

President's Report

Season 2004 is over and we have commenced planning for Season 2005. We did not win any premierships, however **PENNANT HILLS** was declared the **CLUB OF THE YEAR** by the Sydney Football League. Season 2004 is the first year this award has been introduced and was awarded to the club with the most points accumulated for the season for both on field performances and off field administration. Congratulations are due to our players, coaches, volunteers and committee members who have all contributed to the winning of this award.

On the playing field all four teams made the finals with three of our teams playing in Grand Finals. Despite our U/18's and 2ND Grade sides finishing the season as minor premiers, both teams were unable to win on the "Big Day". Our U/18's, after leading for almost the whole game and looking the better team, went down by a solitary point.

During the year our 2ND Grade Coach, Chris Yard, played his 250TH senior game with PENNANT HILLS and now holds the club record for senior games played. Anthony Brawn became the Fifth Pennant Hills player to reach 200 senior games for the club and from all accounts has his sights set on overtaking Chris Yard's record. Our U/18's full forward Mathew (King) Carey broke the club record for most goals kicked in a season with 133 goals and was the U/18 competition leading goal kicker. Our 1ST Grade full forward, Laine Spencer, was the 1ST Grade competitions leading goal kicker.

Anthony Brawn, Peter Carey, Barnaby Howarth, Alex Huggins and Ryan Talbot were all selected in the Sydney Representative Team with Barnaby and Ryan going on to represent NSW.

Justin Barratt, Kieren Jack and Andrew Hodgson, three of our younger 1st Grade Players, were all selected to represent the NSW U/18 team at the annual carnival for the U/18 national competition. I congratulate all these players on their special achievements during the 2004 season.

The NSW/ACT AFL had for a number of years supported Sydney Clubs with money and grants to assist clubs with administration, unfortunately, this financial assistance was not available to Sydney clubs for the 2004 season. Last year we received \$19,750.00 from the league and we had budgeted for a similar amount this year. Unfortunately we were not

able to recover the loss of the leagues subsidy and finished the year with a deficit of some \$10,000.00. Despite this shortfall, the club is still in a strong financial position at the end of season 2004, however, we would appreciate the help of all our members to find additional sponsors for season 2005 as the cost of running a football club, fielding four teams and possibly five next year, continues to grow.

Finally, thanks to all our sponsors, supporters, players, coaches, managers and volunteers for contributing so much to the success of PENNANT HILLS FOOTBALL CLUB.

LEO BROWNE

President - PHAFC

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PENNANT HILLS
Demons

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Major Award Winners

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

SENIORS BEST & FAIREST
THE ERN HOLMES TROPHY

Anthony Brawn

BEST LOCAL FIRST YEAR PLAYER
THE KEN MACRAE SHIELD

Kieren Jack

RESERVES BEST AND FAIREST
THE ANGUS MCKERNAN TROPHY

Scott Cummings

THIRDS BEST AND FAIREST

Jason Walton

UNDER18 BEST AND FAIREST
THE LENNY HAYES TROPHY

Matthew Carey

PENNANT HILLS AFC
FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

Ryan Talbot

CLUBPERSON OF THE YEAR

Greg Castle

PRESIDENTS TROPHY

Simon Doak

SENIORS PLAYERS' PLAYER AWARD
THE "GAZZA" named after Gary Spillane

Ryan Talbot

RESERVES PLAYERS' PLAYER AWARD
THE "DOUGIE" named after Doug Scholz

Scott Cummings

THIRDS PLAYERS' PLAYER AWARD
THE "TELF" named after Craig Telfer

Craig Hartley

UNDER 18 PLAYERS' PLAYER AWARD
THE "PADDY" named after Patrick Matthews

Ben Akmens

Seniors Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

BEST & FAIREST:	Anthony Brawn
Runner Up B&F:	Barnaby Howarth
Most Consistent:	Peter Carey
Best Team Man:	Bradley Cross
Most Improved:	Matt Gray
Coaches Award:	Laine Spencer
Best Local First Year:	Kieren Jack
Footballer of the Year:	Ryan Talbot
Players' Player - 'Gazza':	Ryan Talbot



Best & Fairest Winner
Anthony Brawn

SENIORS BEST & FAIREST TOP TEN

Anthony Brawn	123
Barnaby Howarth	121
Ryan Talbot	91
Peter Carey	52
Bradley Cross	45
Sebastian Parker	37
Matthew Gary	35
Kieren Jack	33
Paul Folkard	30
Laine Spencer	30

2004 PHELAN MEDAL

Sydney Australian Football League
- First Grade
Steven Pech (UNSW/ES)
Won with 19 votes

PHELAN MEDAL - VOTE COUNT TALLY

Barnaby Howarth	15
Anthony Brawn	13
Ryan Talbot	9
Bradley Cross	8
Paul Folkard	6
Kieren Jack	5
Ashley Bell	4
Peter Carey	3
Alexander Huggins	2
Laine Spencer	1

2004 LEADING GOALKICKER

Laine Spencer - 63

2004 SENIOR GRADE PERSONNEL

Coach:	Danny Ryan
Assistant Coach:	Chris Yard
Team Manager:	Ian Parker
Assistant Manager:	John Politis
Runner:	Martin Dulke
Captain:	Barnaby Howarth
Vice Captains:	Ashley Bell Sebastian Parker

SENIOR GRADE LADDER AT THE END OF THE 2004 HOME AND AWAY SEASON

	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
North Shore	18	16	2	0	2211	1324	166.99	64
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St George	18	11	7	0	1631	1207	135.13	44
Pennant Hills	18	11	7	0	1749	1633	107.10	44
East Coast Eagles	18	9	8	1	1737	1604	108.29	38
Balmain	18	7	11	0	1740	1928	90.25	28
Western Suburbs	18	5	12	1	1331	1771	75.16	22
Campbelltown	18	0	18	0	1023	2332	43.87	0

2004 GRAND FINAL

Henson Park on Sunday, 12th September
North Shore 10.11 (71) def St George 7.4 (46)

Seniors Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

As I wrote in the Yearbook last year, "if the team continued to develop we would definitely see finals action in 2005" and indeed it turned out that way with the Seniors finishing in the 4 for the first time in 3 years.

The year started during last years finals, we needed to recruit key forwards and we were able to secure Laine Spencer to the club to counter the losses of key forwards from 2003. We commenced our pre-season late in November and were most fortunate to gain the use of Loreto and Riverview Colleges to conduct the majority of our training sessions - thanks to Marty Dulke for his assistance with securing these facilities. With immaculate grounds and indoor swimming pools / gymnasiums for our players to use, I could not imagine another AFL club in Sydney being as fortunate.

Pre-Season training re-commenced in January with great numbers at most sessions which was pleasing. We also welcomed many of Marty's Riverview u/18s to our sessions. Big numbers meant plenty of logistical support/organisation was required and we were lucky to have Ian Parker who resumed his role as Football Manager in '04 to help and guide the coaching panel in pulling it all together.

After a couple of good hitouts, we ventured to Dubbo for the pre-season carnival. Taking a predominantly u/23 team, it was an opportunity to look at some of the players from the successful u/18 premiership team, the likes of Mick Hossen, Grant Kells, Mick Twohig, Jarryd Gaggin and Tim Shirt - all of whom acquitted themselves well at Dubbo and continued to develop their 'Senior' football careers throughout the year. Mitch Aitken and Matt Carey also gave us some glimpses of their considerable abilities.

We proceeded through the day undefeated, combating a pretty hot day, several locust storms?! and one or two injuries picked up over a very tiring schedule on the back of the long bus trip from Sydney. Eventually we played off in the GF against a combined Bathurst team who were 3pts too good for us, but the die had been cast and the young 'Demons' were determined to have a big '04.

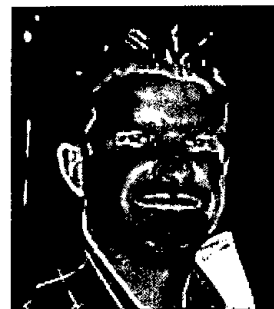
We started the H&A season in neutral, with the side kicking 9 goals in the 4th quarter to lose by 9pts to Balmain. We then endured a shellacking at the hands of North Shore (eventual Premiers) in Rd2 and a 2pt loss to St.George (RunnersUp) at Olds, that saw the "Mighty Moose" Matt Gray become the first player in the SydneyAFL fall victim to the 'sendoff' rule in '04. Needless to say with a 0-3 start to the year, things were looking bleak and people were mentioning that "obviously we would have to go back to the drawing board" and that '04 "would be another year to develop the kids" - how easy it is for outsiders to lose faith and become so pessimistic...

As it was the 2pt loss at Olds (and the subsequent big Sat night that followed) really served to galvanise the side and we bounced back with 5 straight wins, including an absolute cracker at Ern Holmes where we dispatched the back-2-back premiers UNSW-ES by 53 pts. We dropped 2 more games, again against Nths & St.George and then repeated our 5 game winning streak which included the nailbiter against East Coast at Ern Holmes (Keiran Jack's matchwinner!) and another hard-fought win against UNSW-ES without Laine Spencer, Mick Cousens and Justin Barratt.

Unfortunately the second streak ended when East Coast exacted their revenge at Roger Sheeran, we then lost to Balmain in our worst team performance for the year. This left us in a precarious position of needing to win our final game to ensure September action... after results went our way on the Saturday, the players promptly came out on Sunday and dispelled any fears with another great win that saw us finish in 4th position, 6pts clear. We played St.George in the do-or-die 1st Semi final and disappointingly our season ended there, losing to a very disciplined and determined St.George side who went on to win again the following week and were worthy grand finalists. Fate cast us a difficult hand on the day with the side missing 4/5 regular senior players, due to work, injury and suspension and the weather probably playing more into St.George's hands than ours. So it was another loss to the 'Crows' and another season over.

