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TREASURER: Rob Farrell (459 4055) EDITOR: Basil Worner (387 9702W)

*Phone calls before 8.30pm.please.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 30/3/86

Despite a clash with Easter holidays, members supported our club very strongly with an excellent attendance.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The President, in his report, spoke on the following:

- * the 20% growth in membership;
- * The support of all members;
- * the work of the committee;
- * the punctual start of events in 1985.

Club rooms:

He outlined progress in investigating rooms for our club: at this stage, 3 committees from Perth City Council are inspecting our submission. If this is approved "in principle", the Committee will then be in a position to cost the concept and take this to members for their consideration.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The final report will be presented at a special meeting. The President presented the Treasurer's report for the period 6/3/85 to 6/3/86 which is presented in this issue.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Secretary reported on race organization and social events as per the constitution.

MATTERS ARISING FROM 1985

- 1. Club rooms (see above)
- Chest numbers The President reported that the Committee had deferred this because of problems associated with changes of personnel in age groups.

ELECTION OF COMMITTEE

The meeting elected the Club administration for 1986/87 and the results are recorded on page 2 for future reference.

The meeting decided to elect the editor as a member of the Committee and this is shown in the list.

Members should note that there were no nominations for Equipment Control Officer. This position is vacant so that any member who wishes to know what this position entails could ring the President on 272 5556.

CLUB ADMINISTRATION, 1986/87

PATRON : BILL HUGHES

COMMITTEE

. St Mark's College 8 Young Street LEO HASSAM

272 5556 (President)

BEDFORD 6053

291 9104 JACKI GREENFIELD 33 Cagney Way

LESMURDIE 6076

(Vice President)

339 2988 SANDI WALTON 9/12 Elvira Street PALMYRA 6167 (Secretary)

(Telephone calls before 8.30 pm Please)

15 Tremlett Street 459 4055 ROB FARRELL

THORNLIE 6108 (Treasurer)

Pinnaroo Memorial Park 401 4956 BRIAN DANBY

Whitford Avenue PADBURY 6025

447 2418 BOB SAMMELLS 5 McInness Court

GREENWOOD 6024 (Race Director)

PO Box 9 277 5011 (W) KATH PENTON CLOVERDALE 6105

328 1507 (Publicity)

387 9702 (W) BASIL WORNER 92 York Street (Editor) SUBIACO 6008

HANDICAPPER

52A Mayflower Crescent 401 4373 KEITH FORDEN CRAGIE 6025

EQUIPMENT OFFICER

VACANT

CLUB HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP

The President presented the Patron's Trophy to Ray Lawrence who won the 1985/86 championship.

"ATHLETE OF THE MEET"

A select committee nominated John Cochrane as the outstanding athlete of our Track and Field Championships for creating an Australian record in the M50 shot put with a heave of 12.94m, breaking the previous best by nearly half a metre. John, recently joined from Albany, is a former state champion. Well done John!

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE PERIOD 6TH MARCH 1985 TO 6TH MARCH 1986

	300	
Receipts		
Subscriptions		¢2 655 00
Sportswear and badges		\$3,655.00 936.80
State Championships		692.00
Sundry Events		796.51
Xmas Dinner		
Quiz Night		1,681.20
Donnelly River Weekend		764.80
-		431.00
Wellington Mills Weekend Equipment Grants		536.30
Time Trials		552.00
Interest Received		522.00
interest Received		342.04
		10,909.65
Less Payments		
Sportswear and badges	\$1,051.60	
Sports Equipment	809.09	
Newsletter	398.00	
State Championships	61.68	
Postage, Stationary and Phone	271.29	
Booking the Xmas Dinner 1986	100.00	
Fees	155.20	
Sundry Events	282.52	
Rent Tracks - Time Trials	330.00	
Repairs Equipment	316.60	
Booking Fees long weekends	190.00	
Advances expenses	600.00	
Magazines	99.24	
Donney Park weekend	415.00	
Jorgensen Park Catering	100.00	
Xmas Dinner	1,958.00	
Sundries	131.03	
Cool Drinks	118.80	
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7,388.05

NET SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR

BANK BALANCE 6TH MARCH, 1986

SAVINGS INVESTMENT ACCOUNT 6TH MARCH 1986

7,388.05

3,521.60

2,225.20

5,009.19

APRIL RUNS

APRIL 6	"The Mad Mile" Mills Park, Beckenham, 8.00 am.	l mile.	
APRIL 13	Bridges Run McCallum Park, 8.00 am.	10k	
APRIL 20	Fun Run (marathon Club) McCallum Park, 8.30 am.	10k	
APRIL 27	"Darlington Dash" Old railway station, Darlington 8.00 a.m.	16k	8k.



