

Ice Hockey NSW

# ANNUAL REPORT

2025

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> November



ACPE  
Sydney Olympic Park



# ICE HOCKEY NSW

**AGM 4.00 PM TO 5.30PM**

## **AGENDA**

- 1. WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS**
- 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF 2024 AGM HELD 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**
- 4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**
- 5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT**
- 6. TREASURERS REPORT**
- 7. TABLING OF APPOINTED OFFICERS REPORTS**
- 8. ACCEPTANCE OF REPORTS**
- 9. APPOINTMENT OF PRESIDENT**
- 10. APPOINTMENT OF TREASURER**
- 11. APPOINTMENT OF ORDINARY MEMBERS**
- 12. AWARDS PRESENTATION**

**MINUTES**  
**2024 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**  
**SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024**  
**ACPE**

Welcome and Opening Remarks

President opened the meeting at 4:04pm

Official Apologies:

Dawn Watt, Craig Air, Natalie Quinn

Minutes from AGM held 21<sup>st</sup> January 2024

Moved Trish Bu and seconded Les Newmark by those minutes from the 2023 AGM be accepted. Carried.

Matters Arising:

No matters arising from the Minutes from the 2023 AGM.

President's Report:

As another Ice Hockey year has drawn to a close I pause to reflect on the hockey year that was. Despite our rink shortages we managed to run seasons in all grades and provide the opportunity for players at all levels to enjoy our great sport.

Your Executive committee

We had 4 new members of your Executive in 2024 and they meshed with the existing executive well. I thank the 7 members of the 2024 executive for their service as well as the many volunteers whose efforts enable our sport to function.

As a Sport the highlights for 2024 include:

- We ran a successful season with very limited ice availability
- State team selections and governance has continued to have an increased level of transparency this year.
- Player development and junior league management has continued to evolve and 2025 looks to have some exciting changes that will make our junior game even better
- The senior competition is running well and Division 1 will return in 2025.
- NSW was able to step up with the support of the Hunter Ice Skating Stadium and run the combined National Championships which were an outstanding success. I would be remiss if I did not call out the efforts of Dawn Watt and Suzanne Garas in making this happen along with countless other volunteers.

Our state representative teams had an excellent year with the following results, listed further in this report. Many thanks to the Team Management:

- Ginsberg: Head Coach Stuart Clemie. Manager Alan Ng. Assistant Coaches Tim Marceau and Marcus Badaoui
- De Fris: Head Coach Derek Downie. Manager Reba Meagher. Assistant Coaches Ashley Moore and Anthony Zakos.
- Tange: Head Coach Nikko Dimopoulos. Team Manager Natalie Quinn. Assistant Coaches Alexander Wardlaw and Luka Dimopoulos.
- Boxall: Head Coach Jayden Ryan. Team Manager Natalie Caruso. Assistant Coaches Matthew Adams and Sera Dogramaci

As always we have a number of awards for Players and Coaches for 2024 and these are as follows:

Grade	Most Valuable Player	Highest Point Scorer	Best Goal Keeper
11U	Osric Fritchley	-	Sebastian Bugay
13U	Adam Milistenfer	-	Blaze Drew
15U	Hugo Arps	-	Billie Drew
17U	Max Bu	-	Justin Baxter
Women	Emma Moonen	Stephanie Newmark	Ella Licari & Emma Moonen
Div 2	James Pomfret	Jeremy Tomlinson	Steven Donovan
Div 3	Luke Fanayan	Vladi Gazarek	Tom Skakle
Div 4	Philip Wright	Lukas Janda	Peter Handley
ECSL	Matt Musumeci	Robert Kowalczyk	Al Becken

### Jeff Scott Award – Justin Knight

As always our Executive Officer Emily Luke has worked tirelessly to move our sport forward in 2024 and on behalf of all members I thank her for her efforts and commitment.

### Tim Kitching – President Ice Hockey NSW

# TREASURERS REPORT

I am pleased to present to the members the Audited Financial Report for the year ended 31 October 2024. The full Audited report is attached at the end of this AGM report. The report, financial statements and notes following are comprehensive and provide an accurate account of IHNSW financial position.

## Balance Sheet

Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc  
As at 31 October 2024

Account	31 Oct 2024
<b>Assets</b>	
<b>Bank</b>	
Expense	6,739.62
NSW Ice Hockey General Ac	40,644.18
Saving	177,452.61
<b>Total Bank</b>	<b>224,836.41</b>
<b>Current Assets</b>	
Accounts Receivable	4,941.39
ITC Collection	6,060.00
Provision for Doubtful Debts	(1,250.00)
State Team Stock	1,460.00
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>11,211.39</b>
<b>Fixed Assets</b>	
Accumulated Depreciation	(2,248.14)
Computer Equipment	2,248.14
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>236,047.80</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
Accounts Payable	5,754.88
Annual Leave Provision	16,662.95
GST	2,272.82
Jeff Scott Award Payable	1,000.00
Long Service Leave Provision	29,368.42
PAYG Withholdings Payable	2,004.00
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>57,063.07</b>
<b>Non-current Liabilities</b>	
Accrued Expenses	3,520.00
<b>Total Non-current Liabilities</b>	<b>3,520.00</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>60,583.07</b>
<b>Net Assets</b>	
<b>175,464.73</b>	
<b>Equity</b>	
Current Year Earnings	(17,757.54)
Retained Earnings	193,222.27

Total Equity	175,464.73
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## Profit and Loss

Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc  
For the year ended 31 October 2024

<b>Account</b>	<b>2024</b>
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### Trading Income

Active Kids Rebate	1,095.00
Affiliation	1,000.00
Atoms Income	9,165.59
AWIHL Sirens Income	109,319.67
Boxall Income	35,086.28
Brown Income	3,834.66
Championship Host Income	9,090.90
Club payment in Macquarie Games	58,923.11
Coaching Courses Income L1/L2	4,019.87
Defris Income	36,625.40
Development	329.41
ESD Registrations	132,465.47
Fines	1,500.00
Ginsberg Income	38,022.55
Grants	50,000.00
Green Jerseys Sales	709.14
IHNSW Skills/Goalie Clinic	7,219.20
Interest Income	1,977.43
Officials Courses Income	1,638.44
SPL Income	4,000.00
State Team Uniform Sales	12,332.55
Tange Income	32,880.87
Team fees	50,928.04
Willis Cup Income	25,503.69
<b>Total Trading Income</b>	<b>627,667.27</b>

<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>627,667.27</b>
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### Other Income

Sundry Adjustments	3,826.29
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>3,826.29</b>

### Operating Expenses

Advertising	178.18
AGM Costs	82.50
AJIHL Expense	500.00
Annual Leave Expense	3,444.95
Atoms Expense	9,363.63
Audit Fees	3,200.00
AWIHL Sirens Expense	121,752.79

Bank Fees	376.90
Boxall Expense	29,222.74
Brown Expenses	4,584.12
Championship Host Expenses	11,090.91
Coaching Course Level 1 Expense	1,666.40
Defris Expense	29,427.14
Development Expense	7,004.66
Donations	(25.35)
ECSL Officials	12,825.00
Freight & Courier	156.18
General Expenses	2,709.12
Ginsberg Expense	37,211.64
Goalie Clinic Costs	7,499.83
Green Jersey Stock	2,900.00
Ice Hire/Cancellations	15,437.27
IHA Affiliation	1,200.00
Insurance	662.40
Junior Officials	26,026.50
Long Service Leave Expense	12,162.58
Macquarie Ice Payments Games out	58,363.22
Medals and Trophies	10,897.49
Official Development	3,371.00
Officials Courses Expense	1,207.73
Referee Allocations	3,868.00
Senior Division Officials	29,258.00
Senior Division Scorekeepers	10,525.00
Skills Clinic Costs	2,406.14
SPL Expense	4,257.00
State Team Selectors	3,100.00
State Team Uniform Stock	8,463.10
Subscriptions	8,377.66
Superannuation	12,006.13
Tange Expenses	28,198.17
Telephone & Internet	283.04
Tournament Refunds	15,056.42
Travel National	497.83
Wages and Salaries	107,417.63
Willis Cup Expense	545.45
Willis Cup Officials	392.00
Willis Cup Scoring	100.00
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>649,251.10</b>
<b>Net Profit</b>	<b>(17,757.54)</b>

Income from registrations increased again this year indicating participation in ice hockey is growing within the community. Transitory income and associated expenses remain consistent as IHNSW continues to field a State team in all National Championship divisions ensuring our members receive opportunities to develop their skills in higher level competitions. IHNSW is pleased that our expenditure on development opportunities across playing, coaching and officiating continues to remain strong for our members.

