



# 2013



# Basketball ACT Annual Report

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## Basketball ACT media

### Websites:

[www.act.basketball.net.au](http://www.act.basketball.net.au)

[www.canberragunners.com.au](http://www.canberragunners.com.au)

[www.canberracapitals.com.au](http://www.canberracapitals.com.au)

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### Youtube

[www.youtube.com/basketballact](http://www.youtube.com/basketballact)

## Basketball ACT Vision and Mission

### Basketball for All

Basketball ACT will provide unified services for the enjoyment and enhancement of basketball in our community.

Our mission is to successfully lead, manage, develop and promote basketball for the benefit of our members and to maximise the enjoyment and opportunities for all.

Our basketball programs will be recognised and supported locally, nationally and internationally.

The values we promote or support include:

- Enjoyment of sport and basketball
- Honesty and integrity
- Professionalism
- Understanding
- Respect and tolerance
- Openness and transparency
- Teamwork and cooperation
- Customer service focus

## Full Member Clubs

### Community Clubs

**Belconnen Ramblers Basketball Club**  
**Ginninderra Rats Basketball Club**  
**Norths Basketball Club**  
**Queanbeyan Roadrunners Basketball Club**  
**Tuggeranong Southern Cross Basketball Club**  
**Tuggeranong Vikings Basketball Club**  
**Weston Creek Woden Basketball Club**  
**Wests Magpies Basketball Club**

### School Clubs

Burgmann Anglican School  
 Canberra Grammar School  
 Canberra Girls Grammar School  
 Daramalan College  
 Marist College  
 Radford College  
 St Edmunds College

### Other Clubs

Australian Defence Force Academy  
 University of Canberra Basketball Club  
 Merici College

Australian National University  
 Big Bang Ballers  
 Team Harmony

## Governance

The Basketball ACT board comprises the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and four independent directors; 2 elected by the members and 2 appointed by the board. The CEO attends all board meetings to report on the organisation's activities and performance for the period.

The board meets 10 times per year on the last Tuesday of each month (except in December and in February) where the Annual General Meeting takes the place of a formal board meeting. Five members form a quorum. In 2013 meetings were held at the office of Calaghans in Belconnen and the Tradies Dickson and Woden.

On appointment to the Basketball ACT Board, each member is required to sign a declaration to act as a director and maintain confidentiality in relation to the affairs of the board of Basketball ACT. Members must meet the general obligations of directors such as:

- Discharge their duties with care and diligence
- Act in good faith, and in the interests of Basketball ACT
- Not use their position to benefit themselves or any other person, or to cause detriment to the sport of basketball or any person
- Not use any information obtained by virtue of their position to benefit themselves or any other person, or to cause detriment to Basketball ACT or any person
- Declare any material personal interest where a conflict arises with the interests of Basketball ACT. Directors are required to resign from holding any formal office bearer or position with a member club

Over and above these, members recognise their responsibility for maintaining a reputation for integrity and propriety on the part of the Board and Basketball ACT in all respects.

## 2013 ACT Basketball Inc. Board Members

<b>President</b>	<b>Mark White</b>	<b>(Resigned 30/07/2013)</b>
<b>Vice President</b>	Greg Evans	(Elected 19/02/2013)
<b>Secretary</b>	Eric Malcolm	
<b>Treasurer</b>	Graham Coddington	(Resigned 02/08/2013)
<b>Director</b>	Melissa Backhouse	
<b>Director</b>	Jerry Lee	(Elected 19/02/2013)
<b>Appointed Director</b>	Brad Barnes	(Appointed 26/03/2013)
<b>Appointed Director</b>	Stephanie Lynch	(Appointed 26/03/2013)
<b>Appointed Director</b>	Richard Nesbitt	(Resigned 19/02/2013)
<b>Appointed Director</b>	Gary Evans	(Resigned 19/02/2013)

## Board Committees

<b>Finance and Audit Committee</b>	<b>President, Treasurer, CEO</b>
<b>Remuneration and Benefits Committee</b>	President, Director (M Backhouse), Director (B Barnes)
<b>Competition Committee:</b>	Director (E Malcolm), Director (M Backhouse), G Voysey, B Jackson, G Pettigrove, CBM
<b>Coaching &amp; HP Pathway Committee</b>	Director (J Lee), M Hocking, B Barnes, HPD
<b>Governance Committee</b>	Director (B Barnes), Director (M Backhouse) Director (S Lynch)
<b>Capitals Management Advisory</b>	Director (B Barnes), Head Coach, CEO & external independent experts
<b>Facilities Project Control Group</b>	President, Treasurer, Director (G Evans), Director (G Evans), CEO



## 2013 Basketball ACT Staff

<b>Chief Executive Officer</b>	<b>Tony Jackson</b>	
<b>High Performance Manager</b>	Markus Klusemann	(departed June 2013)
<b>High Performance Programs Supervisor</b>	Cathy Morison	
<b>Community Basketball Manager</b>	Dallas Watt	
<b>Junior Competitions Administrator</b>	Mick Hanley	
<b>Services Manager</b>	Karin Berrysmith	
<b>Business Development Manager</b>	Jonathon Miller	
<b>Head Coach, Canberra Capitals</b>	Carrie Graf	
<b>Basketball Operations Manager</b>	Jon Pratt	(departed May 2013)
<b>Administration Officer</b>	Colleen Ebsworth	(departed August 2013)
<b>Administrative Assistant</b>	Tiffany Vincent	
<b>Education &amp; Inclusion Supervisor</b>	Alison Rowe	
<b>Events &amp; Marketing Supervisor</b>	Megan Salic	
<b>Community Intern</b>	Sean Willis	
<b>Finance Officer</b>	Linna Du	
<b>Senior Customer Service Officer</b>	Barb Turner	

### Casual Staff

Barbara Turner	Jan Rogers	Sharon Eldridge	Tina Harris Byron
Jackson Dunkley	Jack Taylor	Eugene Klefisch	Hannah Mahoney
Michaela Turner	Rachel Watson	Jarrold Phillips	Lisa Barnes
Dan Helson	Robert Rosewarne	Otis Lisle	Erica Fenwick
Kalani Joliffe-Cole	Ellen Crisp	Jordan Phillips	Aislinn Moore
Liam Prosser	Daniel Slater	Paul Davis	Valentina Harris Byron
Rena Polyak	Mitch Hudson	Trent Barry	Emma Herft
Dom Northcott	Mark McKenzie	Michael Gaudiosi	Admin Harris Byron
Kurt Duncan	Sarah Taylor	Grant Voysey	
Declan Ninnes	Rena Fenwick	Matthew McRae	
Sally Kearns	Jacqui Spence	Daniel Byrnes	
Suzanne Helson	John Smith	Sam Pettigrove	



## President's Report

On behalf of the Board of BACT I present to you the Presidents Report for 2013.

The year saw Canberra celebrate the Centenary with a number of sporting and cultural events being held across the year with the highlight probably being the double-header game at the Arena featuring the Australian Opals and Boomers. The event was something of a spectacle for Canberra and its basketball fraternity and I personally congratulate our CEO Tony Jackson and his staff for the efforts to bring this to fruition.

Our elite teams again struggled after promising starts to the season with the Capitals, Gunners and Capitals Academy all failing to reach the final series. We did however welcome back to Canberra our own Nat Hurst and fan favourite Abby Bishop who now calls Canberra home.

We saw the celebrations of the Gunners 25th anniversary and the presentation of the team and coach for the period of involvement in the SEABL competition, while our Capitals also celebrate 30 years since entering the WNBL in 1984, both clear achievements in their own right.

The year also saw progression on our much-anticipated facility development with a number of meetings being held with both the ACT Government and ACT Planning to ensure the project continues. Consultants were engaged to ensure all compliance requirements were fulfilled with the plans now awaiting the approval of the development application and final costings.

The board also looked into innovative ways to enhance our local competitions with the 'pilot' of the Summer Slam and Summer Open competitions which were both well represented and a high level of competition being reflected each week.

The board also worked tirelessly to revisit our constitution and by-laws with club consultation meetings being held to allow for open discussion. While the constitutional changes continue to be developed, these proposed changes will ensure BACT is at the forefront of Governance requirements as set out by the ASC.

We also saw the proposal of possible management rights of the Canberra Capitals being transferred to the University of Canberra and while this is yet to be finalised the board continues to investigate the possibilities here ensuring that B-ACT is not disadvantaged by the end proposal.

Basketball Australia also saw some significant changes with BACT being once again well represented.

The incorporation of the NBL, which was later to demerge from BA, occurred, while further meetings and teleconferences have continued to be held to ensure Basketball Australia as a National Sporting Organisation meets all requirements of the ASC.

All states in conjunction with Basketball Australia are also working together to ensure the sport has a common strategic plan, which is due to be cascaded down from BA in March this year.

The year also had some low points with the resignation of our President Mark White who had contributed significantly to the association over his tenure and really taken positive steps forward in developing the long term vision for the association and personal goal of achieving 'Basketball for all'.