This year saw an improved effort and output from the senior team, despite a much changed list. We regained Barnaby Howarth (Sandringham), recruited Laine Spencer (Wests) and were joined by Mick Cousens (Melb/Kyabram) and Clint Setford (Devon Meadows via Ryan & Kevin Talbot). We lost Nick Potter & David Boers (recruited

to the Sydney Swans); Richard Gerke, Tony Redshaw and Peter Berbakov (all retired) and Shaun Jones, Lachlan Howarth and David Dunning all traveling OS. Despite the changes of personnel, the team achieved an 11-7 win loss ratio and was the second highest scoring team in the league. The calibre of football was at times, vastly improved from '03 but the agonising fact remains that we finished only 2 wins from 2nd on the table? Considering some of our losses, you can see that just a fraction more consistency will deliver us an even higher ladder position and give us a legitimate chance at the flag. As the team matures, I believe this will happen.



It was pleasing to witness real growth in several players throughout the season, in particular Matt Gray, Dean Connors, Tim Potter and Daniel Owers, the last 3 who should play many senior games at Pennant Hills if they continue working hard.

Many thanks to the following players: Tim Nunan, Anthony Brawn and Ashley Bell for 'soldiering on' with various injuries: to Laine Spencer for providing us a fwd target and winning the league Goal Kicking Award as well as being a fantastic clubman / 'elder statesman' around the place: to Peter Carey, Seb Parker and Paul Folkard for their consistency of effort and the continued growth they have shown in their leadership abilities and finally to Bradley Cross, Barnaby Howarth and Ryan Talbot for their continued excellence on the football field. Well done to our SydneyAFL representative players on your achievements this year, esp Barnaby & Ryan playing in WA and representing the state. A special mention to the retiring Tim Nunan, who has been a exemplary player and clubman since coming across from the Nth Adelaide club - thanks Tim for all your efforts and your dedication and professionalism. Enjoy the tennis & golf!

Congratulations to Anthony Brawn in winning the Ern Holmes trophy for the second time - a fantastic effort from a guy who puts 110% effort into his football every time he takes the field.

A huge thanks to my fellow coaches, all of whom I congratulate for making their respective GF's; thanks also to Marty Dulke for the majority of the running duties and to Ian Parker & John Politis for their impeccable team management. Also, thanks again to Ian for smoothly running the "football department" - a job very well done! I would also like to thank all the guys that assisted the senior team, by running water or doing the stats on matchdays, your efforts are appreciated.

A special mention to Greg Castle and his Physio team for getting the boys up and running every week. In what has been a traumatic year for Greg, we appreciate his efforts immensely.

Thanks and appreciation must also go to Mandy and the kids for supporting me and the efforts of the senior team in '04.

Whilst this year was pleasing in that all grades made the finals and 3 played in GF's - we must still be disappointed and hurting from the senior teams finals exit. And so the hunger must burn right through the off-season and into next years pre-season... A greater level of desire and an increased level of consistency from our developing senior players who will all be another year older & wiser (hungrier?) will be the foundations of our successes in season '05. If we retain our list and add 2/3 key recruits, I see no reason for anything but optimism and a continued climb up the SydneyAFL ladder. As always, actions speak louder than words and the proof will be evident this time next year, I would hope all concerned will be working even harder and striving for greater heights in '05. Go the Demons!

DANNY RYAN
Senior Coach - PHAFC

Reserves Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

BEST & FAIREST: **Scott Cummings**
 Runner Up B&F: Most James Love
 Consistent: James Fulton
 Best Team Man: Josh Low
 Most Improved: Lloyd Shepherd
 Coaches Award: Jarrod Myers
 Players' Player - 'Dougie': Scott Cummings

RESERVE GRADE BEST & FAIREST TOP TEN

Scott Cummings	111
James Love	57
Brant Jack	48
Jarrod Myers	42
Michael Holgate	36
Joshua Low	34
Scott Howell	32
Luke Bilbe	31
Adam Smyth	31
Adam Delooze	29

2004 SANDERS MEDAL

Sydney Australian Football League
 - Reserve Grade
 Andrew Kyprianu - Balmain
 Won with 19 votes

SANDERS MEDAL - VOTE COUNT TALLY

Josh Low	11
Scott Cummings	10
James Love	6
Luke Bilbe	6
Adam Howarth	5
Alex Huggins	4
Adam Delooze	4
Jarrod Myers	4
Dean Connors	3
Tim Potter	3
Kieren Jack	3
Chris Yard	3
Blair Hatherley	3
Lloyd Shepard	3
John Rakic	2
Paul Browne	2
Ben Jacob	2
Scott Howell	1
Jarryd Gaggin	1
Clint Setford	1
Sebastian Parker	1
Adam Smyth	1

2004 LEADING GOALKICKER

Adam Howarth - 35



Best & Fairest Winner
 Scott Cummings

2004 RESERVE GRADE PERSONNEL

Coach: Chris Yard
 Assistant Coach: Ken Couchman
 Team Manager: Peter Myers
 Captain: Blair Hatherley
 Vice Captain: John Rakic

RESERVE GRADE LADDER AT THE END OF THE 2004 HOME AND AWAY SEASON

	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
Pennant Hills	18	15	3	0	1999	875	228.46	60
North Shore	18	14	4	0	1708	1017	167.94	56
East Coast Eagles	18	13	5	0	1648	923	178.55	52
Balmain	18	13	5	0	1716	1119	153.35	52
St George	18	8	10	0	1265	1355	93.36	32
UNSW-ES	18	6	12	0	1091	1383	78.89	24
Western Suburbs	18	3	15	0	905	1583	57.17	12
Campbelltown	18	0	18	0	429	2506	17.12	0

2004 GRAND FINAL

Henson Park on Sunday, 12th September
 North Shore 12.8 (80) def Pennant Hills 6.8 (44)

Reserves Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

We started the season off well, good numbers at preseason, the effort shown by the guys was great and this culminated in a first up thumping of Balmain. Throughout the season, we had set a number of goals; the first one was to achieve six wins from the first seven games. We achieved this, our only defeat being North Shore at home.

The second goal was to achieve the same six wins from seven games, again we achieved, our defeat, yet again at the hands of North Shore by 9 points. With 4 rounds remaining, the side was sitting at the top of the ladder; the last goal was to win all remaining games. We started that in final style with a 40 goal victory over Campbelltown, but dropped a game versus East Coast Eagles. At the conclusion of the home and away season, we were minor premiers, one game clear of all other sides.

We went into the finals campaign confident that our game plan and style had been tested and refined sufficiently throughout the season. We were up against North Shore in the Major Semi Final. Simply, we didn't perform on the day, only playing around 20 minutes of our game style. In any loss there is a positive, that being we were only beaten by 25 points whilst playing 20 minutes of good footy. East Coast Eagles were our next opponents in the Preliminary Final, after a great second half we came out on top in a 4 goal victory in the as expected physical encounter. Unfortunately we lost one of our key playmakers in Brant Jack.

We had earned the right to play North Shore in the Grand Final, a rematch from the 2003 Grand Final. In blustery conditions, we were 1 goal down at the main change, with the guys showing the grit and determination required to win grand finals. Their commitment and hardness at the ball was commendable. Norths had the wind in the third quarter and managed to kick 4 goals whilst we remained scoreless. At 3-quarter time, we were definitely right in the game, despite the 5 goal deficit. We needed to score early maintain scoreboard pressure - unfortunately this was not the case, and we ended up going down by 6 goals. Credit to North Shore had an extremely strong side fielding many regular first graders. Some great efforts Lloyd Shepherd and Blair Hartherley in nullifying some of Norths potent forwards, Jarrod Myers, Scott Cummings, James Love and Mick Hossen for their constant drive forward.

As expected injuries / unavailability's allowed many guys to experience Reserve Grade football. Unfortunately we also had 2 season ending injuries in Kells and C.Aitken. Overall 51 players were represented PHAFC Reserve grade. A good mix of the up and coming young guys with a number of 2003 U/18 graduates - Hossen, Twohig, Kells, Jacobs, Shirt, Gaggin as well as a blend of older heads - Hatherley, Rakic, A.Howarth, Browne. This is critical mix required to achieve success in Reserve grade football. Add to that a few new faces - The Aitkens, Shepherd plus our regular reserve graders our list is certainly talented.

Congratulations to all trophy winners, special mention to Scotty Cummings in winning Best and Fairest in only his second year of football. Scotty is great to coach; his willingness to listen and learn is a lesson to all. Hopefully we'll see Scotty back in 2005. Other trophy winners were - James Love - Runner Up Best and Fairest, a fantastic effort for a guy who was still eligible for U/18s. James Fulton for his consistency throughout the year, Josh Low - Best Team Man for his 100% commitment to the team / training / functions, Lloyd Shepherd - Most Improved for his sensational second half of the year (2 first grade games also) and Jarrod Myers - Coaches Award for really stepping up his efforts / involvements in 2004.

As a player coach, I sincerely thank a number of people. They certainly made my job easier, and I wouldn't have been able to do it without them:

Firstly, to my family for the their love and support. Kenny Couchman - the man behind the board, a constant source of guidance and support.

Our Physios, Sarah, Greg and Daniella for assisting in maintaining the health and fitness of all the guys.

Peter Myers, as team manager, who ensured that match days were run as smooth as possible.

All other coaches, thanks for the input and support throughout the year. Training numbers were great and all sides managed to play finals, 3 playing off in the grand final. Ian Parker, as Football Manager / Chairman of Selectors, your efforts in running a seamless Football department were certainly appreciated.

Reserve grade has done well over the past few years, but its time the premierships flag was bought to Ern Holmes oval in 2005.

