



Annual Report 2014

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Club Directory

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President's Report

It is with much pleasure that I report on the activities of the Avon Hockey Club in what was the 14th season for the club and my last at the helm as President. It has been another busy year for the club both off and on the field for the committee, the coaches and managers, the players and our families.

Our numbers continue to increase after the effects of the earthquakes Christchurch suffered and the impact is still being felt by the club particularly in our Junior playing numbers due to the large portion of the east being so devastatingly affected. We are again grateful for the relationship that we have with St Michael's School and thank in particular Mike Graveston for his tireless efforts in working with our Junior Club Captain, Katrina Morgan to make sure that is a strong working relationship and that the children continue to enjoy and learn our sport. Without Katrina and Mike things would not be where they are for juniors. The Junior Prizegiving was held at St Michael's School Hall as a separate event to the Senior Prizegiving. This enabled the coaches to have more time to tell their tales with pride about their wee players, and for the supporters in the crowd to see the joy as each player was presented with their certificates and the chests puff on those who received the special awards.

It is always a pleasure to see the children playing on Saturday's and to see the improvement in skills and understanding of how to play the game from the season start to the season end. I am lucky that I don't spend Saturday mornings at home and have the chance to visit a fair number of hockey turfs and see our junior teams in action, while trailing along after my children. One of the highlights for the Juniors was the committee organising, with Canterbury Hockey, to have a "Club Day" at Nunweek Park, albeit late in the season. Our 11-a-side teams played one after the other and our Prem teams had times that meant they could come down and watch the juniors play their matches. The Prem players were encouraged to help warm up the junior players and give a bit of a pep talk before the match. The committee put on a BBQ for the players and parents, Hellers (through Nick Harris) kindly donated the sausages and the sun was shining – count that as a success. We will definitely do it again but earlier in the season and try to organise that all the junior teams come and visit the main turfs and watch the older teams play. We just need the weather to cooperate with us!!!

Our major challenge for our juniors is turf availability for weekly trainings. We try hard each year to get time at Marist Park, as it is logistically the park of choice for our Juniors to train on, particularly the 11-a-side teams as they need to gain the concept of the size of the field and develop the strength and fitness required to compete against the opposition teams who do have the opportunities of full size turf practices. We are mindful of making it easy for our families hence the desire to be at Marist Park, not Nunweek Park in an effort to lessen travel times. Time is also limited for our smaller teams at Shirley Boys High School as we compete with Shirley Boys, Carlton Redcliffs, Avonside Girls High and Marion College for time on the turf after school.

On the Senior front 2014 saw the CPL Men take the field without club stalwart Steve Edwards who has been one of our longest serving Premier players of all time. There was a great spread of age and experience in the team for 2014 having attracted some lads from St Andrew's College to join the more experienced gentlemen. The team was coached by Rob Buhler who was unable to play for the early part of the season due to injury. Errol Staples also stepped into the coaching role when Rob was ready to take the field. The culture of the team was pleasing to see and the club were well

represented by these gentlemen throughout the season. Though the results on the points table were not what the players wanted for the season, there is a great base to carry on for 2015. The gentlemen were instrumental in the design of their new playing uniform and we wish to acknowledge the sponsorship of Parks Garage Ltd that assisted in the supply of the uniform.

The CPL Women also were disappointed with their standings for the season but they too had a great culture on and off the field and had a never die attitude that will also carry them well for the coming season. They had some great tight games and gave the star teams all a fright during the season and the opposition learnt to not take our ladies lightly. They are a young team with many of the players having come through the age grades with the club and I thank them for their loyalty. There are some great talented young women to carry the team through to 2015 and they will continue to develop and grow as a team. The team was coached by Anna Morgan and Ata de Goldi was her able assistant.

There was a great relationship between the Premier Men's and Women's team for the 2014 season. From what I hear there were a great number of social get togethers on Saturday evenings at the Carlton for "aftermatch" analysis.

Our Division 1 Mens team had a competitive season, winning the Div 2 South Island Super Six and only just missing out on a top 4 finish in the main competition. They struggled without a permanent keeper once Rob Gillespie was selected for the CPL Men for the season and he helped out as much as he could before it took too much of a toll on his body. There was a shortage of goalies in 2014 that meant we could not find a "legal" replacement until it was too late, despite our best efforts. We thank Bill Reimer from Carlton Redcliffs MWKO Men for assisting us, and Jon O'Haire for finishing the season with the team. It was noticeable to see that there was a good improvement in fitness for the team and it certainly made a difference for the boys. No official coach was in place but they managed themselves well and our thanks to Kathryn Bolton for being there week in and week out (practices as well) getting them organised. They were an entertaining team to watch scoring some fantastic goals and they have a great base to work from for the 2015 season.

The Division 1 Women's team had a slow start with several new players to the team and once the structure and style of play was understood by the complete team the results improved greatly. It was a team of varying ages and it is good to see the youth mixing well with the more "experienced" players and it certainly makes it harder for the opposition teams to completely read the game that the team played. Turnouts to practice were greatly affected by the Secondary School Girls competition being played on the night that the team trained and as a result the turnouts were not always what the coach and players would have liked. It was pleasing to see the improvement in the team from start to end. Paul Bamford again coached the team and was assisted by Issy Thomson towards the end of the season.

Our Division 2 Women's team was a young team who were coached again by Nigel Iggo. Nigel worked hard to bring more players to the team as player movement within the club left them a bit short before the season started. They had a pretty rugged start to the season against Rangiora with a fair amount of goals being put past them but the next time they played them they really gave the Rangiora team a fright and only lost by 1 goal. They were a hard working team and their efforts were rewarded by the results that they achieved as the season went on.

The success story of the club was the Mid Week Open Women's team. Winners of the Championship round, finishing first with equal points to Hornby but having a far superior goal

difference meaning a 1st place. They went on to win the Porritt Cup Divison 1 section which was played at the end of the season. This was a very experienced team with a mixture of ages but definitely one with more “experienced” players and were well organised by Robin Cox. The Club congratulates them on their success and are proud of their achievements.

