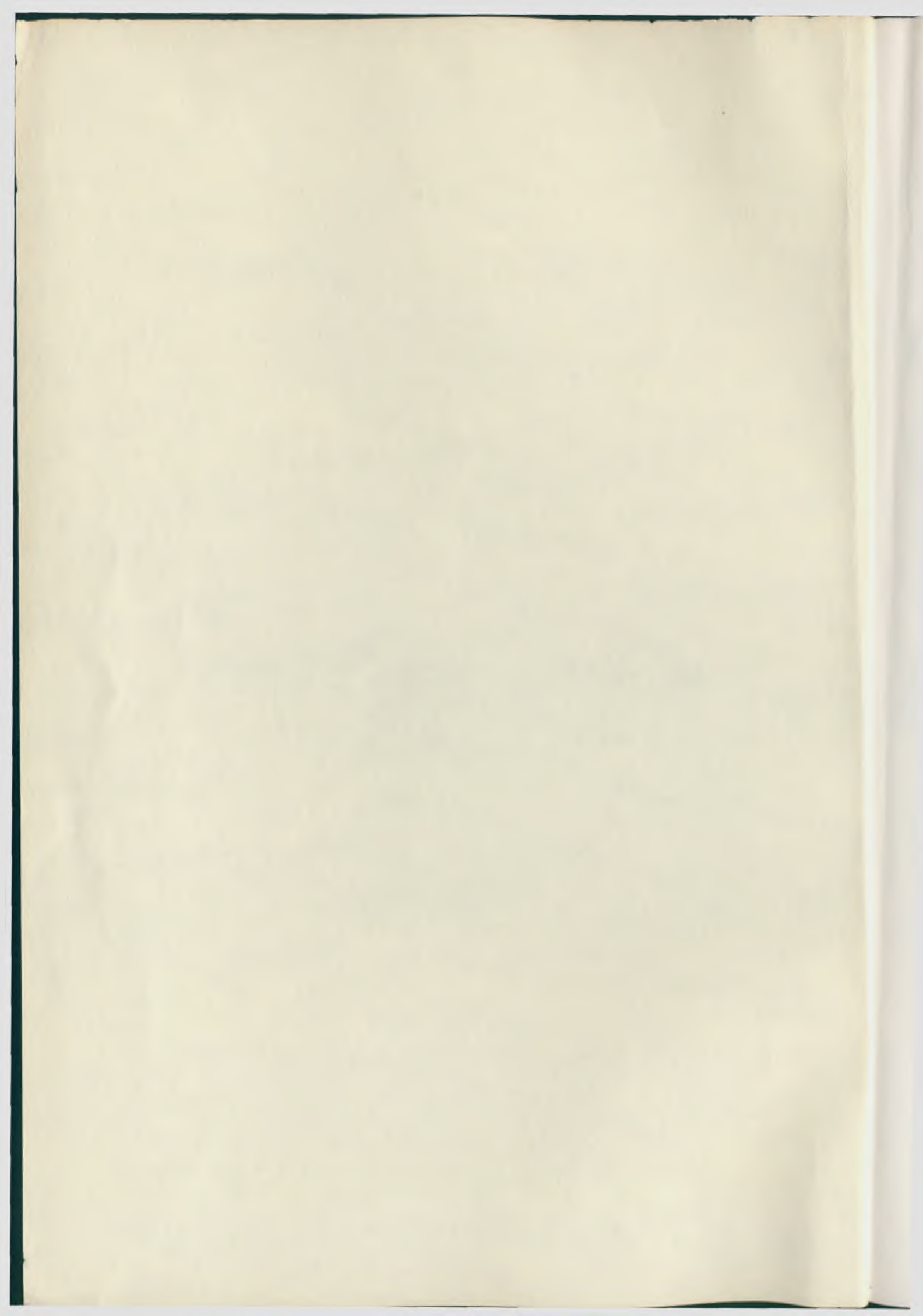


UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG

SPORTS ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT

1980



UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

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Patron

Professor L.M. Birt
Vice-Chancellor

Executive

President

Mr. D. Lear

Vice-President

Mr. H. Brandon (until 24.4.80)
Mr. J. Pemberton (from 5.6.80)