Our liabilities have significantly reduced again this year as we continue to maintain a financial position that reflects prudent fiscal responsibility. Despite the reduction in our liabilities, our overall financial position remains sound.

IHNSW is committed to providing the best environment for our members to learn, develop, and fine-tune their skills, and we look forward to ensuring our members continue to receive opportunities to enjoy the game.

If any member wishes to inspect the IHNSW accounts, please feel free to reach out as these remain available upon request.

**Kent Unwin – Treasurer Ice Hockey NSW**

Tabling of Appointed Officers Reports:

Appointed Officers reports were made available for members in the 2024 IHNSW Annual report.

Any questions on any of the reports after this meeting can be addressed to the office [eo@ihnsw.com.au](mailto:eo@ihnsw.com.au)

Acceptance of Reports:

Moved Heather Taylor and seconded by Les Newmark that the reports be accepted. For all present, against none. Carried.

Appointment of Vice-President / Secretary / Elected Ordinary Members:

2024 AGM			
Elected Ordinary Member			
Name	Nominated	Seconded	Date received
Alyson Pedemont	Nicola Barry	Kevin Burns	18/11/2024
Craig Air	Clarinda Air	Nicholas Air	20/11/2024
Danielle McGrath	Alison Fleming	Tatian Aleshina	28/11/2024
Natalie Quinn	Kylie Boyd	David Quinn	2/12/2024

2024 AGM			
Vice President and Secretary			
Vice-President	Nominated	Seconded	Date received
Dawn Watt	Amelia Matheson	Josh Secomb	29/11/2024

Secretary	Nominated	Seconded	Date received
Derek Downie	Elizabeth Arnas-Downie	Declan Downie	18/11/2024

Moved Heather Taylor and seconded by Les Newmark that appointments be approved. For all present, against none. Carried.

**End of meeting 4:23pm.**

**2025**



## ACTING-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2025 saw another year where we did our best with many limitations. With yet another rink closing, we had to extend the season out to November, as well as playing half rounds to finish the season in some grades. For the first time in our sport, we had to train state teams together on one sheet of ice due to simply not having enough ice before National Championships. We very much look forward to Canterbury, Macquarie, and the new Zoo opening in 2026!

Your Executive committee

The 2025 committee was the same as the 2024 committee, with no new nominations received at the previous AGM.

President – Tim Kitching – until mid-August 2025 when he became the President of IHA

Vice President, High Performance, and head of Audit and Risk – Dawn Watt – acting-President until 2025 AGM

Treasurer, Governance, and Referee Portfolio Holder – Kent Unwin

Secretary and head of Player/Coach Development – Derek Downie – assumed High Performance role in August 2025 from Dawn Watt when she stepped in as acting President

Ordinary Member, Child Safeguarding, Organisation Support Grant and Marketing Portfolio holder – Alyson Pedemont

Ordinary Member, Governance, and Social Media Portfolio holder – Danielle McGrath

Ordinary Member and Facilities Portfolio holder – Natalie Quinn

Ordinary Member and Sirens Portfolio holder – Craig Air

This year we say goodbye to Craig Air as he leaves us for an executive position with the Stingrays. We are sure that the Stingrays appreciate his many talents and hope to have Craig back in the future.

As a Sport the highlights for 2025 include:

- We ran a successful season with very limited ice availability
- State team selections and governance has continued to have an increased level of transparency this year.
- We pushed IHA to be transparent in selection policies, national camps, and with their finances. While the outlook is poor, we can confidently say we understand all of the issues and the relationship with the board and the MAs is improving.

Our state representative teams had an good year with the following results:

Phil Ginsberg (13u) – Bronze

Kurt Defris (15u) – Bronze

Syd Tange (18u) – Gold

Steph Boxall (open Women) – 5<sup>th</sup>

We continue to push IHA to resume hosting the Jim Brown (open Men) Tournament. We hope this will return in 2026.

As always, we have a number of awards for Players and Coaches for 2025 and these are as follows:

Grade	Most Valuable Player	Highest Point Scorer	Best Goal Keeper
11U	Arlan Forster	-	Parker Luu
13U	Osric Fritchley Maxwell Dunn	- -	Kaleb Keske
15U	Samuel Nalos	-	Roman Andrievskii
17U	Aiden Downie Jacob Zyl	- -	Louie Meagher
Women	Steph Boxall	Steph Boxall	Emma Moonen
Div 2	Sera Dogramaci	Jonathan Jorcin	Sera Dogramaci
Div 3	Harrison Satumba	Malik Javaux	Viliam Wolf
Div 4	Kendall Ballard	Kendall Ballard	Perry Tappenden
ECSL	Matthew Kopp	Jake Knott	Sean Ellison

### Jeff Scott Award – Emma Moonen

We are extremely fortunate to continue to have the services of Emily Luke, our Executive Officer. The recent concerns coming from IHA show exactly how important someone with Emily's talent is to a sporting organization. Thank you, Emily, for all of your hard work.

### Dawn Watt – Acting-President Ice Hockey NSW



## TREASURERS REPORT

### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

IHNSW delivered a surplus of \$35,089 over the 8-month period, supported by strong program income and disciplined cost control. Cash reserves remain robust at \$268,368, and members' funds increased to \$210,009. The financial year has now been aligned to end on 30 June, streamlining reporting and compliance with Australian standards.

### CASH FLOW SUMMARY

Item	Amount
Receipts from operations	480,912
Payments to suppliers/employees	(438,171)
Interest received	791
<b>Net cash from operations</b>	<b>43,532</b>
Cash at beginning of period	224,836
Net change in cash	43,532
<b>Cash at end of period</b>	<b>268,368</b>

### BALANCE SHEET SNAPSHOT

Category	Amount
Current Assets	275,849
• Cash & equivalents	268,368
• Receivables	595
• Inventories	825
• Other current assets	6,060
Current Liabilities	65,840
• Trade & other payables	17,969
• GST payable	1,288
• Employee entitlements	46,583
<b>Net Assets (Members' Funds)</b>	<b>210,009</b>

## MOVEMENTS IN EQUITY

Item	Amount
Opening Members' Funds	174,919
Surplus for the period	35,089
<b>Closing Members' Funds</b>	<b>210,009</b>

## FINANCIAL NOTES

- **Surplus:** \$35,089 for 8 months, driven by disciplined cost control and strong program delivery.
- **Revenue:** \$450,113 with diversified streams: grants, memberships, competitions/activities, and interest.
- **Operating efficiency:** Surplus margin of ~7.8%; cash conversion strong with net cash from operations exceeding surplus.
- **Liquidity:** Robust working capital and cash reserves; quick ratio ~4.2x indicates significant short-term coverage.
- **Equity:** Members' funds increased to \$210,009, reflecting retained surpluses.
- **Period change:** IHNSW changed its financial year from November–October to July–June to align with the standard Australian financial year and with the expectations of IHNSW from the Australian Taxation Office.

## ANALYSIS

- Strong program/activity income supports core mission, ensuring our members receive opportunities to develop and every level of the sport.
- Membership and contributions are below last year's 12-month figure, which is unsurprising given the shorter 8-month period; annualized, membership income is broadly consistent.
- Liabilities continue to reduce as we focus on maintaining a prudent financial risk management focus.

## CONCLUSION

IHNSW is committed to providing the best environment for our members to learn, develop, and fine-tune their skills, and we look forward to ensuring our members continue to receive opportunities to enjoy the game.