Avon again had two mens Mid Week Open teams with the Blue team finishing in 3rd place with nine wins and 2 losses and the Gold team 8th in a 12 team competition. The grade was then split into three sections based on places for Porritt Cup, the Blue team finishing 3rd in Section 1 and the Gold team 4th in Section 2. These teams are both self managed and we thank them for taking the responsibility of organising themselves each week. Our priority for our Men’s teams is new uniforms and some more volunteers to manage the teams. Our thanks to Tony McDonald who was responsible for the Blue team and to Les Smith for the Gold team.

Our Grass teams also had a great “aftermatch” environment between the Men and Womens teams which is good to see. These teams are the bones of the club and their players have been with our club for a good many years and have contributed much over the seasons. The Men’s competition has seen growth with eight teams and the Women are down to four teams now and as a result they all know each other and their quirks!! They are self managed teams too and we would like to acknowledge the players who take on the responsibility of organising these teams.

Our Senior Prizegiving was again held at the Linfield Clubrooms and was well supported. This is a great opportunity to recognise the efforts of the teams and acknowledge our Prize Winners for each team and the Supreme Prize Winners. This is our main function of the season and we will look to make changes and improvements to how we run the evening.

Our congratulations to the players, coaches and managers who gained selection into representative teams, regionally and nationally. We had U18 representative players and coaches, U21 representative players, Senior Canterbury players, National League representative players and a fair number of our members playing, coaching and managing for regional and national representative Masters teams.

I must take the opportunity here to make special mention of Sarah Walcott and Jackie Eden from our CPL Women’s team who were both selected to play for the Junior Black Sticks Women’s team at a tournament held in the Gold Coast, Australia in December of 2014. NZ Hockey’s selection policy for this team is that players who have been identified as having the potential to be a Black Stick within 3-5 years are being selected. This is something that we are very proud of and wish the girls continued success at this level for 2015. What is great to know is that Sarah has been with us since she was a wee tot at 5 years old! This is what the Avon Hockey Club is about and we look forward to tracking both Sarah and Jackie’s rise up the Black Stick ranks.

We had another successful Quiz night at Robbies Elmwood and I thank everyone who attended. These are always a great night and are a good chance for the club members to have a get together and test their knowledge against each other and for us to do a wee bit of fundraising! To those who donate the prizes for the raffle we very much appreciate the items.

Lastly my thanks to the committee who have worked tirelessly throughout the season behind the scenes so that you can play the game that we all love. Many of the committee have other responsibilities within the club as coaches and managers and they give their time to you so that playing your game can happen each week. Some of them may forget where they live during winter!!!

We are in a much stronger financial position thanks to our Kurt Gurden, our Treasurer who has worked hard getting the playing subscriptions from each of you, attaining a 96% collection rate at February 2015 and he has worked well with Thea Mickell services to attain funding monies. We try to keep our player subscriptions as low as we can but as you know it is an expensive sport to play and the majority of the fees are paid to CHA and NZ Hockey. Kurt has spent a great deal of time, along with Rob Gillespie, looking at what it costs each of our teams to play for the season and what our income is from each team to cover these costs. The importance of funding and sponsorship gets greater each year and if you know of any sponsors who may be interested in Avon, please let us know.

We look forward to the 2015 season as we continue to grow financially, in playing numbers and strength.

Tanyia Legge, President

Treasurer's Report

2014 was my second year in charge of the numbers, and while it is an enjoyable job for a boring accountant like myself, the job certainly didn't get any easier! From a financial perspective, 2014 represented a reasonably stable year for the club both operationally and cash-flow wise. It was the first year that the club was able to fully utilise its new accounting system, Xero, which was in the process of setup in the prior season. Both myself and the committee now have a clean, up-to-date, easy to use accounting system that meets our needs. All invoicing was completed out of Xero, which allowed us to track debtors easily and the result was a significantly improved debtor collection time.

Financially, it was an interesting year for the club. The Statement of Financial Performance shows a net profit of \$7,043. While this may look good, the reality is that \$6,216 of this profit related to the finalisation of a prior year grant which could not be recognised as income in the prior year, and resulted in no cash inflow in 2014. The club received grants from the Christchurch City Council and Pub Charity at the start of the financial year. We are very grateful to these funders for their support. The club also lodged funding applications with the New Zealand Community Trust for turf and match fees, and the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Trust (CERT) for funding for new uniforms. These were unfortunately declined, however it is our intention to re-apply for new uniforms at the start of 2015.

Looking forward, the club has been proactive and lodged funding applications with the Canterbury Community Trust and Pub Charity to fund 2015 turf and match fees and equipment costs. I am happy to report that Pub Charity has approved \$5,000 towards these costs. Once again, we thank Pub Charity for their amazing support of our club. While this is a great start, we still need support from another funder to get through the year, as we burned through significant cash reserves in 2014. After factoring in the collection of all subs only, the club needs to make up a \$15,000 shortfall annually from other sources – hockey is not a cheap sport to play and we make losses on all of our subs that we charge! This is why it is important for all members to get involved in club fundraisers and activities as they arise. We will also consider providing sponsorship opportunities, such as team naming rights, advertising rights etc. to potential businesses to assist the club's cashflow.

I would like to say a massive thank you to Rob Gillespie who has assisted me with the treasurer duties all year and Robin Cox who has also assisted in chasing subs also.

Kurt Gurden, Treasurer

Avon Hockey Senior Representative Players

The following players represented Avon Hockey, Canterbury Hockey and Hockey NZ during the year. We congratulate each one of them!

New Zealand Junior Black Sticks

- Jackie Eden
- Sarah Walcott

45+ Men

- Shane Hunter
- Andrew Howell

Canterbury Cats

- Sarah Walcott
- Jackie Eden (wider training squad)

55+ Men

- Marty Higgins

Canterbury Senior Women

- Jackie Eden
- Elise Yule

Canterbury Senior Men

- Ari Barrow
- Rob Buhler

Under 21 Men

- Ari Barrow
- Thomas Kensington

Under 21 Women

- Jackie Eden
- Sarah Walcott
- Elise Yule (Train on Squad)

Under 18 Association Women

- Anna Morgan (Coach)

Under 18 Regional Men

- Jack Piggott

35+ Women

- Leisa Francois

40+ Women

- Tanyia Legge
- Adrienne Lynn
- Veronica Hay
- Helen Keast

55+ Women

- Robin Cox

40+ Men

- Tony McDonald

Avon Hockey Senior Prizegiving Awards

Men's Player of the Year:	Ari Barrow (CPL Men)
Women's Player of the Year:	Sarah Walcott (CPL Women)
Goalie of the Year:	Leisa Francois (Division 1 Women)
Most Successful Team:	Mid-Week Open Women (Winners of Championship and Porritt Cup)
The Whistle Award:	Dave Gerring (CPL Men), Ben Chorley, and Tony McDonald (both Mid-Week Open)
Club Person of the Year : (Ross Gillespie Trophy)	Kurt Gurden (Treasurer)

Avon Hockey Sponsors



Avon Hockey is grateful for the support it has received during the year from Pub Charity, who assisted the club with turf and auditor fees.