Executive Committee

Dr. M. Bunder (until 5.6.80)
Mr. N. Kaye (from 5.6.80)
Mr. G. Lebsanft (from 5.6.80)
Mr. J. Pemberton
Mr. D. Richardson (until 5.6.80)
Ms. K. White (from 5.6.80)

Executive Secretary

Mrs. H. Susan Stevenson
(until 26.9.80)

Mr. G.A. Williams
(from 10.10.80)

Constituent Clubs

Australian Rules Football
Badminton
Basketball
Cricket
Hockey (Men's)
Hockey (Women's)
Judo
Motorcycle
Netball
Outdoors

Rugby Union
Sailing
Skiing
Soccer
Squash
Surf-Riding
Table Tennis
Tae Kwon Do
Tennis
Touch Football

Volleyball

UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT'S REPORT 1980-81

The past year has brought further steady development in facilities and services provided by the Association. Gradually the playing fields are being developed to their final levels, although there is still a lot of work to be done before they reach the high standard that the Association has set for them. Of particular concern at the present time are the completion of the pavilion level areas including the installation of a new turf wicket, and the drainage and general upgrading of the lower eastern playing fields. The Association's Groundsman, Harold Johnson, is making a tremendous contribution to the development of our playing fields but continued extra funding from the University will be necessary over the next two years to ensure that the new fields are properly established, and to lessen the problems associated with the maintenance of them in the future. Our playing fields are, and will be, heavily used for a variety of sports and this necessitates the establishment of good well-grassed, well-drained surfaces.

There has been an increasing demand for use of the indoor sports centre, particularly since the beginning of the 1981 academic year. The recent appointment of our Recreation Assistant, Paul Manning, will enable the Association to maximise the use of the centre both during and outside of session. While there are obvious deficiencies in the facilities available in the centre, it should be remembered that we were fortunate to obtain the basic space provided and that the Association is heavily committed to repayments over the next ten years. With a fairly static campus population provision of funds for major capital projects will be very difficult over the next five to ten years without substantial fee increases. However to justify any increase in fees over and above normal compensation for inflation, the Association needs to expand the variety of its recreational services to cover the broad spectrum of the campus population. Any such expansion will occur gradually in the formal sense through the continued increase in the number of constituent clubs and informally through lunchtime activities and general recreation programmes.

With the resignation of Susan Stevenson and the arrival of her replacement, Geoff Williams, the Executive of the Association, in response to a request from the General Committee, examined the appropriateness of the Constitution as well as the continuation of the joint administrative arrangements with the University Union. In opting to continue with the existing administrative structure the Executive recognised that, although it was the most effective arrangement at present, there could well be changing requirements in the future which might require a different approach. In recommending an increase in its size in the new Constitution, the Executive felt that the growth in the number of constituent clubs and the interests of their members required more opportunity for these varied interests to be reflected in the Association's administration. It is important that the Executive and General

Committee continue to review the administrative procedures and funding policies of the Association to make sure that they are the most appropriate for the existing situation.

In conclusion I would like to thank the members of the Executive and the Union's administrative staff for all their time and effort on behalf of the Association during the year.

DAVID LEAR
President

19th May 1981

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts.

THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1980

<u>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</u>		<u>1980</u>	<u>1979</u>
Balance 1.1.80	78606.24		45975
Surplus (Deficit) transferred from Income and Expenditure Account	(125892.33)	(47286.09)	<u>32632</u> <u>78607</u>
 <u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>			
Creditors	46498.69		229
Accruals	<u>300.00</u>		<u>250</u>
		46798.69	<u>479</u>
 <u>NON CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>			
C.B.A. Loan on Indoor Centre	96507.44		-
Less Repayments	(10800.00)	85707.44	-
		<u>85220.04</u>	<u>79086</u>
 <u>FIXED ASSETS</u>			
Kitchenware - at cost	334.85		335
Furniture and Fittings-at cost	13378.53		13379
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(5015.80)		(3678)
		8697.58	<u>10036</u>
 <u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>			
C.B.A. Current Accounts	29458.13		24077
Debtors	1408.77		2868
Prepayments	257.95		193
Illawarra Mutual Building Society Account	45332.21		41912
Cash on hand	<u>65.40</u>		-
		<u>76522.46</u>	<u>69050</u>
		<u>85220.04</u>	<u>79086</u>

The Accompanying Notes form part of these Accounts.

THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1980

<u>INCOME</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1979</u>
1980 Subscription	55655.00	51054
Life Membership	381.00	245
Interest	4320.50	2988
Grounds Maintenance Grant	5350.00	4900
Squash Court Hire	11857.20	11644
Ground Hire	22.00	60
Annual Dinner Tickets	1240.00	1260
Grant for Recreation Officer	12275.35	10866
Surplus on Bar Trading	1091.17	89
	<u>92192.22</u>	<u>83106</u>

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THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1980

<u>EXPENDITURE</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1979</u>
<u>Administration</u>		
Union Subvention	26100.00	21588
Administration Catering	141.89	10
A.U.S.A. Subscription	1173.70	1086
Donations	-	100
Stationery	28.14	-
Travel and Conferences	113.77	-
	27557.50	22784
<u>Association Services</u>		
Accident Insurance	553.70	428
Prizes	343.65	156
Equipment	1152.10	381
First Aid	-	101
	2049.45	1066
<u>Club Support</u>		
Fees	9981.83	7427
Facility Hire	162.42	1135
Playing Equipment	4102.43	4613
Intervarsity	1905.88	4481
	16152.56	17656
Annual Dinner	2059.22	1659
Audit Fees	270.00	250
	2329.22	1909
<u>Grounds and Pavillion</u>		
Grounds Maintenance	2778.85	4705
Repairs	1858.24	789
Depreciation	1337.85	1338
Cost of Tennis Courts	-	190
Cost of Equipping Indoor Centre	5008.94	37
Loan Charges	6511.94	-
Contribution to cost of Centre	130000.00	-
Contribution to Squash Courts	22500.00	-
	169995.82	7059
Total Expenses	218084.55	50474
Surplus/(Deficit) transferred to Accumulated Funds	(125892.33)	32632
	92192.22	83106

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts

THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1980

1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING METHODS

The accounting methods adopted by the Association are in accord with the accounting standards required by the Australian accounting bodies and/or by law. The accounts have been prepared primarily on the basis of historical costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. Non-current assets have been written down to replacement value where required.

DEPRECIATION

Depreciation is provided on all fixed assets so as to write off the assets progressively over their estimated economic life. Fixed assets are first depreciated in the year following the year of acquisition.



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AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have examined the Books of Account and vouchers of The University of Wollongong Sports Association for the year ended 31st December, 1980 and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required.

In our opinion the attached Statement of Assets and Liabilities is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of affairs of the Association at the date thereof; and the Income and Expenditure Account is properly drawn up to reflect the revenue and expenses for the year then ended, and is in accordance with the information given to us and the Books of the Association.

Peat, Marwick Mitchell & Co.

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Registered under the Public Accountants
Registration Act, 1945, as amended

WOLLONGONG - This *16th* day of February, 1981.

CLUB REPORTS

BASKETBALL CLUB - Secretary: A.G. Morris

Over 90 Basketballers are currently registered as club members, making the Basketball Club the biggest club at the University. The winter competition saw 2 women's and 7 men's teams from the University participating, (an extra women's team in the new Summer competition), with the following success record for teams in the top four places:

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Grade</u>
Women	Uni I	3	A
	Uni II	4	B
Men	Uni I	3	A
	Uni II	4	B
	Uni V	1	B
	Uni VII	1	D

At the Tertiary Carnival, hosted annually by W.I.E., a depleted women's team came in fourth (3 of the team's players were representing Illawarra at State Championships), and the men's team defeated the local Institute's team in the final, giving the men a 1st place (4 years out of the last 5).