We also lost our treasurer Graeme Coddington who, like Mark had not only contributed to the development of our financial systems, but also formed an integral part in bringing the facility development to its current position.

Our clubs once again continued to grow participation numbers, with our officials and coaching staff ensuring development programs were in place to further enhance all aspects of our association.

Finally I'd again like to acknowledge CEO Tony Jackson, his management team and staff and particularly all the volunteers who through their efforts of going the extra mile saw BACT awarded the SEABL Club of the year which in itself is a significant achievement

**Greg Evans**  
**Acting President**



## CEO's Report

Basketball ACT is one of the leading not-for-profit community based sporting organisations in the ACT and surrounding and greater Capital region.

2013 was a year of progress and achievement for Basketball in the ACT and a year of many achievement and changes. The establishment of the competition committee in the previous year matured in 2013 and the committee pushed hard with the commitment of updating the competition by-laws. This resulted in a very thorough process of consultation and feedback from stakeholders and the updated rules now provide competition management with the mechanism to effectively operate and manage the competitions. I would like to thank Directors Melissa Backhouse and Eric Malcolm along with the other members of the committee on their efforts in delivering that outcome.

Basketball ACT continued its commitment to stakeholder engagement with customers that form our members and constituents through a series of engagement processes, such as the town hall meeting and annual survey. The feedback obtained by management from its members will form the basis of the strategic plan and the annual Operational Plans for Basketball ACT over the next 18 months.

We witnessed considerable growth in the core business competitions both in Senior and Junior as well as male and female participation as well as expanded relationship with the Active After Schools Community Program and increased delivery of our in-school and out of school Aussie Hoops program.

Our ACT Representative teams achieved encouraging results at Australian Junior Championships, and although they returned home without medals around their necks, ACT continued to impress by constantly finishing in the top half of each championship pool with improved results on previous years. Both the Under 14 Boys and Girls finished in the championship division of the Australian Club Championships which is encouraging for future years.

Our referees continue to produce outstanding results at the national level and the Basketball ACT referee program is recognised as a model program and is the envy of many bigger neighbouring states throughout the sport in Australia.

The Senior representative teams endured a difficult and at times frustrating year, as the Capitals failed to make the finals for the second year in succession. The Gunners suffered injuries to key personnel, failing to make the SEABL play-offs but still making significant improvement on the previous year. However it was a big year off the court, as the Gunners celebrated their 25 year anniversary in style with a formal reunion function at the Tradies in Woden which was attended by Gunners new and old. In only its second year in the SEABL, the Capitals Academy, bolstered by local ACT Juniors returning from College and Capitals players, improved on their previous year's record and were highly competitive with the top SEABL teams. The Gunners Academy through the capping, U/23 age limit and rotation system was highly competitive in the BNSW Waratah State League and is now transitioning quality players into the Gunners.

The Vikings on the back of the previous years final appearance, played in 3 of the 4 Premier League grand finals and with a 100% success rate collected all 3 championships and have now established themselves as the benchmark senior premier basketball Club in the ACT.

Basketball ACT hosted a number of regional and local events, but it was on the world stage that we performed to our peak. Basketball ACT was awarded the rights to host the 2013 FIBA Oceania World Championships series, where the Opals and Boomers played against the Tall Ferns and Tall Blacks. This major event put on show not only Basketball in the ACT but Canberra as a tourist destination.



Basketball ACT continues to be very active in the social inclusion space delivering the wheelchair open training sessions at the Woden centre as well as an expansion of the Team Harmony Program and night hoops in collaboration with the Big Bang Ballers. Officiating education was added as a new component and the programs demonstrated great success with many new players and referees joining into the mainstream BACT competitions.

2014 presents an exciting new era for B-ACT with many challenges. There is the ever present requirement to record a strong financial surplus for the membership, whilst balancing the need to provide excellent value products and services to the community and maintaining our aging facility. In line with the Basketball Australian and ASC Winning Edge High Performance Plan it is the intention of management to embark on a review of the B-ACT High Performance Plan and pathway to ensure that the organisation is providing maximum opportunity for identified athletes to fulfil their individual potential, as well as providing a consistent flow of players and coaches through the senior high performance programs.

Throughout the year a number of changes evolved within B-ACT staff structure including the resignation of Jon Pratt and consequent restructure, lead to the recruitment of Jonathon Miller, Cathy Morison and Alison Rowe. The Board approved further additions to the human resources with the positions of High Performance Director and Operations Manager which have both been filled in early 2014.

All of the staff have made tremendous contributions to Basketball ACT over the past year and I would like to thank them for their outstanding commitment to the organisation and sport in their efforts and service.

I'll take this opportunity to extend my personal thanks to a number of people and groups who helped deliver great basketball services and programs during 2013:

- The voluntary Board of B-ACT
- The staff (permanent and casual) of BACT who work exceptionally hard all year round
- Campbell McGregor (Disciplinary Tribunal Chair)
- Brian Franklin (Chair of Judiciary Tribunal)
- Pat Dickson (Chair of Scoretable Committee)
- Richard Noble (Chair of Statisticians Committee)
- Community Club and School Club voluntary committee members
- Bernie Leger (Easer Egg tournament organiser)
- The hundreds of volunteers that assisted with coaching, managing, and the administration of basketball in the Territory
- The major sponsors of basketball in Canberra, including ActewAGL, The Tradies, TransACT and Duncans Plumbing
- The ACT Government and Sport & Recreation Services and ACT Tourism

Finally, I would like to recognise the contributions of our fabulous volunteers at all levels, Club, Development, Representative and High Performance both Junior and Senior. They all put in an enormous amount of time and carry the hopes, dreams and successes of the players under their tutelage. I would finally like to thank the members of the board, both past and present outgoing and continuing for their support and confidence in the management to deliver the very best sporting organisation possible.

**Tony Jackson**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

## Governance Committee

The Basketball ACT (BACT) board decided to establish a governance board sub-committee mid-year in order to ensure there was adequate board focus on governance. Governance in the sport and community sector is concerned with the systems and processes that ensure the overall direction, effectiveness, supervision and accountability of an organisation. Good governance ensures the organisation is effectively and properly run and meets the needs for which the organisation was set up.

Board members take ultimate responsibility for the governance of their organisations.

BACT's Governance Committee Terms of Reference state it should provide strategic advice and support to the BACT Board and CEO with regard to discharging its responsibilities to ensure:

- Appropriate ethical standards
- Good corporate governance
- Good risk management
- Board composition and succession including nomination of directors to the Board
- Board and committee performance

The Governance sub-committee was established mid-year in June 2013 and members include the following board directors Melissa Backhouse (chair), Stephanie Lynch, Brad Barnes.

The key achievements of the year include:

- Consideration of governance priorities and development of a work plan for the governance sub committee
- Review of board meeting operations and implementation of suggestions for improvement
- Design and approval of an annual board calendar for the year to guide and plan board discussions and ensure key compliance and strategic issues are covered by the board at an appropriate time
- Review of committee structure and membership, making recommendation to ensure spread of work load and most effective operation of committees to support Board and CEO decision making
- Development of a board skills matrix which was used to identify gaps in skills and experience of the current board and to support Director appointments
- Review of BACT's constitution, providing recommendations for change in line with best practice and suitable for an organisation of the size and nature of BACT. Led consultation with members in regards to the proposed changes.

Future plans of the committee include finalising the constitution changes, reviewing board policies and establishing a board policies register.

**Melissa Backhouse (Director)**  
**Chair Governance Committee**

## Competition Committee

The Competitions Committee was reinstated in mid-2012 to serve as a conduit between the Board and competitions staff. The committee consists of two board members, two community club representatives, one school club representative and competitions management staff.

Since being reintroduced, the committee has realised some very significant achievements. Chief among these are:

- Re-drafting of the Basketball ACT Competition Rules and By-laws, consolidating the previous four separate documents into one all-encompassing set of rules;
- Implementation of Customer Satisfaction Surveys in 2012 and 2013, which have given the Canberra basketball community a chance to provide feedback on the issues affecting them.
- Introduction of an online customer feedback form on the Basketball ACT website.
- Introduction of the Basketball ACT Customer Service Charter.
- Implementation of the new Infringement System for technical fouls and unsportsmanlike fouls, which has seen a marked improvement in both player and coach behaviour across all grades.
- The Summer Slam and Summer Open competitions as an alternative to the Senior Premier League summer season. Excellent feedback was received all round from participants, spectators and officials and these new concepts have also allowed us to place more focus on the winter or Championship season for Senior Premier League as the one main club season each year.

Some of the challenges ahead for the committee in the next 12 months are:

- Overseeing the introduction of a service management system, which will provide a reference number to all customers who make contact with Basketball ACT.
- Re-structure of senior grades to align with the new junior grade format, which was implemented from the summer 2013-2014 season.
- Continued improvements to both junior and senior competitions in line with feedback from the Customer Satisfaction Surveys.

I'd like to extend thanks to my fellow Director Melissa Backhouse, community club representatives Grant Voysey and Gary Pettigrove, and school club representative Brett Jackson for the invaluable time and effort they have volunteered to make the Competitions Committee successful, as well as to Community Basketball Manager Dallas Watt.