Avon Hockey thanks the Christchurch City Council for supporting our junior hockey program in assisting with equipment and umpire costs.



Avon Hockey thanks Hellers and Nick Harris for supporting several fundraising events during the year by providing sausages and bacon. These were provided for the full benefit of the club.

Avon Hockey Senior Competition

CPL Men

Coach: Rob Buhler and Errol Staples

Manager: Kevin Walker



The Team:

- Andrew Milward
- David Gerring
- Tom Kensington
- Duncan Bridgeman
- Elliot Darling
- Jack Piggott
- Nick Saunders
- Taylor Molscan
- Charles Barnes
- George Stilwell
- Levi Barrow
- Ari Barrow
- Rob Gillespie
- Stephen Raika
- Zach Staples
- Rob Buhler
- Ian Gurden

Awards:

- MVP:** Duncan Bridgeman
- Most Improved:** Jack Piggott

Final Placing:

- 5th Championship
- 2nd Porritt Cup

Write-Up:

The Premier Men managed to carry their solid form from the last round of the 2013 season into the opening games of the 2014 Premier competition. After the first round of matches, the team was sitting in second position and looking good for the rest of the season. The team was playing fast, disciplined hockey and was scoring plenty of goals.

Following the retirement of club stalwarts Craig Reynolds and Steve Edwards, the team was coached by Errol Staples and Rob Buhler. The squad had strength in depth after struggling for numbers in previous years, and there was real competition for places amongst the young squad. This depth was seriously tested in the second and third rounds when the team had to deal with injuries, university holidays, and players being away overseas.

The team faded to finish fifth in the competition after the three rounds before being knocked out in the first round of the finals. The slide down the table seemed to coincide with the change to new striped uniforms.

Despite the bad run of results, the team showed encouraging signs and team spirit remained high throughout the season. Overall it was a disappointing finish to the season after showing so much promise throughout. With a young squad, a new coach, and even more competition for places, 2015 looks promising for a push for the Premier title.



Levi Barrow, Player



CPL Women

Coach: Anna Morgan

Managers: Kirsty Holland and Katrina Morgan



The Team:

Margot Thomson
Jackie Eden
Rebecca Midgley
Emma Symes
Morgan Perry
Amy Walcott
Sarah Walcott
Tessa Noakes
Elise Yule
Zoe Pullar
Tess Meha
Lizzie Thomson
Gabby Morgan

Awards:

MVP: Margot Thomson
Most Improved: Zoe Pullar

Final Placing:

6th Championship
6th Porritt Cup

Write-Up:

2014 was a season of rebuilding for the CPL Women. Five players returned from the 2013 season which resulted in a season of learning, team building and development for our young team and those inexperienced at Premier level.



The season saw several very close games with the final score not reflecting how well we contested on the field. We also recorded some rather spectacular losses as well. It was pleasing to see that although we finished with quite huge losses to some of the stronger clubs that when we meet them again we had developed and learned that the results were much closer and the play much improved. This was a credit to the players on how they worked to improve and develop throughout the season.

Analysing results post season has assisted in illustrating the changes and develop that are required on-field to assist improvement of results and further development in 2015.

Throughout the season, both premier teams worked hard to develop a strong club culture. This included after-match functions at the Carlton Hotel, lots of socialising and also supporting each other at weekly games when possible. This was extremely positive for the culture of these two teams and has seen several Premier players join committee and become involved in not only playing but ensuring the club continues to grow and hold onto our younger players at all levels.

Our team numbers were boosted by four of the Division One Women helping out during the season. This meant that we had numbers each week and also that these players gained experience in playing at a Premier level which will benefit both players and the team in the future.

My thanks go to Ata De Goldi for her time and fantastic input over the season. Also to Kirsty Holland and Katrina Morgan for assisting as managers as needed your help was much appreciated.

Anna Morgan, Coach



Division 1 Men

Coach: Will Morrison

Manager: Kathryn Bolton

The Team:

Kurt Gurden
Ian Gurden
Will Morrison
Nick Milward
Nick Knight
Simon England
James Burge
Liam McIntyre
Hayden Bruce
Andrew Pryce
James Ferris
Jack Clifford
Nick Jones
Rob Tan
Jon O’Haire
Bill Reimer
Rob Gillespie

Awards:

MVP: Ian Gurden
Most Improved: Hayden Bruce
Most Lethal: James Ferris

Final Placing: 5th Place

Write-Up:

The Avon men’s division 1 team had a season that experienced a lot of turbulence. The start of the season left us with no goal keeper and with the help of several keepers, and a few players filling in goal, we managed to field a team. We experienced several upsets in both directions, as seemed to happen a lot in our grade this year.

Due to our keeper woes, CHA decided to penalise us with 6 points which left our fate in the last round before play-offs in 3 different team’s hands. If anyone of them had successfully won their last game, we would go into the semis in 3rd place, however luck wasn’t on our side and we finished 5th of 9 teams – an improvement on last season and leaves us in a good place moving into next season.

Will Morrison, Coach and Player



Division 1 Women

Coach: Paul Bamford

Assistant Coach: Issy Thomson

The Team:

Tanya Legge
Rose Wells
Veronica Hay
Teresa Kearns
Emma-Jane McLennan
Hannah Thomas
Leisa Francois
Liv Morgan
Stephanie Lambley
Miriam Hammersley
Sarah Morley
Amy Thomas
Emily Wells
Whitney McIntyre
Kate Allen
Jennifer Watters

Awards:

MVP: Leisa Francois
Most Improved: Rose Wells

Final Placing: 7th Place

Write-Up:

The ladies season started reasonably considering the large loss of players to the Prem team. Over half the team plus a few retirements left the side with several new players, which meant players having to step up from Div 2.