The climax to the year was a first ever for the University, when the women's team won Intervarsity. The Intervarsity was hosted by Monash, and our girls defeated the hosts by 8 points in an exciting final, and were undefeated in the tournament. The men improved on last year's placings to come 6th, in what was, as usual, a very closely contested competition, with very little separating the top six teams. Barbara Williams was elected best and fairest women's player at the Intervarsity, and both Marina Vlasoff and Barbara Williams were selected in the Women's All Star team, as was Bruce Andrews in the men's: again - the first time more than one player, each of men and women, have made this selection.

In the Summer competition in 1980, most teams performed creditably.

At the Sports Association presentations, the Club was rewarded with one of its members receiving two awards. Marina Vlasoff was honoured by being awarded a University Blue, as well as sharing the Annual Sportsman of the Year award.

CRICKET CLUB - Secretary: John Pemberton

The Cricket Club continued its recent marked improvement by enjoying its best ever season in 1980/81. In the IDCA competition, the club fielded 5 sides - won the club championship, were the 4th grade premiers, won the minor premiership in both 1st and 2nd grade while club members Mick Russell, Colin Farlow and Russell Bates won the 2nd grade bowling, 4th grade bowling and U21 player of the year respectively.

The club continued to run the High Schools Knockout Competition, won the second Town vs Gown match (guest players D. Walters and P. Toohy); regained the Vice-Chancellor's Cup from the Southern Area Combined High Schools representative team, and held a successful tour of central western N.S.W. over the Christmas period.

HOCKEY (MEN'S) CLUB - President: Danny Shipp

The 1980 season has finished leaving the Club with a few ups and downs. The Club has again proved that they are one of the most respected Clubs, due to their integrity, sportsmanship and honesty both on and off the field.

A few of the ups is the naming of Peter Hall, Clubman of the Year, Wollongong University Sports Association; Ian Olney, Best and Fairest 3rd Grade I.D.M.H.A.; the best financial year the Club has known; the winning of a Major and Minor Premiership by 2nd Grade, and the use of the best field on the coast, that of the Bill Mintram Field.

The Intervarsity team did not fare as well as expected as they were up against very strong competition, but the experience and confidence gained by the players is invaluable.

First Grade started the season very well, but through the season they failed to finish off the fine build-up work and score goals. They were unlucky to miss the semi's on goal averages gained by some other Clubs unscrupulous behaviour.

Second Grade went through undefeated and capped a good year by taking out the minor and major premiership. Third Grade was the unlucky team this year. They played good hockey and ended up playing in the Grand Final, but were beaten by Albion Park. Fourth Grade also had a good season and some players excelled themselves, they made the finals, but went down to the eventual winners, Western Suburbs. Fifth Grade had the best year because so many new players played so well and picked up the game very quickly; they also showed good sportsmanship and mixed well socially.

The friendship and ability of all Club members to mix socially made the Club the best on the Coast.

Thanks go to Bill Mintram for his keen sense and devotion to his job for the method and way he cultivated and maintained the new hockey field. On his retirement the new field was named "The Bill Mintram Field". His successor, Harold Johnson also is to be thanked for his effort and extra work in maintaining the high standard of playing surface. The standard of surface, gained high praise from players all over Australia, as they did when University grounds and facilities were used for the Australian School Boys Championships and also from International players when the annual City - Country Match was conducted.

The awards at the Club Presentation Night were well received but more work and preparation are still required to make sure everybody turns up.

HOCKEY (WOMEN'S) CLUB - Secretary: Sarah McDonald

During the 1980 season the Women's Hockey Club were involved in the local Illawarra Competition in Representative games, and also in several carnivals.

In local competition we entered two teams, a 2nd division and 4th division side. Although, eventually unplaced in the competition, the second division side improved in team play and skills throughout the season. The 4th division team faced a more difficult task. Although led by several more experienced players, many of the players were new to hockey. It was pleasing to see these new players improve and contribute greatly to the team.