CHRIS YARD
Reserve Grade Coach - PHAFC



Thirds Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

BEST & FAIREST:	Jason Walton
Runner Up B&F:	Craig Hartley
	Chris Hillard
Most Consistent:	Jason Carr
Best Team Man:	Warwick Jackson
Most Improved:	Adam Hobart
Coaches Award:	Mark Ellwood
Players' Player - 'Telf':	Craig Hartley

THIRDS BEST & FAIREST TOP TEN

Jason Walton	53
Craig Hartley	44
Christopher Hillard	44
Richard Harden	40
Warwick Jackson	39
Mark Ellwood	30
Jason Carr	29
Frank Piccolo	26
Jonathon Moriatis	25
Adam Hobart	24

2004 ARMSTRONG MEDAL

Sydney Australian Football League
- Division 2

Daniel Molkenton - Penrith / St Clair
Won with 20 votes

ARMSTRONG MEDAL - VOTE COUNT TALLY

Richard Harden	8
Sam Low	5
Frank Piccolo	4
Nicholas Aitken	3
Michael Boers	3
Michael Sullivan	3
Tim Young	3
John Gooley	3
Adrian Lal	2
Michael White	2
Craig Hartley	2
David Mahoney	2
Jason Walton	2
Tim Wolnizer	2
Jason Llyal	1
Adam Hobart	1
Christopher Hillard	1
Neil Roberts	1

2004 LEADING GOALKICKER

Jason Carr - 50



Best & Fairest Winner
Jason Walton

2004 THIRDS PERSONNEL

Coach:	Simon Doak
Assistant Coach:	Leo Browne
Team Manager:	Polly Lyle
	Shona Fisher
Captain:	Frank Piccolo

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Campbelltown	18	0	18	0	1023	2332	43.87	0

2004 GRAND FINAL

Kelso Oval on Saturday, 11th September
Sydney Uni Blue 8.6 (54) def Pennant Hills 6.7 (43)

Thirds Awards & Coaches Report

Third Grades goals for the 2004 season were to improve our football, make the Finals and then attempt to defend our Title. In a successful year we managed the first two but just missed out on the third goal in a very close Grand Final. As with every new year the preseason started with the inevitable change in players. However, more than half the team came back after last years success. The new recruits that we picked up were Jason Walton, Tim Wolinzer, Phil Grounds and the experienced Jason Holmes and Neil Roberts.

Thirds started the season impressively by winning the first five games. Jason Carr showed what a committed preseason can achieve and led the Division two goal kicking for the first couple of rounds. He ended up finishing second after kicking 57 for the season with a highest tally of 7 and two other bags of 5. For his commitment and successful year Jas was awarded the Most Consistent Player for Thirds.

The Grand Final rematch against Sydney Uni Blue in Round 6 was eagerly anticipated. However on the day we ended up going down by 32 points. This served as a wake up call for the next few games until Penrith St Clair managed to beat us by 4 points on their home ground in a very tight contest. For the only time in the season we lost two in a row, going down the following weekend by 40 points to Sydney Uni Blue at "The Ern".

Thirds refocused and played some excellent football to win the remaining five games. We finished second on the ladder and therefore gained the double chance. This was a great team result and was due to the players dedicated attitude and attendance at training. The team significantly improved on last year's performance. While the overall playing squad had reduced from 65 to 54 it allowed players more game time and resulted in improved skill levels. The season highlight though was a scratch match against the under 18's. We had them covered before being given the official word to go lightly on the young fellows. This we did by moving our fullback to full forward and letting the Team Managers take the three quarter time huddle speech.

Our highest placed representative in the Sydney AFL's Armstrong Medal was Richard Harden who finished equal fourth in a superb season. His imposing play in the Ruck and Forward line resulted in 8 goals and he also played his 50th game for the club. Our Best and Fairest winner was Jason Walton in his first year at Pennant Hills. He was our weapon of choice across the Half Forward line or on the ball. He controlled the play well in both positions, either setting up opportunities for teammates or converting them himself. An unlucky collision in the last game of the season resulted in a serious shoulder injury, ruling him out of the finals.

The Best and Fairest runner up was shared between Craig Hartley and Chris Hillard. Harts had another magnificent year in the centre leading from the front as Captain. Hillard, in only his second year at Penno showed tremendous determination and hardness at the ball to become a respected member of the side. Unfortunately a broken collarbone in the finals kept him out of the Grand Final.

Special mention must go to Frank "Frankie" Piccolo who spent another year getting knocked around while getting the hard balls for the team. If he does choose to retire on 148 Penno games then it will have been a sensational achievement. Other team members that deserve a special mention for their efforts over the year include Michael White, Brendan Darcy, Lu Aitken and new boys Paul "Rooster" Redpath and David "Doz" Oswald.

The Best Team Man Award deservedly went to our Vice Captain Warwick Jackson. Jackson showed tremendous ability in the Ruck and also assisted the team off the field with match reports, event organisation and helping out on game day. Every team member appreciated his eagerness, positive energy and encouragement on the field. The Most Improved Trophy went to Adam "Hobbo" Hobart. His improvement over the season was outstanding and the team thrived on his enthusiasm. His selfless act of putting his body on the line in the final game and coming off second best was inspirational.

The Coach's Award goes to the Mark "Panhead" Ellwood. After last years shoulder operation and in only his second year of senior football, Mark was given the responsibility for the fullback position. He made the position his own and stood up to be counted in every one of our games. His strong marking and attack on the ball made him crucial to the Thirds game plan. For the second year running Craig Hartley won the prodigious Players Player Trophy. Harts' never say die attitude is one of the driving factors behind the Thirds team and the award is a wonderful vote of admiration from the players for their Captain.



The Finals campaign got off to a familiar start with Sydney Uni Blue winning a close 2nd Semi Final by 20 points. In our next game we took our second chance stylishly. We played some of our best footy to overpower UTS by 80 points and make the Grand Final for the second year in a row.

Grand Final day saw the Thirds players give everything they could in an exciting and close encounter. Twice we took the lead in a hard fought game, but ended up being down at three quarter time by three-goals. In the last quarter there was a strong wind assisting us and we kicked the first goal. However Sydney Uni Blue kicked a steady goal in reply to restore the 18-point advantage. During a frantic last 12 minutes we could only manage to whittle the final margin down to 11 points.

Adam Hobart and John Moratis' courageous attack on the ball during this game resulted in serious injury. Their efforts highlight the passion and commitment that Third's have for their team and for playing football. Hobart's head collision resulted in a great act of sportsmanship from a Sydney Uni player who was also a Physio. The opposition player choose to stay by Hobbo's side on and off the field, even at the potential detriment to his own side.

Thirds fantastic team camaraderie and spirit goes beyond the playing group and includes our supporters, family members and the player's partners. Compared to other Division two sides we have exceptional support at all our games. Football clubs and teams cannot do without this and Thirds would like to thank those from the U'18s who umpired for us, Mr John Ellwood, our professional goal umpire for the season and Shona Fisher for being both Team Runner and Assistant Team Manager. Thanks also to our dedicated Team Manger Polly Lyle. Her organisation and delegation skills were essential to our on field success and are most appreciated by the team and myself.

A successful year is the result of many people's efforts. I want to thank the players for their commitment, our Physio's Andrew and Greg and to all those who assisted Third grade and myself over a rewarding year. Thanks also to the other senior coaches Danny, Yardy, KC, DK, Bruiser, Craig Hartley (Capt), Michael Sullivan (VC) and Warwick Jackson (VC) for their input and support. Once again it was great to have Leo Browne's experience and passion assisting us during the finals. A special thank you must also go to Ian Parker, Alan Brawn and Col Huggins who kept Thirds operating as a professional team by organising home games, scoring and timekeeping.

Pennant Hills Third Grade played with determination, passion and pride, giving everything they had in an excellent game, on that final day in September. While wining the flag was not to be, it was still a successful and enjoyable year. I thank the club and Third Grade for their support as Thirds aim to go one better next year.

SIMON DOAK
Thirds Coach - PHAFC

Under 18 Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

BEST & FAIREST:

Runner Up B&F: Matthew Carey
Most Consistent: Damian Dell'Aquila
Best Team Man: Mitch Aitken
Most Improved: Danny Deigan
Coaches Award: Scott Roberts
Ben Mankarious
Ben Mankarious
Players' Player - 'Paddy': Ben Akmens

PENNANT HILLS U/18

TOP TEN

Matthew Carey	93
Damian Dell'Aquila	82
Benjamin Akmens	78
Hadyn Bengier	66
Mitchell Aitken	49
Charlie Richardson	49
Ben Mankarious	47
Phillip Cross	46
Ben Cantrall	44
Scott Myers	41

2004 KEALEY MEDAL

Sydney Australian Football League
- Under 18
Morgan Hudson - St. George
Won with 19 votes

KEARLY MEDAL - VOTE COUNT TALLY

Mitch Aitken	15
Matthew Carey	13
Hayden Bengier	10
Benjamin Akmens	8
Charlie Richardson	7
Benjamin Mankarious	5
Samuel Widmer	4
Damian Dell'Aquila	3
Scott Myers	3
Benjamin Cantrall	2
Richard Laing	2
Alex Atkinson	2
Jason Smith	2

2004 LEADING GOALKICKER

Matthew Carey - 133



Best & Fairest Winner

Matthew Carey

2004 UNDER 18'S PERSONNEL

Coach: Daniel Kenny
Assistant Coach: Bruce Mansfield
Team Manager: Peter Myers
Captain: Benjamin Akmens
Vice Captain: Samuel Widmer

U/18 LADDER AT THE END OF THE 2004 HOME AND AWAY SEASON

	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
Pennant Hills	16	15	1	0	2163	597	362.31	60
St George	16	14	2	0	1885	568	331.87	56
East Coast Eagles	16	12	4	0	1705	782	218.03	48
Wollongong	16	12	4	0	1337	622	214.95	48
Redbacks	16	11	5	0	1511	657	229.98	44
Riverview	16	11	5	0	1700	844	201.42	44
North Shore	16	10	6	0	1788	667	268.07	40
Balmain	16	6	10	0	1104	1409	78.35	24
West Sydney Magpies	16	5	10	1	970	1284	75.55	22
UNSW-ES	16	3	12	1	693	1583	43.78	14
Southern Sharks	16	3	13	0	529	1901	27.83	12
Campbelltown	16	1	15	0	269	2432	11.06	4

2004 GRAND FINAL

Henson Park on Sunday, 21st September
St George 7.7 (49) def Pennant Hills 7.6 (48)

Under 18 Awards & Coaches Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

Season 2004 was another outstanding year for the Pennant Hills Under 18's lead by Captain Ben Akmens & his Vice Captains Mitch Aitken & Sam Widmer. We finished for the second year running top of the table and Minor Premiers winning 15 matches and losing just 1. Matthew "King" Carey kicked 133 goals for the year to set a club record and in doing so took out the competitions leading goal kicking award. The preseason goal of being back to back premiers was not to be with the side falling by 1 point in the Grand Final to a determined St George side and the equally determined men in orange.