# GOVERNANCE REPORT

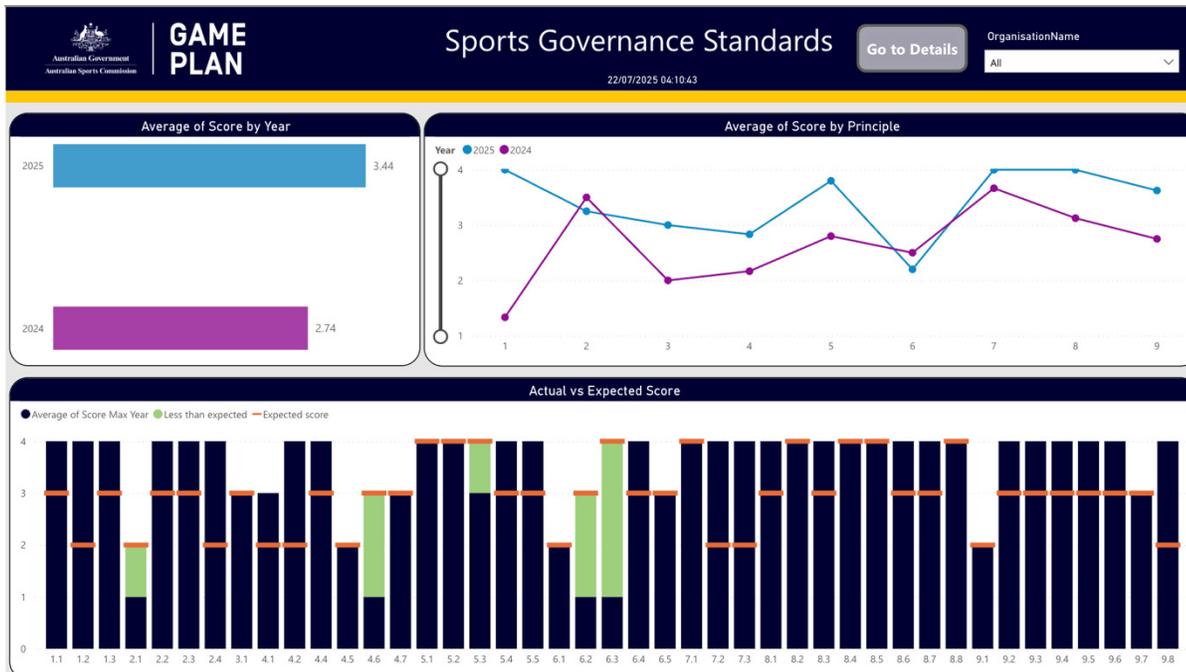
## Executive Summary

This report summarises Ice Hockey NSW's (IHNSW) alignment with the Australian Sports Commission's Sport Governance Standards, assessed as of May 2025. Since the last reporting period, IHNSW has maintained strong performance in several governance areas, including child safety, risk management, and stakeholder engagement.

A revised Constitution was scheduled to be presented at a Special General Meeting (SGM) on 30 November 2025; however, the meeting was cancelled prior due to objections from the membership. As a result, IHNSW remains non-compliant or partially compliant in several core governance standards that can only be addressed through constitutional reform. Further engagement and consultation with members will be required to progress a new governance model for adoption in 2026.

## Governance Standards Performance Summary

Performance measured as of May 2025



## Highlights

- Maintained strong compliance in child safety, risk management, and board operations.
- Improved communication and collaboration with member clubs.
- Continued policy refinement to promote transparency, accountability, and safe participation.

## **Governance Gaps Resulting from SGM Cancellation**

Because the Constitution update could not proceed, IHNSW remains unable to meet several key Sport Governance Standards relating to board composition, elections, and leadership structures. Critical areas requiring reform include:

- Gender Balance – Directors
- Appointment of Directors
- Elected vs Appointed Directors
- Director Eligibility
- Director Term Limits
- Chair Appointment and Evaluation
- CEO Eligibility

These gaps limit IHNSW’s ability to achieve full alignment with the Office of Sport Governance Framework and the Australian Sports Commission’s Sport Governance Standards.

## **Funding and Operational Risk**

The inability to progress constitutional reform increases IHNSW’s funding risk. A reduction in Office of Sport funding—due to misalignment with governance requirements—may directly impact IHNSW’s operational capability, including jeopardising the organisation’s capacity to fund the Executive Officer, a role essential for administration, compliance, governance support, and stakeholder engagement.

This risk is further heightened by the temporary reduction in overall participation numbers associated with major venue closures Penrith and temporarily Canterbury and Macquarie ice rinks.

## **Key Areas for Development (Target: May 2026 Review)**

### **1. Strategic Plan**

A comprehensive Strategic Plan remains a priority to define long-term direction, measurable outcomes, and resource allocation. The plan will be reviewed annually and informed by ongoing engagement with the membership.

### **2. Participation Plan**

Aligned with Ice Hockey Australia, this plan will focus on accessibility, pathway development, and growth across all demographics, particularly underrepresented groups.

### **3. Constitution Reform – 2026 SGM**

IHNSW will undertake further structured consultation with members to rebuild understanding, address concerns, and co-design a modernised Constitution for adoption at an SGM in 2026. The updated model will focus on compliance, transparency, diversity, appropriate board structure, and adherence to national governance expectations.

Together, these initiatives will underpin governance maturity, long-term sustainability, and improved organisational performance.

## **Conclusion**

IHNSW continues to demonstrate strong performance across most governance standards, with approximately 80% of standards assessed at Level 3 or 4 (4 representing best practice). However, constitutional reform remains essential to achieving full alignment with best practice governance requirements.

IHNSW remains committed to transparency, inclusion, and accountability at all levels. Priority efforts in 2026 will focus on progressing constitutional reform, enhancing strategic planning, and mitigating funding risks associated with current governance gaps.



## REFEREE-IN-CHIEF REPORT

It is always an honour to assist in the development, growth and education of IHNSW game officials (referee & linespersons). During my first full year in the position of IHNSW Referee-In-Chief, I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of the people who assisted me; in particular to Emily Luke and Robyn Ravelje, without whom I would not have been able to fulfill this role.

During 2025, Ice Hockey New South Wales (IHNSW) had 95 individuals who officiated matches throughout the year - This is a great achievement! It is pleasing to know that 30 IHNSW game officials worked 15 matches or more (up from 22 in 2024). In 2025, I observed numerous experienced IHNSW game officials sharing their knowledge and skills with their less experienced peers, either as a game official (referee or linesperson) or as an officiating coach/supervisor – Thank you for your ongoing mentoring and support; it has raised the standard of officiating in IHNSW... but there is always room for improvement!

Honourable mentions go to Tim Avery, who officiated over 120 IHNSW matches in 2025; along with Nicholas Air, Joe Mayer, Jason Ryan, Gavin Thurston, & Marco Tomasello who each have provided valuable feedback and coaching to IHNSW game officials throughout 2025. Thank you for assistance to both myself, your fellow game officials, and IHNSW – it is greatly appreciated!

There were a few game officials who took sabbaticals in 2025 for personal reasons, and we hope to welcome them back to the ice in 2026.

Each season, some of the best game officials in IHNSW are selected to officiate both national (IHA/AIHL) and international (IIHF) ice hockey events. Please join with me in congratulating these officials on their accomplishments (which are listed at the end of this report).

Throughout the 2025 Winter Season, it has been a pleasure to visit each of the ice rinks and see many of the game officials (referees and linespersons) working ice hockey matches. Thank you to all the game officials for the time, effort, and professionalism each of you exhibit – it is a pleasure to know we have so many dedicated game officials in New South Wales.

There were 4 officiating courses in 2025 (1 Green Shirt (new), and 3 full courses). Planning for the 2026 IHNSW Season has already begun, with course dates announced soon that will include both classroom sessions and on-ice sessions (likely March 2026). Thank you for the feedback from the 2025 Officiating Courses, we hope to improve both the content and delivery for 2026. We are working with IHNSW coaches to develop a body checking clinic for 2026, so that all participants understand appropriate (and inappropriate) body checking techniques (watch this space).

I look forward to the 2026 IHNSW season, where we continue to strive to make each game official the best they can be.

Finally, I am delighted to announce that **Emma Moonan** is the recipient of the **2025 IHNSW Jeff Scott Officiating Award**, for demonstrating dedication, determination and perseverance as a first year game official.