The club also entered a team in the Intervarsity Championships held at Monash University in May. Again, the team consisted of experienced newer players. We played against the following Universities: Sydney, Tasmania, Murdoch, Newcastle, Monash and La Trobe (University of New South Wales withdrew). Overall, New England won the women's competition, again displaying a grade of hockey we hope to aim towards. All players benefited from the experience of playing high grade Intervarsity competition.

At a more local level, the club fielded a team for the S.C.A.N.D. competition held at Canberra College of Advanced Education. The following teams were challenged: Canberra College of Advanced Education (C.C.A.E.) No. 1, Macquarie University, Sydney University, C.C.A.E. No. 2, Newcastle University, N.S.W. University, Australian National University. The teams playing in this competition were very evenly matched and the Wollongong University Club was unlucky to miss out on the semi-finals, overall coming in 5th place.

At a more social level, the club participated in the "New Gong" cup match in Newcastle, and the return match in Wollongong later in the season. Although fielding an enthusiastic side, the women's club failed to win the "New Gong" match. We have hopes for this trophy in 1981.

We also hosted a combined Kurials side in a social game, plus barbecue, towards the end of the season. We hope to make this an annual event.

Another special carnival was also entered, this time hosted by the Illawarra Women's Association at Lindsay Mayne's Oval, Unanderra. This provided the University Club with an opportunity to play some South Coast teams, e.g. Warilla Club, for the first time. The Association was pleased with the participation by local clubs.

In summary, throughout the 1980 season the women's club saw many new players improve in skills and team play. There were more combined carnivals with the men's club, thus overall, improving hockey skills. The club also held some responsibilities with the local Illawarra Association's committee, again increasing awareness of hockey in the Illawarra.

JUDO CLUB - Manager: Jim Sheedy

INTERVARSITY 1980: At Sydney University

Teams Events: Women: equal 5th place
Men : seventh place

Individual Events: Women: first U/61 kgs
first champions event
Men : first U/71 kgs
first U/78 kgs
first and second champions event

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS: Karin Sheedy awarded sportsman of the year by Wollongong University. Represented Australia at World Championships in New York. Won Australian Championships in Adelaide. Appointed convenor of Women's Advisory panel by the B.B.R. for the J.F.A. (N.S.W.).

Mounir Bahsoun and Karin Sheedy instrumental in introducing and teaching judo in secondary schools in Illawarra. Jeremy Jones graded to fourth kyu (orange belt). Jim Sheedy 3rd place National Dan Championships Canberra.

Members of our club are continually being sought for their academic and judo expertise by state and federal judo organisations.

RUGBY CLUB - Secretary: Russel Affleck

Undefeated Minor Premiers in the 1980 Illawarra Competition, the University Rugby Club was unfortunate in losing the Grand Final by a mere penalty goal. Five regular players were forced to view the game from the sideline due to injuries arising from the rigorous semi-finals and finals.

Socially, we suffered less casualties (although a few terminal hangovers were encountered). As well as our numerous social functions, barbecues held in the Sports Pavilion after home-games proved to be an opportunity to grab a quick munch before usual Saturday night exploits. We thank all those concerned.

1981 should be as successful as 1980 with an abundance of new players joining the club. Several social events are planned which will provide the same value-for-money rages as always. The motto for 1981 is "Uni. Rugby Rages" and it is hoped that even more non-Rugby players join the festivities. After all, that's what the Rugby Club is all about.

SAILING CLUB - Commodore: Richard Hipsley

Membership this year has again been good with a total of 24 members. The number of active members at the beginning of the sailing season necessitated the implementation of rostered sailing days whereby the Club was divided into two groups which sailed on alternate weekends. The need for such a system only highlights the Club's acute shortage of boats, however, it did enable members to get out on the water for extended periods which provided much greater scope for beginners to learn to sail.

After much negotiation, the Club has finally procured storage space for its two boats at the University. It is already obvious that our maintenance on the boats will be considerably reduced this winter because of them being kept out of the weather.

