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L.G. Jones	1984-86
A.R. Taylor	1987-89
R.J. Thomson	1990-

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L.S. Lewis	1932/34/36
J.B.T. Donnelly	1934
W.P.J. Ide	1938
W.J. McLean	1939-46/47/48
J. McLean	1946
E.G. Broad	1947/48/49
K.C. Winning	1947/48/51
A. Ware	1949
D.I. MacMillan	1950
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D.A. Taylor	1967/68/69
D.S. Rathie	1971/72
C.M. Carberry	1973/74/75/76/81/82
D.W. Hillhouse	1975/76/83
G. Shambrook	1976
D. Codey	1984/85/86
A. Herbert	1987/89/90/91/92/93
R. Constable	1993/94
D. Herbert	1994

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### 1930 - 1949

J.O. East	1931/33/34
F.M. Nicholson	1931/33/35/36
R. Gregory	1932
J. Williams	1932
J.B. Doneley	1932-34
L.S. Lewis	1932-37
L.J. East	1933
C.H. Smith	1933
J. Callaghan	1933
M.D. Cullen	1933
M. Muller	1934
P.L. Dixon	1934-36
R.H. Bently	1937
C.R. Hockings	1937
W.J. Ide	1938/39
W.N. Douglas	1937
G. Denman	1938
W.W. McLean	1939/46/47
R. Fay	1945
A. Ware	1945-47
A.K. Winning	1945-50
E.G. Broad	1947-49
J. McLean	1946-47
J. Kirk	1946/47
R. Proctor	1946
J. Irwin	1947
P. Thompson	1948-50
I. McMillan	1949-50

### 1950 - 1960

I. Nichol	1950
R. Colbert	1950/51
P. Robinson	1950/55
G.G. Jones	1951
J. Raff	1951
G. Marles	1951/52
B. Menkens	1952
B.R. Mills	1952/53
R. Freudenberg	1953
J. Greene	1953
G.W. Horsley	1952-55
F. Thompson	1955/56
G. Newton	1955
J.R. Harris	1957
J. Parskins	1956/57
K. Brasch	1956/57
R.M. Shaw	1956/57
J. Gilbert	1957
R. Swann	1957-58
A. Boyd	1958-60
B. Wright	1954-56/59-61
B.W. Boyd	1959
D. Rylance	1960
T. Carew	1960-64/66

### 1961-69

J. Carson	1961
O. Edwards	1961-63/67
D.B. Clark	1961-64/66-69/71
P. Perrin	1962

B. Egan	1962
J. Duff	1963
W. Gunn	1963-64
G. Golding	1963-64
D. Whittle	1964
D. Latter	1964-65
D. Taylor	1964
W. Reilly	1964
B.J. Munro	1964
E.A. Kann	1966-68
L.M. Nutt	1967
J.A. Dalgleish	
A. White	1969

### 1970-94

L.J. Graham	1970-74
D. Rathie	1971-72/77
P. McBaron	1970
D. Withers	1971-73
M. Jack	1972-73
C.K. Smith	1972
I.D. Clark	1971-73/80
G Shambrook	1974-77
P. Bissett	1973
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G. Brand	1975-80
J. Johanssen	1975
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A. Austin	1981
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T. Coker	1983-84
M. Phillips	1983-85
A. Dick	1984
D. Codey	1984-86
A. Herbert	1986-94
D. Phillips	1986-87
D. Reidy	1987
I. Siganiyavi	1989-90
D. Herbert	1994
J. Reilly	1994
M. Ware	1994
R. Constable	1994
M. Murray	1994

## CLUB CAPTAINS

J. Duff	1964
G.G. Whittle	1965-66
D.J.A. Clark	1967-69
E. Kann	1970-73
L.J. Graham	1974-75
R.J. Thomson	1976
G. Shambrook	1977
D. Burrows	1978
R. Nerichow	1979-80
B. Barnhill	1981
M. Oberhardt	1982
R.J. Thomson	1983
M. Phillips	1984
K. Bolton	1985-86
D. Phillips	1987
M. Frisby	1988
L. Diclemente	1989
A. Herbert	1990-92
G. Harris	1993-94

## 500 CLUB GAMES

R.J. Thomson	(643)
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## 200 CLUB GAMES

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D.J. Park
R. Mortimer
T. Jesser
D.B. Clark
D. Stevenson
J. Garde
L.G. Jones
R.S. Roberts
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M. Arnold
K. Bolton
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## 200 FIRST GRADE GAMES

D.B. Clark	1966
E.A. Kann	1970
R.J. Thomson	1975
I.D. Clark	1975
R. Nerichow	1977

## 100 FIRST GRADE GAMES

T. Carew	1964
O.F. Edwards	1966
J.A. Dalgleish	1967
D. Latter	1969
P. McBaron	1973
A. Austin	1982
K. Bolton	1985
D. Phillips	1989
M. Arnold	1989
L. Fugiri	1990
M. Jensen	1993
A. Herbert	1994



Fellow Members,  
I have much pleasure in submitting for your consideration the 1994 annual report of the Club.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Thanks to the committee, coaches, selectors, managers and all those who gave freely and generously of their time and effort to the Club during the 1994 season. I would especially like to thank the Executive members of the Management Committee, Senior Vice-President, Rod Torkington, who ably continues his voluntarily appointed task as Senior Groundsman (see later report). Will Colwell, our indefatigable Treasurer, under whose financial stewardship the Club has once again had a positive financial year, as will be outlined in his report, and Paul Reid, the Club Secretary, who carried out the thankless clerical tasks without which the Club would function in the manner of decapitated poultry.

In thanking the committee the work of Maureen Flanagan and Margaret Taylor (the Lolly Sisters) must be singled out. Night after night, fine or foul, the ladies were in attendance to collect subs, cook BBQs, tidy up, together with a myriad of other jobs. In all this I do not overlook their ability to hand out some very helpful advice and criticism. That they were awarded the best Clubman trophy expresses the Club's thanks far more adequately than mere words.

Geoff Wilkes on the committee this year brought some useful new observations to the committee and, with Paula, continued their excellent work in organising another successful Rugby Fest.

Onus Maynes, our new Junior Vice-President, renewed and continues a long association with the Club. Rob Deane and Tim Conroy brought a younger members' perspective.

It's hoped the committee will again attract the new blood that it needs to remain relevant to its most important constituency, the players. It should be remembered any successful Club has two successful teams. The high profile team is the one seen on the paddock every weekend. Their success is the success which everyone knows about and for which the Club strives. However, without the other team, that is to say the committee, no Club can be successful. If the committee is not progressive, constructive, innovative and outward looking, a modern Rugby club will not be successful. Both teams must actively seek people of the highest calibre (not simply time servers) who have the interests and success of Rugby, particularly GPS Rugby, as their goal.

Tony D'Arcy provides a fine example of the success of the two teams working together and seeking out the best people. Under Tony's guidance and as a result of his hard work the playing Club has had its best on-field year in at least 20 years. A Grade progressed one step further than in 93 in the finals by playing the preliminary final, where unfortunately 30 seconds ended up being an eternity. A grade won the Norths Sevens amongst several Sevens scalps and the Welsby and Horsley (shared with Souths) Cups. A Grade plays exciting, running Rugby. Too many teams in Queensland rely on forward power and do not utilise often enough the scoring abilities of their backs. Ours isn't only good Rugby, it's commercial commonsense because it pulls the crowds, as witnessed by our home game attendances. What we have to do, however, is maintain the pace and pressure for 80 minutes, not just win the first half and hang in there doggedly for the second. Mick Arnold and Will Colwell's second grade was courage personified in achieving the minor premiership and playing in the grand final. Several of our best players were unable to play in the grand final while Souths, without even running on their legal advisers, fielded a formidable team. The area where we were not competitive was in the scrums, but the team held in there for the whole game for a magnificent effort. Colts I made history winning the grand final in a convincing way by defeating Sunnybank, their season's nemesis. What Colts I had going for them, apart from Jim Hanson, Brendan Kiernan and John Breen, was the fact they developed into a team as the season progressed, rather than just a gaggle of individuals.

Our other teams, including our inaugural ladies team, had mixed success during the season and for 1995 we must double our efforts in these areas to ensure that all grades are improved and successful.

Thanks, of course, to all the coaches, not forgetting the invaluable assistance of Barry Honan, with whose continued involvement our backs will be the leaders in running Rugby in Queensland.

Congratulations to those players who achieved representative status this year, particularly Daniel Herbert and Ryan Constable, playing for Australia, and Mark Murray the Emerging Wallabies.

My thanks to Anthony Herbert for many years of fine and stalwart service for this Club. We regret his leaving the playing side of the Club but in his particular case believe we understand his reasons and we wish him well.

Thanks also to the managers of the various teams, the fitness trainers and strappers. Sean Quinn, who filled many of these roles, once again continued his involvement with the club.

The Red Hill Physiotherapy Centre and team continued to provide an extremely valuable contribution to the Club. Unfortunately some Club members continue to abuse this service by not paying their bills and bringing the Club into disrepute. Gerry Herbert has had a lower profile this year but nevertheless has assisted when his health has permitted. We are happy simply to see Gerry and Frank Jensen, who again successfully organised the King of the Mountain, come along and attend games as great supporters.

## INSURANCE

In addition to the compulsory ARU insurance, the committee took up the option of further income protection insurance on each player. This matter was put to the players at the beginning of the season and, in accordance with the GPS

## SPONSORSHIP

We have been most fortunate this year in securing some new and exciting sponsorships. Dudley Dick, a long time Club supporter, is the Club's major sponsor and has signed on for 1995 and 1996. Metway Bank joined the sponsorship ranks during the season, whilst The Gap Tavern continued as a major sponsor. Castlemaine XXXX was in there again via the QRU and we thank the Queensland Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing for its coaching subsidies. The best and fairest sponsors were again organised by Tony D'Arcy and Ann Louise Jeffery. Owen Edwards through Future Guard Insurances continued his involvement, whilst Impala Kitchens came on board. The many of you who attend home games will have also noticed a number of home game sponsors banners prominent on the creek side of the field.

Whilst many of our sponsors get a great deal of personal pleasure out of sponsoring the Club I do not believe personal pleasure is sufficient recompense these days for those whom we ask to sponsor the Club. Successful sponsorship is also part of any business plan. The sponsor rightly expects a return on its investment. All of our sponsors have products which we strongly recommend to you as Jeeps supporters

## VALLEY DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB

We have continued our meetings with the cricket club through 1994 and in addition, as most of you will be aware, have had a series of meetings with the Council, local residents and representatives of the Ashgrove Community Association Inc.

These meetings have been somewhat in the nature of mediation between the sporting clubs, including the Bowls Club, on one hand and the locals on the other. The Clubs all acknowledge there are certain legitimate areas of concern for the local residents and these meetings have brought into clearer focus the fact that the Clubs are prepared to work with the local community to alleviate any of the real problems. However, the Ashgrove Community Association perceives problems that in our opinion exist solely in their own minds. They are obdurate and intransigent.

I do not feel it is worth our while working with them. Other members of the community came to these meetings with a balanced outlook and we would be more than happy to continue a meaningful dialogue with these people. The ACA has indicated that on any application for a lease of the grounds, building improvements or additional lighting, they will object and if necessary waste their members money in taking these matters to court. The committee has resolved to apply for a 20 year lease of the top ground and would hope that VDCC have the foresight to do similarly with the bottom field.

We continue to work closely with VDCC in respect of the use and maintenance of the grounds and are pleased to see our fruitful relationship continuing.

## DEVELOPMENT

Unfortunately, because of the obstructionist elements pitted against us, development of the club house has been delayed during 1994. The beneficial aspect of the delay is that it has given the committee far greater insight into the needs and concerns of the local community and any future development will be pursued not only with a view to the sporting clubs' needs but also with a view to the needs of the local community. We would hope any development will, rather than simply being a sporting club, be a local community centre to be enjoyed by that community and in addition will be an enhancement to the sports ground.

## 1995

I am sure we all look forward to the coming season with a great deal of excitement, but whilst remembering that our own A grade and other teams will be stronger, we must remember that all Clubs are endeavouring to become more professional and build their playing strength. In addition, the code that does not seem to grow enough of its own players will continue its depredations. Rugby cannot afford to rest on its laurels; it must continue to be progressive and some form of professional Rugby will obviously have to be considered, probably sooner rather than later. Any of Australia's traditional sports that do not react now to the inroads being made by newly popular sports such as basketball and baseball will find their appeal dwindling and consequently participants, especially juniors, will be harder to recruit.