**Dr Jeffrey Scott - Referee-In-Chief**  
**IHNSW Life Member**  
**IHA Life Member**

2025 Ice Hockey Australia (IHA) National Championships (10-20 July 2024, Perth, Western Australia, Australia)

1. Nicholas Air –
  - Referee: Boxall Gold Medal game & Ginsberg Gold Medal game;
  - Linesperson: Defris Gold Medal game & Tange Bronze Medal game.
2. Jamison Harris –
  - a. Linesperson: Defris Gold Medal game, Ginsberg Gold Medal game, & Tange Bronze Medal game.
  - b. Awarded – **Game Official of the Tournament**
3. Haydan Rogers –
  - a. Referee: Defris Gold Medal game, Tange Bronze Medal game, & Boxall Bronze Medal game.

2025 Australian Ice Hockey League (AIHL) – Finals Series (29-31 August 2024, Melbourne, Australia)

1. Nicholas Air –
  - a. Linesperson (including Gold Medal Game)
2. Jeffrey Scott –
  - a. Referee (including Gold Medal Game)

International Ice Hockey Federation (IIHF) Officiating Selections – 2025-2026 Season

1. Nicholas Air -
  - a. Men – Linesperson





## GOALTENDING REPORT

Due to the **scarcity of available ice**, 2025 offered limited opportunities for IHNSW goaltenders to significantly improve their overall performance. Consequently, most goalies and coaches relied on stick and puck sessions at the Ice Zoo and Erina for skill refinement and practice repetitions.

Cudos to those who continued to develop under their own steam and hopefully 2026 will be more promising.

### Preseason Goalie Camp

On February 23, 2025, IHNSW hosted a successful 3-hour Preseason Goaltender Camp at LCC, led by Don Stolee and Sera Dogramaci. The 15 participating goalies were divided into two age groups and underwent an intense program focusing on strengthening skills, mechanics, fundamentals, and tactical decision-making. We extend our sincere gratitude to LCC and Alyson Pedemont for providing the necessary three hours of ice time.

We are seeking ice time for our 2026 Preseason camp but there is a lot of uncertainty with ice time.

### Junior Goalie Numbers

While a **shortage of goaltenders** persists at the junior levels, we anticipate a **logjam of 5 or 6 netminders** competing for limited opportunities beyond junior hockey. With only four ECLS clubs and scarce spots on local AIHL teams, the development and game experience for the 16-20 age group will be severely restricted. To address this, it would be beneficial for older goaltenders to transition into coaching, creating space and giving back to the game.

The mention of reforming the AJHL via the IHA would be a nice to have and create more teams, but with the reported limited cash on hand there are lots of doubts.

### National Programs

In January 2025, Don Stolee served as the IHNSW representative at the 23U Elite Goalie Development Camp. He worked directly with the participating goalies and their coaches, operating under the direction of Jonny Webb (University of Calgary Dinos, Calgary Buffaloes U18 AAA, Top Performance Goaltending). The camp was deemed a success, bringing together approximately 20 elite goalies selected nationally. The gathering provided a crucial forum for networking among state representatives to renew friendships, establish new ones, and share specialized goaltending insights.

While lead instructor Jonny Webb was impressed by the skill level of all the attending goaltenders, **Justin Baxter especially stood out**, earning him an invitation to train with Webb in Calgary. Justin accepted this unprecedented overseas opportunity, departing for Canada in March 2025. He is currently training with the Melville Millionaires of the SJHL. This milestone—Justin's first international training experience—is a powerful testament of Justin's determination and the work of his coaches and demonstrates that Australia is capable of producing elite goaltenders, needing only more ice time to fully capitalize on its overall capabilities.

No word yet on a 2026 National Goalie Camp but again, with limited funding I am assuming that this will be of low priority - goalies need to be seen as part of the team and not as part of the equipment list ... but., hope I am wrong.

### **IHNSW Goaltending Facebook Page**

Don Stolee created a IHNSW Goaltending Facebook Page. It provides a good communication and resource tool for all goaltenders, coaches, parents, etc.

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61567395980202>



## NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

GINSBERG – July 2025 Cockburn WA – Bronze Medal to NSW



DEFRIS - July 2025 Cockburn WA – Bronze Medal to NSW



TANGE - July 2025 Cockburn WA – Gold Medal to NSW



BOXALL - July 2025 Cockburn WA – 5<sup>th</sup> place to NSW





## GRADE CHAMPIONS

### SQUIRT 11U – SYDNEY BEARS



### PEEWEE 13U - LCC SAINTS



## BANTAM 15U – LCC SAINTS



## MIDGET 17U – EMPERORS



**WOMENS – CANBERRA PIRATES**



**SENIOR DIVISION 2 – CANTERBURY FALCONS**



## SENIOR DIVISION 3 – KODIAKS



## SENIOR DIVISION 4 – CENTRAL COAST STINGRAYS



**EAST COAST SUPER LEAGUE – REACH REBELS**





## **CANTERBURY CLUB REPORT**

### **2025 SEASON**

The 2025 season was another one where the CIHC was operating without the operation of the Canterbury Olympic Ice Rink, after its closure in late August 2022. However the club survived and there were many bright spots within it which I am hopeful will carry us through to the reopening of COIR.

The Senior league was represented by 3 teams for the IHNSW 2025 season; the Falcons (Division 2), the Penguins (Division 3) & the Eagles 4 (Division 4). I would like to congratulate the Falcons on winning the Division 3 championship in 2025, with the Eagles 4 losing their semi-final in a hard fought shootout.

The club was represented by 2 teams in the Women's Division again, both the Owls & the Eagles had successful seasons. I would like to congratulate the Eagles women's team on capturing silver in the women's division in 2025. I would like to make special thanks to Lucinda Clutterbuck for all of her work with the Owls, encouraging women of all skill & experience levels to be able to enter the sport.

Our coaching staff was smaller this year, but I would like to thank Matt Oliveira for his help coaching the Owls. Even with this hardship our club membership still runs strong with 104 current members in 2024.

In spite of the loss of the rink CIHC was able to also proceed with our annual Easter Heaton Trophy and Scurfield Cup fundraising tournaments. In addition we were able to host the inaugural Clutterbuck Cup, a tournament for u21 females. All three tournaments were a success and I'm very thankful to the Hunter Ice Skating Stadium ice rink management, in particular Garry Doire and his staff for all their help in shifting the tournaments to HISS. Additionally I would like to say a massive Thank You to the organizers on the committee and the many parent volunteers across IHNSW who helped make the tournament a successful, fun, and enjoyable weekend.

Due to the aforementioned closure of Canterbury Ice Rink, we were not able to organize and run our annual Wurz Cup Tournament. Additionally there were no club organized Junior Training sessions.

### **2026 SEASON**

Preparations for the 2026 season have already begun with arrangements for our Womens, Senior and potentially Juniors is underway with the sourcing of on & off ice training time along with communication with other clubs with the possibility of once again combining teams in some divisions.

## **FINAL NOTES**

It has been a difficult year with the loss of the rink. However, I am confident that we will endure the start of next season without a rink. With construction already underway on the Canterbury Olympic Ice rink I am eagerly looking forward to even better hockey at CIHC to come. All our players, young or mature, big or small, skilled, intermediate or just learning, have the right to enjoy what club hockey is all about- nurturing the love of the sport, fun and team play.

See you all around the rink!

**Austin Matthews - President CIHC**



## **FLYERS CLUB REPORT**

During 2025, the Committee continued to investigate options to identify a training pathway to enable the Club to recruit junior members, particularly at the 9U age group. This has been especially difficult with the loss of COIR.

The club would like to express our thanks to IHNSW and acknowledge the significant work required to address the difficulties in scheduling games with a shortage of ice rinks.

**Karen Jones - President Flyers Ice Hockey Club**



## ICE ZOO CLUB REPORT

It is with great pleasure and immense pride that I present the annual report for the Ice Zoo Hockey Club for 2025. This year has been an unequivocal success in development, laying a solid and exciting stepping stone for a very bright future for our club.