Our season started with 40 players on our list and as per previous years was gradually reduced to 30 by Grand Final Day. We welcomed 7 players from the 2003 premiership winning Pennant Hills U/16's, Sydney Under 16 Redbacks provided 4, Hornsby Under 16's 3, Westbrook Under 16's 2, Baulkham Hills Under 16's 1 & our international recruit Ben Mankarious from the Singapore Wombats. To the 8 players that were not selected on Grand Final Day I would like to thank you personally for the way you took your non selection and the maturity you showed was beyond your years. Its players like you guys that makes Pennant Hills such a great club.

The backline unfortunately due to injury, swans reserves, first grade selection never had a chance to get settled. The only guy who was sure to be selected down there was Full Back Scott "Hollywood" Roberts who throughout his 20 games allowed unbelievably only 13 goals to the opposition full forwards. Matt "Boomba" Boers improved every week and will be a key player in 2005 while David Corder was solid and reliable. Others to play key roles in the backline were Paul Pastras, Tommy Ellison, James Mansfield and David Rountree. During the finals series we finally got some consistency with big, bustling Ben Cantrall at CHB returning from first grade duty, while Brendan Rankine & Phil Cross filled the speedy and hard at the ball roles to perfection. Crossy especially was a standout in our finals series and looks to be a key player in Under 18's 2005. Despite the high turnover of players in each position the boys averaged a miserly 37 points kicked against them over the season.

Our midfield and centre line were the best I have seen at Under 18 club level. Damien "Brick" Dell'Aquila, Ben Mankarious, Charlie Richardson & Luke Turner had sensational first years and we wish Brick and Manks all the best with Rams next season. Our two ruckman Rich Laing & Sam Widmer were by far the best in the competition with both hardly losing a tap all year. Skipper Ben Akmens in the centre was inspirational and lead by example to our younger midfielders. Charlie and Luke will form the nucleus of a great on ball combination next year with both having a fantastic finals series. Paul "Sunday" Randazzo, James Berechree & Ben Richards always gave us that extra zip on the wings and Ben Richards commitment to training needs to be acknowledged.

The forward line was by far and away the best in the competition. Averaging 135 points a game and our starting forward line in the grand final had kicked 1,482 points throughout the year. Lead by Matt "King" Carey with 133 goals. His season's best was 21 goals 3 behinds and all this with 2 opponents sometimes 3. A most deserved best & fairest and thoroughly deserving the title "The King". Scotty "Little Woolly" Myers (41 goals), Hayden "Banger" Benger (36 Goals) & Mitch Aitken (27 Goals) were our other key forwards. Scotty had a season best of 10 goals and Banger 11 goals while Mitch played many games at CHB or HBF. All 3 players are back next year. Drew Bilbe when not on the ball provided the hard ball gets in the forward line while Dale "Beef" Wellington gave us a big target to kick to. Allan Raffel

& Jason Smith were first year Under 18 players both handy up forward and read the ball well. Big Alex Atkinson is a proven goal sneak. Always reading the play and will be a great target next year.

To our support staff thank you all very much. Sarah Forsyth our physiotherapist kept everyone fit and healthy while finding time in her busy schedule to attend nearly all team social functions. Andy Smyth was fantastic in his role as runner and our long successful partnership continues with 4 grand finals from 5 years of coaching. Peter "Woolly" Myers was our sensational team manager and revealed too much at an Under 18's BBQ and found himself with a new nickname.

Bruce "Bruiser" Mansfield was backing up as Assistant coach after a successful 2003. Prior to the finals Bruisers Under 18 coaching record was 37 wins and only 2 losses. His highlight of the year surely must be kicking 2 goals in the Under 18s defeat of Doaky's Third Grade side in a scratch match. Thanks Bruiser, good cop & bad cop worked again.

Thank you to fellow coaches Big Dan, Yardy, KC, Marty & Doaks along with Chicken and the committee. All your combined efforts helped the demons to the Sydney AFL Club of The Year Trophy. Well done!

Special mention to Danny "The Dragon" Deigan. Danny missed out on selection in the 2003 Grand Final winning side and in order to improve attended just about every preseason training session dating back November last year. He then missed only 1 or 2 throughout the season and in the lead up to the finals even attended the extra Wednesday night sessions. Unfortunately I did not pick The Dragon in this year's finals series. He is the perfect team man and thoroughly deserved his award on presentation night in front of his peers. On Sunday 26th September Danny was named Captain of the NSW Under 18's Gaelic Football team to play in the Australasian Championships in Melbourne. Congratulations Dragon, your perseverance, dedication & strong will to succeed is a lesson to us all.

2005 is shaping as another big year for the Under 18's. 17 of the 30 squad are back, we will welcome 4 extremely talented players from the Riverview Under 18's who were coached by Martin Dulke. They had a fantastic first year and only missed out on the finals on percentage. Well done Marty. Pennant Hills Under 16's were minor premiers, Westbrook Under 16's went deep into the finals and of course we welcome 3-4 Sydney Under 16 players. All looks good for next season with revenge firmly on our minds.

DANIEL KENNY
Under18 Coach - PHAFC



2004 Football & Club Secretary's Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

2004 Football Report

Season 2004 saw many achievements both on and off the playing field by the Pennant Hills Club;

Pre season training commenced in November 2003 at Loretto College with access to the best facilities in Sydney for a SFL club,

Participation in the Dubbo Demons pre season carnival with a predominantly under 23 team and after a long and exhausting day plus a locust plague were defeated by 3 points by Bathurst in the grand final,

Successful sponsorship negotiations being finalised with our major sponsor ARA group and associated companies, and support sponsors Pennant Hills Inn, Vital Fitness, One Ocean Seafood Restaurant, Alsco Linen, Diamond Shine Cleaning Services, Riverside Oaks, Grange Securities and many associated sponsors,

Ryan Talbot, Barnarby Howarth, Anthony Brawn, Alex Huggins and Peter Carey being selected in the Sydney AFL team to play in Wagga.

Ryan Talbot and Barnarby Howarth being selected in the NSW Country AFL Carnival team which played in Perth, Matthew Carey kicking 100 goals and completing the season with 133 goals for the Under 18 team, Laine Spencer winning the Premier League goalkicking award with 64 goals,

Winning the Sydney AFL Premier League Club of the Year for on and off field performance,

Players Andrew Hodgson, Justin Barratt and Kieren Jack playing with the RAMS and the NSW under 18 National carnival team,

Several of our younger players playing with the Swans Reserves on a regular basis,

Anthony Brawn playing 200 senior grade games for the club,

Chris Yard playing 250 senior grade games for the club, Discussion with the Hornsby Council in relation to the possible upgrade and development of our home ground, the Ern Holmes oval,

Support from the Sydney AFL staff in particular Simon Laughton and Anthony Dignan in football matters, Players conducting training sessions at our local junior clubs being Pennant Hills, Westbrook and Hornsby, Swans players conducting a training session with Westbrook juniors and also our Under 18 team, Pennant Hills financial support for the Simon Meyer appeal and a table at the fundraising dinner, Extended Physio and medical support and facilities for our players,

Continued support by our "canteen ladies" and their assistants on home game days,

Regular updates on our website

www.pennanthillsafc.com.au by webmaster Scott Howell,

Continued support from our relationship with the Melbourne Football Club, Expansion of our sister club relationship with Dubbo Demons Football Club,

The Administration work completed by Secretary

Extraordinaire Alan Brawn,

Having all four teams compete in the finals series and three teams playing in their respective Grand Finals,

All leads to 2005 with a greater expectation, desire and commitment by playing in and winning the Grand Finals

IAN PARKER

Vice President (Football) - PHAFC

Club Secretary's Report

At the beginning of season 2003 we returned to Ern Holmes Oval to a much improved ground surface and grass cover. At the beginning of season 2004 the surface was even better. Then it stopped raining. Notwithstanding the lack of rain the surface stood up to the 'wear and tear' of training and match days. We did not return to the 'dust bowl' condition of previous years and the oval remained open when other ovals in Sydney were closed.

The oval has an underground irrigation system and we thank Hornsby Council for watering the oval of a Monday as allowed by Sydney Water and the cricket pitch area of a Friday before match days. Hornsby Council is investigating other sources of water as it appears that watering of sport grounds may be permanently restricted in the future.

Hornsby Council allowed us to place a construction site shed near the umpires' room for use by the umpires. The extra space was appreciated by the umpires as was the air conditioning!!!

Included in a Sports Facility Strategy and Parks Capital Works Program adopted by Hornsby Shire Sports Council and to be approved by Council is an item 'develop premier senior AFL ground'. This is another step forward in realising the dream of a first class oval and facilities for the code and our club. Preliminary meetings have already been held with the Mayor and Council Officers. Hopefully in the early part of 2005 we will be able to move to detailed planning of a widen playing surface and new facilities.

As ground manager I would like to thank everyone who assisted with the preparation of the ground on match day and the cleaning up process at the conclusion of the games.

Thank you to Colin Huggins for organising the site shed for the umpires and the scissor lift for the games which were videoed to be shown on the Fox Footy Channel.

Once again I must thank my wife, Lesley, for her tolerance and understanding of my involvement in the club.