At club level, the senior Brisbane clubs have a committee working, in conjunction with the QRU, towards ways of making the Brisbane competition stronger and more relevant to today's needs. We have our own expansion plans in mind with the proposed formation of a new junior club at Ferny Grove, but we must not only be a part of this movement but must look at what we are offering both players and supporters in terms of on and off field facilities, modern club house facilities, coaching and management. 1995 must be dedicated to implementing principles to bring these matters about. Our final message is to reiterate the words of Tony D'Arcy after the preliminary final loss: "We will win in 95".

Robin Thomson  
President

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What a year it has been! Last year I concluded my Development Officer's report by challenging the playing staff of Jeeps to "take risks and step into the unknown".

This year the A grade players "dared to be great", as first grade manager Col Tune would constantly remind me. We were denied our first A grade Grand Final appearance in 18 years in the last 30 seconds of the preliminary final against Sunnybank, despite it being the finest performance I have seen from the Jeeps A grade in the past three years.

This year Jeeps took another step towards securing the Hospital Cup (premiership): the Sevens team cleaned up Brothers by 50 points in the Norths Sevens at the start of the season; we contested the Welsby Cup and won a nail-biting game against Souths with Anthony Herbert chip kicking ahead to find Roger Leeson scoring in the last minute of the game; we met Souths again in the Horsley Cup in the third round, which resulted in a thrilling draw; at Easter we won the Gladstone Sevens and were knocked out in the semis in the Byron Bay Seven. This team had four colts in it and they played against four Sydney first grade teams.

This year we have again beaten every side in the competition, in fact, having won, lost and drawn against the 1994 premiers Souths. Jeeps continued to play an attractive, running style of Rugby. Not only do our supporters prefer to watch the ball passed rather than a series of chess-like set plays and hammering the leather, the players unanimously prefer to express their Rugby talents this way. There is nothing more exciting than watching a Jeeps team counter-attack from an opposition kick. A comparison of points for and against, tries for and against and competition points is an indication of how we have developed over the past three years:

Year	Tries For	Against	Points For	Against	Game Won	Comp Draw	Points
1991	27	103	172	637	0	0	-
1992	23	65	237	491	6	-	-
1993	61	42	448	305	14	-	-
1994	85	51	594	387	14	1	59

This year I was extremely fortunate to have Barry Honan and Peter D'Arcy's assistance with the backs. Barry is a very enlightened coach who is constantly challenging the way Rugby is played, which I find extremely stimulating, and the players are the winners. Barry has agreed to coach the A grade backs in 1994 which is a coup for Jeeps. I was also lucky to be supported by the evergreen Mick Arnold and Will Colwell in second grade.

Bill McLean, our physical trainer and sprint coach, again added metres to players' speed and enhanced their endurance capacity. The players never looked forward to Bill's workouts which were demanding, however they appreciated it later. Bill's favourite trainers were Ryan Constable and Waisea Batisbasaga... Next year Bill will raise the thermostat, which will help us come home in the last 20 minutes.

Col Tune and Ian Phillips added a new dimension to managing at GPS. Being a manager of a club team is not a glamorous position, yet the wheels of any team could easily grind to a halt without a competent manager. As a club we need to develop the manager's role and their skills, as they are an important part of the picture. Col is going to take on the Head Manager's position next year and his job description will involve training and co-ordinating managers at Jeeps.

George Bickerstaff and Brogan Melit were the selectors this year for grades. They were both very professional in their assessments and provide an important alternative perspective. Unfortunately Brogan will not be selecting next year as he has season tickets to Suncorp stadium. We will miss his professionalism and Rugby expertise in 1995, the year of the Gallopers. My personal thanks goes to: our professional medico support staff with Drs Paul Yates and Greg Smith physios Dave McDonald and Tim Brown (both of whom made a big effort during the semis) and Sean Quinn, our sports trainer who was the backbone of the medico team; Maureen Flanagan, Margaret Taylor and Herbert and Geraldine Knapp for organising the light supper after home games for the players who really appreciated the food, and to anyone I have missed who I should have acknowledged but didn't due to my memory deficiencies.

Congratulations go to the players who earned representative honours tabled separately in this report. Mark Murray earned the A Grade Best and Fairest award this year even after missing six games in A grade due to a groin injury. Mark was inspirational on the field and his dry country wit provided comical relief. The Most Improved Forward was difficult, with a number of candidates worthy of the award, like young (19 years old) Scott McLean who missed all of last season with a knee reconstruction, Brent Cockbain (19 years) the pine tree from Cairns who lost form mid-season but climbed back into A grade during the semis with some magnificent performances, or Andrew Coombe, who scored best and fairest points in every game he played from Fourth Grade to First Grade until he was struck down with injury in the last game of the season. The worthy recipient was Christiaan Knapp, who with persistence claimed Reds player Michael Ware's A Grade hooking position and never let it go. Christiaan later in the year was rewarded with a Queensland Reds and Australian Under 21 reserve hooker's position.

The Most Improved Back went to Shaun Hemberg, who has played for Jeeps (Seniors and Juniors) for over 10 years. While Shaun wasn't the best back, his play improved dramatically throughout the course of the year which caused more than a few selection headaches.

As mentioned earlier, Anthony Herbert's international experience and competitiveness will be missed. Appropriately, Anthony had his best season for GPS for a number of years in his Testimonial Year and his leadership and playing skills were badly missed in the semi's. He leaves big shoes to fill in 1995. Thanks, Anthony, for your support and effort this year and good luck in your new venture.

At the Rothmans this year Jeeps had five players in the top 20. Ryan Constable polled 14 votes after missing most of the first round and probably would have pipped Brad Free (19 votes) but for representative commitments. Christiaan Knapp secured 12 votes with Mark Murray, Michael Flanagan and Daniel Herbert on 10, 9 and 9 respectively.

GPS A Grade, with an average age of 21.5 years, has a lot to look forward to in 1995. Who will be our next Wallaby? A number of players are close to joining Dan Herbert and Ryan Constable, including Mark Murray, Michael Flanagan, Christiaan Knapp and Brent Cockbain. Wallaby honours are also within reach of Scott McLean, Roger Leeson and Matt Cockbain.

In conclusion, 1994 has been a fantastic year, another stepping stone to securing a First Grade Premiership. A concluding thought:

"Far better it is to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs even though checkered by failure, than to take rank with those poor spirits who neither enjoy much nor suffer much, because they live in the grey twilight that knows not victory or defeat." (Teddy Roosevelt)

The challenge for 1995 is to continue to DARE MIGHTY THINGS, to DARE TO BE GREAT...

Tony D'Arcy  
A Grade Coach

## 2nd Grade Report

After last year's results and the recruiting drive Tony D'Arcy was on in the off season it wasn't hard to say YES when D'Arcy approached me to coach again in 1994. Also pleasing was the appointment of Will Colwell as Assistant Coach. Will's success with Third Grade in 1993 followed him in '94. I finished last year's report with the prediction that if we got serious in our attitude to training and playing early in the season then we'd become a greater force in '94. Our start to the season was a little indifferent, with two wins (Norths and Sunnybank) from our first four games (lost to Easts and Souths). But after these games we tended to settle into a pattern, helped also by very little turnover in personnel, and were able to go to the second round with a record of nine wins, four losses and one draw.

The final round proved to be our most successful, with six wins from seven games and our only loss to Premiers Souths.

A highlight of the round was the 101-5 win over Wests.

As a result we were able to hold off Brothers and Souths and take out the minor premiership. This was very pleasing as it was only two years ago that we were able to win only six games all season. Our record for the three rounds was: Won 15, Lost 5, Drawn 1. But in each loss we gained a point, showing how competitive we were throughout the season.

In the first semi, against Souths, we were convincingly beaten for the first time all year.

This was always going to be a hard game as Souths, with all rep players back, were now able to field their strongest side, including some current rep players.

Our next effort against Sunnybank was probably the most nerve wracking last minute of football any coach would ever wish to watch.

Having held a comfortable 12-0 lead early in the game we found ourselves behind 15-10 as the full time hooter sounded and with the ball back on our try line. The Sunnybank coach's "try from hell" resulted from our never say die attitude and skill in stringing together 19 passes, finishing in the corner for the winning score that put us into our first Reserve Grade grand final since 1977.

Considering the personnel Souths were able to field in the grand final, our guys gave a great display of courage, especially the scrum which was on the back foot all day. The final score of 34-16 could have been closer had a couple of bounces gone our way. Overall, for the first time in years our forward pack was not only competitive but dominant for most of the season.

### Team Statistics for 1994

Team	Matches Played	Win	Lost	Bye	Draw	Points For	Points Against	Comp. Points
G.P.S.	21	15	5	0	1	540	213	67
Souths	21	15	6	0	0	509	266	63
Brothers	21	14	7	0	0	478	320	57
Sunnybank	21	13	8	0	0	515	213	57
University	21	13	8	0	0	476	303	53
Easts	21	9	11	0	1	419	414	42
Wests	21	4	17	0	0	279	673	19
Norths	21	0	21	0	0	100	914	1

Our front row of Bill Hammond, Mick Ware and Tim Krause held their own and were well supported by Clinton Busteed and Aaron Thorn. With the tight five going so well it made the job easier for our back row of Justin Steele, John Taylor, Ian Christie, Sam Nadruka and Tim Fanning to put pressure on the opposition and secure and loose ball.

Our backs were a mixture of youth and experience led by old heads. Halfback Tony Mee was able to provide quality ball to 5/8 Andrew Hadley, who in turn was able to let loose his three quarter line of Mark Galligan, John Moss, Andrew Gee, Ben White and Konrad Litfin. Dave Parker at fullback had a good season and with a bit more experience has a bright future.

Congratulations to Michael Ware and John Taylor who were our captains during the year, with Mick also winning our best forward. Congratulations also to Andrew Hadley, our best back, Tim Krause (most improved) and Aaron Thorn, our best and fairest.

Due to a late start to the season and to injury, our team manager Steeley ended up our breakaway in the GF and John Taylor our captain ended up as manager. To both a BIG THANKS for the support and help. I would also like to thank our M&M ladies for their support in washing jerseys and always being on hand if needed.

Thanks also to Tim Conroy, Third Grade coach, and all those players who kept backing up when needed. Without this support from the lower grades, 2nds would not have gone as far as we did.

Will and I would also like to thank Barry Honan for his assistance in specialists backs coaching and skills training.

Finally, a big thanks to Will for his assistance and Tony D'Arcy for his specialist training and organising of training programs. The future of the club is in good hands with D'Arce at the helm, but the players need to look at their own performances and attitudes to make sure they:

1. Can at least hold their position next year, and
2. Can put pressure on those ahead.

If each player can improve on his performance next year, then that means the club is in for a very successful '95.

Highlights for this season: Minor Premiership, Grand Final Appearance, 101-5 win over Wests 43-8 win over Souths.

Disappointment: The number of players who pulled the pin when not picked in the team they thought they should have been in.

*Mick Arnold*  
2nd Grade Coach

## Under 21 Report

The entry of a team into the Under 21 competition was a new experience for the club and one we did not fully come to grips with. In a club with so many good young players, it was difficult to decide where this grade should fit into the organisation especially when there is little or no organisation given by the governing body (QRU). We faced some clubs that obviously took this competition very seriously and graded it high up the ladder and others that treated it almost like a social team. With no grading direction from the QRU this was always going to be a lopsided competition. After a rough preseason the team began the competition season in a very solid manner, finishing the first round with three wins and three losses, gaining a point from two of those games which were lost by less than six

points. This put us third on the ladder and feeling that we were quite capable of making the finals. However we had a disastrous second round. The third round was not much better and we eventually finished out of the four. This was a combination of losing key players to higher grades, having too many byes (due to Wests pulling out of the comp.) and the players finding it hard to maintain their enthusiasm. The plus side for the club was that there were a number of players found/developed in the U21s who contributed to the higher grades later in the year. No example stands out more than the second grade preliminary final where crucial tries were scored by ex-21s, Konrad Litfin and Ben White. At the beginning of the season neither of these players would have been considered for

this level. Others who showed they have the potential to make their mark when they can concentrate more of their time on the game are Luke Cervetto, Richard Poole and Tim Ferguson, to name three.