**Eric Malcolm (Director)**  
**Chair Competition Committee**

## Coaching & High Performance Pathways Committee

The past twelve months serving on the BACT Board have been an interesting, challenging, yet enjoyable experience. I attended and participated in nine of the eleven meetings scheduled during the year, with no meeting conducted in December as well as my being overseas in August and September. The past President, Mark White, requested that I assume responsibility for the Coaching and High Performance area within BACT. I was happy to do so as I feel it fit my expertise and this report indicates activity during the past year.

I was exceptionally fortunate to inherit Michelle Hocking and Barry Barnes as key members on the Coaching Committee which I was to chair. Having been involved on the Committee for some time, each provided a solid platform for the coaching and development work that needed to be done. They each have a vast amount of coaching and development experience at both National and local level and are very highly regarded. I feel the three of us made a solid Committee in spite of BACT not having a High Performance Manager on staff for some time leading into my tenure. Once appointed, this person would be the fourth Committee member.

One of my early tasks was to recommence the practice of holding regular meetings of Representative coaches to discuss issues pertaining to ACT representative programs. Five such meetings have been conducted with themes such as increased program integration, club and rep program integration, developing an “ACT Way” that all rep programs will operate under, rep program planning and review as well as the duties of our High Performance Manager, once hired, were covered off. Some of these issues were progressed more than others but all will remain as priorities.

In addition, several separate meetings were conducted with Club Coaching coordinators, but with less success. Attendance at these gatherings have been limited, with resulting actions to match. Still, several coaching clinics have been conducted arising from these meetings and include the Pat Hunt Shooting Clinic, the U12 Boys Open training session headed by Barry Barnes and the Phil Brown Shooting Camp as examples. It is intended to bring high level coaching “experts” to Club training clusters in 2014 to assist in the development of Club coaches. It is felt bringing experts to Club environments will work better than trying to bring Club coaches to the experts.

Another high priority was to write the Terms of Reference for the Coaching and High Performance area within BACT. This was not an easy task as this is the only Board area whereby operational as well as strategic issues are dealt with. The most significant operational area within this portfolio is the review and appointment of exiting and incoming rep coaches respectively. Numerous vacancies were confronted in the appointments for 2014, but these were filled by competent coaches after some difficulty was overcome.

Finally, to attract Phil Brown, who has an international reputation to work as BACT’s High Performance Director was a coup and will assist the progression of our programs immensely.

**Jerry Lee (Director)**

**Chair Coaching & High Performance Pathways Committee**

## Basketball ACT Strategic Plan

The Strategic plan was developed by the Board and identified key success measures across the breadth of Basketball in the ACT. It encompassed the key elements of BACT core business across all three major streams (Association, State and National League): Service delivery, financial performance, customer satisfaction, program / event management, business development and growth, measurement and tracking systems, human resource management and more.

2013 marked the final year of the current Strategic plan and Basketball ACT board and management has commenced preliminary work on the next period of strategic outlook and plan development. The Governance committee has established a Strategic plan policy and template and is excited about working with our members and constituents in developing the strategic plan for the next period of growth and prosperity for Basketball in the ACT and greater and surrounding region.

Basketball Australia is also drafting its strategic plan for the next period which is underpinned by the Australian Sports Commission Winning Edge model. It is expected that the Basketball ACT plan will align with Basketball Australia and incorporate the pillars and national objectives that will be central to the Basketball Australia strategic plan and drive the sport forward into the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.

**The Strategic Plan is divided into four main goals:**

### Goal 1: A Sustainable Future

- Reflects that we view the future as an opportunity to grow and through the development and implementation of sound governance and business practice through structured business, operational and strategic plans in response to the Territory changing demographics. We aim to have stakeholders, facilities and systems that foster, support and grow our sport now and into the future.

This is achieved through; Association Financial Management; Association Funding and Sponsorship; Governance, Support and Administration

- Whilst still a not-for-profit incorporated Association, Basketball ACT now operates as a small to medium enterprise and effective cash flow management is the cornerstone of every small business, with this organisation being no exception. Apart from the business as usual elements of financial management, B-ACT was also actively involved in the financial modelling and business case development for the various options for the potential new facility stadium development. A constant challenge for BACT is to continue to meet the ever-rising costs of delivering an indoor sport in the ACT whilst attempting to keep the cost of basketball to the consumer at a reasonable level. An important factor in achieving this balance is to attract alternate sources of revenue into the sport such as those derived from commercial partnerships.



## Goal 2: Informed and Engaged Consumers and Stakeholders

- This is achieved through strong, collaborative partnerships with consumers and stakeholders. Our focus is to ensure high levels of awareness and understanding of basketball and its products and services in the ACT. We aim to deliver accurate, consistent information in the right form, at the right time.

This is achieved through; Association Development (Participation) Program Management; Operational Representation with Government; Operational Representation with Basketball Australia, WNBL and SEABL and BNSW

- Understanding and knowing our customers has been a focus of Basketball ACT over the past 12 months through more engagement than ever before. Government is a major stakeholder of BACT and it is imperative that the organisation has a strong understanding of government agendas and is able to compliment government policy. B-ACT has a healthy relationship with the ACT Government and is always looking for opportunities to strengthen this bond in order to deliver new and exciting programs to the Canberra community.
- B-ACT is a member of Basketball Australia and as such has a responsibility to compliment and support the national direction of basketball. At the same time, BACT must ensure that its members are adequately represented and that basketball in the Territory is recognised appropriately by the national body.
- To ensure that the business of basketball is developing, a sound governance model must be in place. This includes effectively managing both internal and external stakeholder relationships.

## Goal 3: Improved Products and Services

- Are fundamental to supporting our consumer's ongoing participation, contribution and commitment to our sport. This goal is premised on a commitment to work with our stakeholders and consumers. A focus on improved products and services that reflect the evolving needs and expectations of our consumers and supports their participation and contribution to the sport.

This is achieved through; Association Representative Program Management

- The Capital Region Development program captures the junior development program and the senior representative program and the Association's pinnacle representative program: The Canberra Gunners and Canberra Capitals. These programs enable talented athletes, coaches and referees to progress along a high performance pathway within the ACT. It should be noted that these programs work in collaboration with the State Representative programs (including ACT junior representative programs and the ACTAS NPP).
- The Aussie Hoops program is a national program which promotes basketball to primary school aged children. BACT conducts a strong Aussie Hoops program that is highly regarded amongst the education fraternity. The Participation program is divided into two delivery models: Capitals In-school and Aussie Hoops After-School. The In-School model is the delivery of traditional school clinics at the schools, whilst the After-School program is a way to introduce parents and children into a basketball stadium environment. Both models are critical to promoting the sport and to driving participants into Clubs to take up structured competition basketball.

## Goal 4: Excellence in Service Delivery Capability

- Basketball can only be successful in our other goals if our people, staff and volunteers, have access to appropriate systems, processes and resources and are supported, led and engaged. This goal also reflects the importance of effective planning, implementation and ongoing evaluation to maintain a high level of excellence.

This is achieved through; Management and Administration of the core business of basketball participation; Event Management; Facility Management; Elite Team Operations, Marketing and Sponsorship

- BACT conducts high quality events on an annual basis, including Canberra Classic and Easter Egg Challenge., Capitals regional odd age classic and 3x3. Basketball ACT also hosts many regional tournaments and in 2013 conducted a very successful FIBA Oceania World Championship Qualifying series for Basketball Australia.
- Whilst B-ACT has a very healthy Balance Sheet, the majority of it is tied into the Belconnen Basketball & Sports Centre. As such, it is critical that B-ACT maximises the earning potential of the stadium in order to gain the greatest return for members as well as maintain and improve the stadium to ensure that the customer experience is as enhanced as possible. Given that the stadium is 20 years old, Belconnen is in very good condition and until an alternate larger home is developed Belconnen must be maintained so that it can continue to host over 10,000 games of basketball per year. Stadium improvements have included energy saving and environmental efficient equipment and upgrades to lighting. This is in addition to the usual rigorous maintenance schedule required of an aged building.



## Treasurers Report

I am pleased to table for Members the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2013.

The profit from ordinary operations for 2013 was \$71,306.44 (2012 \$57,661, 2011 \$39,380, 2010 \$24,187) after claiming depreciation and amortisation of \$64,338 (2012 \$64,018, 2011 \$66,771). This equates to a cash surplus for the period of \$135,644 (2012 \$121,679, 2011 \$106,151 cash surpluses).

You will note that the Audited Financial Statements show a net profit of \$267,136. This is a result of ACT Government grant of \$250,000 (net) received in advance in relation to the Block 16 Belconnen Facility extension development and the auditor's treatment of this grant as income in the profit & loss statement for the year it was received under Accounting Standard AASB 1004.

For reporting purposes to the members on operations in 2013 I have separated them.

The corresponding expenditure will be brought to account in future years when it is applied to the development project.