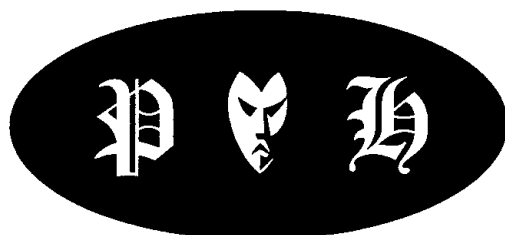
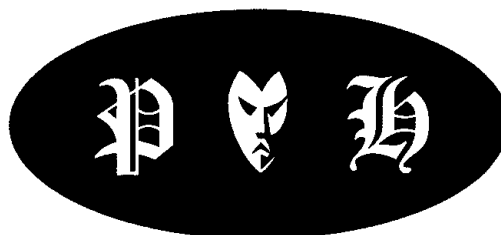
ALAN BRAWN

Club Secretary - PHAFC

2004 Best & Fairest Winners

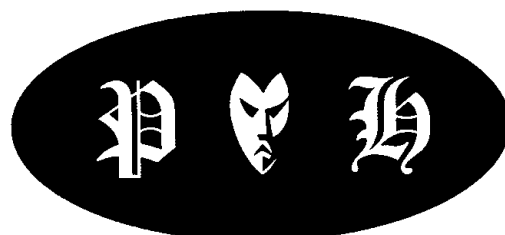
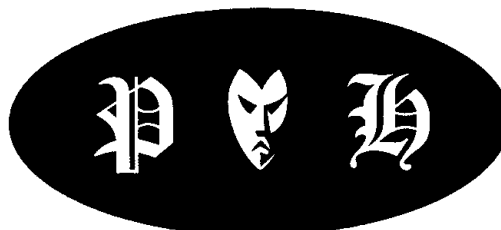
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SENIORS BEST AND FAIREST
Anthony Brawn



RESERVES BEST AND FAIREST
Scott Cummings

THIRDS BEST AND FAIREST
Jason Walton



UNDER 18s BEST AND FAIREST
Matthew Carey

2004 'Red & Blue Ball'

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

The Red and Blue Ball is now, well and truly, the premiere night of the Demon social season.

The expectations were high this year, with the Menzies Hotel hosting Ball's city debut.

The anticipation was high, the excitement intoxicating.

The players displaying their silky skills off the field under lights, after all grades strong performances on the field during the day, making the evening's refreshments all the sweeter.

The line up of entertainment for the evening was unprecedented, not only for the Ball, but arguably for the CBD of Sydney.

Hearts were racing from the outset with the girls of the club glamorous in their support of the playing fraternity.

Australian Basketball legend and Olympic Basketball team Captain, was our special guest for the evening.

The "Hammer" (his work name) told of the lifestyle his chosen sport has allowed him to play, with his career taking him across the globe, from the US to Greece. Of forging a career in a sport dominated by...huge, huge men.

His time and presence greatly appreciated, just a week before he left for the Olympics.

A guest of the club, who happened to be a hypnotist, was so excited and impressed with the Red and Blue evening, he offered a performance in the art of hypnosis.

Who would have thought Seto and Crossy were such natural dogs and strippers?

That Danny Ryan may in fact be the real Superman? Or that Warwick Jackson feels more for Moose than brotherly love? It was a marvelous insight into the minds of many a demon.

As is customary, the dancing, drinking and good times went long into the night, with tales of bravado on the field, only bettered by exploits on the dance floor.

A number of people worked tirelessly behind the scenes to put on a fantastic night.

Special thank you to Laine Spencer and Sommers cricket equipment for their donations.

To Marty Dulke and the Riverview boys for their attendance and to the players group who brought the night together. Until next year...

Now on to the photos of the night...



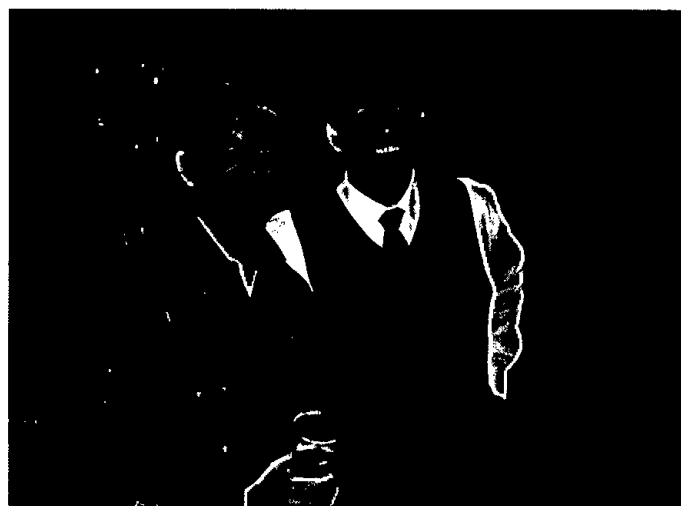
Noodles, Rosco, Yardy, TH, Kerls & Brawny



The Under 18s Boys



The Girls...



Big Dan & Laino

For more photos of the night check them out at www.pennanthillsafc.com.au

2004 Milestones

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

ANTHONY BRAWN PLAYS HIS 200th SENIOR GAME FOR PENNANT HILLS

Anthony Brawn did not start playing the game until 1990. He had played soccer since aged 6 and was looking for a change.

Westbrook U15 team was short of players and a friend at Pennant Hills High School recruited Anthony to "Aussie Rules". His first game was in round 4 and he took to the game 'like a duck takes to water'. The team then won 11 games on the trot only to be beaten in the grand final. In his first season Anthony averaged 6 goals a game and midway his first season kicked 16 goals in one game.

In 1991 Anthony represented NSW in the Combined High Schools competition and was selected in the All Australian U16 Schoolboy team. 1991 also saw Anthony represent NSW in the Teal Cup competition. He again represented NSW again in the Teal Cup competition in 1992.

Anthony first played in the Pennant Hills first grade team in 1991 as a 16 year old and has been an integral member of the first grade team since 1992. He was Pennant Hills leading goal kicker in 1997, 1999, 2000 and 2003. In 1999 he won the Ern Holmes 'best and fairest' Trophy and was also Footballer of the Year.

In 1999 the Pennant Hills committee endorsed his appointment as Club Captain, a role in which he served with distinction until the end of season 2003 when, due to work commitments, he retired from the Captaincy. Anthony was captain of the victorious 2000 team that won the First grade Premiership for the first time for the club.

Anthony has represented the Sydney AFL on numerous occasions in its games against the Riverina.

One of Anthony's attributes has been his leadership especially amongst the younger players in the Pennant Hills Club, which in the words of a former coach, Peter Bennett, has made him 'a great leader and clubman'.

Anthony has his eyes on Chris Yard's record for the most games played for Pennant Hills. The only problem is that Chris Yard has to stop playing football !!

Pennant Hills salutes another GREAT DEMON.....**Anthony Brawn**.

200 Senior Games

**Anthony
Brawn**



250 Senior Games

**Chris
Yard**



CHRIS YARD PLAYS HIS 250th SENIOR GAME FOR PENNANT HILLS

Pennant Hills "legend" Chris Yard played his 250th senior game with the club.

Chris commenced his AFL playing career with Westbrook Juniors in 1987, being one of the first players at Westbrook following their formation.

Chris then transferred to the Pennant Hills senior club in the Under 19's in 1988 and his senior debut was against Campbelltown at Ern Holmes in 1989. He has always played in the ruck, or wherever "the coach

needed some speed"!!

Chris has played with the Demons since that date and earlier this year broke the club record of 233 games in the game against Balmain at Drummoyne oval. Rod Miles had held this record for many years.

Chris now claims that for every one of the 21 games since that date he has continued to break the existing record!

His memorable achievements have been the 2000 Senior Premiership win and the 1991 Best & Fairest award. Chris played a number of games with the Swans U19's in the early days including a game in Melbourne. Chris played 129 consecutive games from the start of 1996 until round 3 in 2003, this is probably a Penno record in itself.

Season 2004 has seen Chris in the role as Playing Coach of the Reserves team which to date is on top of the ladder and looking towards a successful final series.

Congratulations to **Chris Yard**..... Another Penno living legend.

Dubbo Demons Report (Sister Club)

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

On behalf of the Dubbo Australian Football Club I would like to firstly congratulate you on a successful year and although this year's "Holy Grail" may have slipped through your grasp like the Demons out west, 2005 is another season to try and notch up the big one.

Having followed the Pennant Hills Demons throughout the 2004 football season courteous of your newsletters plus the many emails from Ian Parker, your club certainly had many milestones including those players who notched up 100 games plus as well as those committee members and persons involved within your club that made it all possible. It goes without saying that the professionalism and support that is enjoyed by Pennant Hills is something that the Dubbo Football Club is trying to emulate.

It has been good to hear that Lloyd Shepherd played some good football this year, obviously Dubbo missed him in this year's Grand Final but that's how it goes, hopefully he will keep moving up in 2005. The guys in Dubbo are hoping to see him at the Pre-Season Football Carnival in 2005 (both on the field and socially). In 2005 we are also loosing an under 17 player by the name of James Kennedy to Sydney who will be a great asset to your club in the next few years.

The 2005 Dubbo Pre-Season Football Carnival promises to be even bigger and better than this year, (we promise to try and get the goal posts right on Number 2 Oval) now that Dubbo has secured the event each year. I believe it will only go from strength to strength and particularly with football clubs like PHAFC traveling and giving our local clubs a standard to work towards it is good for Australian Rules all round and has proved to be an exciting concept.

Due to Easter falling on the last weekend in March (which is our traditional carnival date) we have been forced to move the 2005 carnival to the 2-3 April, and although this traditionally is the opening round of a lot of football leagues we have still had interest from Tamworth, Broken Hill, Albury, the ACT, Riverina-Murray Power (an Aboriginal side) as well as probably our first acceptance the Wagga Tigers.

It is hoped that with enough numbers we will be hosting a 2 division carnival playing for a cash purse of between \$9000-12000.00. It is also hoped that Ex-Sydney Swans player Paul Kelly will be our official carnival guest as well as our club hosting a NSW versus ACT Woman's AFL match.

For the first time our club will also be hosting an under 17 or 18 football carnival depending on team numbers.

Lastly I would like to thank PHAFC for the relationship that we have enjoyed during 2004 and no doubt It will run into 2005 and beyond, at the beginning of this year I spoke to Ian about a sister relationship and this is well under way and can only improve. In 2005 we will be hoping to get down to Sydney for the "Penno Ball" and hope to enjoy the relationship off the field. I wish everyone a safe and happy Christmas and a prosperous 2005. GO THE MIGHTY DEES!!

MICK WOODBRIDGE
Secretary - DAFC

Junior President's Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

2004 has again seen Pennant Hills reputation as the Premier junior club in Sydney further enhanced with us being awarded Northside Association "Club Of The Year" at the recent Northside awards day. Not only have our players reached great heights on a representative level but our teams continue to be very competitive in every game they play.