NEW MEMBERS:

A warm welcome to:	
STANLEY JONES 30 Townsend Street ARMADALE 6112 DOB 12/8/25	Ph: 399 3296 DOJ 10/3/86
JEFF VAN GENT 13 Kelsell Crescent COMO 6152 DOB 10/7/30	Ph: 450 6427 DOJ 10/3/86
Ph: 323 4387 W Ph: 457 6102 H	DOB 1/12/36 DOJ 10/3/86
Ph: 349 8860 H Ph: 387 9315 W	DOB 18/1/45 DOJ 10/3/86

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

RICHARD HARRIS

BRIAN GALE

Alicia Ansell	turns	42	remains	W40	22
Bill Chapman	***	62	***	M60	19
Doreen Dow	H	43	11	M40	14
Jim de Gruchy	11	60	becomes	M60	14
David Hough	81	54	remains	M50	18
Tom Jones	8.6	93	11	M90	11
Bob Johnstone	89	44	11	M40	12
Maurice Johnston	2.5	49	77	M45	09
Dave Jones	6.6	60	becomes	M60	12
Rosemary Langford	88	36	remains	W35	19
Hamish McGlashan	17	49	**	M45	16
Jim McLean	11	55	becomes	M55	19
Gloria Sutherland	11	41	remains	W40	18
Maurice Smith	11	52	***	M50	26
Charlie Share	II .	46	11	M46	19

30 Cosmelia Way

54 Glenwood Way

BALCATTA

PARKWOOD 6155

HAPPY BIRTHDAY cont ...

Jill Chambers	turns	37	remains	W55	10
Doreen Dow	11	43	11	W40	14
Robert Scanlan	11	43	11	M40	24
Joe Stickles	11	48	H.	M45	19
Mary McGinnis	41	45	becomes	_W45	02
Bary Madsen	11	40	11	M40	24
Vincent Caruso	**	40	11	M40	21
Pat Spencer	11	44	11	W45	16
Jill Bower	**	48	remains	W45	03
Joe Gold	**	42	11	M40	09
Jenny Willers	11	. 38	u	W35	19

HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIPS 1985/86

The competition has now finished for this year, the last event being the "Shoalwater 10'. In all, we had 148 competed at least one event. June Strachan was the only member to run in all eleven events whilst 34 completed only 1 run. Most members in the top placings ran in 8 or 9 events and the scores were very close.

The ladies figured prominently in the earlier events but dropped down the placings in the second half of the year. June Finishing the best closely followed by Jill Langdon.

The overall winner was Ray Lawrence on 226 pts, closely followed by Don Caplin 231, Cliff Bould 241, John Russell 242 and Selby Munsie 250.

The rules were: Points equal to placing on handicap for each event. For non participation in event, it was 1 point more than the last finisher, ie if you missed the Perry Lakes Handicap, you would have been credited with 21 points. If you missed the 3 Parks and Heirisson Island Run, 81 points.

Next year's events start with the "Mad Mile" which will be a sealed handicap; "Walliston Wallop" 10km; Women's Run; and the "Andy Wright Memorial Run".

HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIPS 1985/86

Psn. Name	Pts. N	lo. of	Psn.	Name	Pts.	No. of
	E	Events				Events
1 R. Lawrence	226	8	23	M. Robinson	376	6
2 D. Caplin	231	8	24	M. Acreman	384	8
3 Cliff Bould	241	9	25=	J. Pellier	386	6
4 J. Russell	242	9	25=	F. McLinden	386	5
5 S. Munsie	250	9	27	Joe Yates	387	4*
6 Rob Shand	253	7	28	B. Danby	389	3
7 E. Moyle	262	10	29=	J. Greenfield	393	5
8 D. Horsley	280	7	29=	B. Aldrich	393	6
9 A. Pomery	283	8	31	J. Stickles	396	3
10= M. Moyle	284	9	32=	Bob Norton	398	4
10= M. Johnston	284	8	32	G. Noordyk	398	4
12 Bob Sammells	290	10	34	I. McGibbon	400	4
13 D. Roberts	334	6	35=	Bill Monks	401	4
14 D. Strachan	351	10	35=	S. Walton	401	5
15 D. Moffett	352	6	37	Bob Farrell	402	8
16 J. Strachan	354	11	38=	K. Johnson	403	6
17 J. Langdon	364	6	38=	Bob Hayres	403	4
18= G. Thornton	365	8	40	C. Bell	406	3
18= A. Jenkins	365	6	41	V. Beaumont	407	3
20 J. Maddison	367	6	42	D. Crowther	410	5
21 J. Bell	368	4	43	N. Berry	414	5
22 M. Forden	376	5		4		

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Psn.	Name	Pts.	No. of Events	Psn. Name Pts. No. of Events
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44=	J. Chambers	420	3	<u> </u>
44=	E. O'Dea	420	6	
44=	K. Whistler	420	3	
	F. Usher	420	5	
48	A. Tyson	424	5	110= D. Phillip 530 1
49	K. Penton	425	5	114 A. Chambers 533 3
50	M. Kahn	427	5	115= K. Snowden 534 1
51	P. Farrell	428	10	115= D. Whittam 534 3
52=	J. Tovato	431	4	115= K. Vaalsta 534 1
52=	Bill Hughes	431	5	118= J. McLean 535 4
54	S. Cross	439	9	118= B. Hardy 535 1
55	A. Aldrich	441	6	120 P. Le Breton 535 1
56	P. Jones	443 .	4	121 J. Stone 539 3
57	D. Hough	444	5	122= J. Spencer 540 1
58	H. McGlashen	445	4	122= P. Cowley 540 1
59=	B. Godwin	450	4	124 A. Croxford 542 1
59=	S. Barrie	450	2	125 R. Maddison 543 3
61	John Pellier	451	6	126 M. Shead 544 1
	Pat Hayden	453	5	127 D. Wilmott 545 1
	G. Peet	453	2	128 J. Willers 546 3
64	J. Barnes	455	4	129= B. Harwood 547 1
65'=	Ted Costello	458	2	129= H. Kirkman 547 1
	F. Smith	458	5	131 H. Pritchard 548 1
67=	B. Worner	460	5	132= D. Jones 551 3
67=	L. Hassam	460	6	132= S. Sanders 551 2
69		463	3	134= R. Davis 552 2
	P. Sanders	465	4	134= A. Ansell 552 1
70=	T. Speechley			
	M. Warren	465	5	
72	L. Butcher	466	4	
73	B. Thomsett	471	3	137= G. Innes 555 1
74	B. Evans	472	3	139 E. Crowther 556 1
	P. Davies	481	3	140= B. Godwin 558 2
	A. Wood	481	2	140= D. Hoye 558 1
77	M. Tapper	482	2	140= M. Pritchard 558 1
78=	K. Forden	483	4	143 A. Deanus 560 1
78=	B. Carse	483	2	144= A. Stone 561 2
80	C. Cole	485	5	144= J. Smith 561 2
81	Ted Maslen	487	2	146 M. Wood 563 1
82	Aub Davie	488	2	147 P. Spencer 564 1
83	Bill Mitchell	490	5	148 B. Healy 566 1
84	M. Warren	492	3	
85=	I. Sutherland	496	5	
	K. Martin	496	2	+ Congretulations to Day on his fine win and
87	T. Kirwen	498	1	* Congratulations to Ray on his fine win and
	K. Noordyk	499	2	also to the runner-up, Don Caplin, for an
89=	H. Whyte	500	2	exceptional performance
89=	A. Leggett	500	2	* Thanks to "Mr Reliability", Jeff Whittam, for
	F. Haggar	502	4	maintaining the results throughout the year
	F. Deanus	502	1	and keeping them up to "Vetrun"
93	Val Tyson	503	4	and Recepting them up to vertical
94	S. Lockwood	506	3	*Thanks also to Jeff for his summary of the
	P. Martin	507	1	year's competition and statistics - no mean
96	T. Vaalsta	508	1	feat.
			2	leac.
	M. Smith	510	1	*Thanks to the doer of the thankless! Handicapper
	B. Harrison	510		Pak Cammalla not only has the Handicanner's
	A. Acreman	510	4	Bob Sammells not only has the Handicapper's
	J. Slinger	515	2	scarred back, but also has the added charm of
	B. Slinger	519	3	knowing that his name is rarely spelled correctly
	R. Whalen	520	2	in this newsletter!
103=	Terry Tate	520	2	*Good luck Keith Forden for 1986!
105	R. Briggs	521	1	dood fuck hereif for dell for 2000.
106	S. Maslen	522	2	
107	Danes Garage	E 2 E	2	(