As has been the board's focus and priority over the previous number of years the surplus from operations and cash activities have shown an increase but I will reiterate what has been stated by previous treasurers, that they are still not at the level B-ACT requires as we continue the push to improve cash reserves.

Continuing to build financial stability and organizational sustainability through consistent cash surpluses from operations remains a key target of Management and the Board going forward. The budget process for 2014 provided for increases in resources to improve Basketball ACT's core business servicing to its every growing client base.

The budgeted surplus for 2014 is \$37,000 which will help in our cash reserve strategy. The work done by the Management and the Board over the last number of years two gives me every confidence we will achieve that surplus this year.

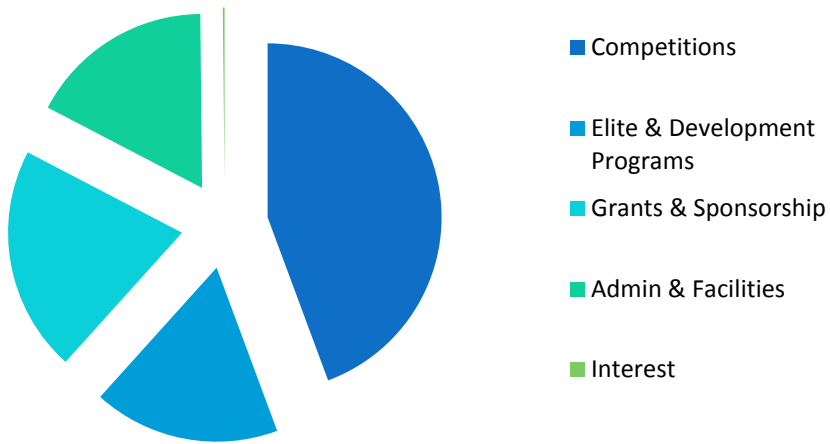
Basketball ACT had Net Assets at 30 September 2013 of \$3.9M. The increase from last year's level of \$3.6M was due to increases in cash holdings and reserves from the ACT Government grants.

Basketball ACT maintains good cash flow and with a liquidity ratio at 30 Sept 2013 of 1.4 is well and truly solvent.

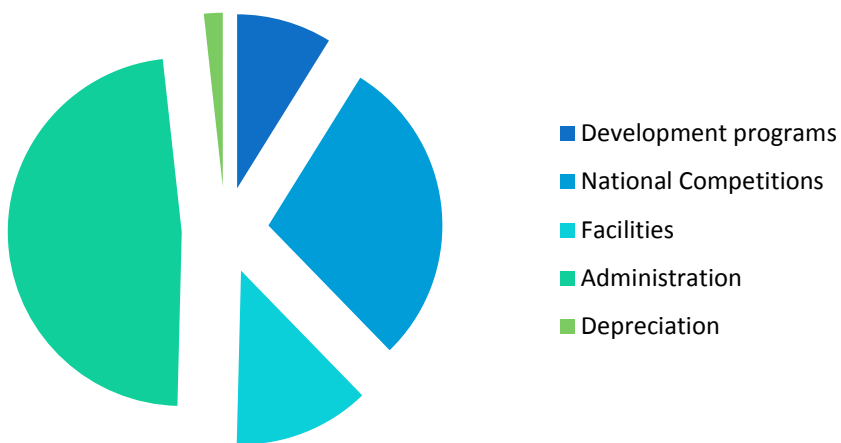
The balance sheet looks very strong anchored by the existing Belconnen facility and the new land purchase. However we need to be mindful that the development of the new facility is looming with the commensurate requirement for raising funds from a number of sources, both external, internal, commercial and government and as such continuing to build our cash reserve remains central to our financial risk management.

**Brad Barnes B.Ec FCPA**  
**Treasurer**

### Operating Revenue



### Expenses



## Life and Foundation Members List

### Life Members

1	Kel McGrath	1960 (d)	13	Phill Kelley	(pre 92)
2	Max Lundy	1968 (d)	14	Ray Brady	(pre 92)
3	Don Withers	1971	15	Gary Evans	(pre 92)
4	Rodney Peters	1972	16	Jerry Lee	(pre 94)
5	Brian Franklin	1975	17	Herb McEachin	(pre 94)
6	Graham Owen	1975	18	Alan Roberts	(pre 94)
7	Ron Harvey	1980	19	Ros Roberts	(pre 94)
8	Ian Ellis	1980	20	Joe Marzano	1995
9	Peter Baskett	1981	21	Pam Grotegoed	1996
10	Colin Alexander	1984	22	Errol Cohen	1996
11	Terry Ryan	1985	23	Barbara Lodding	2001
12	Peter Higgisson	1985	24	Stephen Fox	2009
			25	Richard Nesbitt	2011

### Foundation Members

1	Campling, Albert	25	Baker, Geoff ( <i>transferred to Martel, Sheree</i> )
2	Campling, Ray	26	Baker, Yvonne ( <i>transferred to Baker, Marlene</i> )
3	Campling, Allan	27	Baker, Sheree
4	Hurst, Les	28	Baker, Marlene ( <i>transferred to Leonard, Jess</i> )
5	Kaus, Ken ( <i>transferred to Ball, Jenny</i> )	29	Baker, Paul
6	Kaus, Julie	30	Hourigan, Doug ( <i>transferred to Hourigan, Jodie</i> )
7	Kaus, Barbara	31	Van Belcom, Ron
8	Kaus, Jenny ( <i>transferred to Ball, Matthew</i> )	32	Ellis, Ian
9	Kaus, Karen	33	Brew, Celia
10	Kaus, David	34	Ryan, Richard
11	Soustal, John	35	Horsfall, Bill ( <i>transferred to Horsfall, Paul</i> )
12	Hendry, Ron	36	Richardson, Fay (d)
13	Patton, Don	37	Richardson, Neil
14	Higgisson, Peter	38	Hobson, Robert
15	Campbell, Ken	39	Gasgoine, Nick
16	Campbell, Irene	40	Pogson, Rita
17	Geh, Susie (d)	41	Pogson, Geoff ( <i>transferred to Pogson, Michael</i> )
18	Geh, Gaby	42	Matruglio, Robert
19	Haugh, Ian	43	Pedifer, Rod
20	Withers, Graham		
21	Steer, Anthony		
22	Hardy, Ian		
23	Wall, B.T.		
24	Cross, Ashley		





## Annual Awards

### Gunners

Most Valuable Player  
Rising Star  
Defensive Player of the Year

Jeff Dowdell  
Tad Dufelmeier Jr  
Daniel Joyce

### Gunners Academy

Most Valuable Player  
Rising Star  
Defensive Player of the Year

Reece Kaye  
Iain Morison  
Isaac Plunkett

### Capitals Academy

Most Valuable Player  
Rising Star  
Defensive Player of the Year

Samantha Norwood  
Keely Froling  
Lauren Jansen

### B-ACT Awards

Junior Player of the Year  
Senior Player of the Year  
Coach of the Year  
B-ACT Board Award  
B-ACT Staff Award  
Senior Referee of the Year  
Junior Referee of the Year  
Alan Roberts Merit Award  
Premier 1 Men Best and Fairest  
Premier 1 Women Best and Fairest  
Premier 2 Men Best and Fairest  
Premier 2 Women Best and Fairest

Jarrold Phillips  
Alex Bunton  
Tony Plunkett  
Suzanne Helson  
John Smith  
Simon Cosier  
Micayla Helson  
Jack Taylor  
Jonathon Miller, Queanbeyan  
Lauren Jansen, Wests  
Gabriel Haynes, Dodgers  
Katrina Swanston, Vikings

### B-ACT/BA Centre of Excellence Recognition Award

Tad Dufelmeier Jr  
Rob Colton  
Sam Cartledge  
Tim Markcrow  
Samantha deGraaf

## Cliff Ellis Trophy Results

The Cliff Ellis trophy is awarded to the Championship Junior Club and is calculated using a point system for each team in each grade based on the final standings at the end of the regular season with additional bonus points awarded for teams that finish minor premiers

Place	Club name	Totals
<b>1st</b>	<b>Ginninderra Rats</b>	<b>1030</b>
2nd	Norths	1020
3rd	Radford	1000
4th	Wests Magpies	930
5th	Belconnen Ramblers	725
6th	Tuggeranong Vikings	705
7th	Burgmann	700
8th	WCWD	695
9th	TSC	665
10th	Marist	555
11th	St Edmunds	430
12th	Daramalan	385
13th	Grammar Boys	335
14th	Grammar Girls	220
15th	Queanbeyan Roadrunners	150
16th	Other General Club	110
17th	Merici	40
18th	St Clare of Assisi	30
19th	Team Harmony	10



<b>Club/Team</b>	<b>Wins</b>	<b>Losses</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Belconnen Ramblers</b>	1	3	4
<b>Burgmann</b>	5	2	7
<b>Boys Grammar</b>	2	3	5
<b>Daramalan College</b>	2	2	4
<b>Ginninderra Rats</b>	3	5	8
<b>Marist</b>	1	4	5
<b>Norths</b>	5	2	7
<b>Radford</b>	3	3	6
<b>St Edmunds</b>	2		2
<b>Tuggeranong Southern Cross</b>	1	4	5
<b>Tuggeranong Vikings</b>	6	2	8
<b>WCW Dodgers</b>	1	3	4
<b>Wests Magpies</b>	2	2	4
<b>Tuggeranong Stars</b>	1		1
	35	35	70