The competition has a future but only if there is a greater contribution made by the QRU and the clubs. For the potential to be realised the time slot (after A grade) has to be changed. The 21s game now at 5.00pm is an anti-climax and the players lose that sense of belonging with the rest of the club. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Brad Batten and Dave Newstead for all the support they gave me during the season. I couldn't have done the job without their assistance.

*Bill Green*  
Coach



The 1994 season for the GPS 3rd Grade side was definitely one of mixed fortunes. In the final analysis the side was placed sixth, which fell short of our hopes and certainly ability. It was interesting to note that the grand finalists for the competition were Brothers and Wests, teams we had beaten during the season.

To make the semi-finals in 3rd Grade a team needs to win approximately 12 games. We fell two short. The 1st round was a bad one for the team, winning only two and drawing another. It was a story of the team playing well below its ability and suffering some frustrating losses as a result.

The two highlights of the round were the victory over Brothers and the draw with Souths, both very courageous performances. During the first round the standout player was Tony Cooper, with Tony actually making his A Grade debut against Souths.

The team won four games in round 2, which was a solid performance. During this round training became much more intense because we had decided to speed up our games and adopt a more positive style of running Rugby. The highlight was the win against Souths during the Rugby Fest, with our forwards being heavily outweighed but performing magnificently. The front row that day was Steve Smith, Paul Innes and Harry Renfree and this trio did David Newstead's famed "GPS Front Row" proud. During the round Justin McGinty had worked his way into the side, and this was definitely one of the reasons for an improved team performance. In the 3rd round the team needed to win six out of the seven games to make the semis. Unfortunately we only won four, which was very disappointing. That injuries occurred to players like Jason Kirk was a significant factor, robbing us at crucial times. A positive influence was the arrival of Joe Anderson, who played some inspirational Rugby. In a hard fought victory over Wests I counted 15 ball and all tackles made by Joe at crucial times. The challenge for Joey in 1995 is to maintain the high standards he ended the 1994 with. In this round Brent Timms became my co-coach and his expertise and ability as a coach was obvious. Brent is a great asset for the club. He displayed great club loyalty by pulling on the boots when we suffered a bad bout

of injuries. During this round we smashed University in what can only be described as almost the perfect third grade performance. There was a nucleus of players who held the side together during the year. Paul Innes had an injury-plagued year yet displayed a very level head on a number of occasions. There aren't too many more intelligent players than Paul. Dan Yates in his first year of Rugby in some time improved significantly during the year and should get better in 1995. Scot Adlington was a great team man and performed very strongly at fullback. Scott proved that age is definitely no barrier. Trent Forno played much of the year in the second row, where his lineout jumping was very steady and his play in the tight nothing short of superb. Jason Kirk and Alistair Smith came into the side late in the season and both showed they were well above the standard needed to play third grade. They are destined for higher things. Nick Yardley played either in the second row or loose forward and displayed great ability and commitment throughout the year. Richard Brown improved significantly from a technical point of view during the year and his athleticism was also a feature. Steve Smith, Konrad Litfin, Luke Brown and Ben White played well during the season and it was a pleasure to see them become key members of the second grade grand final side. Michael Foxlee, Justin McGinty and Scott Murphy were the three most consistent performers and hence were named Best and Fairest, Best Forward and Best Back. Michael Foxlee oozes talent and played very well irrespective of whether he was playing No 8, flanker, hooker or centre. Justin McGinty was just as versatile playing prop, hooker, breakaway and centre. Wherever he played he displayed a great amount of controlled aggression. Scott Murphy was captain of the side and halfback. His on-field performances were excellent and he was a great source of support to me. Scott is a natural leader of men. Overall, 1994 was a year of both frustration and joy, definitely something to grow from in 1995. I challenge all the players involved not to let 1995 become another year of unfulfilled potential. Remember, the more you sweat in peace the less you bleed in war. Off-seasons are for training.

*Tim Conroy*  
*Third Grade Coach*

## 4th Grade Report

Somebody recently called our season "a season of ifs", while others said we had done well. We did do well, we did progress. It may have been a feat of inches but we did go forward. In season '93 we won one game and finished last. In season '94 we won four games and avoided the wooden spoon by one position. Little steps perhaps, but little steps that will drive us on to bigger things.

I can look back on the season with some pride, not for anything that I have done but for what the players achieved. Not only the galaxy of "stars" that we had in the beginning, but the team we finished with throughout Round 3. Put out of the semi-final race in game 17, these players continued to put in until full-time game 21.

At the close of our season the scoreboard read Brothers 13, GPS 0. To the pessimists that's a loss but to those who played Brothers in game 14 it was a 40 point improvement. During the season we recorded wins against Norths (twice), Sunnybank and Wests, and drew with uni and Souths. We proved we could match it with the rest of the competition but too many times our lack of concentration cost us close games.

Limited though our achievements may have been, the players are to be applauded for their support of the team and the club. For a brief time we slipped back in time to past seasons where players were playing Friday night for 5th grade and then backing up the next morning to play 4th grade. Fortunately this scenario was brief compared to last year.

We used 57 players this season and I would like to thank them all for their contribution. Special mention, however, must go to a few: Zannes-Wilson-Brown for providing a great platform up front; Doug Whidden the Canadian No8 who continued to hate sticking his head in the second row; "Fruito" for being so solid in the midfield all year, his presence was an asset to the team confidence as was his big mate Sunia; Kingsley Wyeth whose heart provides all his weight; Ash Pitman our best and fairest and our three men out wide, Bill Donnelly, Jason Searle and Brian Gillham. They may not have been pretty but they are most reliable. And there were others; Anderson, Atkins, Addlington, Hagley, Murphy, Miles, Meadmore, O'Kelly, Crooke, Valentine and little Braddy Nixon, the world's smallest tight-head. He put his hand up to be counted when our need was greatest.

And then there is Steve Meehan. Steve had his jaw broken in round one, but returned to training and took control of our backline until he was cleared to play again. Steve's experience, support and advice was invaluable, particularly when he returned to the field and assumed the captaincy.

From here we continue to go forward. A number of our players are already entering into weight training and weight gain programs for next season. With the continued success of the club as a whole the competition for positions in 4th grade next year will be even greater than in '94. We missed opportunities this year, but we won't make the same mistakes next year.

I enjoyed my first year of coaching. I made mistakes but I learned a great deal along the way. I have a great deal more to learn and to achieve, both personally and as part of the team. To this end I will be reapplying for the 4th grade coaching position in season '95. See you at pre-season training.

Highlights of the '94 season

- \* proving we can score points - and win games
- \* the enormous team spirit
- \* not finishing last
- \* our performance vs Wests in Rd 2
- \* Seeing Ian Phillips run again

Lowlights

- \* those players who thought they were too good to play 4th grade
- \* Rd 2 vs Brothers
- \* so many long term injuries
- \* seeing players ignored for higher selection
- \* lack of concentration

*Chris Wake*  
*Coach*

## Colts Development Report

Firstly, I'd like to thank everybody for the support the Colts received during the year. The highlight of the year was Colts I winning the Grand Final. This was made possible by the time, effort and dedication Jim, Brendan and all the players put into the season. Colts II missed the finals by only one point. They performed well at the money part of the season, playing some very good Rugby. There will be some good Colts I players coming from this group. Many thanks to Denis and Peter. Colts III had some highs and lows, but we always competitive. They had great spirit and a good time. Ross did a fabulous job.

To make next season more successful, we need to build up the skill level of all Colts. This can be achieved by more personalised coaching and improved fitness. I'd like to thank everybody for making me feel welcome, but more people should get involved in the Thursday night (save the Rugby world!). I think we have something special; let's all get behind Tony and make it happen. I wish you every success in the 1995 season.

*Des Kissane  
Colts I Development Officer*

## Colts I Report

The 1994 season for Colts I must be seen as an unqualified success which in part must be attributed to the planning and work carried out by a group of very dedicated people. Our aim at the beginning of the year was organisation - from the first training run through to the grand final. In the pre-season competition we reached the final but were defeated by Sunnybank. This competition allowed us to look at all players and select our Colts I side for the season. The club and I owe many thanks for the contribution and efforts of Tony D'Arcy in recruiting young players; Des Kissane (Colts Development) who worked tirelessly all season; our team strappers, especially Sean Quinn; Onus Maynes (senior club liaison); colts families and supporters. For the great support I had from Brendan Kiernan, Colts I back coach and John Breen, Colts I team manager, many thanks. But most important are those who made it all happen - the players themselves. It was a great effort by all players who played games in Colts I this season. Thank you for the sacrifices made and results achieved: Colts I Grand Final - GPS 19, Sunnybank 5. Mention must be made of four Colts who gained selection in representative teams during 1994: Ben Tune, Luke Hammond, Mark Sitch and Jason Air. Coaching at Colts I level is demanding and also requires understanding that the players, or the majority of them, have not long left school, are either seeking employment, commencing studies or work. Their priorities are many. Above all, the boys enjoyed the friendships made and the social life engaged in, which helps to make Rugby the great game that it is. My thanks go to all the Colts.

*Jim Hanson  
Coach*

## Colts II Report

The 1994 season for the Colts II team can only be described as frustrating and disappointing for both the players and coaching staff. There can be no doubt that the team had the necessary skill and ability to finish higher than fifth, however, the loss of key players to cover injuries in the Colts I team, lack of quality replacements from Colts III's and an unsatisfactory attitude to training by a majority of players meant that the team's potential was not realised. Just as the Colts I team requires quality back-up players from the Colts II's so too does the Colts II's from the Colts III's if they are to be serious contenders. This must be addressed in our recruiting program for 1995. I would like to congratulate the Colts I team and their coaching staff for their successful season. My thanks and appreciation to Des Kissane for his support and assistance throughout the season. The many fine players in the Colts II team will ensure that Jeeps is again a force in Colts Rugby in 1995.

*Denis Griffith  
Coach*

## Colts III Report

Unavailable at time of printing.

## Ashgrove-GPS Junior Rugby Football Club Inc.

1994 was a year of consolidation where more emphasis was placed on coaching and development of the players. The major initiative in this area was the employment of a part time coaching director (the first junior club in Brisbane to take this major step). Des Kissane brought to the Junior Club a depth of experience and talent that he shared with all of the coaches by holding several clinics and by his overall supervision of training sessions. The club fielded a total of 20 teams, with the 330 players divided as follows: Walla: 69, Mini: 49, Others: 212. The year ended with successes in many grades and with three teams taking out premierships pennants. Continued upgrading of the club facilities and the enhancement of coaching and training are the priorities for the new season, in which stewardship of the junior club will be handed over to our incoming President, Bevan Whip.

*Eric Muir  
President*

## GPS-Ferny Grove

In early 1994 Tony D'Arcy became aware that the Brisbane City Council was looking for junior sporting organisations to establish themselves at the Ferny Grove Sports Ground, the site of the old tip. GPS made immediate application to start up a junior club, to be known as GPS-Ferny Grove, and to operate as a sub-division of GPS. This application was successful, but there were a number of holdups, meaning that it was impractical to begin operations this year. The club is expected to be operational in 1995, concentrating initially on the Walla Rugby age groups (U7-U10). This will be an important initiative for GPS, opening up new territory for Rugby in the fast growing north-west suburbs. As Tony puts it, "this is our superannuation" - a way of ensuring the club does not become "land-locked" and that it grows the game in what should be its natural catchment area.

## Grounds Report

Having installed a pop-up sprinkler system on number one oval at the end of the 1993 season, we had great hopes that 1994 would see a vast improvement in the playing surface at Yoku Road. Unfortunately, things did not quite work out that way. For a variety of reasons, not the least of which was Brisbane City Council's very ordinary performance in relation to mowing of sports grounds, the fields were handed back to us at the start of the 1994 season with less grass cover than we would have liked. A very wet weekend at the start of the season coupled with the additional usage of the ovals (e.g. hire to the Australian Army, Rugby, touch football, state high schools competition etc) proved to be more than the fields could handle. The end result was that we finished 1994 with the ovals in a very poor state of repair. Some remedial work has commenced and we are hoping to have number three oval in use for next year. For this to happen and for the other two ovals to be restored to acceptable standards is going to require a considerable effort during the off-season. If you receive a request for help in this regard, please give it your serious and sympathetic consideration. Latest reports from Council indicate that this policy in relation to mowing of ovals is becoming even more stringent. It seems clear that we will be forced into a situation where we become responsible for our own mowing. Does anyone out there know where the club can get its hands on a tractor and a set of gang mowers at the right price? If you have any connections in this area please talk to Rod Torkington on 378 3478.