With that I found we had a team of very capable and talented players dedicated and always willing to learn new skills! dedication and commitment on the field was always 100% - from a coaching view I was always proud of the way they played.



Also finding great talent in the Div 2 team meant some of those young women became regulars in our Div 1 team. A mixture of youth and experience meant our performance was pretty good and getting consistently better results as the season progressed was important to our final placing. Round one was really not very successful, however the second round had numerous results where we really showed how well we could play. A couple key victories including one over the Harewood team us toward the end of the season got us over the line to pull up to play off for places 6-8 however after a great last game vs Uni (we won 5-2) - effectively left us 7th overall for the season from 10 teams.

I have no doubt that this team can certainly improve and we must recruit accordingly. It should be pointed out that this team is a feeder to the Premier team – with a number of the young women from last season moving up means this is working well for our club.

Finally, I thoroughly enjoyed coaching the ladies team and bringing Issy Thomson to assist halfway through the season no doubt was beneficial. We both look forward to coaching Div 1 in 2015.

Paul Bamford, Coach

Division 2 Women

Coach: Nigel Iggo

The Team:

Greer Thomson
Shannon Gordon
Lauren Iggo
Molly Nolan
Gabby Morgan
Analiese Nelson
Olivia Pither
Grace Pither
Johanna Church
Jess Klauss
Dominique Scheepers
Shannon Benterman
Caroline Levis
Angela Barr
Jacinda Bamford

Awards:

MVP: Shannon Gordon
Most Improved: Molly Nolan

Final Placing: 6th Place

Write-Up:

The 2014 Avon Women's Div 2 team had a season of learning and huge improvement. There had been a loss from the previous season of 5 senior players so in 2014 we had a very young team in a senior competition.

The best way to sum up our season was that our first game of the year we lost to a good Rangiora team 13-0. Later on in the season we lost to them 1-2. The improvement from this team was outstanding but consistency of performance was our downfall.

A great bunch of positive ladies and several of them will go onto higher teams in the near future. This team is about development for the club so on that I believe we achieved a good result. We finished the Championship in 6th place.

Nigel Iggo, Coach

MWO Men Blue

Coach: Tony McDonald

Manager: Darren Small

The Team:

Tony McDonald

Darren Small

Ben Chorley

Andrew Howell

Craig Reynolds

Brendan Forrest

Steve Edwards

Peter Hooker

Jodi Apiata

Anthony Zonneveld

Kulwant Denya

Peter Currie

Awards:

MVP: Peter Currie

Final Placing: 3rd Place

Write-up:

The Avon mid-week team formed after a few ex prem players and others decided they needed weekends free for work, other sports or family.

The mid-week competition allows for a competitive grade of hockey without the trainings and weekend commitments. When I first retired from hockey and played this grade, it was a business house comp with many players on the very social side. It now boosts a very skilful competition with the top teams easily able to take on 1st grade teams and compete at high levels.

The Avon team has a mix of ex NZ players, ex Canterbury reps and skilled younger players to do all the running for the older gents in the team, overall a good balance of youth and experience.

We are always looking for more players so if you think you have the skill and want to give mid-week a go, please contact the club.

Player numbers hurt us a little early on this year however after turning up with only 9 players to take on the top Uni team and drawing with them with about 30 seconds on the clock proved we were a competitive unit and with a full team including subs were very hard to beat. The mind-set we took into the season was to go out and have fun while competing, (none of us like to lose so we are a very competitive bunch).

We ended up getting third in the grade with the top team HSOB defaulting to us in the last game.

For us to keep going at this level we need new players, a coach as I have been doing this for too many years now and a manager. If anyone is keen or available please contact either the club or myself, it only takes 2 hours a week out of your time and leaves the weekends free.

Tony McDonald, Coach

MWO Women

Manager: Gillie Watson

The Team:

Maria Wake
Robin Cox
Eloise Nevin
Natalie McIlraith
Gillie Watson
Helen Keast
Melanie Wall
Mellinda Fitzgerald
Allison Smeath
Tiffany McCrea-Lennon
Adrienne Lynn
Janelle Calder
Rebekah Humphries
Jill Hibbert
Kathryn Bolton
Gen Vesey

Awards:

MVP: Rebekah Humphries
Player's Choice: Tiffany McCrea-Lennon

Final Placing: 1st Place (Championship and Porritt Cup)

Write-Up:

The Avon Ladies Mid Week Open had an amazing season. We won the championship winning 11 games out of 13 and then went on to win the Porritt Cup too. A feat that I think has never been done before, or not that anyone can remember! There were lots of factors that helped our success, but one great boost was having Rebecca Humphries back in goal after a few years off. a great season. We scored 73 goals in the championship and only 11 against us. Rebecca got the award for Most Valuable Player.

Tiff McCrea-Lennon was awarded The Players Choice Award. The only games we didn't win she was away for, so we banned her from missing a game after that!



So it was a great Season and we had lots of fun, thanks to everyone who played and helped out.

Gillie Watson, Manager and Player

MWO Men Gold

Manager: Les Smith

The Team:

Malcolm Begg
Peter Benden
Geoff Chalklen
Ian Hume
Stephen Church
Bruce Coxen
Matthew Cusiell
Dave Mallender
Marty Higgins
Brendon Church
Brendon Ponder
Shane Hunter
Richard Nairn
Jordan Moore
Graham Belcher
Murray Tasker
David Upjohn

Awards:

MVP: Shane Hunter and Jordan Moore

Final Placing: 5th Place

Write-Up:

The MWO Men Gold team had a mixed season with the pulling out great games on a number of occasions, and not so good on others. The young guys that came on board really provided the teams with a boost this year.

Shunter lead a strong defensive structure, with Murray in goal providing great aerial saves. The team finished in 5th place overall.