## 2013 Basketball ACT Junior Championship Competition Results

Under 12 Boys Premier - Norths	49	defeated	Marist College	39
Under 12 Girls Premier - Ginninderra River Rats	71	defeated	Belconnen Ramblers	28
Under 14 Boys Premier - Radford Magic	55	defeated	Ginninderra Rats	48
Under 14 Girls Premier - Norths	41	defeated	Tuggeranong Vikings	37
Under 16 Boys Premier - Ginninderra Rats	88	defeated	Marist	43
Under 16 Girls Premier - Wests Magpies	65	defeated	Tuggeranong Vikings	63
Under 19 Boys Premier - Tuggeranong Stars	87	defeated	Ginninderra Rats	70
Under 19 Girls Premier - Tuggeranong Vikings	56	defeated	Wests Magpies	48
Under 12 Boys A Grade - Belconnen Ramblers	37	defeated	Norths	32
Under 12 Boys B Grade - Tuggeranong Vikings	48	defeated	Burgmann Tigers	29
Under 12 Boys C Grade - Norths Satellites	36	defeated	TSC Panthers	10
Under 12 Girls A Grade - Radford Kookaburras	23	defeated	WCW Dodgers	21
Under 12 Girls B Grade - TSC Eagles	20	defeated	Ginninderra Rats	15
Under 12 Girls C Grade - Tuggeranong Vikings	34	defeated	Ginninderra River Rats	19
Under 14 Boys A Grade - St Edmunds White	37	defeated	Lake Rats	35
Under 14 Boys B Grade - St Edmund's Gold	40	defeated	TSC Panthers	38
Under 14 Boys C Grade - Marist Royal	20	defeated	CGS Wildcats	17
Under 14 Boys D Grade - Daramalan Black	44	defeated	CGS Dukes	25
Under 14 Girls A Grade - Ginninderra Lake Rats	22	defeated	Radford Suns	19
Under 14 Girls B Grade - Norths	30	defeated	Radford Rave	20

Under 14 Girls C Grade - Daramalan	38	defeated	Belconnen Ramblers	16
Under 16 Boys A Grade - Wests Magpies	46	defeated	Daramalan	24
Under 16 Boys B Grade - Tuggeranong Vikings	44	defeated	Belconnen Ramblers	32
Under 16 Boys C Grade - CGS Lions	42	defeated	Norths Basketball Club	31
Under 16 Boys D Grade - CGS Mavericks	52	defeated	Daramalan	35
Under 16 Girls A Grade - Tuggeranong Vikings	56	defeated	Tuggeranong Southern Cross	48
Under 16 Girls B Grade - WCW Dodgers	37	defeated	Burgmann Burgers	24
Under 16 Girls C Grade - Burgmann Stars	8	defeated	WCW Dodgers	6
Under 19 Boys A Grade - Radford Wizards	57	defeated	Marist	41
Under 19 Boys B Grade - Burgmann	38	defeated	Marist Royal	30
Under 19 Boys C Grade - Burgmann	27	defeated	CGS Eagles	23
Under 19 Boys D Grade - Norths Storm	27	defeated	Tuggeranong Southern Cross	24
Under 19 Girls A Grade - Tuggeranong Vikings	49	defeated	Wests Magpies	40
Under 19 Girls B Grade - Burgmann	37	defeated	WCW Dodgers Rebounders	32
Under 19 Girls C Grade - Burgmann Blazers	20	defeated	Radford Cougars	11



# 2013 Senior Championship Capital Premier Basketball League Competitions Results

## Premier 1 Men

Tuggeranong Vikings 71 def. Wests Magpies 67

Grand Final MVP: Tad Dufelmeier Jr (Vikings)

## Premier 1 Women

Weston Creek Woden Dodgers 57 def. Wests Magpies 48

Grand Final MVP: Sarah McAppion (WCWD)

## Premier 2 Men

Tuggeranong Vikings 56 def. Wests Magpies 52

Grand Final MVP: Michael Lloyd (Vikings)

## Premier 2 Women

Tuggeranong Vikings 50 def. Weston Creek Woden Dodgers 35

Grand Final MVP: Katina Swanston (Vikings)

## Monday B Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
The Redbacks	46	defeated	Team Harmony	23

## Monday C Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Blue Chips	38	defeated	Phoenix SunBirds	33

## Monday D Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Wing Its	26	defeated	Fighting Mongooses	21

## Monday B Women Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Ball Breakers	36	defeated	WCWD Dodgers	34

## Monday C Women Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Inanna	35	defeated	Hardly Globetrotters	34

## Monday A Men Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
ADF Masters	58	defeated	Pork Swords	57

### Monday C Men Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
We Got Game	36	defeated	Tigers	30

### Monday D Men Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Ring Stingers	23	defeated	Wookies	22

### Monday Masters Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Lakers	46	defeated	Bouncers	27

### Tuesday Mixed A Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Boomshakalaka	47	defeated	The Mules	43

### Tuesday Mixed B Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
UC Lakers East	56	defeated	Spryts	33

### Tuesday Mixed C Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Flamingo Power	29	defeated	Chewbacca's Heroes	23

### Tuesday B Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Belconnen Ramblers	35	defeated	Pot Belly	26

### Tuesday B Women Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Jaded	33	defeated	Stormgirls	15

### Tuesday B Women Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Turbos	39	defeated	Sutherland	34

### Wednesday Mixed A Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
The Hellfish	66	defeated	Hermanoz	51

### Wednesday B Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Electric Boogaloo	42	defeated	Cobbers Inc	29

### Wednesday C Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Strays	31	defeated	Belconnen Ramblers	26

### Wednesday D Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
MLC	25	defeated	Rim Rockers	21

### Thursday A Men Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Sharks	62	defeated	The Associates	56

### Thursday A Women Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Ginninderra Rats	20	won by forfeit from	West's Magpies	0

### Thursday B Men Tuggeranong

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Vampires	36	defeated	Thundercats	33

### Thursday C Women Tuggeranong

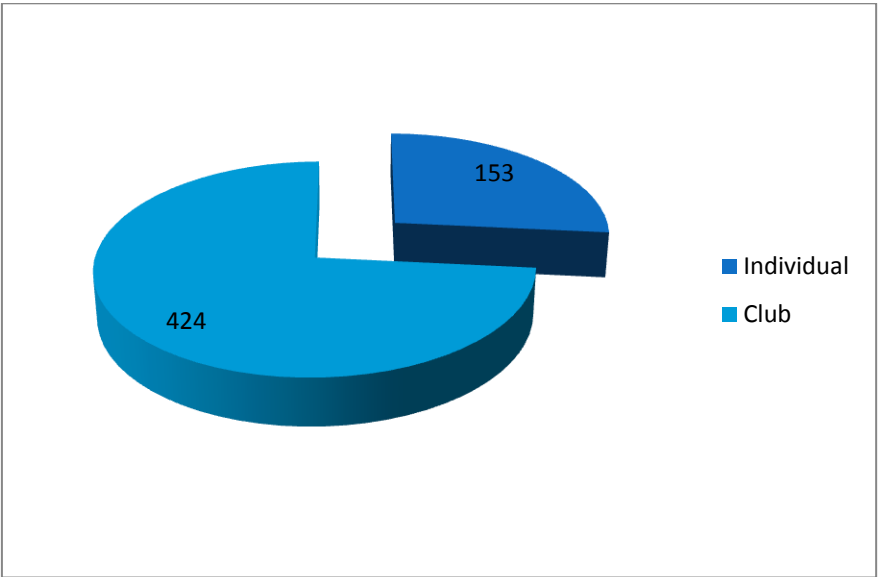
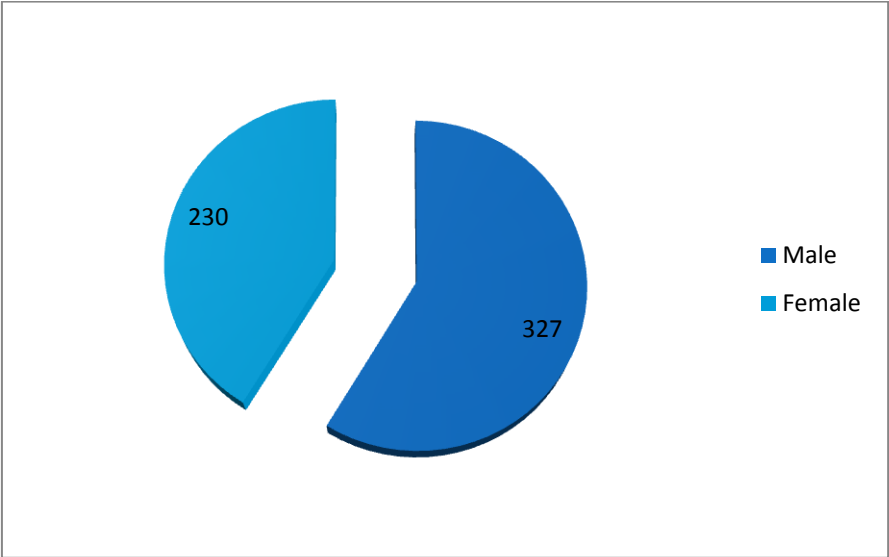
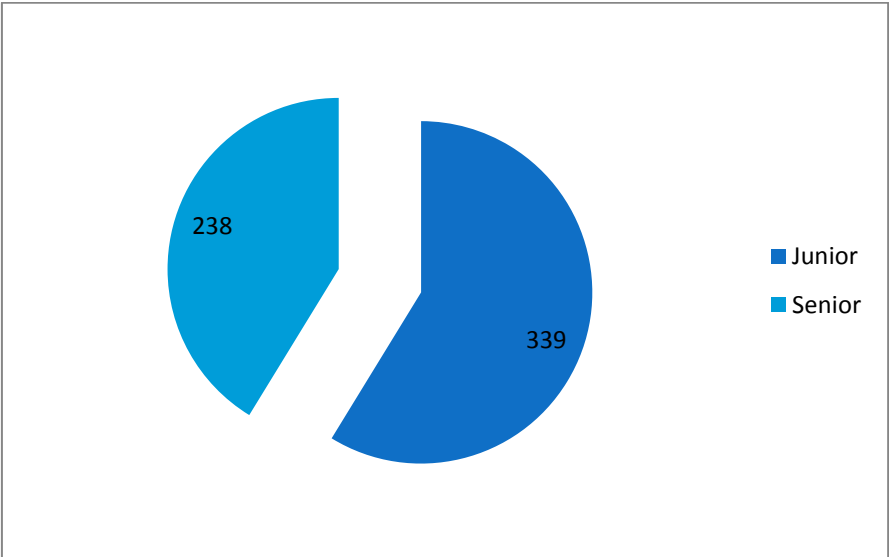
Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Boomerangs	25	defeated	Demons	22