### Facilities and Future Outlook

We continued to make the most of our current home, the 'Shed' (Small Rink). While not ideal, the truth is that 'ice is better than no ice', and it allowed us to keep the development pathway flowing. We are now enthusiastically looking forward to the move to the bigger temporary rink, which will serve as a crucial bridge facility until our dream of the brand new permanent facilities is realised.

### Coaching and Representative Honours

A true hallmark of the 2025 season was the quality of our personnel. We were privileged to have one of the best coaching staffs in the club's history, dedicating their time and expertise to our players. So a great THANK YOU to all our coaches and managers. This commitment translated directly into outstanding individual achievements, as the club fielded its biggest contingent of NSW State and Australian representatives ever. Furthermore, we proudly had a significant number of players rostered on the Sirens team, showcasing the calibre of talent emerging from Ice Zoo.

### **Congrats to our 2025 Australian and NSW state representatives**

Annika Schmitz - U18 Australia - NSW Women Boxall - Sydney Sirens

Elin Schmitz - U18 Australia - NSW Women Boxall - Sydney Sirens Reserves

Ava Caruso - NSW Women Boxall - Sydney Sirens

Charlotte Rowe - NSW Women Boxall - Sydney Sirens

Nikita Aguirrezabal - NSW Women Boxall - Sydney Sirens Reserves

Kelsie Lang - Sydney Sirens Reserves

Jessica Zhang - NSW Women Boxall

Jillian Murphy - NSW Women Boxall

Chloe O'Hara - Future Sydney Sirens

Sierra Jacome - NSW Women Boxall - Reserves

Jason Beazley - NSW U17 Tange - Reserves

Ashton Ng - NSW U15 Defris

Charles S Graf - NSW U13 Ginsberg

Charlie Harris - NSW U13 Ginsberg

Dominik Gric - NSW U13 Ginsberg

## Program Highlights and Engagement

Bondi Beach Hockey proved to be a wonderfully unique and fun experience for the children, introducing hockey to a wider, very different audience.

A major highlight was the highly anticipated visit from NHL player, Nathan Walker, who generously spent time signing autographs and inspiring our young athletes.

## Competitive Success Across Grades

The consistent theme across the club this year was competitiveness and parity. The majority of our teams were highly competitive and managed to reach or get very close to parity within their respective leagues—a testament to the hard work of the players and coaches.

## Junior Grades: The Engine Room

Team	Performance Summary	Key Takeaway
<b>U9s</b>	Excellent numbers. The <b>lifeblood of the club</b> is healthy!  This is all thanks to our Meerkats program initiated and run by John Harvey.	A few <b>stars in the making</b> here, showing great promise.
<b>U11s</b>	Secured a <b>Bronze</b> medal finish.	Solid improvement, with several players taking significant developmental steps forward.
<b>U13s</b>	Without question, the <b>best season in the club's history!</b>	The team also won the <b>Coffs Harbour Tournament</b> in truly amazing fashion.
<b>U15s</b>	A hard <b>learning season</b> for the players.	This tough experience provides a crucial <b>foundation for a strong future U17 team.</b>

## Senior Grades: Adult League

Team	Performance Summary	Key Takeaway
<b>Foxes</b>	Won a <b>Bronze</b> medal.	Just fell short of making the Grand Final. A strong finish nonetheless.
<b>Apes</b>	Finished <b>first</b> overall in Division 3.	An unfortunate loss in the Semi-Finals, but a dominant regular season performance.
<b>Hippos</b>	A valuable <b>learning year</b> in Division 3.	Great progress after winning the Division 4 title the previous year. Holding their own against higher competition.

## The Juicebox League: A Taste of Intense Development

The annual Juicebox League program continues to be a profound success and a vibrant addition to our calendar, serving as a critical off-season tool for development and fun. This unique, nine-week competition runs across the end of the year and truly embodies our club's commitment to continuous improvement. Its success stems directly from its core objectives:

**Development for All Levels:** Juicebox offers intensely competitive games for everyone- from absolute newcomers to our seasoned NSW State representatives. By carefully balancing the teams across its four divisions (Watermelon, Strawberry, and the two Pineapple Leagues), we ensure every participant faces meaningful challenges.

**Maximising Puck Touches:** The league's innovative game formats—such as the high-intensity, no-stoppage 3-on-3 style—are specifically designed to increase puck touches and shots on goal for every player. This ensures a huge boost to individual skills, game sense, and speed of play.

**A Training Ground for the Entire Club:** Juicebox is not just for players. It provides crucial opportunities for parents and new volunteers to learn bench management, and allows our experienced coaches and officials to mentor the next generation. It's a holistic development environment that strengthens the Ice Zoo community from top to bottom.

**Invaluable Goalie Exposure:** Crucially, the formats deliver massive exposure for our goaltenders, allowing them to face far more shots and play the puck more often than in regular games, accelerating their development in leaps and bounds.

The 2025 Juicebox League once again delivered on its promise, providing a fun, competitive environment that kept our club's skills sharp and our community connected right up until the holidays.

## **Innovating for the Future: Personalised Player Development**

Looking ahead, we are finalising a very exciting development: a new training program tier on top of the one training per week we currently have. We firmly believe this data-driven, personal approach will truly accelerate our committed players' development, helping them reach their absolute maximum potential in the sport. More details on how to register and what these sessions involve will be shared early next year!

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to all our players, coaches, volunteers, and families for a magnificent 2025. The spirit and dedication within the Ice Zoo community is second to none, and we are perfectly positioned to carry this momentum into 2026.

**Hugh Deraps – President Ice Zoo Ice Hockey Club**



## LCC SAINTS CLUB REPORT

Liverpool Saints Ice Hockey Club IHNSW AGM Report Overview The past three months have marked significant growth, community engagement, and program success for the Liverpool Saints Ice Hockey Club. These achievements were made possible through the continued support of the Liverpool Catholic Club (LCC) Board, CEO, administration, rink staff, intra-club community, and our valued volunteers and parents.

### Key Achievements

#### Club Growth

- Over 260 registered players across junior and senior divisions (Atoms/Mites, Seniors through to SPL and Development).
- Strong winter season recruitment with increased membership across all age groups.
- We have 5 Junior Teams and 7 Senior Teams plus 3 Teams of SPL high division senior league.

#### Grants & Development

- Awarded the NHLPA Goals & Equipment Grant, providing 35 full gear kits for U9–U17 development.
- Significant participation in stick-and-puck and development sessions, averaging 40–60 players per session (Stick and Puck running through our summer season and development running all year round)
- Growth in coaching pathways, with older Peewees, Bantams, and Midgets beginning training as assistant coaches.

#### Governance & Compliance

- Updated and implemented Child Protection Frameworks aligned with NSW Government and IHA/IHNSW policies.
- Successfully audited by the NSW Office of the Children's Guardian with zero findings.
- Continued promotion of MPIO access and safeguarding culture through rink signage and member communication.
- Website upgrades improving member navigation, with ongoing visual enhancements.

#### Competition & Representative Success

We are proud to have so many LCC Saints players represent our club in tournaments, State Championships, and Australian teams, locally and Internationally, receiving many medals and always making our Club proud of every achievement.

#### Community Engagement

- Continued relationship building with community groups, including donations from the Quilters for the Lynch Cup.
- Increased affiliate support benefiting both the club and local businesses.

- Highly successful Girls' Come & Try event with 44 female participants, expanding female participation in the sport.

#### Upcoming Initiatives

- Implementation of Veo/AI cameras to record and analyse home games.
- Planning more Tournaments at LCC. Ongoing improvements to digital presence, development programs, and coaching pathways.

#### Closing

The Saints community continues to thrive through strong partnerships, growing player numbers, high-quality development, and outstanding competitive achievements. We look forward to the next quarter with pride, unity, and excitement as we continue to represent the Liverpool Catholic Club and our community.

**Claire Garard - Liverpool Saints IHC Secretary**



## NEWCASTLE NORTHSTARS CLUB REPORT

I would like to start by acknowledging the current committee and thanking them all for their hard work and continual drive to support our club members and our shared love of ice hockey.

This year has been the most challenging and longest season of hockey since I have joined this club. Ice time has been even more limited than the past, so much so that we saw two AIHL teams take a break from this season.