*Rod Torkington  
Senior Vice President*

## Women's Rugby

This was the first season in which women's Rugby was contested at club level in Brisbane. The season was split into two different styles of the game. The first round was played as a 10 a side game and the remaining two rounds as the 15 a side game under the Under 19 laws and with no pushing in scrums. The GPS women's team had a disappointing start to the season due mainly to a lack of numbers at both training and games. Injuries to Lee Corbett, Clara Tugino and Stephanie Law only compounded our problems. Towards the end of the first round we finally fielded 15 players and had our first victory against Wests at Ashgrove. We defeated Souths in the second round, our best game as we played with spirit and skill to defeat a team that contained at least five Australian representatives. I would like to thank our sponsor, The Bank of Queensland, and players Lee Corbett and Kate Taylor for their dedication throughout the season. Lee attended to all our needs after she was injured in the Norths game. Kate was our representative at QRU and did a great job. My thanks to Mrs Margaret Taylor for keeping the jerseys spotless every week and last but not least, to Quinny and the Club. Next season we must be ready early and with 20 players for the games and training. A little more dedication from some of the players would have changed a few of the results. This team has some very talented players and with good support will achieve success.

*Paul Treacy  
Coach*

Full playing statistics for 1994 were unavailable, however the following played all games: Amanda Young, Jane Jervis and Kate Taylor. Other players in 1994 were: Lee Corbett (captain), Teresa Tumata, Tammy Luik, Janice Gutugutuwai, Leticia Gutugutuwai, Lisa Gutugutuwai, Kylie Nicolosi, Cassandra Sutton, Liz McCulloch, Tova Brooks, Katrina Bishop, Jade Duggan, Jacinta Duggan, Eileen Gilshenan, Lisa Dwan, Clara Tugino, Gill Lindsay, Bronwyn Westcott, Emma Dougherty, Annie Babasaga and Stephanie Law. Try scorers: A Young (4), C Sutton (3), L Corbett (1) No goals were scored.

In early October, 1991 I made a decision to accept a position as the GPS Development Officer. In September, 1994 I renegotiated with the Club executive to extend my contract until November, 1997, with a redefined job description.

My new role as General Manager, Rugby Football Operations and Marketing/Commercial Operations, will extend my role officially into marketing the game commercially in our district and into sponsorship.

I am really looking forward to this expanded role in GPS over the next three years. A number of clubs are now seriously looking at the GPS model to appoint club development personnel.

I would like to acknowledge and thank personally President Robin Thomson's management committee for the wonderful support they have given me. Without their total support the job of developing GPS would have been infinitely more difficult.

I have also been very fortunate to work with a very professional coaching and support staff and have appreciated the friendship and support they have given me. I will take this opportunity to thank my right hand for the past three seasons, Mick Arnold, who has taken a reserve grade side from not winning a game in the first round in 1992 to minor premiers in 1994. Mick has been the ultimate assistant coach because he has often challenged me by presenting an alternative view, yet given me fantastic support. At the time of writing Mick (a repeat winner of the John Harris Memorial Trophy - the ultimate GPS honour) looks like having a season off from coaching after five years (two in 3rd grade and three in reserves) to spend some time with his family. The Club wishes him well and looks forward to a continued association with him in the years ahead.

The most important person to acknowledge is my friend, critic and wife of 13 years, Catherine.

Catherine has had to make a lot of sacrifices bringing up five human dynamos while I am at training three nights a week and I am extremely fortunate to have found such a wonderful partner with whom to share the experiences of life.

Thank you darling, for your support and encouragement.

The role of Development Officer is continually changing as the Club grows. By definition it involves duties that facilitate the growth of the Club. My role involves the following prioritised categories, which will be addressed separately:

1. Retention and Recruitment. 2. Director of Coaching. 3. Development of the Game in the District.

## RETENTION AND RECRUITMENT

Unfortunately, we are going to lose three A grade backs and one A grade forward for 1995. Stalwart Anthony Herbert has retired from Rugby to pursue other interests, Greg Harris is playing Rugby in Canada, David Munday has returned to Armidale because of family commitments and Doug MacGibbon is involved in underground mining (engineer) at Emerald. Doug is currently trying to transfer back to Brisbane MIM.

The recruitment network is expanding and now we are starting to get some quality players wanting to play with Jeeps. We have become a viable option for players wishing to enhance their representative opportunities.

Recruitment in Colts has been under full steam with our part-time Colts Development Officer Des Kissane. However, his appointment to a fulltime position with the QRU as a coaching director has caused a minor setback which we are addressing now.

## DIRECTOR OF COACHING

The goals for 1994 documented in last year's Annual Report are detailed along with the results, along with those of 1991 and 1992.

In 1994 we went close to achieving our goals and whilst we should be proud of the club's overall improvement I believe we are still in the infant stages of Rugby development. The Jeeps Rugby machine has only just started to move and we have a lot more gas left in the tank.

It is important to set goals which are both challenging and realistic. The goals set for 1994 were indeed challenging but eminently achievable. Even though we failed to achieve in full the (challenging) goals for 1994, this club can be justifiably proud of what has been achieved during the 1994 season and quietly confident of the bright future that lies ahead.

The goals outlined below for 1995 are indeed challenging and achievable if the Club is hungry enough. A closer inspection of the key performance indicators will reveal areas of strength and areas that we need to develop further in 1995.

Goal Descriptors	1992 result	1993 result	1994 goal	1994 result	1995 goal	1995 result
Club Championship	7th	6th	4th	5th	3rd	?
Competitive						
1st & 2nd Grades	Yes					
U21	No	No	Yes	Yes		
Colts IV	N/A	N/A	Yes	No	Yes	
Ladies	N/A	N/A	N/A	No	Yes	
Grade Teams in Semis	0	3	5 from 6	2	5 from 8	
Grade Teams in GF	0	0	2 from 6	1	3 from 8	
Colts Teams in Semis	3	0	3 from 4	1 from 3	3 from 4	

A club's season is usually evaluated using the (universal) win/loss criteria of the club's flagship (first grade).

A better measure of how the club fared in any one season is in the club championship.

In 1975 and 1976 GPS won the club championship. Since 1991 we have improved our position from last to a credible fifth. However, after round 11 GPS had been leading the club championship and by the end of round 21 the top three clubs (Souths, Sunnybank and University) had demonstrated their depth. Across the grades and colts which accounts for 147 premierships games, Brothers and University won 2 1/4 and 10 1/4 more games, respectively, than GPS. Given these results, if we improve our depth in 1995, third in the club championship is realistic and achievable.

First and Second Grade comfortably made the semi-finals with Second Grade securing the minor premiership. Third Grade missed the semi-finals by two wins, which was a disappointing result. Fourth Grade improved from one win in 1993 to four wins. First Grade won the Queensland and Gladstone Sevens and the Horsley (shared) and Welsby Cups.

Three highlights of the season came from Second Grade. Firstly, after being beaten by Souths in 1992 by 70 points and 50 points in 1993, Mick Arnold and Will Colwell's Second Grade team turned the tables by beating Souths in the second round at Jeeps.

# Rugby Football Division Report (cont'd)

In the third round, Mick and Will earned the title "The Dons" after beating demolishing Wests 101-5.

Finally, the try executed three minutes after the hooter in the Preliminary Final against the Bankers was nothing short of inspirational and is the epitome of the famous Gallopers Spirit.

It would be remiss not to acknowledge the courageous effort Second Grade displayed against Souths in the GF. This young team faced a very experienced Souths Second Grade which included five Queensland B players, but played gallantly and never gave up. This Grand Final experience will be invaluable to these young men who will seriously challenge current A graders in 1995 for their positions.

First Grade took another positive step towards securing the Hospital Cup (premiership) in 1994. Last year they were beaten conclusively by Sunnybank in the Premiership knockout. This year we defeated University (37-21) and for all but 30 seconds led Sunnybank in the Preliminary Final. Sunnybank have subsequently affectionately nicknamed GPS "the pretenders" - a tag which will be off-loaded next season.

The Under 21 program can be described as a success on two counts.

Firstly, Bill Green's U21s were a competitive unit and missed the semis by only one win. More importantly, the 21s was an important transition grade, with a number of players subsequently (Konrad Litfin and Ben White) playing an important role in the higher grades at the business end of the season. GPS entered a team into the inaugural Brisbane Women's Competition. The team grew out of the enthusiasm of Kate Taylor and Lee Corbett who later secured the coaching services of Paul Treacy and Rick Wilmott. Paul and Rick have done a great job this year.

One of the Club's major goals for 1995 is to develop a competitive women's rugby team and if the support and optimism generated by Paul's girls is any indication they will be a force to contend with in 1995.

The highlight of the year was a Colts minor premiership and premiership. Jim Hanson and Brendan Kiernan have done a fantastic job this year with Colts I, who left their premier performance for the season until the Grand Final.

The season was topped off with Ben Tune being named Colt of the Year.

Colts II, coached by Denis Griffith, missed out on the semis by one win and were affected by injury and representative commitments in Colts I. Ross Oakhill's team (Colts III) finished fifth in the competition.

## Team Statistics for 1994

Team	Matches Played	Win	Draw	Points For	Points Against	Comp Points	Ranking Comp.	Finals
1st	21	14	1	509	387	59	3	3
2nd	21	15	1	540	213	67	1*	2
3rd	21	10	1	339	250	45	6	-
4th	21	4	2	201	348	25	7	-
5th	17	4	0	104	354	43	8	-
6th	17	•	0	137	175	43	6	-
21's	21	9	1	218	287	41	5	-
Ladies	12	1	-	20	209	5	8	-
Colts I	14	11	1	224	129	47	1*	1**
Colts II	14	7	1	196	213	32	5	-
Colts III	14	5	-	111	372	22	5	-

\*Minor Premiers      \*\*Premiers      • 10 Team Comp

The club captain for the past two years, Greg Harris, is now charming his way through Canada playing Rugby. Greg was a great link between management and players and I will personally miss his effervescent personality and his conciliatory skills. Unfortunately Anthony Herbert, our centurion, has retired from Rugby to pursue other interests. Anthony was injured in the second last competition game of the season which was the difference between making (and winning) the GF.

The Club would like to thank Anthony for his support over the past decade and wish him well in his new endeavour.

The GPS machine is starting to gain some real momentum, however in the immediate system (Brisbane First Grade Clubs) and indeed the wider systems of state and national level we are facing some real problems that will affect the long term viability of the game of Rugby itself.

A number of issues have been identified:

1. Decrease in volunteers which retards development and accelerates volunteer burnout;
2. Increased competition between sports for both participants and the sports sponsorship dollar;
3. Financial viability of clubs, with some in financial difficulty. GPS is the only first division rugby club not licensed;
4. The game as a spectacle, that is playing chess with set moves as opposed to employing rugby space and running the ball;
5. Professional Rugby athletes.

On the upside, 1995 is a World Cup year which will have a significant impact on Rugby in Australia. Clubs and Unions are developing strategies to deal with the volatile environment of the 90s and the game of Rugby is currently positively (pro-social) developing our youth and as such is an extremely worthwhile community activity.

GPS has some major challenges to tackle over the course of the next few years.

## DEVELOPMENT OF THE GAME IN THE DISTRICT

GPS again hosted the Met West 7-aside schoolboys Rugby competition on Tuesday afternoons over a period of 10 weeks. The standard of the competition has increased remarkably over the past three years. As a result of our involvement in this competition we have secured 16 players for next year's Colts. Des Kissane was appointed the Colts Development Officer and Ashgrove GPS Juniors Director of Coaching. This proved to be a very successful appointment, however Des has just been appointed by the QRU as a fulltime Development Officer. Both Senior and Junior clubs will miss Des's professionalism and he is proving a very difficult person to replace.