### Monday D Women Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Boom Chika Wah Wahs	40	defeated	Caps	37

### Tuesday Mixed D Belconnen

Winner	Pts		Loser	Pts
Ball Me Maybe	44	defeated	Llamas	37



## Community and School Clubs table of Team nominations

Title	Junior				Senior				Total			
	2012	2013	No	%	2012	2013	No	%	2012	2013	No	%
Belconnen Ramblers	20	21	1	4.76%	13	12	-1	-9.08%	33	33	0	0.00%
Ginninderra Rats	26	27	1	3.04%	12	14	2	18.09%	38	41	3	11.76%
Norths	28	31	3	11.00%	9	8	-1	-10.00%	37	39	2	7.00%
Qbn Roadrunners	12	11	-1	-9.09%	3	3	0	0.00%	15	14	-	-7.14%
Tugg Southern Cross	26	25	-1	-8.18%	2	3	1	33.33%	28	28	0	0.00%
Tugg Vikings	13	17	-4	-23.53%	4	4	0	0.00%	21	21	0	0.00%
WCW Dodgers	25	25	0	0.00%	5	8	3	66.67%	30	33	3	10.00%
Wests Magpies	30	29	-1	-3.33%	8	7	-1	-11.11%	38	36	-2	-6.56%
University of Canberra	0	0	0	0.00%	5	14	9	194.44%	5	14	9	194.44%
ADFA	0	0	0	0.00%	10	10	0	0.00%	10	10	0	0.00%
ANU	0	0	0	0.00%	3	5	2	66.00%	3	5	2	66.00%
Burgmann	27	25	-2	-8.50%	0	0	0	0.00%	27	25	-2	8.50%
Canberra Grammar School	13	15	2	17.14%	0	0	0	0.00%	13	15	2	17.14%
Canberra Girls Grammar School	15	17	2	15.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	15	17	2	15.00%
Daramalan College	18	17	-1	-6.80%	0	0	0	0.00%	18	17	-1	-6.08%
Marist	14	20	6	37.69%	0	0	0	0.00%	14	20	6	37.69%
Merici	3	3	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	3	3	0	0.00%
Radford	42	40	-2	-5.09%	0	0	0	0.00%	42	40	-2	-5.09%
St Edmunds	12	12	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	12	12	0	0.00%
All Other Teams (General Club)	1	4	3	300.00%	140	153	13	9.28%	141	157	16	11.26%
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4.84%</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>-7.79%</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>6.37%</b>



## Annual Disciplinary Tribunal outcomes

Family name	First name	Competition Name
Benson	Andrew	Wednesday B Men Belconnen
Boardman	Arthur	Under 19 Boys Premier
Colosimo	Christopher	Thursday A Men Belconnen
Dawson	Cassandra	Tuesday Women Belconnen
Dufelmeier Jnr.	Tad	Premier 1 Men
Dufelmeier Snr.	Tad	Under 19 Boys Premier
Field	Candice	A Grade Women Belconnen
Gibson	Thomas	Thursday A Men Belconnen
Golding	Trevor	Monday Masters Tuggeranong
Grandin	Corey	Monday B Men Belconnen
Heaton	James	Premier 1 Men
Holstein	Simon	Monday D Men Belconnen
Humton	Brent	C Grade Men Tuggeranong
Jinks	Brendan	Tuesday B Men Belconnen
Lacey	Lorraine	B Grade Women Tuggeranong
Maujean	Etienne	Monday B Men Belconnen
Morseu	Danny	Monday Masters Tuggeranong
Norgate	Emily	Summer Open - Women
Scott	Joel	Wednesday B Men Belconnen
Simpson	Kyle	Wednesday C Men Belconnen
Tracey	Jordan	Under 16 Boys Premier
Walker	Samuel	Under 19 Boys A Grade
Wheeler	Jesamine	Monday B Women Belconnen
Winter	Ryan	B Grade Men Tuggeranong
Xia	Andy	Thursday A Men Belconnen

## 2013 Referees Information

The participation-first model of the sport here in the ACT and across Australia places an even greater importance on participants being able to partake in our sport in a harassment-free environment managed by independent officials.

To that end, the quantifiable improvements made in the recruitment, training and retention of referees and referee coaches by Basketball ACT are crucial to the recent documented local participation number increases. And at the end of the day, these increases are the prime reason for the very existence of not for profit community-based sporting organisations such as Basketball ACT.

Members of Basketball ACT have a reasonable expectation that they can come to play their game or spectate and have a qualified set of referees to facilitate their enjoyment by providing a safe framework for competition of all levels. The intensive, 'from the ground up' program for referees established and serviced by Basketball ACT is the engine that allows that to happen.

The numbers and medal count below present a snapshot of the accumulated progress of the last six years of growth that is the envy of Association, State and Territory sporting organisations across all codes.

2013's focus was to increase both the coverage and skill set of senior grade referees, results are already being demonstrated

This was achieved as a direct result of not only a referee-coaching program, converting into a larger and stronger referee program, but also a focus on a sense of camaraderie and achievement. While the program has at times proved difficult to maintain, it has produced some excellent young officials at various levels.

Previously the officiating program was filled in a volunteer capacity and with a limited number of participants without a more overall strategic approach. Coverage was a major concern initially, with levels of approximately 50% for juniors, 48% for seniors and 70% for Premier League. We currently have a huge increase in coverage rate of juniors, anywhere from 64% to 100% for senior grade and 97% for Premier League.

### 2013 Panel Referees:

- Drew Meads (NBL, WNBL, SEABL)
- Damien Nemeth (WNBL, SEABL)
- Simon Cosier (WNBL, SEABL) refereed Eastern Mend preliminary Final
- Robert Rice (WNBL, SEABL)
- Sam Pettigrove (SEABL, WABL)
- Jack Taylor (SEABL, WABL)
- Matt McRae (WABL)
- Declan Ninnes (WABL)
- Daniel Helson (SEABL, WABL)

### 2013 Representative Referees:

- Jack Taylor (Under 18 National Championships) officiated Gold Medal Men
- Daniel Helson (Under 18 Championships)
- Declan Ninnes (Under 16 Championships)
- Brad East (Under 16 Championships)
- Micayla Helson (Under 14 Boys Championships) officiated Bronze medal game
- Mitchell Hudson (Under 14 Girls Championships)



**2013 Referee Coaches:**

- Karin Berrysmith (NBL, WNBL, SEABL, WABL)
- David Nimmo (WNBL, SEABL, WABL)
- Gordon Young (SEABL, WABL)

**2013 Award winners:**

- Most Improved Junior Referee  
Belconnen – Laura Tough  
Tuggeranong – Matt Norton
- Saturday Referee of the Year  
Belconnen – Justin Archer  
Tuggeranong – Kynan Tulk
- Sunday Referee of the Year  
Belconnen – James MacDonald  
Tuggeranong – Aidan Barnett
- Rising Stars  
Male Cameron Gallagher  
Female Rachael Robertson
- Service Award Jan Rogers
- Junior Referees of the Year (Female) Micayla Helson
- Junior Referee of the Year (Male) Adrian Brown
- ACT Referee of the Year Simon Cosier