With that being the situation, I know there has been a lot of frustration with IHNSW and the way that the rep season has played out. I will say that considering the circumstances, the fact we got to have a season at all is remarkable.

While it hasn't been ideal I wouldn't wish the job of the IHNSW committee on anyone. They had some massive challenges to overcome.

2025 has seen even further club growth from last year. Last year we reached 402 members.

This year we have grown to a staggering 496 members.

The list of achievements for this year include:

- Teams in all Junior age groups Women's and all active senior divisions. Three of our junior teams finished in a medal position. ECSL were Semi Finalists going down in overtime and Women's and Div 2 finished 4th, with our other senior teams missing finals positions by 1 point.
- Women's Parahockey attended their first overseas Worlds tournament, with three Northstars named on the roster and almost a full Northstars coaching and support staff minus the manager from WA.
- Once again we joined forces with our friends at the Central Coast Stingrays. We had players joining our juniors teams and ran multiple exhibition games for our Senior Div 1 players with them at HISS and Erina. This was vital to keeping people playing this year.
- We have seen further growth of our Inhouse competition with our partners HockeyMD. There are now 5 teams in Division 3 and Division 4 Summer Slam, for a total of 26 teams competing!
- We have players that have made both State and National teams.
- Introduction of our new Quiet Achiever Award.

**Mitchell Hedt - President Newcastle Northstars Ice Hockey Clu**



## **NORWEST EMPERORS CLUB REPORT**

### **Season Overview**

Despite the challenges posed by the closure of Macquarie Ice Rink, which significantly limited our training opportunities, the Emperors Juniors had an outstanding year. Both the Bantams and Midgets teams reached the finals, showcasing resilience and determination. The Midgets team claimed gold, while the Bantams secured bronze, marking a proud achievement for our club.

We are also proud to note that Emperors had a high level of representation at the National Tournament, further highlighting the strength and commitment of our players at the highest level of competition.

### **Training Initiatives**

To keep our teams connected and maintain momentum, we organized training sessions at Ice Zoo. These sessions were instrumental in fostering team spirit and ensuring our players continued to develop their skills despite the constraints.

### **Acknowledgements**

A special thank you goes to Tim Marceau from the Bears, whose collaboration was invaluable. Tim not only helped us assemble a Bantams team but also generously took on the role of coach. His support exemplifies the strength of community within the sport.

### **Looking Ahead**

As of now, we have not been allocated any ice time by MIR for 2026. This uncertainty places the future of Emperors Juniors in jeopardy. We are actively exploring solutions and will keep members informed as developments occur.

### **Closing Remarks**

Thank you to all players, parents, and supporters for your dedication throughout the year. Your commitment has been the backbone of our success, and we look forward to overcoming challenges together.

**Norwest Emperors Ice Hockey Club**



## **SYDNEY BEARS CLUB REPORT**

### **President's Message**

2025 has been a milestone year for the Sydney Bears Ice Hockey Club. Despite facing unprecedented challenges, our club has demonstrated resilience, unity, and the power of community. This year, more than ever, belongs to our volunteers—whose dedication and passion have been the foundation of our success.

### **Facilities Update**

The closure of our home rink, Macquarie Ice Rink, due to major renovations, presented significant disruptions. We were forced to relocate home games, cancel training slots, clinics, Hockey School, and recreational competitions. However, this challenge has paved the way for a remarkable opportunity.

We are thrilled to announce the imminent reopening of Macquarie Ice Rink, now transformed into a top-class, hockey-focused facility. Features include:

- Full glass around the boards
- New team benches, scoring and penalty boxes
- A jumbotron
- Upgraded seating
- A new Zamboni
- A new plant supporting advanced piping and ice systems

We extend our deepest gratitude to Renzo, Kathy, Dr. Gregg, and the entire Macquarie Ice Rink team for their tireless efforts and continued support. A special thank you to Renzo, whose sacrifices and advocacy for our club have been instrumental in realizing this vision. 2

### **Volunteer Recognition**

Community sport thrives on volunteerism, and this year our volunteers went above and beyond. In the absence of a home rink, they:

- Delivered supplementary training for juniors
- Maintained engagement and motivation among players
- Secured alternative training facilities

- Developed and executed practice plans

Their efforts ensured that our junior members stayed on the ice during a time when many could have left the sport.

Special recognition goes to our **15U Bantams and 17U Midgets coaches**, who committed to weekly training sessions at **Erina Ice Rink**, despite the travel and time demands. Their dedication is deeply appreciated.

### **Junior Program Achievements**

Our junior teams achieved outstanding results in 2025:

#### **IHNSW Results**

- U11 – Champions
- U13 Peewees – Silver Medalists
- U15 Bantams – Finalists
- U17 Midgets – Finalists 2025

#### **Coffs Harbour 3-on-3 Ice Skirmish**

- U9 – Finalists
- U11 – 1st Place
- U13 – 2nd Place

### **Senior & Women's Competitions**

Our senior and women's teams continue to perform strongly, with several preparing for finals in late October. We look forward to celebrating their achievements in the coming weeks.

### **Representative Honors**

We are proud to have many members represent NSW and ACT in the Ice Hockey Australia National Championships, showcasing the talent and dedication within our club.

### **Farewells & Transitions**

We bid farewell to several key contributors:

- Dalibor Siroky (Treasurer) – Dalibor modernized our financial systems, introducing automation and vital integrations. His impact will be felt for years to come.
- Zac Roberts – A dynamic and experienced contributor whose presence will be missed. 2025 President Report
- Regan Sice – After several years of service, I will be stepping down from the President role. I remain committed to supporting the club in any capacity in the future.

Thank you to all for your support during my term. I am excited to see what our next President will bring as we enter a new era with a world-class facility and a thriving community.

### **Closing Remarks**

To our volunteers, parents, players, and supporters - thank you for making 2025 another successful year for the Sydney Bears Ice Hockey Club. Your commitment and passion continue to drive our club forward.

**Sydney Bears – Stronger Together.**

**Regan Sice – President Sydney Bears Ice Hockey Club**



## **CENTRAL COAST STINGRAYS CLUB REPORT**

Season 2025 has seen the 4th Season of operation for the Central Coast Stingrays, and a year of continuing maturing of the organisation and ongoing development of the sport on the Central Coast.

The season again began with uncertainty in several areas, most notably in the Division 1 Senior league with this division again failing to participate in the 2025 season.

Another strong year for inter-club collaboration to ensure a presence in junior divisions for the Club including another year of participation as the Northrays in conjunction with the Newcastle Northstars in the 15U Division and collaborating with the Bears to field a 13U team to ensure all kids from both clubs found a place to play.

Participating in the IHNSW Competition this year was a total of 4 teams, 11U, 13U, Womens and Senior Division 4 with the Division 4 team securing the 2025 Championship. It was incredibly pleasing to see a number of new faces in all of these teams this season, proving our development pathways are strengthening standing us in good stead to maintain a strong player base for 2026, as we look to encourage previous seasons senior players to return as Sydney rinks come back on line.

Another challenging year for the Board, with several key roles remaining vacant through the season the workload for those engaged on the committee was high however we continue to recruit from our player and parent base and remain positive that additional members will be incoming for 2026. We have also appointed a key role in the Clubs Coaching Director to continue to strength our development programs and player and coach development through season 2026.

It would be remiss not to acknowledge the support the club receives from the Management of Erina Ice Arena, without which the club would not be able to operate.

The club also acknowledges our wonderful supporters and sponsors Tyrepower, Bendigo Bank, CCS Health, Element Dental, Express Lube and Living Automation. The ongoing support of these foundation sponsors provides a significant boost to our ability to provide our members with a great experience year on year.

Lastly, congratulations to all our Stingrays members selected for representative teams for state tournaments and AWIHL teams.

We are looking forward to returning with an even bigger contingent for another successful season in 2026.

**James Elward – Central Coast Stingrays Ice Hockey Club**



The Phantoms started the year with a tie in Newcastle, this was our first game playing together with some new players and we used that opportunity to figure out our positionings for the year. We didn't have a on ice training session and throughout the season we had some really strong games and we had some games that needed some work which we touched on in our video review/online training sessions. Our online training sessions were helpful getting everyone on the same page with how we were running our systems and certain expectations in certain zones.