Les Smith, Manager

Grass Women

Manager: Mel Sutton

The Team:

Robin Cox
Stephanie Pole
Mel McLauchlan
Mel Sutton
Ange Barr
Karen Morganty
Kathryn Bolton
Kathryn Bamber
Shelley Barry
Lee Orpwood
Nicola Leslie
Kim King
Sandy Freeman
Yolanda Kelderman
Brittney Nixon

Awards:

MVP: Mel McLauchlan
Most Improved: Sandy Freeman

Final Position: 5th Place

Write-Up:

Avon Women's Grass had a good 2014 season. We managed to have a core team who were there every week, and topped it up with a few who played when they could – a huge improvement on last year. The only downside was no goalie, so we had a weekly “draw” to find out who had the unenviable position for the next week. With just two weeks before the season ended, one of our new players took on the goalie role and loved it and is keen to continue in 2015.

We ended up 5th in the competition and with the team on board for next year are sure we can get into the top 4 in 2015.

Mel Sutton, Manager and Player

Grass Men

Mangers: Shane Hunter and Shane Rhodes

The Team:

Shane Hunter
Shane Rhodes
Nigel Lippert
Geoff Chalklin
John Mansuel
James Chalmers
Anthony Cherry
Stephen Church
Ewen Douglas
Malcolm Begg
Terry Gallagher
Grenville Tomich
Murray Tasker
Peter Hooker
Rob Tan

Awards:

MVP: Anthony Cherry
Most Improved: Brendan Church

Final Position: 3rd Place

Write-Up:

[no write-up has been received]

Avon/St. Michael's Junior Competition

In 2012, Avon Hockey Club joined forces with St. Michael's Church School to form a partnership for its junior hockey teams. Katrina Morgan has been amazing from the Avon side, and Mike Graveston has shown so much dedication from the St. Michael's side. We are grateful to all coaches, managers, supporters and organisers that make our junior competition such a success!

Kwik Sticks Boys 11-a-side

Coach: Michael Graveston
Assistant Coach: Josh Carlile
Manager: Marianne Smith

The Team:

Cole Smith
Daniel Carlile
Jackson Zeimann
Hamish Church
Logan Cartwright-Keast
Guy Whall
Mitchell Power
Beavan Chen
Campbell Hutton
Rihan Lallu
Corbyn Dempsey
Tom Herbert
Reuben Lefebvre
Harry Irwin
Ethan Mariner

Awards:

MVP: Hamish Church
Most Versatile: Mitchell Power

Final Placing: 1st Place

Write-Up:

The overall highlight was the Kwik sticks Boys winning their final making them the 2014 division 2 winners with a score of 5-1. Having witnessed the team grow and bond over the season, we had come 2nd in the points table, having lost one and won one against the team at the top. It was all set for a nervous encounter for the knock out final. All the training and hard work for the season clicked in with every boy playing their best game. Seeing a beautiful reverse shoot from the top of the circle delivered from Hamish Church and then shortly after seeing another reverse shoot from the side delivered by Daniel Carlile highlighted all those repeated training drills our players focus and commit to week in week out.



The most versatile player and 2014 captain, Mitchell Power deserves a special mention. From playing in his wing position, he was crucial when we placed him near the end of the games in defence and benefited from his excellent clear out defending through his ability to clear the ball to the other end of the field.

The team's development over the season was further recognised with five out of the team being selected for Canterbury development and representative teams (names mentioned in the following section).

We had a large squad of sixteen in 2014. While that made player rotation tough on our team manager, Marianne Smith now with seven moving on to high school in 2015, we will maintain excellent strength that will be further enhanced by several stars entering from our 2014 Super 8 team.

I would like to give special thanks to our management team, Josh and Marianne. Josh whose skills in leadership and coaching have developed so well and Marianne for organising so much. Also thanks to all the great bunch of supportive parents who appear week in and out in all weathers to support their children and the team. Roll on 2015!!

Michael Graveston, Coach

Kwik Sticks Girls 11-a-side

Coach: Katrina Morgan

The Team:

Ella Stewart
Lucy Chambers
Sophie Stewart
Kahu Alexander
Jessica Wright
Mya Pouaka
Imogen Antal
Katelyn Boon
Lucy Southhorn
Rebekah Gray
Valentine Virkan
Alice Barrett
Kate Bagshaw

Awards:

MVP: Ella Stewart
Most Improved: Kate Bagshaw
Most Promising: Rebecca Grey

Final Placing: 4th Place

Write-Up

2014 was another development year for the Avon-St Michaels Girls 11 a-side team. Fortunately we had several girls who had played 11 a-side the year before and these experienced players added value and strength to the team. All of the girls grew in both their hockey knowledge and skill base and this was fantastic to see! The last game of the season was my absolute favourite with the girls displaying some fine hockey.

I am looking forward to what the 2015 hockey season brings for the Avon-St Michaels Girls Kwik Sticks and wish the girls who are moving on to Youth and Open-Grade hockey the best of luck!

Katrina Morgan, Coach

Super 8 Girls

Coach: Shaun Graveston

Assistant Coach and Umpire: Thomas Bennett

Manager: Faye England

The Team:

Emma Bennett
Danielle Turner
Abi Worthington
Ashlea Gray
Ashleigh Willis
Emily McGifford
Briannah Jarvis
Reana Ledington
Laura Wolland
Kamryn Kautai'lai
Elizabeth Mackey
Kate Mackey
Elizabeth Perry

Awards:

MVP: Emily McGifford
Most Improved: Kamryn Kautai'lai
Most Promising: Kate Mackey

Final Placing: 6th Place

Write-Up:

This year the Avon/St. Michaels Super 8 team started with a mixture of new and experienced players. As a coach, it was a great feeling to see the girls grow into a team, also the rate that the team improved after the first couple of games.

The season start was greatly dominated by losses as the girls had faced going up a grade higher than they were previously playing the year before. As the season progressed, the team began to achieve a few wins, which greatly boosted the team morale. The season could be classed as difficult and rough as new players began to learn some of the essential skills needed to progress further in the game of hockey. Again, as a coach seeing the progression of the girls, learning to dribble, passing and shooting came as a great feeling.



What pleased me most about the Super 8 Girls' is the way they bonded and began working as a team, stringing along passes and using good hockey vision. The use of 'vision' to me personally was a good omen as it showed that the girls were no longer just thinking about hitting the small white ball with a stick and more about ways that they could successfully score goals. Also, the effort that the players began putting into the end of the season also showed that they were getting involved with the sport.