107 Dave Carr

108 J. Whittam

1986 CHAMPIONSHIPS - SOME REFLECTIONS

- * The Committee's campaign to encourage all members to be in our championship week-end was effective; some 150 entries were taken. This was a substantial increase on 1985's 110.
- * Members seemed to be unanimous that McGillivray was "the best" for our event.
- * Country members again supported the championships, with big contingents from Bunbury and Albany.
- * The media covered the event comprehensively before, during and after.

 John Cochrane (Albany) said: "What other sporting event would attract the three TV stations?"
- * We were again treated to some fine performances in the 5K and 10K events, despite the heat. (The scheduling of these events must be changed to a more temperate time either very early or "at twilight". Your views are welcome).
- * Bob Fergie, Dick Horley, Bob Sammells, Maurice Johnston and their helpers kept the programme running smoothly on the track.
- * Off the track, Duncan Strachan, Kath Mitchell, Jackie Greenfield and their helpers ensured that administration, results and catering were faultless.
- * The venue looked good. Thanks to groundsmen Chris and David, and to Duncan Strachan and Vic Beaumont for their preparation.
- * Fine performances were put up by:
 - * Jack Cochrane M50 Shot Put 12.94 Aust. Record
 - * Eileen Hindle W35 10 Firsts
 - * Barrie Kernaghan M45 4 firsts
 - * Bob Fergie M50 High Jump 1.45 State Record
 - * John Gilmour M65 800M 2.36 State Record
- * While our oldest member, Tom Jones (93) rightly attracted a lot of attention, we may have overlooked the efforts of one of our "juniors": Johann Sanders, a mere M80! Johann completed a 1500 (10:23); a 3000 walk (25:00) and a 5000 walk (44:58). Well done!

Finally, thanks to all participants and supporters for making it a memorable weekend (See "Letterbox).

* Do you have any comments, reflections or suggestions on 1986? If so, please send them to:

"Vetrun"
92 York Street
SUBIACO WA 6008

ATHLETICS

WOMEN — 100m — 30yrs: P.
Dawson 13.3. 35yrs: E. Hindle
13.1. 40yrs: J. Johnson 14.2.
45yrs: D. Whittam 14.2. 50yrs:
P. Carr 15.7. 55yrs: L. Butcher
65yrs: P. Head 25.2. 200 M
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65yrs: P. Dawson 27.09. 35yrs:
P. Dawson 1.04. 35yrs: E. Hindle
1.04. 40yrs: J. Johnston 1.09.
45yrs: D. Whittam 1.15. 50yrs:
P. Carr 1.24. 55yrs: L. Butcher
1.26. 65yrs: 1.57 800m
1.28. 40yrs: M. Forden 2.4.
1.26. 65yrs: 1.57 800m
1.28. 40yrs: M. Forden 2.4.
1.29. 52yrs: L. Butcher
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1. Butcher 50yrs: J. Forden 2.4.
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1.50om — 30yrs: J. Sanders
1.59. 65yrs: D. Head 8.36.
1.500m — 30yrs: J. Chambers
1.59. 65yrs: J. Chambers
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1.59. 65yrs: J. Chambers
1.600. 40yrs: J. J. Chambers
1.03. 50yrs: S. Sanders
2.1. 7. Syrs: J. Chambers
1.03. 50yrs: S. Sanders
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1.04. 50yrs: D. Dow 24.06.
1.03. 50yrs: S. Sanders
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1.03. 50yrs: S. Sanders
1.04. 50yrs: J. Johnson 4.29,
45yrs: D. Whittam 3.77. 50yrs: T.
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1.000 Musik — 35yrs: B. Salter 17.47.
1.000 Musik — 35yrs: J. Chambers
1.23. 35yrs: E. Hindle 15.6.
1.24. 55yrs: D. Sone 19.05. 45yrs: D.
1.25yrs: D. Horsley 11.02. 3000m
1.25yrs: D. Whittam 18.01. 65yrs: P.
1.26yrs: D. Whittam 22.80. 65yrs: L.
1.27. 40yrs: J. Fletcher 23.86. 45yrs: D.
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RESULTS