Phantoms ended the year in third place, putting us into the semi finals versus the Saints. We came away with the victory but ended the game with an injury to star forward Matt Bradford who suffered a spiral fracture to the ankle and wasn't available for our grand final game. The Grand final was held in Erina against the Stingrays and we lost 3-1.

I'd like to thank Ice Hockey New South Wales for putting the season on with the challenges of having limited ice time and I hope that seasons can be filled with more games in the future.

**Kendall Ballard - Penrith Phantoms Ice Hockey Club**



## **EAST COAST SUPER LEAGUE CLUB REPORT**

Good day everyone,

The ECSL season has finally finished for 2025. It's been a long-drawn-out year but now it's done.

Congratulations to the Rebels team crowned as champions for 2025.

This season has been a difficult one for several reasons, teams couldn't train, had to travel more this year for games, players juggling their hours for their jobs to be able to play. Our season started later and was spread out over quite a lot of weekends. Unfortunately, the draw came out in short weeks at a time which also hindered players and their jobs.

But to be fair to all clubs and their teams they were all in the same predicament as ECSL, trying to put a team together each week.

Due to lack of ice with Canterbury still out of action and Macquarie closing for much needed major repairs training times for a lot of teams became non-existent.

This season was shortened to 16 weeks and semi-finals were sudden death one game instead of two games. This made for an interesting result for grand final placings. 4 defeated 1 and 3 defeated 2. A great effort from all four teams to play a do or die final.

This year the teams were so close in the grand finals both Rebels and Raptors won a game each. It then came down to the third game.

Both teams played head-to-head and end to end hockey for the three periods but at the end Rebels came out on top with a great win.

To all the ECSL players, coaches, managers, and support staff, from myself and the ECSL committee I would like to say a big thank you for your support and trust in such a difficult year. Hopefully next season might be nicer to us. And as I have already said before, a BIG thank you.

The ECSL committee would like to say a big thank you to the EO Emily Luke and the people involved with putting out the season's draw. It was a tough year for you and ECSL appreciates your efforts.

To the coaches and managers, thank you for your support and understanding this season. It hasn't been easy, but we got there in the end.

Finally, to the ECSL Committee, wow what a year. Hopefully next year will be better (fingers crossed). Thank you all for your dedication and perseverance with everything thrown at us this year. Jason (Chiz) Kvisle thanks for stats work, Sharon Kelly our super treasure, also father and son Bradford's for your work on our ECSL site and all the photos during the year, and our super secretary Cathy Menzies for all the great work this year.

**Les Adams – East Coast Super League President**

# **Not-For-Profit - Association Report**

Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc

ABN 72 503 170 415

For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

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# Committee's Report

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

### Committee's Report

Your committee members submit the financial report of Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc for the period ended 30 June 2025.

### Committee Members

The names of committee members throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

Committee Member	Position	Committee Member
Dawn Watt	President	Craig Air
Derek Downie	Secretary	Alyson Pedemont
Kent Unwin	Treasurer	Danielle McGrath
		Natalie Quinn

The Association's Executive Officer is Emily Luke

### Principal Activities

The principal activity of the Association during the financial year was the administration and promotion of ice hockey in New South Wales.

### Significant Changes

There has been no significant change in the nature of the Association's principal activity from the previous financial year.

A significant change has occurred in that the company has decided to change its financial year to end on 30 June each year. The financial statements here are for the period of 8 months ended 30 June 2025.

### Operating Result

The Surplus for the eight months was \$35,089 (2024 Surplus \$113,629).

### Going Concern

This financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business. The ability of the association to continue to operate as a going concern is dependent upon the ability of the association to generate sufficient cashflows from operations to meet its liabilities. The members of the association believe that the going concern assumption is appropriate.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee on:

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Committee's Report

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Dawn Watt (President)

Date 27/11/2025



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Kent Unwin (Treasurer)

Date 27/11/2025

# Assets and Liabilities Statement

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc As at 30 June 2025

	NOTES	30 JUNE 2025	30 JUNE 2024
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>			
Expense		7,170	8,008
NSW Ice Hockey General Ac		124,254	57,101
Saving		136,944	271,833
<b>Total Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		<b>268,368</b>	<b>336,941</b>
Trade and Other Receivables		595	3,077
Inventories		825	373
Other Current Assets		6,060	6,060
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<b>275,849</b>	<b>346,451</b>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
<b>Plant and Equipment</b>			
Computer Equipment		2,248	2,248
Accumulated Depreciation		(2,248)	(2,248)
<b>Total Plant and Equipment</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>275,849</b>	<b>346,451</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
<b>Trade and Other Payables</b>			
Accounts Payable		7,657	58,305
Accrued Expenses		3,300	5,500
Defris Tournament Refunds Payable		-	3,645
Jeff Scott Award Payable		1,000	1,000
PAYG Withholdings Payable		6,012	6,252
Superannuation Payable		-	646
Tournament Refunds Payable		-	(10,274)
Wages Payable - Payroll		-	2,780
<b>Total Trade and Other Payables</b>		<b>17,969</b>	<b>67,855</b>
GST Payable		1,288	2,946
NSWIceHockey		-	400
<b>Employee Entitlements</b>			
Annual Leave Provision		16,598	13,218
Long Service Leave Provision		29,985	17,206
<b>Total Employee Entitlements</b>		<b>46,583</b>	<b>30,424</b>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>65,840</b>	<b>101,624</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Assets and Liabilities Statement

	NOTES	30 JUNE 2025	30 JUNE 2024
Other Current Liabilities		-	-
<b>Total Liabilities</b>		<b>65,840</b>	<b>101,624</b>
<b>Net Assets</b>		<b>210,009</b>	<b>244,827</b>
<b>Member's Funds</b>			
Retained Earnings		210,009	244,827
<b>Total Member's Funds</b>		<b>210,009</b>	<b>244,827</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# Income and Expenditure Statement

Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc  
For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

	NOV 2024-JUN 2025	NOV 2023-JUN 2024
<b>Income</b>		
Revenue	450,113	421,498
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>450,113</b>	<b>421,498</b>
<b>Gross Surplus</b>	<b>450,113</b>	<b>421,498</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>		
Administration	12,119	12,236
Playing and Development Expenses	322,063	280,654
Salary and Wages	80,842	77,004
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>415,024</b>	<b>369,894</b>
<b>Current Year Surplus/ (Deficit)</b>	<b>35,089</b>	<b>51,604</b>
<b>Current Year Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>35,089</b>	<b>51,604</b>
<b>Net Current Year Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>35,089</b>	<b>51,604</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# Movements in Equity

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

	NOV 2024-JUN 2025	NOV 2023-JUN 2024
<b>Equity</b>		
Opening Balance	174,919	193,222
<b>Comprehensive Income</b>		
Surplus (deficit) for the year	35,089	51,604
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>	<b>35,089</b>	<b>51,604</b>
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>210,009</b>	<b>244,827</b>

# Statement of Cash Flows - Direct Method

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

	NOV 2024-JUN 2025	NOV 2023-JUN 2024
<b>Cash Flows From Operating Activities</b>		
Receipts in the Course of Operations	480,912	449,700
Payments to Suppliers and Employees	(438,171)	(378,954)
Interest received	791	1,357
<b>Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>	<b>43,532</b>	<b>72,103</b>
<b>Net Cash Flows</b>	<b>43,532</b>	<b>72,103</b>
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	224,836	264,838
Net change in cash for period	(43,532)	(72,103)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	268,368	336,941

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

### Note 1 - Corporate Information

The financial report is for Ice Hockey New South Wales Incorporated ('the Association') as an individual entity and domiciled in Australia. Ice Hockey New South Wales Incorporated is an Association under the *New South Wales Associations Incorporation Act 2009*.