Finally, the girls from the Super 8 team were a delight to coach and I am proud of the progression that was made by many of the girls thought this hockey season.

Shaun Graveston, Coach

Intermediate 8 Boys

Coaches: Kurt Gurden and Kevin Jonker

Assistant Coach: Paige Stolzenberger

Manager: Angela Bagshaw

The Team:

Henry Bagshaw
Louie Harvey
Liam Duncan
James Benzie
Jake Goddard
Billy Knight
Alex Stolzenberger
Josh Thornley
Caleb Forsyth
Jacob Mitchell-Hall

Awards:

MVPs: Henry Bagshaw and Louie Harvey

Most Improved: Liam Duncan

Most Promising: Jake Goddard

Final Placing: 1st Place

Write-Up:

The team started with a nice mixture of experienced and new players. It was impressive to see the experience players act as mentors to the new boys, who improved so dramatically as the season progressed.



The season started very strongly with consistent wins as the season progressed. Over the course of the season, the team only lost three games, and finished 2nd place at the end of regular pool play. This set them up with a final against Harewood Blue, whom we lost and drew to during regular play. We told the boys that if they played as a team and applied what they had learned, they would come out victorious. Sure enough, the boys did exactly that, and we beat Harewood 5-1!

The boys really stuck to their positions and played them well during the season. Billy lead the defensive team in goal where Liam, Jacob, Josh and Caleb provided a solid defence structure. Louie provided a strong link in mid-field to the forwards, where our goal scorers Henry, Jake, Alex and James got a total of 69 goals over the season. Special mentions go to Henry Bagshaw who made the Canterbury Development Training Squad, and Louie Harvey who almost had the same achievement.

Kurt Gurden, Coach

Ministicks Boys – Mini Movers (Sec 1)

Coach: Yateen Lallu

Manager: Philip Smith

The Team:

Marcus Elson

Vivek Lallu

Raj Ravji

Peter Smith

Mason Stolzenberger

Caleb Knight

Connor McKey

Douglas Bongartz

Awards:

MVP: Raj Ravji

Most Improved: Douglas Bongartz

Final Placing: 2nd Place



Write-Up:

The boys had great season this year, winning 8 games, losing 3 and drawing 2 at their game and finished 2nd in the Division 1 grade. This was a great achievement by the boys as this team were playing their first season in this grade having moved up from minis last year.

The progression of the boys was the most pleasing thing to see, when the boys passed the ball around and played with width they were the most dangerous team in the competition. Each player truly stood out at different times of the season and when they played the big games, the boys really delivered, the highlight was probably beating St. Andrews who were undoubtedly the best team in the competition, but on that day these boys despite only winning 2-1 really tore them apart.

Yateen Lallu, Coach

Ministicks Boys – Mini Shakers (Sec 2)

Coach: Yateen Lallu

Manager: Katrina Bunn

The Team:

Lachlan Willis

Quin Brewer

Oliver Batterick

Tanirau Flavell

Thomas Withell

Caleb Knight

Douglas Bongartz

Awards:

MVP: Oliver Batterick

Most Improved: Tanirau Flavell

Final Placing: 4th Place



Write-Up:

This team comprised of only 2 players who had played before otherwise the rest of the team were first time hockey players, and they turned out to be the surprise. The boys finished 4th in the Division 2 grade which was very respectable. They were a pleasure to watch and they all went out each Saturday and gave it their all.

The highlight watching/ reffing the boy was when a couple of games the boys got behind by 3-4 goals early in the game. This happened on a few occasions including the last game but they should real character by slowly clawing their way back until eventually they were back to level pegging. Reffing those games it was great to see the kids getting excited knowing that they could do this, and also looking at the opposition coach wondering what on earth was happening. On both occasions they won those games and it was a good lesson on how to get back in a game one goal at a time.

Yateen Lallu, Coach

Avon-St. Michael's hockey would like to extend a special thank you to Yateen Lallu for taking the time to coach both our junior Ministicks boys teams. This was a huge job to undertake and we thank Yateen for the significant effort he has put in to our junior boys in 2014!

Avon Hockey Club/St. Michael's Church School

Ministicks Girls

Coach: Bede Byers and Aimee Hayward

Manager: Tanya Meikle

The Team:

Samantha Brown
Sophie Dawson
Ella Meikle
Darnae Parkes
Bridie Cattermole
Caley Van der Kroon
Breanna McGregor
Gemma Jackman
Poppy Knight
Holly Boyd

Awards:

MVP: Ella Meikle
Most Improved: Holly Boyd

Final Placing: 6th Place

Write-Up:

Our year, and the improvement shown by the Girls can be summed up simply by their promotion from division 5 where they were initially graded at the beginning of the season, to division 2 where they played some of their best hockey. The early season consisted of increasingly impressive wins splattered with close losses. After the promotion, around half way through the season, the hard work the girls had put in at practise began to pay off. The last game of the season was the Girl's most impressive performance recovering with sensational fortitude from 3-2 down at half time to win the game 5-4 in the second half.

The formation that was eventually decided on for the season was to play 2 strikers, 3 midfielders/defenders and a goalie. With strong attacking initiative across all the positions the team went from strength to strength as their skill's developed, earning them several blowout wins and eventually promotion to Div 2. The adjustment only took a few games as we challenged the eventual title winners to a sensational game eventually losing by a single goal. Despite the loss, this was the first in a line of games which demonstrated the teams fighting spirit which was without question one of the most impressive trait's the team demonstrated.

Bede Byers, Coach

Junior 6 Mixed (Fun Sticks)

Coach: Jeremy Willis

Assistant Coach: Jacob Harvey

Manager: Blair Grey

The Team:

Quinn Harvey
Brett Rowlands
Breanna Spink
Samuel Bennett
Ted Knight
Mereana Morgan
Emma Grey
Bridgette Willis
Craige Willis

Awards:

MVP: Mereana Morgan
Most Improved: Bridgette Willis

Write-Up:

We started the season with a very keen group of players, who for most was their first experience of playing hockey. Over the season the team learnt a lot of new skills. In particular holding their positions and passing the ball up-field to receiving players to in-turn score goals.