This year I conducted coaching sessions at St Paul's Strathpine, St Peters, Brisbane Grammar School and The Gap High School and Kelvin Grove High School. There seems to be less and less time available to do all the things you want to do, however by developing Rugby in our district as a healthy sporting activity we will secure the long term future of the code and this great club. GPS needs to put more resources into developing the game in our catchment as parents are crying out for healthy sports for children to engage in. A lot has been spoken of the great progress that has taken place over the past three years. This progress has been achieved by a number of wonderful club people working interdependently towards a common goal. However we have only completed stage one of our journey and there is so much more we can improve upon. This makes for an exhilarating and exciting road ahead. The challenge is to encourage more people who can work interdependently towards a common goal, making GPS the premier Rugby Club in Australia.

# Representative Honours 1994

Australia	Daniel Herbert (2 tests) Ryan Constable (1 test)
Emerging Wallabies	Daniel Herbert Ryan Constable Mark Murray
Queensland	Anthony Herbert Daniel Herbert Ryan Constable Mark Murray Jason Reilly Michael Ware Christiaan Knapp (Reserve)
Australian Barbarians 7s	Mark Murray Ben Tune Roger Leeson
Australian Under 21s	Brent Cockbain Christiaan Knapp Michael Flanagan
Queensland Under 21s	Brent Cockbain Christiaan Knapp Michael Flanagan
Southern States Under 21s	Tim Fanning Scott McLean Aaron Thorn
Australian Under 19s	Ben Tune Mark Sitch Luke Hammond
Queensland Under 19s	Ben Tune Mark Sitch Luke Hammond

## 1994 Trophy List

	Presented By	Presented to
100 A GRADE GAMES 100 POINTS FOR THE SEASON	O. EDWARDS GPS CLUB	A. HERBERT A. HADLEY D. MUNDAY N. WILLIAMS S. HEMBERG C. KNAPP S. HEMBERG M. WARE A. HADLEY T. KRAUSE J. MC GINTY S. MURPHY M. ZANNES E. TUQUIRI R. POOLE B. WHITE K. NICOLosi C. SUTTON J. JERVIS D. VALENTINE M. LEAN R. JARRO N. WILLIAMS J. BARLOW L. GIVEN S. LYNNGCOLN S. CRAVEN D. CLIFFORD R. TORKINGTON M. MURRAY A. THORN M. FOXLEE A. PITMAN S. TUNE S. PATE L. CERVETTO A. YOUNG J. AIR L. GIVEN R. CLIFTON A. COOMBE
TOP TRY SCORER	A. ROBERTS	
MOST IMPROVED 1ST GRADE FORWARD	A. D'ARCY	
MOST IMPROVED 1ST GRADE BACK	R. PARK	
BEST 2ND GRADE FORWARD	C. CARBERRY	
BEST 2ND GRADE BACK	W. COLWELL	
MOST IMPROVED 2ND GRADE PLAYER	M. ARNOLD	
BEST 3RD GRADE FORWARD	B. BARNHILL	
BEST 3RD GRADE BACK	O. MAYNES	
BEST 4TH GRADE FORWARD	GPS CLUB	
BEST 4TH GRADE BACK	GPS CLUB	
MOST PROMISING UNDER 21 FORWARD	E. KANN	
MOST PROMISING UNDER 21 BACK	P. REID	
WOMEN'S RUGBY BEST FORWARD	GPS CLUB	
WOMEN'S RUGBY BEST BACK	GPS CLUB	
WOMEN'S RUGBY MOST IMPROVED PLAYER	P. TREACY	
BEST 5TH GRADER	GPS CLUB	
BEST 6TH GRADER	GPS CLUB	
BEST COLTS I FORWARD	D. PHILLIPS	
BEST COLTS I BACK	R. TORKINGTON	
BEST COLTS II FORWARD	L. GRAHAM	
BEST COLTS II BACK	W. HAMMOND	
BEST COLTS III FORWARD	D. GRIFFITH	
BEST COLTS III BACK	F. JENSEN	
CONTRIBUTION TO JUNIORS	GPS CLUB	
BEST AND FAIREST 1ST GRADE	ASHGROVE GPS	
BEST AND FAIREST 2ND GRADE	W. BLIGH	
BEST AND FAIREST 3RD GRADE	K. BOLTON	
BEST AND FAIREST 4TH GRADE	J. GARDE	
BEST AND FAIREST 5TH GRADE	R. THOMSON	
BEST AND FAIREST 6TH GRADE	D. TROTTER	
BEST AND FAIREST UNDER 21	G. BICKERSTAFF	
BEST AND FAIREST WOMEN'S RUGBY	B. GREEN	
BEST AND FAIREST COLTS I	P. TREACY	
BEST AND FAIREST COLTS II	D. NEWSTEAD	
BEST AND FAIREST COLTS III	A. DAWSON	
CLUB BEST AND FAIREST	A. TAYLOR	
BEST AND FAIREST COLT	GPS CLUB	
BEST JUNIOR CLUB MAN	ROBERT BURROWS MEMORIAL TROPHY – JASON AIR	
BEST CLUB MAN	DAVID BURROWS MEMORIAL TROPHY – ANDREW BESWICK	
JOHN HARRIS MEMORIAL TROPHY	WALTER H. BOYD MEMORIAL TROPHY – MARGARET TAYLOR,	
CLUB CAPTAIN	MAUREEN FLANAGAN	
	TROPHY PRESENTED BY HIS FRIENDS – MICK ARNOLD	
	HUMPHREY BERE MEMORIAL TROPHY – GREG HARRIS	

# Treasurer's Report for Financial Year Ended 30th September 1994

*I* It is with pleasure that I present for members' consideration the 1994 Financial Statements.

## Introduction

On the back of a 72% increase in income, the club reported a healthy profit of \$47,634.78 for the twelve months to 30 September 1994. This was a substantial 77% increase on last year's profit of \$26,967.51.

The continued improvement in the club's financial performance is perhaps directly related to the club's improvement on the field. A quick snapshot below, comparing income, expenditure and profit since the disastrous 1991 year reflects the substantial gains made by the club since that year.

	1994	1993	1992	1991
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Income	178 197.34	103788.64	66874.35	35028.37
Expenditure	130572.56	76821.13	61844.35	31113.44
Profit	47624.78	26967.51	5032.00	3914.93

Given this recent financial improvement, the committee this year has been careful to ensure the club can and will capitalise on our current position, to ensure these profits are put to good use. For that matter all income from the recent Captain's Dinner, has been set aside in a separate account and earmarked for future clubhouse development. The amount invested is approximately \$20,000.00.

Further explanation of various items in the financial statements are set out below.

## Income

A significant boost to our income this year came in the form of a 45% increase in bar sales to \$86,321.48 and a corresponding increase in bar profit to \$41,551.73, a 61% increase on last year.

The gross profit margin also increased from 43 to 48%, reflecting a tightening in controls to the bar area.

Bar sales improved significantly as a result of a number of factors including more home games, better crowds, touch football, use of fields by the Army and the new burgeoning Friday night football involving 5th and 6th grade.

Thanks should go to all those who assisted in the bar throughout the year; Kitty Millyard; Gerry Herbert; Rob Deane; Aaron Heinrich; Paul Innes, Kath Rose; Tim Conroy; Kathy Cupit and Des Kissane.

### CLOTHING TRADING PROFIT

While clothing income increased this year to \$13,135.00, the gross profit reduced by \$137.97 to \$1890.38. This is a result of clothing income at times not being kept separate from bar income. It is estimated that approximately \$1,500.00 in clothing income was not recorded as such. No adjustment has been made to the clothing trading account though.

### COMMISSION

Represents commissions received from CIC insurance of \$269.60 for motor vehicle insurance and from National Mutual of \$2,007.13 in respect of policies written through former Wallaby and club stalwart Owen Edwards at Future Guard Pty Ltd.

Owen should be thanked for this continued support of the club and members encouraged to avail themselves of the excellent services Owen has on offer such as life and income protection insurance.

### FUNCTIONS & FUNDRAISING

Represents non-bar income and associated costs from the Captain's Dinner; raffles; Golf Day; King of the Mountain; Rugby Fest; home game and other social functions.

As already mentioned in this report a joint function held with Valleys, the Captain's Dinner, replaced our traditional Black Tie Pre-Test Dinner. Our share of the income earned from this function was approximately \$20,000.00 and has been retained in a separate account, earmarked for future development.

This magnificent function held at City Hall was organised by a sub-committee headed by Tony Roberts and consisting of Lloyd Graham, Wren Bligh and David Phillips, all whom we thank for their efforts. It is pleasing that the committee can call on the expertise of these Old Boys to assist in revenue raising projects such as these.

Another highly successful function was the Golf Day held at Indooroopilly. Approximately \$7,500.00 was raised from this event and thanks must go to Lloyd Graham, Bernie Knapp and in particular Robyn and Ivor Colquhoun for organising the event.

The King of the Mountain, again successfully organised by Frank Jensen raised approximately \$2,000. Frank is threatening to retire next year, but I hope he stays on to continue the King of the Mountain.

New events on the calendar this year were two Old Boy's Breakfasts held by the creek at Ballymore. Thanks must go to Dick Roberts, Tony D'Arcy, Dudley Dick and Peter Garbett for organising these events. These breakfasts were important in bringing Old Boys back into the fold and we hope to continue them next year.

After taking into account the income earned from the above functions and also raffles, Function and Fundraising Income did not improve as well as it should have upon last year.

This is because some functions were not held this year, while others broke even or lost money. A Ball was not held this year, while, for various reasons, functions such as the Grades and Colts Presentation of Jerseys and the Annual Dinner all broke even.

All home game functions lost money this year as in most instances entertainment, bus hire to city and other costs exceeded the minimal or no cover charges applied. The committee took this decision to encourage greater attendance at home game functions in order to improve player interaction and generate further club spirit. Hopefully this intangible benefit was achieved.

The Rugby Fest was again held this year. Thanks must go again to Geoff and Paula Wilkes as well as Paul Reid for organising what is probably becoming our flagship event. Although a significant number of costs on the day were not recovered from admission and parking income, and therefore subsequently expensed to the Functions and Fundraising account, the main aims of raising the club's profile and of course significant bar sales of \$11,000.00 were achieved.

## GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES

Represents grants received from the Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing for the development of junior rugby in the area.

## SUBSCRIPTIONS

Monies raised from member subscriptions this year was a staggering \$14,460.00 and directly reflects the efforts of Maureen Flanagan and Margaret Taylor in this regard.

An increase in number of teams playing from 8 to 11 also boosted subscription income.

## FOOD TRADING PROFIT

This account should not be directly compared to last year's figure, as it was then called Canteen Income, which included food and parking income from home games, as well as some residual income from 1992.

Taking into account these factors, the profit from food sales was excellent and again, Maureen Flanagan and Margaret Taylor should be thanked for their long hours put in on match days. Thanks must also go to Geraldine Knapp, Phil Ballard and Gerry and Margaret Herbert for their efforts on match days.

## DONATIONS AND SPONSORSHIP

Pleasingly, sponsorship rose significantly reflecting a more structural approach to sponsorship by the sponsorship sub-committee. Thanks must go to Ann Louise Jeffery and Tony D'Arcy in that regard, as well as Kath Rose and Hans Pearson, both of whom assisted later in the year.

Our major sponsors this year were Dudley Dick Investment Services (\$10,000.00), as well as the Gap Tavern (\$9,000.00). Thanks must go to Dudley and Peter Quinn, who will both be on board again next year.

Our associate major sponsors were XXXX (\$8,000) and Metway (\$5,500). Special thanks must go to Peter Garbett at Metway for supporting us this year. Hopefully Metway will be sponsoring us again next year.

A new initiative this year was our Match of the Day sponsors who contributed \$1,000 or goods and services in return for naming rights to a home game at Jeeps.

Thanks must go to the following:

- Grant Thornton, Chartered Accountants – Mark O'Hare/Katherine Cupit
- The Underground – Peter Austin
- Hillhouse Burrough McKeown, Solicitors – Rick Whitton/Ian Hillhouse
- MAN Phone Rentals – Scott Ross
- CIC Insurance
- Dimension Audio Visual – Shaun Hemberg
- Impala Kitchens – Rob Holmes

The A Grade Sponsorship raised a further \$5,000 and special thanks must go to Ann Louise Jeffery for taking over from David Phillips and continuing its success. Many of our A Grade sponsors are now in their 3rd year with the club, having supported the club since the program began.