The Association administers and promotes the sport of ice hockey in New South Wales. The registered address and principal place of business of the Association is:

Level 2, 6B Figtree Drive

Sydney Olympic Park NSW 2127

#### **Limitation of members' liability**

The Association is registered under the *New South Wales Associations Incorporation Act 2009* as an Association. If the Association is wound up, its Constitution states that each voting member is required to contribute a maximum of \$1 each towards meeting any outstanding obligations of the Association.

### Note 2 - Basis of Preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in compliance with the requirements of the *New South Wales Associations Incorporation Act 2009* and *Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures*.

Other than the change in disclosure requirements, the adoption of *AASB 1060: General Purpose Financial Statements - Simplified Disclosures for For-Profit and Not-for-Profit Tier 2 Entities* has had no significant impact on the financial statements because the Association's previous financial statements complied with *Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements*.

#### **Basis of measurement**

The financial statements, except for the cash flow information, have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

#### **Comparatives**

Where required by Accounting Standards comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year. Where the Association has retrospectively applied an accounting policy, made a retrospective restatement or reclassified items in its financial statements, an additional statement of financial position as at the beginning of the earliest comparative period will be disclosed.

#### **Critical accounting estimates and judgements**

The Committee evaluates estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial statements based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the Association.

#### **Key estimates**

##### *Impairment*

The Committee assesses impairment at the end of each reporting period by evaluation of conditions and events specific to the Association that may be indicative of impairment triggers. Recoverable amounts of relevant assets are reassessed using value-in-use calculations, which incorporate various key assumptions.

#### *New and revised standards that are effective for these financial statements*

Several amendments to Australian Accounting Standards and interpretations are mandatory for the 30 June 2025 reporting period. These include:

*AASB 2020-1: Amendments to AASs - Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current* (effective for the year ended 30 June 2025)

*AASB 2021-2: Amendments to AASs – Disclosure of Accounting Policies and Definition of Accounting Estimates* (effective for the year ended 30 June 2025)

AASB 2020-1 and AASB 2021-2 act to mandate that the Association prepare a general purpose financial report under a new Simplified Disclosure Standard. The application of AASB 2020-1 and AASB 2021-2 have not had a material impact on the carrying values of the Association's asset, liability or equity balances; nor a material impact on the recognition and measurement of the Association's revenue or expenses.

### **Note 3 -Significant Accounting Policies**

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

#### **Income Tax**

The Association is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*.

#### **Goods and services tax (GST)**

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO are presented as operating cash flows included in receipts from customers or payments to suppliers.

#### **Revenue recognition**

Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances and duties and taxes including goods and services tax (GST). Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

#### **Grants**

Grants received on the condition that specified services are delivered, or conditions are fulfilled, are considered reciprocal. These grants are initially recognised as a liability and revenue is recognised as services are performed or conditions fulfilled. Revenue from non-reciprocal grants is recognised when the Association obtains control of the funds.

#### **Interest revenue**

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest method.

#### **Cash and cash equivalents**

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

#### **Trade receivables**

For all sources of recurrent income, trade receivables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost, less provision for doubtful debts. Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off.

#### **Trade and other payables**

Trade and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received

by the Association during the reporting period, which remain unpaid. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability. The carrying amount of trade and other payables is deemed to reflect fair value.

#### **Employee benefits**

Provision is made for the Association's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits.

#### **Note 4 - Revenue**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
<b>Operating Revenue</b>		
Grant Income	80,000	50,000
Membership Fees and Contributions	137,860	192,362
Competition, Courses and Activities Income	231,462	359,107
Sundry Adjustments	0	1,336
<b>Other Revenue</b>		
Interest Income	791	2,319
<i>Total Revenue</i>	450,113	605,124

#### **Note 5 - Expenses**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
Depreciation	0	731
Provision for Impairment – Doubtful Debts	1,250	1,250

#### **Note 6 - Cash and Cash Equivalents**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
Cash at Bank	268,368	336,941

<i>Total Cash and Cash Equivalents</i>	268,368	336,941
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**Note 7 - Trade and Other Receivables**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
<b>Current</b>		
Trade Receivables	1,845	4,327
Provision for Impairment	(1,250)	(1,250)
<b>Other Receivables ITC Collections</b>	6,060	6,060
<i>Total Current Trade and Other Receivables</i>	6,655	9,137

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
<b>Provision for Impairment</b>		
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	1,250	-
Increase/(decrease) in provision	-	1,250
<i>Balance at the end of the financial year</i>	1,250	1,250

**Note 8 - Inventories**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Stock on Hand	825	373
<i>Total Inventories</i>	825	373

**Note 9 - Property, Plant & Equipment**

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Computer & Equipment - at Cost	2,248	2,248

Accumulated Depreciation	(2,248)	(2,248)
<i>Total Property, Plant &amp; Equipment</i>	-	-

	2025	2024
	(\$)	(\$)
<b>Movements in Carrying Amounts</b>		
Opening net carrying amount	-	-
Additions	-	-
Depreciation charge for the year	-	-
<i>Closing net carrying amount</i>	-	-

**Note 10 - Trade and Other Payables**

	2025	2024
	(\$)	(\$)
<b>Current</b>		
GST Payable	1,288	2,946
Liabilities to Employees – Other	-	2,780
Other Payables	17,969	65,474
<i>Total Current Trade Payables and Other Payables</i>	19,257	71,200

**Note 11 - Employee Benefits**

	2025	2024
	(\$)	(\$)
<b>Current</b>		
Annual Leave	16,598	13,218
Long Service Leave	29,985	17,206
<i>Total Current Employee Benefits</i>	46,583	30,424

**Note 12 - Government Grants**

The Association has recognised government grant revenue from the following levels of government and departments:

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
<b>State – New South Wales</b>		
Office of Sport (Refer note 4)	80,000	50,000

**Note 13 - Auditor's Remuneration**

Fees paid to JSA Accounting &amp; Tax Pty Ltd

	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
Audit of the Financial Report	3,000	3,250
Preparation of the Financial Report	-	-
<i>Total Auditor's Remuneration</i>	3,000	3,250

**Note 14 - Events Occurring After Balance Date**

No material events have occurred after the reporting period.

# Statement by Members of the Committee

## Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

The Committee of Ice Hockey New South Wales Incorporated declares that:

1. The financial statements, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2025, and the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in funds and statement of cash flows for the period of eight months ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes are in accordance with the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Act 2009* and:

(a) comply with *Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures* (including Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Regulation 2022*; and

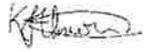
(b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2025 and of the performance for the period ended on that date of the Association.

2. In the opinion of the Committee, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee.

  
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Dawn Watt  
President

  
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Kent Unwin  
Treasurer

# Peter J Sweeney BCom CA Chartered Accountant Registered Company Auditor ABN 62651271953

Ice Hockey New South Wales Inc  
For the 8 months ended 30 June 2025

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ICE HOCKEY NEW SOUTH WALES INCORPORATED**

### Opinion

I have audited the financial report of Ice Hockey New South Wales Incorporated which comprises the statement of assets and liabilities as at 30 June 2025, the statement of income and expenditure and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in funds and statement of cash flows for the period of eight months then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the Statement by Members of the Committee.

In my opinion, the accompanying financial report of Ice Hockey New South Wales Incorporated is in accordance with the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Act 2009*, including:

- a) giving a true and fair view of the Association's financial position as at 30 June 2025 and of its financial performance for the period of eight months then ended, and
- b) complying with *Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures* and the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Regulation 2022*.

### Basis for Opinion

I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of my report. I am independent of the Association in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Act 2009* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to my audit of the financial report in Australia. I have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

I confirm that the independence declaration required by the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Act 2009*, which has been given to the Committee of the Association, would be in the same terms if given to the Committee as at the time of this auditor's report.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

### Committees' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The Committee of the Association is responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with *Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures* and the New South Wales *Associations Incorporation Act 2009* and for such internal control as the Committee determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Committee is responsible for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Committee either intend to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Committee is responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

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

A further description of my responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at *The Auditing and Assurance Standards Board* and the website address is <http://www.auasb.gov.au/Home.aspx>.

I communicate with the Executive Officer regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during my audit.



Auditor's signature:

Auditor's Name & Address: Peter J Sweeney, Chartered Accountant, Broadmeadow NSW

Dated: 27 / 11 / 2025