The Club continued to compete in point score and class championship races held by the Port Kembla Sailing Club, and also in various away from home events. Our weekends away included races at Bateman's Bay, Mosman, St. George's Basin and Canberra. We still have one major event to compete in this season, that being the Sharpie State Titles in which "Aunty Jack" was to have defended the handicap trophy which she won last year.

It is unfortunate that this year we have suffered numerous serious breakages to our boats which have caused much time and effort to be put into repairs, not to mention our financial headaches. However, this is all part of sailing and is expected to happen from time to time. At present, "Aunty Jack" is still off the water after suffering major damage during the A.C.T. Championships in Canberra.

TAE KWON DO CLUB - Acting President: Mr. E. Varga

The year 1980 was a good one in the short history of Tae Kwon Do at the University. Amongst the more than thirty members a keen group of ten decided to go beyond the usual fringe benefits of fitness and self-defence. They went to gradings and were affiliated to the Australian I.K.D. Federation. Membership was good, however, performance was poorer owing to the fact that we only have one afternoon session per week since the new Gym was allocated. In fact in 1981 nearly half of our intending members indicated that they have to give up the sport for they cannot make it on

Thursday afternoons. During 1980 the Club has spent some \$ 700 on tuition, affiliations and gradings. Of this amount \$ 500 subsidy was granted by the Sports Association, for which I would like to express our thanks on behalf of the whole body of the Club.

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - President: Dr. M.W. Bunder

Illawarra Association's Winter Competition Of the 8 University teams competing 3 reached semi-finals. University 7 became runner-up in Division 5.

Illawarra Association's Closed Championships University team member John Korth won the Special Singles (for all except the top 8 Division 1 players) and Kel Murray and Chris Green (Beaton Park) the special doubles, beating a University pair. John Sologom won the Division 3 singles title. Six University players were runners-up in the various events. N.Q. Thoi is a long-standing member of the Club, who, however, played for Beaton Park in 1980 and won the Division 1 singles and with Vera Syhora, the mixed doubles.

Intersarsity The Wollongong men's team finished 6th out of 11 at the Sydney I.V.

University Championships These were held for the 10th time. Thoi once again took out the Division 1 title.

A Prize-giving Barbecue night was held late in the year for all club members.

TENNIS CLUB - President: Gary Lebsanft

Our main activity is the Saturday afternoon mixed competition. The following table lists our teams and their results:-

<u>CRODA PAINTS</u>		<u>CRODA PAINTS - WINNERS</u>	
	(Div. II - Finalist		(Div. II - Semi Finalist
	(Div. VI - Grand Finalist		(Div. VIII - Sem- Finalist
<u>Autumn Comp.</u>	(Div. VII	<u>Spring Comp.</u>	(Div. VIII
	(Div. IX - Winners		(Div. VI - Grand "
	(Div. XI		(Div. X

The Croda Paints is the TOP grade in the District.

- * A team of six men contested in the Intersarsity Contest at Sydney in August.
- * Our Annual Championship was held in September.
- * The Club was well represented at the following Country Tournaments:-

- Albury
- Quambatook
- Young
- Cowra
- Mildura
- Hay

Members camp at the towns during the various long weekends.

TOUCH FOOTBALL CLUB - President: Brian Andrew

The Club fielded three men's and one women's teams in the Illawarra District Touch Football Summer Competition for 1980-81. The teams all performed creditably with the three men's teams all making the semi-finals of their division, and the first team was unlucky to lose the final in Division Three 1 - 0 after extra time. The competition was very strong with a total of nine men's and one women's divisions and it was a very creditable performance by our top team, largely made up of hockey players, to almost win their grade.

To finalise the season a knock-out competition was held at Dalton Park and our team, made up of players from the losing semi-final teams, was only beaten 1 - 0 in the semi-final of this competition.

Generally the Club was very successful in our first year of Illawarra Competition and promises better things to come. Touch Football is a major growth sport providing exercise and social contacts and we hope for further developments of the Club in the future.

