Goods and Services Tax ('GST') and other similar taxes

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the tax authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of the acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense. Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority is included in other receivables or other payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the tax authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority.

Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management continually evaluates its judgements and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities, revenue, and expenses. Management bases its judgements, estimates and assumptions on historical experience and on other various factors, including expectations of future events, management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. The resulting accounting judgements and estimates will seldom equal the related actual results. The judgements, estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities (refer to the respective notes) within the next financial year are discussed below.

Allowance for expected credit losses

The allowance for expected credit losses assessment requires a degree of estimation and judgement. It is based on the lifetime expected credit loss, grouped based on days overdue, and makes assumptions to allocate an overall expected credit loss rate. These assumptions include recent sales experience and historical collection rates.

Provision for impairment of inventories

The provision for impairment of inventories assessment requires a degree of estimation and judgement. The level of the provision is assessed by taking into account the recent sales experience, the ageing of inventories and other factors that affect inventory obsolescence.

Estimation of useful lives of assets

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) determines the estimated useful lives and related depreciation and amortisation charges for its property, plant and equipment. The useful lives could change significantly as a result of technical innovations or some other event. The depreciation and amortisation charge will increase where the useful lives are less than previously estimated lives, or technically obsolete or non-strategic assets that have been abandoned or sold will be written off or written down.

Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) assesses impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets at each reporting date by evaluating conditions specific to Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) and to the particular asset that may lead to impairment. If an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. This involves fair value less costs of disposal or value-in-use calculations, which incorporate a number of key estimates and assumptions.

Employee benefits provision

As discussed in note 1, the liability for employee benefits expected to be settled more than 12 months from the reporting date are recognised and measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows to be made in respect of all employees at the reporting date. In determining the present value of the liability, estimates of attrition rates and pay increases through promotion and inflation have been taken into account.



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COMMERCIAL * CORPORATE * WORKERS COMPENSATION

NOTE 3: EXPENSES

Surplus includes the following specific expenses:	2022 \$	2021 \$
Superannuation expense: Defined contribution superannuation expense	151,176	173,324

NOTE 4: CURRENT ASSETS - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Cash on hand	1,400	1,400
Cash at bank	1,354,612	1,445,764
	1,356,012	1,447,164

NOTE 5: CURRENT ASSETS - TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Trade receivables	269,174	171,759
Other receivables	3,540	3,540
Sundry debtors	7,866	-
	280,580	175,299

Management have considered the impact of expected credit losses under AASB 9 by determining the value of aged receivables that could potentially have expected credit losses, and then applying an expected credit loss rate to determine the allowance for expected credit losses. Based on management's assessment of the expected credit losses, no allowance for credit losses is required to be recognised as at 31 October 2022 as it is considered immaterial.

NOTE 6: CURRENT ASSETS - INVENTORIES

Items held for resale - at lower of cost and net realisable value (i)	2022 \$	2021 \$
- Merchandise	24,471	12,285
- Bar	22,720	17,849
- Canteen	3,281	805
	50,472	30,939

(i) There is no deed of consignment over inventories as at 31 October 2022.

NOTE 7: CURRENT ASSETS - FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Financial assets - at fair value	150	267
	150	267

The fair value of financial assets of \$150 (2021: \$267) has been assessed by reference to ASX published price quotations to determine market value.

Movements in financial assets - at fair value	FINANCIAL ASSETS \$
Movements in financial assets during the current financial year are set out below:	
Balance at 1 November 2021	267
Fair value adjustment through profit or loss	(117)
Balance at 31 October 2022	150

NOTE 8: NON-CURRENT ASSETS - PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Buildings and leasehold improvements - at cost	1,052,545	1,052,545
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(747,332)	(699,902)
	305,213	352,643
Plant and equipment - at cost	439,164	815,756
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(260,120)	(615,982)
	179,044	199,774
Motor vehicles - at cost	82,078	82,078
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(56,135)	(54,336)
	25,943	27,742
	580,159	580,159