Onus Maynes must also be thanked for organising a similar program for Colts which raised approximately \$4,000.00.

Additional sponsors were Bank of Queensland – Women's Rugby Sponsor (\$2,000); Don Rylance (\$1,000); Retravisio; Crown Paints; MacNish & Thomson; Morgans (Peter Evans); Armidale Active Wear (R.A.W. Lyne), Fringes Hair Design and Brisbane Ice Sales.

Donations were received from Berrick Boyd of \$1,000.

## PLAYER INSURANCE RECEIPTS

Represents monies collected from players to pay for a new all encompassing medical insurance. These monies were in addition to the proportion of subscriptions allocated to the compulsory death and disability scheme.

Generally, most players were in favour of paying the additional \$60 to cover them for medical expenses of up to \$1000 per injury. Those who were not, should bear in mind the horrific injuries sustained by Ian Phillips, whose stay in hospital cost in the vicinity of \$17,000.00, but was covered almost completely by private health insurance as well as this policy.

## GROUND RENT

Represents rent received for the use of the grounds by the Army and touch football.

## PRIZE MONEY

Represents monies received for winning the Norths Sevens, Gladstone Sevens and being placed in the Byron Bay Sevens. A number of costs relating to seven's have been recorded in Football Expenses and are commented on further.

## QRU GRANTS

Represents grants received from the QRU for the purposes of capital development by clubs. Monies received from the QRU were applied to initial clubhouse development costs, which are reflected in the balance sheet.

# Treasurer's Report (cont'd)

## Expenditure

Total expenditure for 1994 rose by \$53,751.43, a 70% increase upon last year.

While the "fixed" costs at the club being the amenities at Ashgrove remain constant, "variable" costs relating to increased club activity and player numbers rose. The areas of increase can be seen in the accounts but the more significant that need explanation are as follows:

### ADVERTISING, PRINTING, POSTAGE & STATIONERY

This expense was made up approximately of Advertising (\$3,000); Postage (\$3,500); Printing & Stationery (\$8,800) and Secretarial (\$1,600). All expenses rose across the board and were a direct result of increased mail outs, increased advertising, use of outside parties for typing, desktop publishing and mail out collating. It should be noted that in previous years some printing and stationery expenses relating to say a functions sponsorship were debited to the relevant income account. This year, all such expenses were attributed to this account.

### COLTS DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Reflects the wages paid to Des Kissane, our new Colts Development Officer.

### FOOTBALL EXPENSES

Football expenses represent a major proportion in the overall increase in expenditure this year. The increase of approximately \$15,600 was largely attributable to the following:

- Player travel and accommodation in respect of the Winfield State Challenge (\$1,200).
- 7's expenses including nomination fees and functions for players upon winning (\$2,100).
- Food provided by the club for some player, coaches, selectors, referee and team meetings and club nights (\$1,000)
- Level 1 & 2 coaching courses (\$780).
- Replace all footballs and other miscellaneous gear (\$1,350).
- Video costs relating to all home games (\$1,700).
- Replacement of corner posts and flags (\$600).
- Purchase of additional tackle bags and hit shields (\$2,000).
- Costs associated with schools competitions played at GPS, including amounts for soft drinks (\$800).
- Increase in strapping costs of \$1,100 over the previous total strapping to \$3,925.
- Fees paid to consultant coaches, trainers and strappers (\$1,350).
- Bus hire for teams involved in semi finals (\$500).
- Colts Development Officer phone expenses (\$630).
- Other minor costs (\$520).

### PLAYER INSURANCE

Represents the amounts paid for the compulsory ARFU insurance scheme, which increased due to the number of teams playing, as well as the optional medical insurance taken up by the club referred to earlier.

### SUPERANNUATION

Represents compulsory superannuation contribution for staff going back two years.

### BALANCE SHEET

Reference has already been made to the income from the Captain's Dinner being set aside in a separate account. This is reflected in Note 2 to the accounts which discloses the sum of \$20,403.23 being held in the New Ground Account.

The Joint Bank Valleys represents our share of residual monies held in a joint bank account with Valleys.

Both debtors and creditors have reduced reflecting monies received and unpaid on the irrigation project conducted last year.

Club house redevelopment costs represents Architects and Consultancy fees incurred in providing preliminary advice on clubhouse redevelopment.

Members loans totalling \$6000 were repaid during the year. It is anticipated these will all be repaid in full in 1995.

### SUMMARY

Upon my review of these financial statements for about the 100th time, prior to writing this report, I formed the view that the finances of this club, and for that matter probably all other clubs, are inherently brittle. While the costs of running a rugby club are going up there is no certainty that income will always follow. Essentially each year is considered a 'start again' situation by the committee and the same huge effort is required by the committee and members to generate the income reflected in these accounts. There are no guaranteed 5 year sponsorship deals, to provide a core revenue stream, as in other sports, rather it is a yearly hand to mouth existence.

Although the committee has structured its sponsorships and events in an effort to lay a solid foundation for the next year, it still requires a great deal of effort to keep these programs going.

It would take only a loss of a few core workers, a committee spat or downturn in on-field fortunes for the wheels to fall off these programs and the downward spiral to begin. It is therefore imperative that these last 3 years are capitalised upon and all members work towards keeping the club moving forward. In particular I would hope that our current obstacles are overcome and some sort of presentable new clubhouse is built for members, sooner rather than later.

I would like to thank the club executive and management committee for their effort this year. The continuity of the core members of this committee is clearly one of the club's strengths.

I would also like to thank our Auditor, John Amos from Eric C. Butler & Co. and also Mark O'Hare and Katherine Cupit from Grant Thornton Chartered Accountants for providing management accounting services to the club. Special thanks in particular should go to Katherine Cupit for assisting in the preparation of these accounts and being generally the unofficial Assistant Treasurer this year.

Will Cohwell B.Com ACA  
Treasurer



**GPS Old Boys Rugby Union Club Inc.**  
**1994 Financial Statements**

**DIVISIONAL TRADING ACCOUNT**  
**for the year ended 30th September 1994**

	1994 \$	1993 \$
<b>BAR TRADING</b>		
<b>Income</b>		
Sales	86,321.48	59,000.28
<b>Cost of goods sold</b>		
Opening stock	2,852.00	-
Purchases	43,583.58	36,101.79
	46,435.58	36,101.79
Closing stock	1,665.83	2,852.00
	44,769.75	33,249.79
<b>GROSS PROFIT ON TRADING</b>	<b>41,551.73</b>	<b>25,750.49</b>
<b>CLOTHING</b>		
<b>Income</b>		
Sales	13,135.00	8,232.00
<b>Cost of goods sold</b>		
Opening stock	4,870.55	-
Purchases	9,965.87	11,074.20
	14,836.42	11,074.20
Closing stock	3,591.80	4,870.55
	11,244.62	6,203.65
<b>GROSS PROFIT ON TRADING</b>	<b>1,890.38</b>	<b>2,028.35</b>

**BALANCE SHEET**  
**as at 30th September 1994**

	Note	1994 \$	1993 \$
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Cash	2	30,956.66	13,832.17
Receivables	3	18,798.25	30,121.02
Inventories	4	5,257.63	7,722.55
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>55,012.54</b>	<b>51,675.74</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Investments	5	1,550.00	1,550.00
Property, plant & equipment	6	158,830.03	144,736.83
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>160,380.03</b>	<b>146,286.83</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>215,392.57</b>	<b>197,962.57</b>
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Creditors and borrowings	7	17,985.48	42,180.26
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>17,985.48</b>	<b>42,180.26</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Creditors and borrowings		10,000.00	16,000.00
		10,000.00	16,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<b>27,985.48</b>	<b>58,180.26</b>
<b>NET ASSETS/(DEFICIENCY)</b>		<b>187,407.09</b>	<b>139,782.31</b>
<b>MEMBERS EQUITY</b>			
Reserves	8	600.00	600.00
Retained profits		186,807.09	139,182.31
<b>TOTAL MEMBERS EQUITY</b>		<b>187,407.09</b>	<b>139,782.31</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these accounts.

# GPS Old Boys Rugby Union Club Inc.

## 1994 Financial Statements

### REVENUE ACCOUNT for the year ended 30th September 1994

	1994 \$	1993 \$
<b>INCOME</b>		
Gross profit on trading	43,442.11	27,778.84
Commissions	2,276.73	470.06
Functions & Fundraising	31,411.38	26,579.93
Government Subsidies	5,875.00	2,408.20
Donations & Sponsorship	38,469.74	26,012.70
Subscriptions	14,460.00	8,795.00
Art Union	-	1,712.10
Food Trading Profit	5,466.25	9,952.80
Player Insurance Receipts	9,088.10	-
Ground Rent	5,080.00	-
Parking	3,862.45	-
Prizemoney	7,800.00	-
QRU Grants	10,494.50	-
Interest received	471.08	79.01
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>178,197.34</b>	<b>103,788.64</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Advertising, Printing, Postage & Stationery	16,829.56	8,491.04
Affiliations	2,405.00	1,980.00
Ashgrove Grounds & Building Expenses	9,992.88	13,796.75
Bad Debts Written Off	820.00	-
Bank Charges & Interest	576.04	397.39
Clothing - Jerseys	2,531.50	2,200.00
Development Officer Allowance	1,837.60	1,075.55
Development Officer Expenses	8,580.25	6,194.82
Development Officer Colts - Wages	3,035.13	-
Bank Merchant Fees	139.67	-
Donations	400.00	-
Fees and permits	949.00	-
Filing fees	169.50	-
Football Expenses	21,180.92	5,622.41
General Expenses	2,902.04	2,319.24
Hire of Equipment	737.25	-
Insurance	1,470.65	6,970.11
Player Insurance	16,282.98	-
Player Import Expenses	980.00	390.00
Superannuation Contributions	2,218.82	-
Wages - Development Officer	33,580.77	23,233.82
Wages - Other	2,953.00	4,150.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>130,572.56</b>	<b>76,821.13</b>
<b>Operating profit before income tax</b>	<b>47,624.78</b>	<b>26,967.51</b>

### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 30th September 1994

	Note	1994 \$	1993 \$
<b>OPERATING PROFIT</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>47,624.78</b>	<b>26,967.51</b>
Retained profits at the beginning of the financial year		139,182.31	112,214.80
<b>RETAINED PROFITS AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR</b>		<b>186,807.09</b>	<b>139,182.31</b>

# Notes for Accounts for the year ended 30th September 1994

## 1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of Accounting...

These financial statements are a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the account preparation requirements of the Corporations Law. The Committee has determined that the Club is not a reporting entity as defined in Statement of Accounting Concepts 1: Definition of the Reporting Entity, and therefore there is no requirement to apply accounting concepts or standards other than AASB 1025 in the preparation and presentation of these statements. The statements however, have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Law, including Schedule 5, and the following accounting standards:-

AASB 1001	Accounting Policies - Disclosure
AASB 1002	Events occurring after Balance Date
AASB 1018	Profit and Loss Accounts
AASB 1019	Measurement and Presentation of Inventories in the Context of the Historical Cost System
AASB 1025	Application of the Reporting Entity Concept and Other Amendments

No other statements of accounting concepts or accounting standards have been applied, except as detailed below in specific policy notes.

The statements are prepared on an accruals basis from the records of the company. They are based on historic costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations or non-current assets.

The following specific policies which are consistent with prior periods unless stated otherwise, have been applied in the preparation of these statements:

### Inventories...

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Costs are assigned on a first-in first-out basis.

### Property, Plant & Equipment...

Property, plant and equipment are brought to account at cost.

### Land & Buildings...

Freehold land and buildings are not subject to a depreciation charge.

### Investments...

Investments are brought to account at cost.