This year we have welcomed around 40 new players, which gave us a total of 130 registered players during 2004. We fielded teams at Auskick, U9, U10, U12, U13, U14 and U16 level. I am pleased to see that for the most part, each team has maintained the high standard of behaviour that we expect at Pennant Hills with both sportsmanship and fair play displayed every week by our players, coaches and supporters. We must protect this aspect of our club fiercely as it is this that clearly sets us apart from other clubs in our area.

Due to their loyal and tireless work for the club over many years we awarded Life membership to Harry Ellison, David Power and Greg Barnes. We are really sorry to see them leave the club.

Congratulations to all the coaches who have again needed to work closely with their managers and familiarise many new players and their families with AFL. Numbers in each of our teams have been strong so the reliance of players "playing up" has not been needed as in past years. Auskick coach Daniel Miles did a fine job with Auskick in his second season. We were really pleased to field an U9s this year for the first time since I've been at the club. Some weeks we had 14 players! I actually only did half a job as coach this year with Glenn, Greg and John allowing the U9s to train with the U10s each week – thank you very much guys! Glenn Gunstone and the U10's had a fun season with a large squad due to enthusiastic recruitment work. Michael Cole in his first year got his U12s to the finals. Some fine new recruits and Michael's calm guidance mean we can look forward to much more success in the future. We had 2 teams play on Grand Final day with our U13's coached by Rod Miles overcoming huge odds to defeat an undefeated Westbrook team to win. A fantastic result for all involved. Our U14s under the guidance of Terry Donahoe improved as the year went on to beat one of the top 2 in their last game and nearly make the finals.

Our U16's were the best team all year but could not put it together on Grand Final day to go down to a determined Baulkham Hills. A great deal of credit to the coach Steve Paterson and his assistant Dave Power whose patience and careful guidance managed a large squad equitably all year.

At the representative level we had many players selected in the Northside squads and our congratulations go to those players. In fact we had 10 representative players in the U13s this is surely a record!

We are very proud also this year to see that our ex-players continue to do well. Lenny Hayes (St Kilda) was named Captain of St. Kilda, Jarrad McVeigh made his senior Swans debut, Kieren Jack made the U18 Rams and Nick Potter was picked onto the Swans rookie list.

The secret of any successful club is the people involved and I have been fortunate this year to have had a very hard working and enthusiastic committee. Everything worked like clockwork this year with each person playing their part. Phil Moriatis took on registrar and did a wonderful job getting this part of the club back in order. Thanks to Neil Strange who did a great job as Treasurer whilst continuing his job as U14 team manager. Thanks also to Ronny Low for his regular editing of our Dateline as well as to Greg Barnes, David Power and Harry Ellison for their weekly ground preparation.

Thanks also to Bill Carey for continued ground management and to Robin Strange (supported by Jenny Darvas, Helen Toy and Arna Barnes) for her tireless work as canteen co-ordinator during season 2004.

Susie Johnson did really well organising our uniforms while once again Phil Scarlett was faultless in his trophy purchasing. Steve Paterson has been a supportive VP and his I'm glad it's him and not me who coordinates our draw each year. Thank you also to Sharon and Raelene from the AFL who have provided second to none support for our club this year especially in the area of after school clinics. Thanks to everyone!

We were pleased to again have the support of Barry Smith Holden as our major sponsor and look forward to continuing that relationship during the years to come.

We only had one major social function during the season, thank you for those who attended our Dinner Dance at the Epping Club. It was fantastic fun for everyone, dancing, karaoke and great raffle prizes once again. Thanks to Julie and Tara Schwartz for all your efforts in organising such a great night (and sorry about my singing!).

We were really proud this year to have 2 young men graduate to white shirt umpires and take all umpiring duties during home games for 9, 10 and 12s. Congratulations to both Nathan Strange and Jack Schwartz who were both punctual and reliable all season.

We enjoyed a positive relationship with the Senior Club during 2004 and were really pleased to have had their assistance on a number of occasions with senior players coming to training and helping to run sessions. We look forward to this relationship continuing to thrive during season 2005.

Thank you to all Coaches and Managers this season who maintained the high standard of professionalism and continued our great tradition of ensuring that each player is an important part of a team. This ensures that every player enjoys our great game of Australian Rules Football. One of the sadder aspects of this season is that our terrific group of U16 parents must now move on from the club as their boys join the senior club. I wish this group of people all the best and trust that you have enjoyed your time with Pennant Hills Junior club and take with you fond memories. I hope that our friendships can remain strong into the future. Best wishes also go to the Gunstone family who will be returning to Melbourne at the end of this season. It is a real shame to lose someone like Glenn whose football knowledge is second-to-none as he has proven to be a fine coach. It is also a shame to lose young Jake as a player as he really started to come on and play some terrific football during the year.

I wish to thank all parents and players for being involved with Pennant Hills Junior AFL during the season and I look forward to seeing all of you again involved with the Demons in Season 2005.

Finally, thank you to my wife Helen and my children Kate and Nick for their support during the season. Thanks also to our many friends in the club for your sense of fun and making every week enjoyable. We look forward to enjoying your company again in 2005.

JON SIMPSON
President – PHAFC Juniors

2004 Player Records - Game Tallies

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

OPEN AGE TOTAL:	NAME:	2004:	SENIORS:	RESERVES:	THIRDS:	UNDER 18s:	CLUB GAME TOTALS:
254	YARD	Chris	21		21		254#
200	BRAWN	Anthony	19	19			200#
191	GOOLEY	Paul	3			3	191#
174	HATHERLEY	Blair	12	5	7		191#
148	PICCOLO	Frank	17			17	148
143	HALL	Tim	14	11	3		158
141	RAKIC	John	21		21		141
133	HARTLEY	Craig	16			16	148
131	FULTON	James	21		21		160
127	BELL	Ashley	11	11			127
125	CAREY	Peter	19	19			158
102	GRAY	Matthew	13	13			102
97	DOAK	Simon	19			19	97
95	BROWNE	Paul	17		17		111
88	NUNAN	Tim	10	10			88
86	CHERRIE	Stephen	21	2	19		86
85	KENNY	Tim	7		1	6	126
84	POTTER	Tim	13	10	2	1	119
83	HOWARTH	Barnaby	18	18			94
81	DELOOZE	Adam	13		10	3	114
79	FOLKARD	Paul	19	19			86
78	HOWARTH	Adam	19	1	18		78
74	YOUNG	Tim	14			14	74
61	DELOOZE	Daniel	11	11			93
57	HARDEN	Richard	19			19	57
55	TALBOT	Ryan	16	16			87
52	HOLGATE	Michael	19	13	6		108
51	HUGGINS	Alex	18	15	3		53
50	DUNNING	David	1	1			50
49	DRIVER	Luke	17	15	2		77
48	BOERS	Michael	13	2	7	4	63
48	LOW	Sam	20	3	8	9	66
48	WHITE	Michael	14			14	48
47	LOVELL	David	17			17	72
44	LYALL	Jason	8			8	59
43	PARKER	Sebastian	15	14	1		79
43	JACK	Brant	13	2	11		55
42	LOW	Josh	21	1	18	2	65
42	SMYTH	Adam	21	1	19	1	75
40	D'ARCY	Brendan	16			16	70
36	ELLWOOD	Mark	17		1	16	71
36	MYERS	Jarrod	16		15	1	63
35	CUMMINGS	Scott	18		18		35
35	HOWELL	Scott	12	6	6		75
35	RAFFEL	Julian	3			3	71
34	SULLIVAN	Michael	15			15	71
33	JACKSON	Warwick	17			17	33
32	BILBE	Luke	16	7	9		45
32	CARR	Jason	18			18	32
32	HILLARD	Christopher	15		1	14	32
29	CONNORS	Dean	13	10	3		60
26	HACKETT	Wayne	10			10	26
26	KENNY	Daniel	7			7	63
24	HILLIER	Anthony	0				40
24	HOSSEN	Michael	20	6	14		58
23	CROSS	Brad	16	16			23
23	LOVE	James	21	2	19		34
23	SULLIVAN	Nathan	4			4	56
21	SHEPHERD	Lloyd	21	3	15	3	21
21	WATTS	Robert	16	6	10		34
20	HODDY	Joel	4			4	20
19	BARRATT	Justin	10	10			19
19	SHIRT	Tim	16		15	1	43
18	AITKEN	Lucas	18			18	26
18	LAL	Adrian	11			11	50
17	EDE	Darren	6			6	17

2004 Player Records - Game Tallies

OPEN AGE TOTAL:	NAME:	2004:	SENIORS:	RESERVES:	THIRDS:	UNDER 18s:	CLUB GAME TOTALS:
17	GAGGIN Jarryd	15		15			46
17	SPENCER Laine	17	17				17
16	COUSENS Michael	16	16				16
16	HOBART Adam	16			16		46
16	WOLNIZER Tim	16			16		16
15	JACOB Ben	14		13	1		43
15	TWOHIG Michael	13	1	12			43
14	GROUND'S Phillip	12			12		14
14	HODGSON Andrew	8	8				14
14	KELLS Grant	7	2	5			33
14	MORIATIS Jonathon	14		6	8		27
12	BOERS David	0					14
12	DULKE Martin	2			2		12
12	OWERS Daniel	7	6	1			31
11	WALTON Jason	11		1	10		11
10	JACK Kieren	10	9	1			10
10	BURR Jarrod	10			10		10
10	REDPATH Paul	10			10		10
9	SETFORD Clint	9	7	2			9
7	AITKEN Cameron	7		7			23
7	CANTRALL Ben	7	7			11	18
7	HOLMES Jason	7			7		7
7	ROBERTS Neil	7			7		7
6	AITKEN Nicholas	6		5	1		18
6	OSWALD David	6			6		6
5	PORTER John	5			5		5
5	ROBERTS Matthew	4		2	2		24
4	BENGER Hayden	4	3	1		15	19
4	WIDMER Samuel	1	1			15	34
3	CAREY Matthew	2	2			18	38
3	CORDER David	0				15	29
3	DEIGAN Danny	0				11	21
3	DELL'AQUILA Damian	3	3			14	17
3	RAFFEL Allan	3			3	7	10
3	RANKINE Brendan	0				13	28
2	LAING Richard	2		2		17	19
2	MYERS Scott	2		2		17	34
2	ROUNTREE David	0				6	11
1	AITKEN Mitch	1		1		17	35
1	FINN Simon	1			1		1
1	MANSFIELD James	1		1		9	13
1	RICHARDS Ben	1		1		17	18
1	ROBERTS Scott	1		1		17	22
0	AKMENS Ben	0				16	24
0	ATKINSON Alex	0				14	14
0	BERECHREE James	0				5	5
0	BILBE Drew	0				17	17
0	BOERS Matthew	0				15	22
0	CROSS Philip	0				16	16
0	EDWARDS Mark	0				2	2
0	ELLISON Tom	0				10	10
0	McKAY Arron	0				2	2
0	MANKARIOUS Ben	0				11	11
0	MILES Ben	0				1	1
0	PASTRAS Paul	0				6	6
0	RANDAZZO Paul	0				17	27
0	RICHARDSON Charlie	0				18	18
0	SMITH Jason	0				17	17
0	TURNER Luke	0				15	15
0	WELLINGTON Dale	0				14	14