Reconciliations: Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current financial year are set out below:

	BUILDINGS AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS \$	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT \$	MOTOR VEHICLES \$	TOTAL \$
Balance at 1 November 2021	352,643	199,774	27,742	580,159
Additions	-	24,690	-	24,690
Disposals	-	-	-	-
Depreciation expense	(47,430)	(45,420)	(1,799)	(94,649)
Balance at 31 October 2022	305,213	179,044	25,943	510,200

NOTE 9: NON-CURRENT ASSETS - INVESTMENTS ASSETS

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Investment accounted for using the equity method	-	75
	-	75

NOTE 10: CURRENT LIABILITIES - TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Trade payables	35,945	43,504
Accruals	41,257	39,288
Sundry creditors	-	4,938
PAYG and superannuation	17,116	57,436
GST liabilities (net)	27,840	28,018
	122,158	173,184

NOTE 11: CURRENT LIABILITIES - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS PROVISIONS

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Employee benefits - annual leave	73,297	94,070
Employee benefits - long service leave	32,132	17,588
Total current employee benefits	105,429	111,658

NOTE 12: CURRENT LIABILITIES - OTHER LIABILITIES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Income in advance - Community Programs	220,739	261,492
Income in advance - Memberships	120	405
	220,859	261,897

NOTE 13: EQUITY - RETAINED SURPLUS

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Retained surplus at the beginning of the financial year	1,699,996	1,470,250
Surplus for the year	64,004	229,746
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-
Retained surplus at the end of the financial year	1,764,000	1,699,996

NOTE 14: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) had no contingent liabilities as at 31 October 2022 and 31 October 2021.

NOTE 15: AUDITORS REMUNERATION

Amounts received or due and receivable by William Buck Audit (WA) Pty Ltd for:	2022 \$	2021 \$
- Audit or review of the financial report of the entity	6,900	6,500
- Other services in relation to the entity	2,050	2,000
	8,950	8,500

NOTE 16: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Transactions with related parties

Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) was a unit holder of the Swan Districts Sports Clinic Unit Trust. On 17 October 2022, the Swan Districts Sports Clinic Unit Trust's Short Form Unit Holders Agreement was terminated and Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s 50% unit holding was transferred to the other 50% beneficial owner. In previous reporting periods the Club has recognised their 50% ownership share as an investment accounted for using the equity method (refer Note 9).

Receivable from and payable to related parties

There were no trade receivables from or trade payables to related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

Loans to/from related parties

There were no loans to or from related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

NOTE 17: EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

No matter or circumstance has arisen since 31 October 2022 that has significantly affected or may significantly affect Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s operations, the results of those operations, or Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s state of affairs in future financial years.

NOTE 18: ADMINISTRATION INCOME

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Asset & Venue Rentals & Dividends	147,422	144,941
Corporate/Management Fees	264,732	226,008
W AFC Grants	455,233	439,334
	867,388	810,283

NOTE 19: COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS INCOME

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Sales - Bar	261,621	299,059
Sales - Catering	98,724	98,996
Sales - Merchandise	60,300	54,563
Total Gross Sales	420,645	452,618
Cost of Sales - Bar	(95,853)	(127,456)
Cost of Sales - Catering	(35,944)	(43,729)
Cost of Sales - Merchandise	(46,600)	(39,383)
Total Cost of Sales	(178,397)	(210,568)
Gross Profit	242,247	242,050
Venue Hire & Sundry Income	17,297	20,175
Total Bar & Functions Income	259,544	262,225

NOTE 20: MARKETING & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT INCOME

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Functions & Fundraising	200,680	104,815
Membership Fees	95,459	73,080
Sponsorship	403,256	462,380
	699,394	640,275

NOTE 21: FOOTBALL OPERATIONS INCOME

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Gate Receipts	97,832	115,355
Sundry Income	102,353	77,138
Transfer Fees	11,250	10,000
	211,435	202,493