	1994 \$	1993 \$
2. CASH		
Cash at bank - General Account	-	11,526.19
Cash at bank - Bar Account	7,716.85	1,168.59
Cash at bank - Art Union Account	610.68	30.38
Cash at bank - New Ground Account	20,403.23	13.37
Cash at bank - Passbook	160.70	93.64
D Burrows Memorial Fund	1,083.02	1,000.00
Joint Bank Valleys	982.18	-
	<b>30,956.66</b>	<b>13,832.17</b>
3. RECEIVABLES - CURRENT		
Trade debtors	<b>18,798.25</b>	<b>30,121.02</b>
4. INVENTORIES - CURRENT		
Stock on Hand - Bar	1,665.83	2,852.00
Stock on Hand - Clothing	3,591.80	4,870.55
	<b>5,257.63</b>	<b>7,722.55</b>
5. INVESTMENTS - NON-CURRENT		
Ballymore Membership	600.00	600.00
Deposits & Debenture Stock	950.00	950.00
	<b>1,550.00</b>	<b>1,550.00</b>
6. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Clubhouse Redevelopment	11,800.00	-
Field No.3 Development	350.00	-
Main Clubhouse & Facilities (1/2 share)	44,714.00	44,714.00
Small Clubhouse & Facilities	53,808.00	53,808.00
	<b>98,522.00</b>	<b>98,522.00</b>
Fixed Assets (at cost)	14,859.15	12,915.95
Field Lights No.1 Oval	12,215.00	12,215.00
Field Lights No.2 Oval	7,169.38	7,169.38
Weights Apparatus	5,120.00	5,120.00
Irrigation No.1 Oval	6,479.50	6,479.50
Irrigation No.2 Oval	2,315.00	2,315.00
	<b>158,830.03</b>	<b>144,736.83</b>
7. CREDITORS AND BORROWINGS - CURRENT		
Bank overdraft - General Account	4,590.79	-
Trade creditors	13,394.69	42,180.26
	<b>17,985.48</b>	<b>42,180.26</b>
NON-CURRENT		
Loans No.2 Oval	<b>10,000.00</b>	<b>16,000.00</b>
8. RESERVES		
A.C.Dibdin Perpetual Trophy	300.00	300.00
J.R. Harris Perpetual Trophy	300.00	300.00
	<b>600.00</b>	<b>600.00</b>
9. OPERATING PROFIT		
The operating profit has been determined after:		
(a) CREDITING AS REVENUE		
Operating revenue		
Sales revenue	<b>215,446.13</b>	<b>143,163.07</b>
Other operating revenue		
Prizemoney	7,800.00	-
QRU Grants	10,494.50	-
Interest from -Other persons or entities	471.08	79.01
(b) charging as expense		
Bad Debts written off		
Trade Debtors	820.00	-



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*Back Row:* Ian Fraser, Jeff Poole, Alan Campbell, Mark Asprey, Trevor Jesser, Terry O'Grady, Craig Smith, Al McPherson, Drew Abrahams  
*Middle Row:* Bill James, Bob Armstrong, John Garde, Bill Schulte, Roy Nerichow, Robin Thomson, Peter Marshall, Graham Brand, Alan Upson, Bill Morrow  
*Front Row:* Lloyd Graham, Tony McGinty, Mick Thies, David Clark (Coach), Ron Park (Patron), David Park, Bill Green, David Newstead, David Fordham (Manager),  
*Insert:* John Rivett  
*Seated:* James Park  
*Absent:* Peter Lewis, Graham Maskell, Peter Meares (Trainer), John Nagel (Assistant), Dr Cameron Osborne (Dr.), Larry Ryan, Peter Short (Assistant), Chris Davies, John Fitzgerald.

## ***("Age shall not weary them")***

The idea of entering a Jeeps Old Boys Rugby Team into the 1994 World Masters Games in Brisbane was floated and the challenge taken up by David Park. An initial approach to past players was made and the response encouraging enough to warrant a team entry being submitted to the organising body. David Clark (Clarky) agreed to coach this old team of talented hasbeens and it was decided training would be at the Club on Thursday nights.

Suffice to say the early response was as it had been in the 60s and early 70s - less than satisfactory. Nothing had changed. The numbers were the same - limited- the excuses (reasons) were the same, or just non-existent. There was despair in the camp and no one yet had been asked to pay any money. how were things going to be when money was required for memberships fees and kit?

In the end most of those who had indicated they wanted to play paid up, the team entry was confirmed, jerseys ordered and training commenced. Numbers at training increased fractionally and Coach Clark arrived to survey his charges and whip them into some sort of shape for the rigours ahead.

Who will ever forget his first words to a team of former stars who believed they were still just that? After directing that a straight line be formed, he said: "I want you all to look around and have a close look at yourselves. Do you really know what you are doing?"

The words that came from this ageing, balding group with spreading waistlines must be contained some encouragement as training commenced in earnest. Those who remember the training regimes of the 60s and the 70s will not be surprised to learn that change does not come easily: one hour on the paddock and three hours in the bar.

Clarky could have been forgiven if he had just walked away before he unveiled his "winning strategy". High use of Rugby language of the 80s and 90s drew blank stares and inane questions from a group whose attention span had not improved with the passing of time. Persistence paid off and the best team was selected to play first game of the tournament against Papua New Guinea.

What a treat: playing in your first international game at over 40.

No one could believe their eyes when the opposition lines up on the other side of the paddock at Ballymore. This formidable international side looked even older and more out of condition than we did. We felt better when it was indicated to us that someone in PNG had made a mistake and that our opposition had thought they had entered the World Masters Touch competition. The game was tough but the Jeeps team displayed skills of old, running, passing, attacking, scoring tries and almost completely ignoring Clarky's game plan. Final score: 82-0. The second game was against an old Wests team and was won by Jeeps 18-0. Once again some magical skills were displayed. The third game, the one that had to be won to figure in the medal playoff, was lost 7-0 to an old Teacher's side, the ultimate gold medal winners. Our tournament ended in and it's very true to say the one thing that hadn't disappeared from this group was the competitive spirit. We had achieved (almost) what we set out to do: we had collected a group of very fine former players who still have the Club's interest at heart; players who wanted to don the blue and green one more time; players who still had the capabilities, notwithstanding their age, to play with skill; players who were still capable of enjoying the game, themselves and their old Club. Those of you who are new to the Club may reflect on the fact that players who played first grade for Jeeps between 20 and 30 years ago are still close enough to it to want to be involved.

My thanks to all those who participated and who assisted and thank you Jeeps for some very fine associations and memories.

*David Park*  
*World Masters Team Convenor*

Game Statistics

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED							POINTS					
	I	II	III	U21	IV	V	VI	TOTAL	TRY	CON.	PEN.	F.G.	TOTAL
Scott ADLINGTON			15		6			21	2				10
Joe ANDERSON			3		12	1	1	17	1				5
Mick ARNOLD							13	13	1				5
Steve ATKINS	1	2	5		5			13					
Frank AUSTIN						2		2					
Wade AVERY				2				2					
Blair BARNHILL							8	8	1				5
Waisea BATIBASAGA	20	2						22	16	2	3		93
Tim BENNETT							5	5					
Simon BENSLEY				5				5					
Stuart BENSLEY				1				1					
Paul BIDDULPH					3	7		10					
Bill BLAKE					3	5		8					
Jovan BOGDANOVIC			1		4	6		11					
Mark BRADICICH						2		2					
Nathan BRADY					1	2		3	1				5
Tony BRAGG					2		1	3					
P. BRODOFF			1					1					
Luke BROWN		6	10		2			18	2	1	1		15
Richard BROWN		2	9		11			22	3				15
Clinton BUSTEED	5	19	1					25					
Sean CARERE				1				1					
Luke CERVETTO				14				14	1				5
Paul CHILDS	3				1			4	1				5
David CHIPPINDALL			3	12				15	1	3	3		20
Ian CHRISTIE	4	11	2					17	1	5	1		18
Max CHRISTMAS					1			1					
Justin CLARKE						4		4					
David CLAYTON						5		5					
Richard CLEMENTS						1		1					
Brent COCKBAIN	12	4						16	2				10
Matt COCKBAIN	6	1	1					8					
Stu COLLIS					3	5		8					
Lachlan COLQUHOUN						10		10					
Brian COMERFORD			2	3				5					
Ryan CONSTABLE	16							16	12				60
Andrew COOMBE	8	4	4					16	9				40
Tony COOPER	1		9	3				13	1				5
Eric CROOKE					6	6		12	1				5
Ben CUMMING				9				9					
Tony D'ARCY						1	1	2					
Robert DEANE			3		2	5	1	11	2				10
Brian DONNELLY					7			7	1				5
Mark EASTON		3	1					4	1	1	1	2	16
Roger EDWARDS					1	4	1	6					
Pat FANNING				15	4			19					



GPS RUGBY UNION  
FIRST GRADE – FINALISTS – 1994

- FRONT ROW (LtoR): George Bickerstaff (Selector), Col Tune (Manager), Barry Honan (Backs' Coach), Michael Flanagan, Dudley Dick (Major Sponsor), David Munday, Tony D'Arcy (Head Coach), Steven Carroll (Asst. Manager), Paul Yates (Dr).
- SECOND ROW (LtoR): Robin Thomson (President), Bill McLean (Fitness Coach), Sam Nadruka, Andrew Coombe, Travis Grant, Matthew Cockbain, Brent Cockbain, Shaun Hemberg, Wasi Batibasaga, Jason Reilly, Rod Torkington (Senior Vice President), Ian Phillips (Manager).
- THIRD ROW (LtoR): Christiaan Knapp, Andrew Hadley, Bill Hammond, Roger Leeson, Ryan Constable, Greg Harris, Dougal Maynes, ScottMcLean, Mark Murray, Sean Quinn (Trainer).
- ABSENT: Brogan Melit (Selector), Daniel Herbert, Anthony Herbert.

WINNERS – HORSLEY CUP – WELSBY CUP – QUEENSLAND SEVENS – GLADSTONE SEVENS

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED							TOTAL	TRY	CON.	POINTS		F.G.	TOTAL
	I	II	III	U21	IV	V	VI				PEN.			
Tim FANNING	1	11	6		3			21	7					35
Bryce FERGUSON			3	7		10	1	21	2					10
Tim FERGUSON			1	16				17	5					25
Dan FERRETT			1	10				11	2					10
Michael FLANAGAN	16							16	1					5
Trevor FOLSOM		2	1					3						
Trent FORNO			10	11				21						
Michael FOXLEE		1	17					18	1					5
Mick FRISBY						1		1						
Mark GALLIGAN		18	1					19	6					30
Andrew GEE		9	7		1			17	4					20
Russell GELDARD						1		1						
Brian GILLHAM			4		14	7		25	1					5
Matthew GODFREY				4				4						
Blake GOLD	3	2					5	1				5		
Peter GRAHAM						10	10	3	3	4	1			26
Travis GRANT	20	3						23	1					
Andrew HADLEY	9	9						18	6	19	20			128
Matt HAGLEY					7		2	9						
Bill HAMMOND	3	11						14	2					10
Mark HAMMOND				2				2						
Greg HARRIS	16	5						21	11	4	3			72
D. HAWKINS						2		2						
Aaron HEINRICH						7		7						
Jake HEINRICH				15				15	2	5	7			41
Shaun HEMBERG	16	7						23	18					90
Anthony HERBERT	10							10	3					15
Daniel HERBERT	8							8	4					20
Peter HICKEY		1						1						
Tim HODGKINSON						3		3						
Warren HUMPHREYS						4		4						
Paul INNES			6		4	2		12						
Chris JAMES		4	3					7	4					20
Mark JENSEN	1	7	5					13	4					20
Tim KERR							5	5						
James KIRK			3					3	1	5	3			24
KIMI							3	3						
Christiaan KNAPP	20	2						22	2					10
Simon KNAPP				11				11	1					5
Tim KRAUSE	6	18						24						
Scott LAVERING				13				13	1	1	3			16
Rohan LAWRENCE	1	4			2			7						
Scott LAWRENCE		1	1		2			4		1				2
P. LAYTON						2		2						
Marshall LEAN							13	13	1					5
Matt LEATHER					2			2						