Several of the players showed a natural flare for attacking and putting away awesome goals. We had a solid defence with Sam “The Brick Wall” not letting much past him, he surely has to be a future goalie in the making.

The players always gave it a go and tried their hardest every game. We look forward to seeing everyone back again next season.

Jacob Harvey, Assistant Coach

Avon/St. Michael's Representative Players

Canterbury Primary Boys B Team

Hamish Church

Hamish was chosen to play for the Canterbury Primary B team this year. He was Captain for nearly all of the games. This was a large responsibility as he had to run the team and make decisions on the field as well as hold discussions off the field.

They had a mixed season. The main tournament they played in was the McGrath Cup which is held in Rotorua each year. It is a competition between various provincial B teams. They started with a couple of good wins but finished with a couple of close losses, finishing 4th. He played Centre Half for most of the games, scored a few goals and defended many too. At the end of year Canterbury Representative prizegiving, Hamish was awarded the Most Valuable Player for his team.

He really enjoyed the whole season, playing teams from different parts of New Zealand and making new friends as well as playing again with friends from last season.



Write-up and photos courtesy of Lee-Ann and Andrew Church

Canterbury Boys Development Squad

Shahid Ali

Shahid began the representative season somewhat tentatively all winter he had been playing at centre forward. What a change to be placed by his coach on the wing. With a bit of gentle coaching and plenty of diagrams from Tana (the manager) as to where his responsibilities lay, he was away. At every tournament his understanding of the wings role grew, so much so that by the West Coast trip he was scoring multiple goals per game.

The Development team was just that...a side developing. It was a fantastic experience and Shahid learned an enormous amount, not only about the game, but about 'Team', having fun, living in community and being part of something bigger than himself. The coaching was excellent and the management by Tana Sullivan was extraordinary, our team was so blessed to have her input. Shahid and the family can't wait for next season and hope he gets into another team.



Write-up and photos courtesy of Kirstie McDonald

Daniel Carlile

Daniel was selected to play for the Development Squad this year. This was the first time he had been selected for any Canterbury team and he was a little nervous how it would go.

We were thrilled how quickly he settled in, made some good friends and got to know and enjoy learning with coach Jeremy Innes and the very organised manager Tana Sullivan. Being in this team brought new ideas, playing standards and brought new playing positions to Daniels game. Looking back you could see how he has grown with confidence and ability over this period.

This was a special group of boys, who played as a team and were supportive of each other both on and off the turf.



Write-up and photos courtesy of Noel Carlile

Canterbury Boys Development Training Squad

Rihan Lallu

Rihan Lallu has been playing hockey for St Michael's and later St Michael's/Avon since the age of 5. He was chosen to trial for a Canterbury primary rep team and was selected for the Canterbury development training Squad. He plays as an inside forward for his club team but was put in the unfamiliar position of centre half which took a bit of getting used to initially.

The team played their main tournament in Buller and progressed to the semi final where they met the Canterbury development squad (C team). The boys lost by one goal but put up a great fight against the eventual winners of the tournament. The team was ably coached by James Williamson.

Rihan strength was his ball distribution, and under James managed to take it to a further level. He is excited about the prospect of hopefully representing Canterbury again.



Write-up and photos courtesy of Yateen Lallu

Logan Cartwright-Keast

The Westport tournament provided an opportunity to develop skills amongst the Canterbury Development Training Squad team and progress those skills into play against varied teams, with good results despite a couple of losses.

Logan played left wing. His favourite moment on the tournament was when they played Buller and won 13-nil. Logan scored at least 5 of the goals and was player of the game. He made good friends on tour, especially with Noah and Matthew, and their confidence with one another when passing and setting up goals was evident as the tournament progressed. Logan enjoyed and respected the coaches took on board their coaching tips.



Write-up and photos courtesy of Karen Cartwright-Keast

Henry Bagshaw

Henry was lucky enough to make the Canterbury development training squad in 2014. They played three tournaments over the Canterbury season with three to five games in each tournament. They also had two practices a week with a couple of extra practice games thrown in. Henry played a lot of hockey! As a result, Henry and his teammates improved immensely over the two months of playing for Canterbury.

The games that stand out the most were played at the Festival of Hockey in Westport. The first game was against Invercargill our boys won this game 13-1. It was amazing to see their confidence grow after this comprehensive win. The other game was against the Canterbury development team. It was a brilliant game to watch as they were so evenly matched, we managed to keep them to a 2-1 win which was amazing as those boys went on to win the tournament.

It was a fantastic team to be a part of and Henry had a great time, bring on 2015.



Write-up and photo courtesy of Angela Bagshaw

Congratulations to Angela Bagshaw who was also manager for the Canterbury Development Training Squad.



Financial statements

Avon Hockey Club Incorporated

31 October 2014

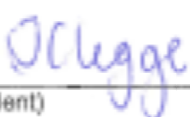
Statement of financial performance for the year ended 31 October 2014

	Note	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
Revenue			
Subscription Revenue		46,028	39,839
		46,028	39,839
Other Revenue			
Barbeques and Pub Quizzes		927	674
Chocolates Sales		4,073	2,875
Donations Received	9	1,794	10,319
Gear Sales		226	274
Grants Received	8	11,910	-
Interest Received		10	26
Prizes		100	-
Refunds and Umpiring Revenue (Canterbury Hockey)		2,844	2,122
Raffle Ticket Sales		197	2,609
Training Turf Hire (Recharged)		1,000	-
		23,080	18,898
Total Operating Revenue		69,109	58,736
Operating Expenses			
Affiliation and Turf Fees (Canterbury Hockey)		44,585	45,474
Depreciation		1,887	2,880
Hockey Playing Gear		1,251	1,538
Training Turf Hire (Shirley Boys High School and St. Andrews College)		8,177	5,301
		55,900	55,194
Administration Expenses			
Audit Disbursements		25	25
Audit Fees		1,000	1,000
Bank Fees		67	71
Coach Training		43	-
Consultancy Expenses		1,120	-
Entertainment and Prizegiving Expenses		294	196
Fund Raising Expenses		3,005	2,536
Gifts		218	287
IRD Penalties		-	113
Subscriptions		360	-
Website Expenses		32	-
		6,165	4,226
Total Expenses		62,066	59,420
NET SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)		\$ 7,043	\$ (684)