NOTE 22: COMMUNITY PROGRAMS INCOME

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Program Funding Government	713,154	708,824
Program Funding Private	763,786	992,812
Sundry Income & Donations	134,282	115,300
	1,611,222	1,816,936

NOTE 23: ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Audit Fees	9,050	8,500
Bad & Doubtful Debts	7,750	196
Bank Charges & Interest	11,953	11,649
Computing, Telephone & Office Expenses	19,683	28,733
FBT, Payroll Tax & Superannuation	57,605	56,637
Insurance & Workers Comp	43,641	50,707
Printing & Stationery	21,055	18,925
Salaries & Employee Expenses	285,434	292,457
Sundry Admin Expenses	9,575	1,144
	465,745	468,949

NOTE 24: COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS (EXCLUDING COST OF SALES)

	2022 \$	2021 \$
General Bar Expenses	4,098	4,819
Catering Expenses	-	2,217
Salary & Employee Costs	88,327	81,912
	92,425	88,948

NOTE 25: MARKETING & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Advertising Promotion & Office Expenses	32,557	21,415
Functions & Sponsorship Servicing	145,420	156,077
Salary & Employee Costs	193,409	173,787
Sundry Expenses	1,080	810
	372,466	352,089



NOTE 26: FACILITY EXPENSES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Cleaning, R&M, Security	80,733	96,356
Light Power & Gas	63,716	64,631
Rates & Facility Lease	22,994	24,704
Salary & Employee Costs	1,126	5,108
Sundry Expenses	8,477	6,304
	177,046	197,103

NOTE 27: FOOTBALL OPERATIONS EXPENSES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Catering	18,408	23,288
Equipment, Footballs & Uniforms	81,518	41,031
Insurance & General Expenses	17,953	8,567
Match & Training Expenses	58,820	45,022
Medical and Game Day Staff	89,623	89,615
Medical Supplies	10,687	12,136
Player Payments (incl Super)	221,901	186,498
Recruitment & Transfer Fees	58,282	27,123
Salaries Football Staff (incl Super)	291,253	261,262
Travel & Motor Vehicle	7,361	7,272
Trophies & Awards	3,222	5,720
Sundry Expenses	2,816	3,210
	861,843	710,744

NOTE 28: COMMUNITY PROGRAMS EXPENSES

	2022 \$	2021 \$
Computer IT, Office & Rates	30,059	39,616
Insurance & Sundry Expenses	70,905	44,986
Management Fees	202,620	220,250
Employee Costs	976,197	1,121,945
Program Expenses & Communities	100,508	81,350
Rent & Accommodation	140,710	155,542
	1,520,999	1,663,689

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SWAN DISTRICTS FOOTBALL CLUB (INC)

In the Directors' opinion:

- The attached financial statements and notes comply with the Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures, the Associations Incorporation Act 2015 (WA) and associated regulations;
- The attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc)'s financial position as at 31 October 2022 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
- There are reasonable grounds to believe that Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

On behalf of the Directors

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO MEMBERS

REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OPINION

We have audited the financial report of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) (the Club), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 October 2022, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion the financial report of Swan Districts Football Club (Inc) has been prepared in accordance with the Associations Incorporations Act 2015 (WA), including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Clubs' financial position as at 31 October 2022 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- complying with Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures.

BASIS FOR OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Club in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the Associations Incorporations Act 2015 (WA), and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

OTHER INFORMATION

The Board are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Club's annual report for the year ended 31 October 2022, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THOSE CHARGED WITH GOVERNANCE FOR THE FINANCIAL REPORT

The Board of Directors of the Club are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures and the Associations Incorporations Act 2015 (WA) and for such internal control as management determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Club's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intend to liquidate the Club or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. The Board of Directors are responsible for overseeing the Club's financial reporting process.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of these financial statements is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at:

https://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors_responsibilities/ar4.pdf

This description forms part of our independent auditor's report.

William Buck

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Dated this 20th day of January 2023



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