	SHOALWATER 10			23 FEBRUAF	RY 1986	
POSITION	NAME	AGE GROUP	CLOCK TIME	HANDICAP	ADJUSTED TIME	POSITION
1	JIM LANGFORD	M 40	30.47	35.00	- 4.13	5th
2	DON CAPLIN	M 45	34.28	36.00	- 1.32	17th
3	DAVE CARR	M 50	35.57	40.30	- 4.33	4th
4	JOE YATES	M 4Q	35.58	38.30	- 2.32	12th
5	DEREK CROWTHER	M 40	36.33	38.00	- 1.27	18th
6	JILL CHAMBERS	W 35	36.36	39.30	- 2.54	10th
7	BOB SAMELL	M 45	36.58	38.00	- 1.02	20th
8	ARNOLD JENKINS	M 40	37.31	40.00	- 2.29	13th
9	ROB SHAND	M 50	37.58	42.00	- 4.02	6th
1	JIM BARNES	M 40	38.40	43.30	- 4.50	3rd
2	BARRY EVANS	M 55	38.45	40.30	- 1.45	16th
3	TERRY TATE	M 50	39.05	43.00	- 3.55	7th
4	TONY SPEECHLEY	M 40	40.58	41.00	- 0.02	24th
5	MAURICE JOHNSON		41.02	39.00	+ 2.02	27th
6	DENNIS WILMOTT	M 55	41.07	43.30	- 2.27	14th
7	FRANK SMITH	M 40	41.08	35.00	+ 6.08	32nd
8	JOHN PELLIER	M 45	42.14	40.30	+ 1.44	26th
9	GRAHAM THORNTON	M 45	42.54			Late starter
1	BILL MITCHELL	M 56	43.19	43.00	+ 0.19	25th
2	CLIFF BOULD	M 65	44.25	49.30	- 5.05	2nd
3	SELBY MUNSIE	M 50	44.42	48.00	- 3.18	9th
4	ROBERT FARRELL	M 45	45.44	46.00	- 0.16	23rd
5	ERNIE MOYLE	M 60	46.21	49.00	- 2.39	11th
6	JOHN BENNINGTON	M 45	47.08	45.00	+ 2.08	28th
7	JOHN RUSSELL	M 50	48.29	52.00	- 3.31	8th
8	PHYLLIS FARRELL	W 40	49.10	46.30	+ 2.40	29th •
9	ALAN CHAMBERS	M 45	49.20	50.00	- 0.40	22nd
0	ROBERT DAVIS		49.38	40.00	+ 9.38	33rd
0	JOHN MADDISON	M 45	38.03	40.00	- 1.57	15th
1	BRIAN ALDRICH	M 55	43.37	45.00	- 1.23	19th
1	JIM MCLEAN	M 50	49.55	46.30	+ 3.25	30th
2	LEO HASSAM	M 55	49.55	45.00	+ 4.55	31st
3	DUNCAN STRACHAN	M 60	49.55	49.00	+ 0.55	26th
4	ALLISON ALDRICH	W 40	54.28	66.00	- 11.32	1st
5	JUNE STRACHAN	W 60	58.07	59.00	- 0.53	21st
6	MARGARET WARREN		104.52			Late starter
7	MORRIS WARREN		104.53			Late starter

RESULTS

	NAME	AGE GROUP	CLOCK TIME		,		
1	ALAN POMERY	M 50	20.15	9	KATHY MITCHELL	W 45	29.06
2	ALAN TYSON	M 60	20.25	0	SHIRLEY CROSS	Ŵ 45	31.04
3	V BEAUMONT	M 55	21.56	1	FRANK USHER	M 60	32.01
4	JOANNE PEARCE	W 35	24.55	2	ENID CROWTHER		32.01
5	EILEEN TATE	W 45	25.38	3	S MITHCELL		32.55
6	PAT CARR	W 50	27.09	4	JEFF WHITTAM	M 50	33.01
7	ROSA DAVIS	W 40	27.50	5	DOROTHY WHITTAM	W 45	33.03
8	JO STONE	W 40	28.48	6	SUSAN HILL	W 40	33.03
				7	VAL TYSON	W 60	33.46