**Notables:**

- Karin Berrysmith selected to run Australian Youth Olympic 3 x 3 as referee evaluator
- Northern Territory contracted B ACT services to present officiating courses in remote communities
- 4 rules of basketball or score table sessions run with schools Radford, Marist
- Score table courses Level 0 x 4 ,Level 1 x 1
- 196 active officials registered in 2013
- 8 x Level 0 courses delivered(4 junior & 3 senior)
- Level 1 referee course delivered
- 2 x Grade referee refresher course delivered
- Level 3 course delivered
- Two senior action days and one junior action day delivered
- 8 referees attended Country Cup
- 92% of course attendees graduate to active registered referees

## ACT Academy of Sport National Performance Program (ACTAS NPP)

### 2012/13 ACTAS Individual Athlete Scholarship Holders

Mitchell Brown  
Robert Colton  
Caitlin Amey  
Iain Morison  
Bul Kuol

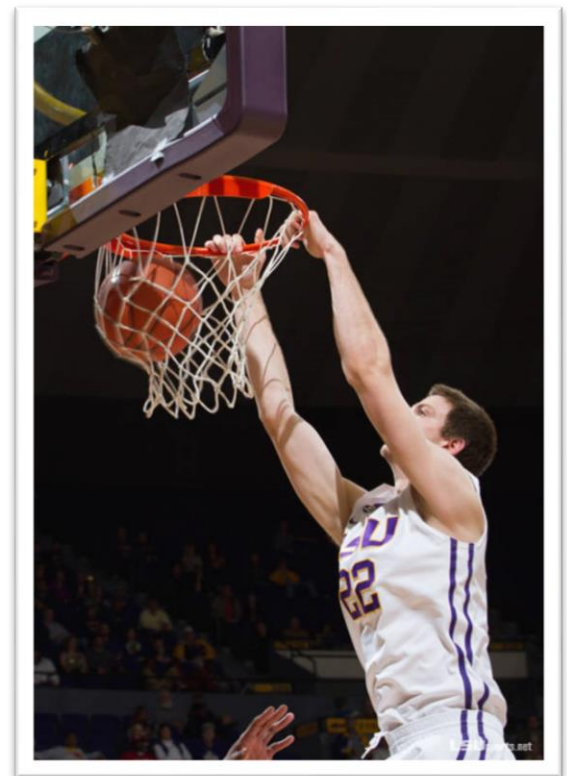
Jarrood Phillips  
Alex Bunton  
Sam Norwood  
Nicole Hunt  
Tessa Lavey

#### Notables:

- Darcy Malone was part of the Australian under 19 squad
- Robert Colton & Tad Dufelmeier were invited to Australian Junior Development Camp held at the AIS
- Robert Colton & Mitchell Brown trained with the AIS Mens program under visiting training agreements through 2013
- Jesse Wilesmith attended the Australian College of Basketball
- ACT Athletes attending college in the USA

Darcy Malone Louisiana State University  
Dylan Simpson North Western State University  
Jake Jobbling Phoenix Pre School

*Thank you to the ACT Academy of Sport and Basketball Australia for their ongoing support of the program.*



## 2013 ACT Representative Teams

### ACT Ivor Burge Representative Program

Men (5<sup>th</sup> position)

Chris Illic  
Nicholas Roots  
Aaron Clarkson  
Andrew Hoatson  
Justin Koenig  
Jack Littleton  
Michael Tipler

*James McGill – Head Coach*

*Kim Malcolm – Assistant Coach*

*Dean Hoatson – Manager*

VIC Metro 111 def. ACT 43

SA 84 def. ACT 51

QLD 78 def. ACT 46

**ACT 59 def. NSW Country 48**

**ACT 76 def. TAS 72 (5/6 play-off)**



## ACT Under 20 Representative Teams

(17-23 February, Launceston)

### Men (6<sup>th</sup> position)

Declan Prat  
Jesse Wilesmith  
Chima Moneke  
Jack Muston  
Sam Adams  
Darcy Malone  
Casey Baines  
Jake Jobling  
Iain Morison  
Pietro Badalassi

*Glenn Baird – Head Coach*

*Brad Williams – Assistant Coach*

*Del Simpson – Manager*

South Australian 72 def. ACT 55  
NSW 67 def. ACT 56  
NZ 65 def. ACT 55  
VIC 109 def. ACT 47  
**ACT 59 def. QLD 49**  
WA 79 def. ACT 61 (5/6 Playoff)

### Women (6<sup>th</sup> position)

Carlie Smith  
Brianna Dalglish  
Hayley Douglas  
Claire King  
Alexandra Dunn  
Kathryn Rendell  
Abbie Davis  
Sarah Atkinson  
Michaela Leonard  
Sophie Anderson

*Greg Evans – Head Coach*

*Jessica White – Assistant Coach*

*Barb Turner – Manager*

QLD 51 def. ACT 49  
**ACT 60 def. TAS 59**  
NSW 68 def. ACT 36  
SA 83 def. ACT 42  
**ACT 48 def. NZ 44**  
QLD 69 def. ACT 40 (5/6 play-off)

## ACT Under 18 Representative Teams

(20-28 April, Brisbane)

### Men (9<sup>th</sup> position)

Andrew Nguyen  
Billy Muir  
Bul Kuol  
Evan Fowler  
Jackson Duffey  
James Willett  
Jordan Kitchener  
Mitchell Brown  
Robert Colton  
Tad Dufelmeier

*Markus Klusemann – Head Coach*

*Rebecca Dudic – Assistant Coach*

*Cathy Morison – Manager*

VIC Metro 78 def. ACT 50

NSW Country 79 def. ACT 53

**ACT 88 def. WA Country 58**

Tasmania 77 def. ACT 50

QLD North 65 def. ACT 63

SA Metro 78 def. ACT 64

**ACT 79 def. WA Metro 72**

**ACT 79 def. QLD North 63 (9/10 play-off)**

### Women (13<sup>th</sup> position)

Ashleigh Evans  
Emma Bourne  
Meg Dowley  
Molly McPhee  
Morgan Elvin  
Olivia Simipson  
Rebecca Lee  
Renee Duffey  
Renee Polyak  
Sarah Taylor

*Brian Demery – Head Coach*

*Peter Herak – Assistant Coach*

*Maureen Van Maanen – Manager*

Tasmania 88 def. ACT 50

NSW 77 81 def. ACT 29

QLD South 69 def. ACT 27

Vic Metro 110 def. ACT 36

SA Country 78 def. ACT 46

WA Country 58 def. ACT 37

**ACT 55 def. NT 34 (13/14 play-off)**

## ACT Under 16 Representative Teams

(6 – 13 July, Wayville/Pasadena, SA)

### Men (12<sup>th</sup> position)

Morgan Ayliffe  
Ryan Crowley  
Juan Ramos  
James Toohey  
Mikus Eversons  
Broderick Doran  
Jamie Kirkpatrick  
William Cooper  
Nathan Brown  
Jarrod Phillips

*Mathew Neason – Head Coach*

*Dudley Sorrenson – Assistant Coach*

*Adam Cooper – Manager*

VIC Country 57 def. ACT 44

NZ 96 def. ACT 67

SA Country 63 def. ACT 58

NSW Metro 78 def. ACT 22

QLD South 91 def. ACT 45

**ACT 82 def. WA Country 46**

TAS 67 def. ACT 62

SA Metro 92 def. ACT 60 (11/12 play-off)

### Women (14<sup>th</sup> position)

Alana Dagleish  
Callie Bourne  
Sophie Perkins  
Tyler Sinclair  
Hope Pateman  
Ruby Cooper  
Allegra Petkovich  
Lily Cunningham  
Ashleigh Easton  
Annabelle Lindsay

*Mel Dagleish – Head Coach*

*Jessica White – Assistant Coach*

*Shane Wallace – Assistant Coach*

*Gary Sturgess – Manager*

WA Metro 65 def. ACT 32

TAS 81 def. ACT 29

VIC Country 98 def. ACT 25

NSW Metro 59 def. ACT 35

SA Country 85 def. ACT 39

QLD South 48 def. ACT 43

NT 64 def. ACT 45 (13/14 play-off)



## ACT Under 14 Representative Teams

(30 September – 5 October: Darwin, NT [Boys]; Ballarat, VIC [Girls])

### Men (12<sup>th</sup> position)

Angus Williams  
 Brad Pateman  
 David Cox  
 Alex Archer  
 Harper Paniora  
 Rahul Arsakulasuriya  
 Jarrod Fenwick  
 Andrew McColl  
 Dominick Moran  
 Isaac Maher