The accompanying notes and auditor's report are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

Statement of financial position as at 31 October 2014

	Note	This Year	Last Year
EQUITY		<u>\$ 8,305</u>	<u>\$ 1,261</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash Balances	6	6,708	3,968
Accounts Receivable		5,699	8,265
GST Receivable		600	-
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, Plant and Equipment (at Book Value)	7	3,590	4,321
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>\$ 16,596</u>	<u>\$ 16,553</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable		7,113	5,715
Sundry Accruals		1,179	2,358
Grants In Advance	8	-	6,216
GST Payable		-	1,003
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>\$ 8,292</u>	<u>\$ 15,292</u>
TOTAL NET ASSETS (LIABILITIES)		<u>\$ 8,305</u>	<u>\$ 1,261</u>


Taryia Legge (President)

13 April 2015
Date


Isobel Thomson (Vice-President)

13 April 2015
Date


Kurt Gurdin (Treasurer)

13 April 2015
Date



The accompanying notes and auditor's report are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

Statement of movements in equity for the year ended 31 October 2014

	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
NET SURPLUS	7,043	- 684
Balance Retained as Income added to Equity	7,043	- 684
Equity at Start of Year	1,261	1,945
	\$ 8,305	\$ 1,261

The accompanying notes and auditor's report are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 October 2014

1 Statement of Accounting Policies

These are the financial statements of Avon Hockey Club Incorporated. The club is an incorporated society established under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908 by a deed dated 22 May 2001. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

The club qualifies for differential reporting based on the following criteria:

- . It is not publicly accountable and
- . Is not large, as defined by the New Zealand Institute of Chartered Accountants

The club has adopted all available differential reporting exemptions.

Measurement System

The measurement system adopted is that of historical cost.

Particular Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies adopted by the club in the preparation of these financial statements.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are stated at their estimated realisable value.

Grants

Grants received are recognised in operating revenue unless specific conditions are attached to a grant and repayment of the grant is required where these conditions are not met. In these cases, the grant is treated as a liability until the conditions are met.

Goods and Services Tax

Financial information in these accounts is recorded exclusive of GST with the exception of receivables and payables, which include GST. GST payable or receivable at balance date is included in the appropriate category in the Statement of Financial Position.

Plant, Property and Equipment

Property, Plant and Equipment are recognised at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation rates are disclosed in the asset schedule.

Taxation

The club meets the tax exemptions of section CW 46 in the Income Tax Act 2007 and therefore is not subject to payment of income tax.

Changes in Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in accounting policies. All policies have been applied on bases consistent with those used in previous years.

2 Contingent Liabilities

There are no contingent liabilities at year end (31 October 2013: \$Nil).

3 Capital Commitments

There are no capital commitments at year end (31 October 2013: \$Nil).

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 October 2014

4 Subsequent Events

There have been no events subsequent to balance date which would materially affect the financial statements as at 31 October 2014 (31 October 2013: Nil).

5 Going Concern

Avon Hockey Club Incorporated is reliant on continued funding from donations and grants for its continuing operations. The committee is of the opinion that the club will continue to receive such funding.

6 Cash Balances

	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
ANZ Cheque Account	6,680	3,940
Heartland Everyday Community Account	28	28
	<u>\$ 6,708</u>	<u>\$ 3,968</u>

7 Property, Plant and Equipment Summary

	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
	Book Value	Book Value
	Cost	Accum Depn
Playing Equipment	66,995	63,405
	<u>\$ 6,995</u>	<u>\$ 63,405</u>
	<u>\$ 3,590</u>	<u>\$ 4,321</u>
	<u>\$ 3,590</u>	<u>\$ 4,321</u>

8 Grant Funding

Avon Hockey Club Incorporated received the following grants during the year (31 October 2013: \$0).

	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
Christchurch City Council	2,000	-
Pub Charity	3,693	-
Lion Foundation (Prior Year Grant Deferred)	6,216	-
	<u>\$ 11,910</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Less: grant funding deferred at year end	-	6,216
Total grant funding expended/(unfinalised) for the year	<u>\$ 11,910</u>	<u>-\$ 6,216</u>

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 October 2014

9 Donated Funds

Avon Hockey Club Incorporated received monetary donations of \$1,794 during the year (31 October 2013: \$10,319).

	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
J J Angerstein & Associates Limited	-	10,265
Kurt Gurden	1,481	-
Sundry donations from club members	313	54
	\$ 1,794	\$ 10,319

10 Related Parties

During the year, Kurt Gurden donated monies of \$1,481 (31 October 2013: \$0) to Avon Hockey Club Incorporated, as a member of the committee. The donation was unconditional.

During the year, Avon Hockey Club Incorporated reimbursed committee members of the club for expenditure incurred by those persons on behalf of the club.

There were no other material related party transactions.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT To the Members of Avon Hockey Club Incorporated

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of the Avon Hockey Club Incorporated on pages 27 to 32, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 October 2014, the statement of financial performance, statement of movements in accumulated funds for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Committee's Responsibilities for the Financial Statements

The Committee is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements; this includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibilities

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with New Zealand International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as evaluating

the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our modified audit opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor we have no relationship with or interests in Avon Hockey Club Incorporated.

Qualified Opinion

As is common with other organisations of a similar nature, control over some cash receipts prior to being recorded is limited and there are no practical audit procedures to determine the effect of this limited control. In this respect alone we have not been able to obtain all the information and explanations that we have required.

In our opinion, except for any adjustments that might have been found to be necessary had we been able to obtain sufficient evidence concerning cash receipts, the financial statements on pages 27 to 32 present fairly, in all material respects the financial position of Avon Hockey Club Incorporated as at 31 October 2014, and its financial performance for the year then ended.

Restriction of Distribution or Use

This report is made solely to the Members of Avon Hockey Club Incorporated. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the members those matters which we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Avon Hockey Club Incorporated and its members, for our audit work, for this report or for the opinions we have formed.

Dated: 13 April 2015

Beck & Associates

Beck & Associates
Chartered Accountants
Christchurch