NB: These players Club Games tally are incomplete at time of printing

Honour Rolls

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

100 GAMES+

(Open Age)

Chris Yard	254
Rod Miles	233
Terry Donohoe	220
Stephen Monahan	208
Anthony Brawn	200
Doug Scholz	196
Trevor Daykin	190
Paul Gooley	191
John Murray	179
Blair Hatherley	174
A (Tony) Hill	166
Greg Hardy	165
Justin Kerley	157
Danny Ryan	153
Terry J Hill	153
Randal Green	150
Danny Cater	149
Frank Piccolo	148
Chris MacDonald	147
Gerard Mimmo	146
Tim Hall	143
W (Bill) Carey	141
John Rakic	141
Gary Spillane	139
Mick Toy	136
Craig Hartley	133
James Fulton	131
Greg Hume	129
Paul Whelan	129
Jason Clarke	128
Ashley Bell	127
David Power	126
Peter Dixon	125
Peter Carey	125
John Goswell	124
Bruce Higgs	124
Andrew Ballantyne	123
Ron Van Vliet	120
Stephen Barratt	119
Grant Croese	117
David Direen	116
Grant Smith	116
Daryl Vella	116
Todd McKernan	115
Paul Camilleri	114
Warren Miles	113
Michael Barr	112
Mark Collings	112
Kerry James	112
Eric Joiner	112
Chris Mahar	111
Peter Mathers	107
Michael Coen	107
Kenny Couchman	107
Greg Barnes	106
John Rae	106
Andrew Buchanan	103
Steven Paterson	103
David Thomas	103
Stephen Edwards	102
Russell Green	102
Rod Somerville	102
Matthew Gray	102
Peter Cunnane	100
Hayden Hill	100
Robert Reinten	100
Brian Seletto	100

CLUB LIFE MEMBERS

1973	Barry Sparks (dec)	(S)
1975	Kerry James	(S)
1976	Ern Holmes (dec)	(S)
1980	Ken MacRae	(S)
1980	Rod Miles	(P)
1980	Danny Cater	(P)
1981	Terry J. Hill	(P)
1981	W. (Bill) Carey	(P)
1982	Greg Barnes	(P)
1983	Warren Quintrell	(S)
1984	A. (Gus) McKernan	(S)
1985	Greg Hardy	(P)
1986	Chris Macdonald	(P)
1986	A. (Tony) Hill	(P)
1988	Paul Thrupp	(P)
1989	Doug Scholz	(P)
1991	Gary Spillane	(S)
1994	Stephen Monahan	(P)
1995	Stephen Barratt	(S)
1995	Terry Donohoe	(P)
1995	Stephen Paterson	(P)
1997	Randal Green	(P)
1997	Kenny Couchman	(S)
1998	John Taylor	(S)
1998	Ron Dixon	(S)
1998	Lindsay Thomas	(S)
1998	Gerard Mimmo	(P)
1998	Chris Yard	(P)
1998	Paul Gooley	(P)
1998	Justin Kerley	(P)
1998	Michael Barr	(P)
1998	Todd McKernan	(P)
1999	John Murray	(P)
2000	Andrew Ballantyne	(P)
2000	Danny Ryan	(P)
2000	Peter Dixon	(P)
2000	Jason Clarke	(P)
2001	Anthony Brawn	(P)
2001	Tim Hall	(P)
2002	Blair Hatherley	(P)
2003	Frank Piccolo	(P)
2003	Paul Browne	(P)
2004	John Rakic	(P)
2004	Leo Browne	(S)

2003 Alan Brawn (S)

LEADING SENIOR GOAL KICKERS

1971	Kerry James	47
1972	Kerry James	51
1973	Kerry James	64
1974	Kerry James	52
1975	Eric Joiner	62
1976	W. (Bill) Renwick	84
1977	Wes Smith	65
1978	A. (Tony) Hill	59
1979	Maurie Gale	38
1980	A. (Tony) Hill	46
1981	Stephen Edwards	78
1982	Stephen Edwards	72
1983	Stephen Edwards	22
1984	Steve Bird	96
1985	David Reed	47
1986	Rob Barrett	86
1987	Kenny Couchman	29
1988	Allen Gardiner	69
1989	Allen Gardiner	33
1990	Kenny Couchman	27
1991	John Murray	35
1992	David Brown	39
1993	Randal Green	55
1994	Randal Green	58
1995	Randal Green	82
1996	Randal Green	68
1997	Anthony Brawn	30
1998	Peter Bennett	51
1999	Anthony Brawn	60
2000	Anthony Brawn	33
2001	Adam DeLooze	31
2002	Shaun Jones	27
2003	Anthony Brawn	38
2004	Laine Spencer	64

Honour Rolls

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

ERN HOLMES TROPHY

1971	Ted Clark
1972	Rod Miles
1973	Rod Miles
1974	Kevin Williams
1975	Trevor Daykin
1976	Trevor Daykin
1977	Denis Lenaghan
1978	Danny Cater
1979	Keith Delooze
1980	Pat Wellington
1981	Pat Wellington
1982	Mick Toy
1983	Mick Toy
1984	Gary Spillane
1985	Russell Lieschke
1986	Dick Morton
1987	Glen Hutchison
1988	Neil Pearson
1989	Brett Smith
1990	Gary Spillane
1991	Chris Yard
1992	Paul Whelan
1993	Paul Gooley
1994	Gerard Mimmo
1995	Peter Dixon
1996	Peter Bennett
1997	Tony Redshaw
1998	Chris Mahar
1999	Anthony Brawn
2000	Barnaby Howarth
2001	Barnaby Howarth
2002	Tim Nunan
2003	Tim Nunan
2004	Anthony Brawn

KEN MACRAE SHIELD

1984	Tim Hickey
1985	David Reed
1986	Gerard Thrupp
1987	Jamie McNeil
1988	Kevin Kirk
1989	Justin Kerley
1990	David Thomas
1991	Chris Yard
1992	Peter Dixon
1993	Michael Carey
1994	Matthew Daykin
1995	Chris Mahar
1996	Barnaby Howarth
1997	Peter Carey
1998	Adam Delooze
1999	Dylan Triegaardt
2000	Kristen Williams
2001	Ryan Talbot
2002	Alex Huggins
	Sebastian Parker
2003	Justin Barratt
2004	Kieren Jack

PENNANT HILLS AFC FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

1986	David Brown
1987	Glen Hutchison
1988	Gary Spillane
1989	Stephen Barratt
1990	Tony Redshaw
1991	Chris Yard
1992	Paul Whelan
1993	Stefan Carey
1994	Gerard Mimmo
1995	Randal Green
1996	Tony Regan
1997	Jason Clarke
1998	Chris Mahar
1999	Anthony Brawn
2000	Barnaby Howarth
2001	Barnaby Howarth
2002	Peter Carey
2003	Nick Potter
2004	Ryan Talbot

PRESIDENTS TROPHY

1983	Gus McKernan
1984	Greg Barnes
1985	Shane Farrell
1986	Andy Hughes
	Graeme Turnbull
1987	Wal Hannon
1988	Mick Coen
1989	Debbie Stapley
1990	Lori Jones
1991	Gary Spillane
1992	Craig Oates
1993	Kenny Couchman
1994	Stephen Barratt
	Kim Klomp
1995	Alan Guild
	Craig Headland
1996	Kenny Couchman
	Craig Tate
1997	Randal Green
1998	Danny Ryan
1999	John Murray
2000	Blair Hatherley
2001	Alan Brawn
	Ian Parker
2002	Martin Dulke
2003	Andy Smyth
2004	Simon Doak

BEST CLUBPERSON

1971	Roy Peake
1972	Kerry James
1973	Michael Mack
1974	Danny Cater
1975	Ken MacRae
1976	Robert Dwyer
1977	Reg Myers
1978	Shirley McKernan
1979	Tony Hayward
1980	Not Awarded
1981	H. R. (Bert) Hardy
1982	David Power
1983	Harry Noad
1984	Mat Steen
1985	Mike Farrell
1986	Shane Farrell
1987	Steve Paterson
1988	Ken Sims
	Peter Clarke
1989	Wal Hannon
1990	Andy Buchanan
1991	Don Ballantyne
1992	The McKernan Family
1993	The Dixon Family
1994	Jennette Elliott
1995	Peggy Thomas
1996	Trevor Daykin
1997	John Taylor
	Bob Manning
1998	John Mahar
1999	Danny Ryan
2000	Craig & Donna Telfer
2001	Cherie Brown
2002	Tim Potter
2003	Scott Howell
2004	Greg Castle