*Melanie Steele-Hick – Head Coach*

*Brad Luhrs – Assistant Coach*

*Grant Barclay – Manager*

### Canberra 58 def. N Tasmania Foresters 51

Bulleen Boomers 53 def. Canberra 24

### Canberra 35 def. Perry Lake Hawks 32

NW Tasmania Thunder 65 def. Canberra 38

Dandenong Rangers 78 def. Canberra 40

Bulleen Boomers 67 def. Canberra 27

*(Classification Championship [9-12])*

Hornsby Spiders 62 def. Canberra 45

*(Championship Playoff for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>)*

### Women (6<sup>th</sup> position)

Caitlin Rowe  
 Brooke Childs  
 Claudia De Grave Nott  
 Caitlin Amey  
 Isabelle Bourne  
 Annamaria Leszczynska  
 Mikala Williams  
 Rosemary Schweizer  
 Hayley Mason  
 Emma Rowecliff

Clare Newton

Zoe Ramshaw

*Paula Jansen – Head Coach*

*Sean Barnett – Assistant Coach*

*Jennifer Childs – Manager*

### Canberra 59 def. Penrith Panthers 31

Dandenong Rangers 47 def. Canberra 32

### Canberra 88 def. NT Southern Suns 3

Knox Raiders 67 def. Canberra 56

### Canberra 71 def. Ballarat Rush 30

Forestville Eagles 43 def. Canberra 38

*(Championship QF4)*

### Canberra 57 def. Logan Thunder 29

*(Championship Classification [5-8])*

Knox Raiders 60 def. Canberra 52

*(Championship Playoff 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>)*



## 2013 Capital Region Development Program

### Waratah Country Premier League

Under 12 Girls	First
Under 14 Girls	First
Under 14 Boys	Third
Under 16 Girls	DNQ
Under 18 Boys	DNQ

### Waratah Southern Junior League

Under 12 Girls Div 1 Gold	Third
Under 12 Girls Div 1 Teal	Fourth
Under 12 Girls Div 2 White	First
Under 12 Boys White	DNQ
Under 12 Boys Gold	First
Under 12 Boys Teal	Third
Under 14 Girls Div 1 White	First
Under 14 Girls Div 1 Blue	Third
Under 14 Boys Div 1 Teal	Second
Under 14 Boys Div 1 White	Third
Under 14 Boys Div 2	Second
Under 16 Div 1 Girls	Fourth
Under 16 Boys Div 1 White	First
Under 16 Boys Div 1 Teal	Second

### NSW Country Championships

U12 Boys (3 teams)	Winner Div 1, Third Div 3
U12 Girls (2 teams)	Winner Div 3
U14 Boys (2 teams)	Winner Div 2
U14 Girls (1 team)	Winner Div
U16 Boys (1 team)	No finalists
U16 Girls (1 team)	No finalists

### State Cup

Under 12 Boys Gold	First
Under 16 Boys Div 1 White	Second

### Australian Junior Classic (Melbourne)

U12 Girls	Won 0 Lost 3
U14 Girls	Won 3 Lost 0
U14 Boys	Won 0 Lost 3
U16 Girls	Won 1 Lost 2
U16 Boys	Won 0 Lost 3

## 2012/13 Canberra Capitals Program



Competition: Women’s National Basketball League (WNBL)  
 Major Sponsor: The Tradies Group  
 2012/13 season record: 8 wins, 15 losses  
 2012/13 finals record: Missed the playoffs  
 2012/13 final placing: Finished 7<sup>th</sup>



Samatha Norwood  
 Jessica Bibby (Captain)  
 Casey Samuels  
 Brigitte Ardossi  
 Alexandra Bunton  
 Valerie Ogoke  
 Tessa Lavey

Michelle Cosier  
 Mikaela Dombkins  
 Nicole Hunt  
 Carly Wilson  
 Alice Coddington  
 Lauren Jackson

Carrie Graf – Head Coach  
 Sandy Tomley – Assistant Coach  
 David Herbert – Assistant Coach

Barb Lodding - Manager  
 Graeme Backen – Physiotherapist  
 Delwyn Griffiths – Massage Therapist

### Notables:

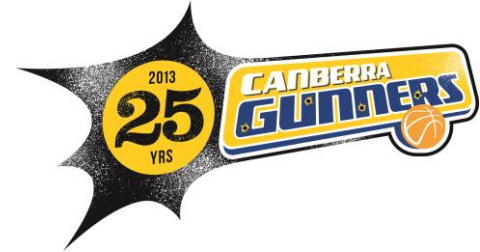
The winners of the Capitals team awards for 2011/12:

Most Valuable Player: Bridgitte Ardossi  
 Kellie Abrams Best Defensive Player: Carly Wilson  
 Capital on the Rise: Casey Samuels  
 Player’s Player Award: Jessica Bibby



## 2013 Canberra Gunners Program

Competition:	South East Australian Basketball League (SEABL) East Conference
Major Sponsor:	Duncan's Plumbing Services, Club Lime
2013 season record:	8 wins, 20 losses
2013 finals record:	Did not qualify
2013 final placing:	6 <sup>th</sup> in East Conference



Jeff Dowdell	Darcy Malone
Tad Dufelmeier JNR	Andrew Martin
Andrija Dumovic	Elliot McBride
John Fenton	James McPherson
Camontae Griffin	Jonathon Miller
Alex Gynes	Iain Morison
Joshua Hathaway	Sean Richardson
Daniel Joyce	Bradley Simpson
Grant Keys	Zlatko Todorovski

Cameron Barnes – Head Coach  
Grant Keys – Assistant Coach  
David Close – Assistant Coach  
Rik Miller – Manager  
Peter Suffolk – Physiotherapist

The winners of the Gunners team awards for 2013:

Rising Star:	Tad Dufelmeier JNR
Best Defensive Player:	Daniel Joyce
Most Valuable Player:	Jeff Dowdell

Notables:

- Jeff Dowdell and Daniel Joyce sign with the Gunners having played previously with the NBL
- Camontae Griffin, an American import, signs and plays for the entire season
- It is the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year of the Gunners and is celebrated with a reunion dinner in May at the Woden Tradies





## 2013 Canberra Capitals Academy Program

Competition: South East Australian Basketball League (SEABL) East Conference  
 Major Sponsor: Random Computing  
 2013 season record: 9 wins, 18 losses  
 2013 finals record: Did not qualify  
 2013 final placing: 6<sup>th</sup> in East Conference



Alexandra Bunton  
 Michaela Dalgleish  
 Brianna Dalgleish  
 Abbie Davis  
 Ali Dun  
 Keely Froling  
 Catherine Grawich  
 Tara Hay  
 Nicole Hunt

Lauren Jansen  
 Claire King  
 Kristen Langhorn  
 Tessa Lavey  
 Brianna Manuatu  
 Sarah McCappion  
 Sam Norwood  
 Alyce Shearing  
 Julie Ticehurst

Sandy Tomley – Head Coach  
 Gregory Evans – Assistant Coach  
 Shauna Lodding – Assistant Coach  
 Vicki Vince – Manager

The winners of the Capitals Academy team awards for 2013:

Rising Star: Keely Froling  
 Best Defensive Player: Lauren Jansen  
 Most Valuable Player: Samantha Norwood

Notables:

- In only the academy's second year in the SEABL, they continued to show improvement and were a competitive force in the league.
- The program is a critical link for the ACT junior representative pathway for the Canberra Capitals programs





## 2013 Canberra Gunners Academy Program

Competition: NSW Waratah State League – Pool B  
 Major Sponsor: Capital Landscape Group  
 2013 season record: 9 wins, 6 losses  
 2013 finals record: Did not qualify  
 2013 final placing: 3<sup>rd</sup> in Pool B



Pat Adams	Reece Kaye
Pietro Badalassi	Sebastian Kouw
Casey Baines	Elliot McBride
Gabe Davis	Shaun Mills
Tad Dufelmeier Jnr	Iain Morison
Evan Fowler	Jack Muston
Hayden Galbraith	Isaac Plunkett
Nick Jackson	Sean Richardson
Jake Jobling	Jordan Rowe

Tony Plunkett – Head Coach  
 Brad Barnes – Assistant Coach  
 Eric Malcolm – Assistant Coach

The winners of the Capitals Academy team awards for 2013:

Rising Star:	Iain Morison
Best Defensive Player:	Isaac Plunkett
Most Valuable Player:	Reece Kaye

**Notables:**

- The program is a critical link for the ACT junior representative pathway for the Canberra Gunners program
- The program consists primarily of players from the Under 20 and Under 18 State teams



## 2013 Community Activities

Basketball ACT supported many community organisations and was involved in community activities throughout 2012 - 2013. These include but are not limited to:

- Snowy Hydro Southcare Helicopter Rescue Service
- Movember
- Heart Foundation
- Earth Hour
- CanTeen
- Lifeline
- Red Cross
- Salvation Army
- FIBA Oceania (through the provision of singlets, balls and shoes to other nations)
- Big Bang Ballers Basketball
- ACT Mental Health Foundation
- Numerous Club and school fundraising activities





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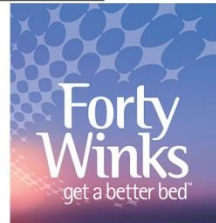
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