PREDICTED MARATHON TIMES

10,000 m. Best Time	Maximum Possible Marathon Time	Realistic Marathon Time
27:00	2:05:00	2:08:30
27:30	2:07:30	2:11:30
28:00	2:10:00	2:14:00
28:30	2:12:30	2:16:30
28:45	2:13:45	2:18:30
29:00	2:15:00	2:19:30
29.30	2:17:30	2:21:30
30:00	2:20:00	2:25:00
30:30	2:22:30	2:28:30
31:00	2:25:00	2:30:30
31:30	2:27:30	2:33:00
32:00	2:30:00	2:36:00
32:30	2:32:30	2:40:00
33:00	2:35:00	2:43:00
33:30	2:37:30	2:46:00 *
34:00	2:40:00	2:49:00
35:00	2:45:00	2:55:00
36:00	2:50:00	3:00:00
37:00	2:55:00	3:07:00
38:00	3:00:00	3:15:00
39:00	3:05:00	3:20:00
40:00	3:10:00	3:25:00
42:30	3:22:30	3:42:30
45:00	3:35:00	4:00:00
47:30	3:47:30	4:20:00
50:00	4:00:00	4:40:00

(Thanks to Keith Forden for finding these)



LETTERBOX

Box 222 Dampier

Dear Basil,

Thought this might be of interest:

There have no doubt been many strange gatherings at the Whim Creek Hotel in the 100 years that this hostelry has been serving to hot and dustry travellers.

None stranger, perhaps, than the Magnificent Seven who met there on Sunday 12th January 1986.

This select group was made up of 7 runners from Port Hedland, Karratha and Dampier (although one had a leg in plaster and another appeared to be a nicotine addict), the occasion being the Inaugural Meeting of the Pilbara Running Association.

The need for ushc an association has become increasingly apparent over recent years, due to the steadily increasing numbers of runners and the proliferation of organized races in North West towns.

The aims and objectives of the Pilbara Running Association are:-

- (1) To promote and foster distance running in the North West of Western Australia.
- (2) To act as a co-ordinating body for members (clubs, and individuals in areas where no clubs exist) and to provide a forum for the exchange of information and ideas.
- (3) To represent the interests of all members in relation to distance running in the Pilbara.
- (4) To do all such other things as may be necessary and conducive to the objects of the Association.

Yours sincerely,

STAN LATCHFORD

Dear Duncan

As I am no good at speech-making, I would like you to thank the President, the Committee and all the W.A. Veteran Athletes for their good wishes and for the very lovely rose bowl they gave me to commemorate my entrance into the M 70 age group.

Phyl joins me in sending our thanks and appreciation. It will be one of our most treasured possessions - and it certainly is the most beautiful of them. Perhaps our thanks could be printed in the next Veteran Newsletter so that none of the "Vets" will miss out.

Yours sincerely

Cliff Bould

23 Moir Street PERTH 6000

18 March 1986

Dear Duncan

A big thank you to you and all who helped you with the organisation and running (excuse pun) of a superb Veterans' State Championships weekend.

This has been my first season as a member of the Veterans and I am only sorry I didn't join sooner as from day one I have been overwhelmed by the friendly, welcoming attitude of all members.

Best wishes.

Trish Kirwan

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Dear Basil

Brief note to thank you for continuing to send me issues of your excellent newssheet.

I wish to advise of an address change shown above.

We'd like to feature one of your Vets. in our People column if you can think of someone. Just a brief mention with a photo. Check on previous issues of our mag.

Thank you again.

Sincerely

Frank McCaffrey

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* Australian Veterans Championships.

We do not have official results but Brian Danby was an early return - with a silver medal.

Brian was second in the 3K steeplechase (M35), running 10:23.3. Brian also ran a 10K in 35:11.0, a 1500M in 4:24.8 and a 10K cross country in 33:58.

However, his best run was a fine 16:18 for the 5K, a P.B.

We also heard that Shirley Cross recorded a PB in her walk, Dave Clive made the final of the 200M, and John Gilmour won his 5K, 10K, 1500M and cross country.