Executives Honour Roll

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

YEAR	PRESIDENT	TREASURER	SECRETARY
1971	Roger Nobes	Geoff Severn	Barry Sparks
1972	Kerry James	Barry Sparks	Barry Sparks
1973	Kerry James	Geoff Severn	Barry Sparks
1974	Kerry James	Graham Sayer	David Underwood
1975	Kerry James	Barry Sparks	A. (Tony) Hawley
1976	Ken MacRae	Barry Sparks	Robert Dwyer
1977	Ken MacRae	Murray Withers	Robert Dwyer
1978	Ken MacRae	Simon Martin	Robert Dwyer
1979	Ken MacRae	Eric Joiner	Robert Dwyer
1980	Ken MacRae	Tony Hayward	Shirley McKernan
1981	Ken MacRae	Creagh Bown	Shirley McKernan
1982	Stan Edwards	Peter Camilleri	Shirley McKernan
1983	Stan Edwards	Peter Camilleri	A. (Tony) Hill
1984	Peter Camilleri	E. (Ted) Brink	Mike Farrell
1985	Peter Camilleri	Doug Reed	Mike Farrell
1986	Mike Farrell	Doug Reed	Mike Farrell
1987	Derek Heelan	Doug Reed	Kay Nyhuis
1988	Derek Heelan	Roy Bohmer	Mike Farrell
1989	Derek Heelan	Roy Bohmer	Mike Farrell
1990	A. (Tony) Yard	Roy Bohmer	Don Ballantyne
1991	A. (Tony) Yard	Shirley McKernan	Don Ballantyne
1992	A. (Tony) Yard	Shirley McKernan	Don Ballantyne
1993	Lindsay Thomas	Richard Vella	Robert Knight
1994	Lindsay Thomas	Richard Vella	Alan Brawn
1995	Lindsay Thomas	Richard Vella	Alan Brawn
1996	Lindsay Thomas	Ross Scott	Alan Brawn
1997	Lindsay Thomas	Ross Scott	Alan Brawn
1998	Peter Clarke	Ross Scott	Moya Paris
1999	Peter Clarke	Ross Scott	Moya Paris
2000	Peter Clarke	Ian Parker	Moya Paris
2001	Leo Browne	Alan Brawn	Alan Brawn
2002	Leo Browne	Tim Hall	Alan Brawn
2003	Leo Browne	Michael Sullivan	Alan Brawn
2004	Leo Browne	Michael Sullivan	Alan Brawn

Coaches & Captains Honour Roll

YEAR	COACH	CAPTAIN	VICE-CAPTAIN	RESULT
1971	Kerry James	Kerry James	Errol Grieve	Third (3rd Div)
1972	Rod Ward	Rod Ward	Graeme Eime	Fourth (2nd Div)
1973	Graeme Eime	Graeme Eime	Norm Pilbeam	Runners-Up (2nd Div)
1974	Eric Joiner	Eric Joiner	Graham Howatt	Runners-Up (2nd Div)
1975	Eric Joiner	Eric Joiner	Graham Howatt	PREMIERS (2nd Div)
1976	Wes Smith	Wes Smith	W.(Bill) Renwick	PREMIERS (2nd Div)
1977	Wes Smith	Wes Smith	W. (Bill) Taylor	Fifth (1st Div)
1978	Wes Smith / Maurie Gale	Maurie Gale	David Direen	Sixth (1st Div)
1979	W (Bill) Thrupp	Maurie Gale	Keith Delooze	Fifth (1st Div)
1980	Pat Wellington	Pat Wellington	Maurie Gale	Fifth (1st Div)
1981	Pat Wellington	Pat Wellington	Keith Delooze	Third (1st Div)
1982	Ray Johns	Russell Matheson	John Goswell	Runners-Up (S.F.L.)
1983	Ray Johns	Russell Matheson	Rod Miles	Sixth (S.F.L.)
1984	Warren Ledger	Warren Ledger	A.(Tony) McGiven	Fourth (S.F.L.)
1985	Guy Wynn	Gary Spillane	Graham Crispin	Sixth (S.F.L.)
1986	Rob Barrett	Rob Barrett	Adam Harris	Third (S.F.L.)
1987	R. Barrett / G.Spillane	R. Barrett / G.Spillane	Mick Toy	Fourth STATE
1988	Gary Spillane	Gary Spillane	Mick Toy	Fourth (STATE)
1989	Ray Johns	Stephen Barratt	Doug Scholz	Seventh (STATE)
1990	Ken Tucker	Stephen Barratt	Mick Coen	Eighth (STATE)
1991	Ken Tucker / Gary Spillane	Stephen Barratt	Gary Manuel	Seventh (S.F.L.)
1992	Rob Phillipson / Trevor Clisby	Stephen Barratt	Gary Spillane	Seventh (S.F.L.)
1993	Leo Browne	Stephen Barratt	Trevor Clisby	Fourth (S.F.L.)
1994	Leo Browne	Kim Klomp	Peter Dixon	Sixth (S.F.L.)
1995	Stephen Barratt	Gerard Mimmo	Peter Dixon	Runners-Up (S.F.L.)
1996	Stephen Barratt	Gerard Mimmo	Peter Dixon	Runners-Up (S.F.L.)
1997	Stephen Barratt	Gerard Mimmo	Peter Dixon	Sixth (S.F.L.)
1998	Peter Bennett	Gerard Mimmo	Tony Redshaw	Runners-Up (S.F.L.)
1999	Peter Bennett	Anthony Brawn	Tim Hall / Paul Gooley	Third (S.F.L.)
2000	Peter Bennett	Anthony Brawn	Tim Hall / Barnaby Howarth	PREMIERS (SydneyAFL)
2001	Danny Ryan	Anthony Brawn	Tim Hall / Barnaby Howarth	Fourth (SydneyAFL)
2002	Danny Ryan	Anthony Brawn	Ashley Bell / Peter Carey	Seventh (SydneyAFL)
2003	Danny Ryan	Anthony Brawn	Ashley Bell / Tim Nunan	Fifth (SydneyAFL)
2004	Danny Ryan	Barnaby Howarth	Sebastian Parker / Ashley Bell	Fourth (SydneyAFL)

Treasurer's Report

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

Season 2004 was again another tough year for the Finance of the Pennant Hills Football Club.

We incurred a small operating deficit mainly as a result of no grant or prize-money from the Sydney AFL.

Regretfully the Sydney AFL did not officially advise us that there would not be a grant of funds for clubs, as had occurred in previous years, until after the Committee had adopted the 2004 budget. Fortunately, unlike some other clubs our club had cash reserves to cushion the deficit.

The costs associated with running the club increases from season to season. This is brought about by the costs associated with Insurance premiums, ground hire, umpires and equipment. We adopt a conservative approach to player payments and along with other clubs cannot match payments made by clubs in other areas. Our club is very fortunate in that we have talented players who enjoy playing football.

The AFL and NRL tipping competitions were again successful in 2004 and we are hoping to expand these activities in season 2005. The home games allowed the canteen to again contribute to our income and we express our thanks to Sally Parker and her group of ladies for their continued support.

The committee is always looking for additional sponsors to increase the club's income. If you are aware of anyone or any company who would be interested in being involved with a successful AFL club by way of sponsorship or advertising please ensure their details are provided to Kevin Talbot or any committee member.

Michael Sullivan
Treasurer, PHAFC Inc.

PENNANT HILLS Demons

SEASON 2004

(Subject to audit)

Membership	\$	23,850.00
Sponsorship	\$	74,881.65
Surplus for Functions	\$	6,171.79
Surplus from Fund Raising	\$	21,670.33
Sundry income	\$	31,128.29
	\$	157,702.06

Football	\$	150,705.73
Sundry Expenses	\$	16,211.73
	\$	166,917.46

Operating Deficit	-\$	9,215.40
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Michael Sullivan
Treasurer, PHAFC Inc.

Club Sponsorship

PENNANT HILLS
Demons

The Club wishes to acknowledge the generous support of our sponsors – without you, the Club would face difficult circumstances and we look forward to your ongoing support in 2005 and beyond. We are especially pleased to welcome our new sponsors for 2004 including Riverside Oaks, ISIS Projects Pty Limited, Herbal World, James Squire Brewhouse and Vital Health Club, and even more pleased to welcome back our existing sponsors.

The Club asks that all of our supporters use our sponsors whenever possible to reinforce our Club's appreciation.

May I again take this opportunity to thank Mark Hossen and John Murray for their efforts in helping out in the sponsorship arena this past year, the club and I very much appreciate their efforts.

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ARA GROUP of COMPANIES - (C J GROSE & COMPANY; AIC SOLUTIONS; THE SEALECK GROUP; AUTOMATIC FIRE PROTECTION; MONARCH DOORS; BASS ELECTRICAL; TISCOR)

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As always the Club is seeking additional sponsors for future seasons and it is again apparent that the best chance of attracting new sponsors lies with the existing connections within the club via players/parents/supporters, etc.

Please keep in mind that goods and services offered in kind can also be extremely useful to club and are always gratefully accepted.

This year our NRL and AFL Tipping Competitions, whilst again successful, could have been more so. I'm sure with a bit more effort and commitment we can do much better.

Once again the 'sponsor a player' scheme disappointed this year. Guys with a little effort you maybe able to get your registration fees paid for by your sponsor who in turn receives club membership and recognition as a club sponsor in the yearbook. Lets see if we can do better next year guys.

To all members, supporters and players can I again remind you that if you have ideas re fund raising activities or are prepared to hope in and help, please get in touch with myself, Mark Hossen or any committee member. Once again, thanks very much to all of our sponsors, it is very much appreciated and I hope to see you again next year.

KEVIN TALBOT

Vice President - PHAFC

THE 34TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) OF THE PENNANT HILLS AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

is to be held at

Patrick's Night Club, Pennant Hills Inn,
352 Pennant Hills Road, Pennant Hills

8pm, Wednesday 27/10/04

All Life Members, Members, Players and Supporters are invited to attend.

AGM

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Demons

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5/3 York Rd.
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22/43 College St.
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Licensed Hotel & Night Club
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Contact:
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Fire protection equipment
20 Binney Rd.
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9831 2255

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9829 6099

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58 Box Rd.
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9526 1222

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73 -75 Bourke Rd.
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9667 0566

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16 Carina Place
CASTLE HILL 2154
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9659 4227

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3/71 Victoria St.
East Gosford 2250
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