GPS RUGBY UNION  
2ND GRADE - MINOR PREMIERS - 1994

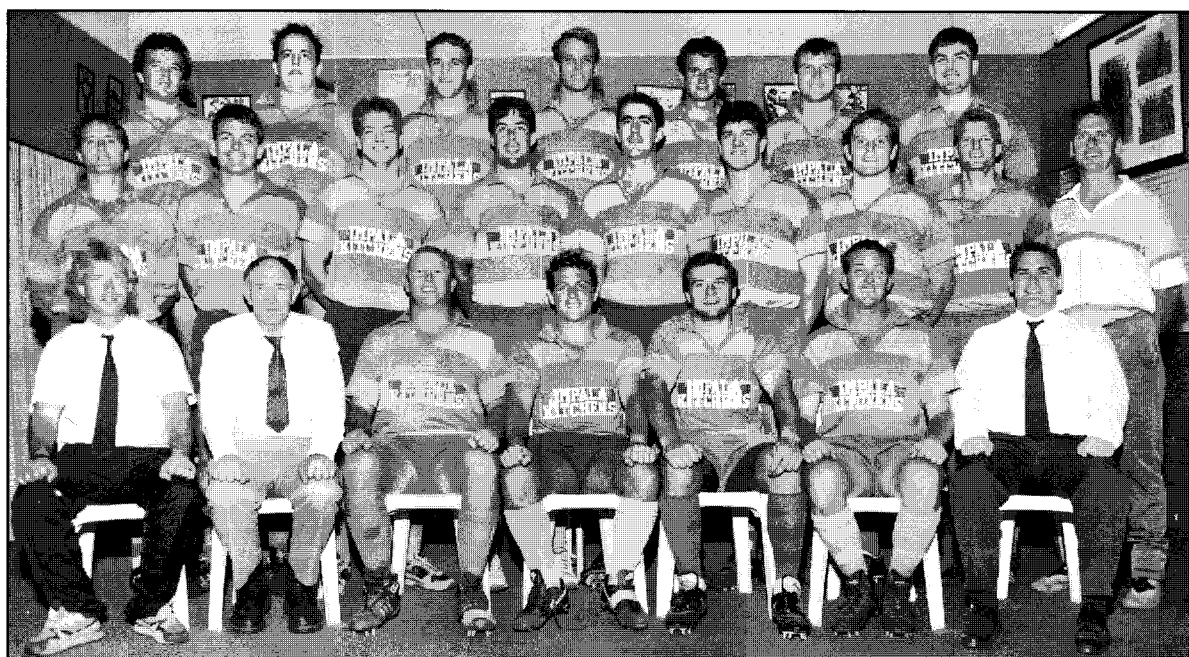
FRONT ROW (LtoR): Will Colwell (Coach), George Bickerstaff (Selector), Tony Mee (Vice Capt.), John Taylor (Capt.), Michael Ware, Justin Steele, Mick Arnold (Coach).

SECOND ROW (LtoR): Mark Galligan, Clinton Busteed, Ian Christie, Aaron Thorn, Brent Cockbain, Shaun Hemberg, David Packer, Mark Jensen.

THIRD ROW (LtoR): John Moss, Greg Harris, Bill Hammond, Scott McLean, Tim Fanning, Tim Krause, Andrew Hadley, Sean Quinn (Trainer).

# Game Statistics

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED							TOTAL	TRY	CON.	POINTS		F.G.	TOTAL
	I	II	III	U21	IV	V	VI				PEN.			
Roger LEESON	17	2						19	2				1	13
Peter LEMMY							13	13						
Konrad LITFIN		8		4	1			13	5					25
Nick LOVE			3	2				5						
Doug MACGIBBON	20							20						
Pat MANAHAN						1	1	2						
J. MANDER-JONES						2	4	6						
Dougal MAYNES	19							19	4					20
Mark McCARTHY				16		2		18						
Justin McGINTY			13		3			16	1					5
Scott McLEAN	17	3	3					23	1					5
John MEADMORE			3		9	2		14	1					5
Jim MEE							2	2						
Tony MEE	7	16	1					24	2				2	16
Steve MEEHAN					8			8						
David MILES					9	6		15						
John MILES							1	1						
John MOSS	8	13						21	6					30
David MUNDAY	18	4						22	3	37		24		161
Matt MURPHY			2		9			11	1					5
Scott MURPHY	1	2	18	1				22	1					5
Max MURPHY				12		11		23		3	1			9
Mark MURRAY	15							15	2					10
Samuel NADRUKU	13	10						23	6					30
Sunia NADRUKU					9			9	2					10
Peter NIELSEN			2					2				1		3
Brad NIXON				12	5	3		20	1					5
Scott OAKHILL							2	2		1				2
Pat O'CONNOR					2			2						
Michael O'KELLY					4			4	1					5
M. O'NEILL						1		1						
Mark OUEY						8	2	10						
Peter OUEY						1	2	3						
David PACKER	2	16	1					19	3	2		2		25
S. PAIT							8	8	2					10
Jim PALMER				15				15						
Les PEARCE					3			3						
Shane PEARCE			17					17	1					5
Hans PEARSON			1		2	7		10		1				2
Dan PETRIE				3	2			5						
Ian PHILLIPS					3		2	5						
Ashley PITMAN			3		13	1		17	1	8	18	2		81
Raoul POHIO							8	8	1					5
Richard POOLE				12				12						
Joe POTTER						3		3						
Andrew POTTS							5	5						



GPS RUGBY UNION  
3RD GRADE - 1994

FRONT ROW (LtoR): Brent Timms (Backs' Coach), George Bickerstaff (Selector), Richard Brown, Scott Murphy (Capt.), Justin McGinty, Justin Steele, Tim Conroy (Coach).

SECOND ROW (LtoR): Scott Adlington, Mark Jensen, Nick Yardley, Doug Whidden, Ian Christie, Trent Forno, Tim Fanning, Brian Gillham, Sean Quinn (Trainer).

THIRD ROW (LtoR): Tim Wilson, Scott McLean, Paul Innes, Eric Crooke, Dan Yates, Joe Anderson, Michael Zannes.



PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED							TOTAL	TRY	CON.	POINTS		F.G.	TOTAL
	I	II	III	U21	IV	V	VI				PEN.			
Angus PORTEOUS						2	1	3	1					5
Danny POWELL		1			1		5	7	1					5
Liam POWELL				9		2		11						
Phil PURCELL							11	11						
Kirk PURCHASE				4		2		6						
Peter RAYMOND					4	3		8	1		4			17
Jason REILLY	19							19						
Harry RENFREE			8		2			10	1					5
Phil RHODES			2					2	1					5
Damien SAINT					2		13	15						
Mark SALMOND	1		3		1			5	1					5
Tony SAMERI				2				2	2					10
Terry SAUNDERS							1	1						
Jason SEARLE					12	4		16						
T. SEREVATU							3	3						
Aaron SHORTHOUSE		3	6	2	2			13						
Dan SHRIEK							5	5	1					5
Steve SMITH	1	6	14		2			23						
Justin STEELE		6	3		2	2	2	15	2					10
Luke STEELE							9	9						
Martin STEELE				14				14						
John TAYLOR	3	9	1					13						
Robin THOMSON						2		2						
Aaron THORN	1	12						13						
Brent TIMMS			1		3	6	1	11		1	1			5
Neil TOBBITT							1	1						
Doug TROTTER							10	10						
Sean TUNE						11	4	15						
Elia TUQIRI					18			18	1		2			11
Brian ULLINGER					4	7		11						
David VALENTINE					9	13		22						
Tony VALENTINE			2		3	7		12						
Brian VANDELEUR						2		2						
Chad VICENZI		2	3	2				7	4				1	23
Chris WAKE					4	7	1	12						
Mike WALLACE					3	10	1	14						
Michael WARE	4	14						18	3					15
Colin WERNER			1					1						
Doug WHIDDEN					9			9	1					5
Ben WHITE		3	7	14	1			25	4					20
D. WHITE							4	4		1	3			11
J. WILKINSON							2	2						
Tim WILSON			3		12	1		16						
M. WISHART							3	3						
G. WOODRUFFE							11	11	2		2			16
Kingsley WYETH					10	4	1	15	1					5
L. WYETH							9	9	1	1	1			10
Nick YARDLEY			15	2	1			18						
Dan YATES		7	12					20	2					10
D. YORKE							13	13	1					5
Mick ZANNES			1		10			11	1					5



GPS RUGBY UNION  
4TH GRADE - 1994

FRONT ROW (LtoR): Richard Brown, Tim Wilson, Michael Zannes, Chris Wake (Coach), Steven Meehan, Brad Nixon, Max Murphy.  
 SECOND ROW (LtoR): George Bickerstaff (Selector), Ian Phillips, Tony Bragg, Nick Yardley, Doug Whidden, Bill Donnelly, Kingsley Wyeth, Sean Quinn.  
 THIRD ROW (LtoR): Jason Searle, Brian Gillham, Eric Crooke, Justin McGinty, Paul Biddulph, Joe Anderson, Stuart Collis.

# Colts Statistics

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED				POINTS					PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED				POINTS				
	I	II	III	TOT	T	C	P	FG	PTS		I	II	III	TOT	T	C	P	FG	PTS
Adam ABDY	13	2		15	2				10	Steve LYNGCOLN		9		9	1				5
Jason AIR	16			16	3				15	Anthony MAHONEY		1		1					
Peter ATKINS	3	3		6						Nick MALONEY			1	1					
Simon BAGGIO		6	3	9	2	3	4		32	Campbell MAYNES	17			17	1				5
Cyril BALLARD	15			15	1				5	Justin McCAFFERY	3	3	10	16					
Justin BARLOW	4	12		16						L. McCONNELL	1			1	1				5
Sean BARRY	1	14		15	1				5	Dan McFARLANE	1	8		9	1				5
Adam BESWICK			3	3						Peter McIntOSH	18			18	1	4	12	4	61
Stuart BIRD	1			1						Charles MOLLISON		2	1	3					
Justin BOND			11	11		4			8	Ed MOSS	7	7		14	5				25
N. BRAITHWAITE			3	3						Matt MURRAY			1	1					
Darryl CALLAGHAN	8	3		11	1				5	Adam OAKHILL			12	12	4				20
Michael CALLAGHAN		6	4	10						Gerard PATANE	2	2		4	1				5
Dan CLIFFORD		3	9	12	3				15	Stuart PENTLAND		2		2					
Robert CLIFTON	2	12	14	1	4				13	Ben SCHILLER	7	7		14	2				10
Mick CONROY	2	1	3							Dugald SCOTT	1	7	1	9					
Steve CRAVEN		3	12	15	2				10	Christian SERGIACOMI	2	11		13					
Jasper CUPPAIDGE		3	12	15	2				10	Peter SHEAHAN			10	10	2				10
Jay CUSACK	7	8		15	3	9	3		42	Mark SITCH	11			11					
Brendan DILK		11	3	14						Derick SLADE	7	7		14	1				5
Mark DUNSDON		2		2						Graham STEIGER			3	3					
Michael DOYLE	15	2		17						Peter TRAVERS			2	2					
Chris FERRO		10	8	18	3				15	Kelevi TUICOLO	1	5	12	18					
Lachie GIVEN	2	9		11	4	2			24	Daymon TUKA		2	10	12	1				5
John GRIMSHAW		3	4	7						Dan TULLY		3	11	14					
Luke HAMMOND	10			10	3				15	Ben TUNE	11			11	9				45
Adam HAWKINS		1	10	11						Nick VALANI			4	4					
Brian HEALEY		1		1						Sean WEBSTER	18			18					
Nick HOLMES	1	8		9	1				5	Adam WHISTON		8	1	9					
Ben HUNTER	5	5		10	1				5	Ben WILKES	16	1		17					
Rod JARRO	15			15	1				5	Mick WILKES			1	1					
Dan KLINGE		2		2		1	1		5	Nathan WILLIAMS	17			17	7	13	13		100
Stavros KONSTANTINOS	1	11		12						Joe WRIGHT	1	6	8	15					
Mark LYNCH	2			2						Bruce YOUNG	2	5	4	11	3				15



GPS RUGBY UNION  
COLTS 1 - 1994  
MINOR PREMIERS - PREMIERS

FRONT ROW (LtoR): Derek Slade, Jay Cusack, Ben Schiller, Luke Hammond, Daniel Breen, Rodney Jarro, Campbell Maynes.  
SECOND ROW (LtoR): Robin Thomson (President), Jim Hanson (Coach), Adam Abdy, Nathan Williams, Mark Sitch, Sean Webster, Peter Atkins, John Breen (Manager), Brendan Kiernan (Backs' Coach).  
THIRD ROW (LtoR): Cyril Ballard, Michael Callaghan, Jason Air, Lachlan Given, Ben Tune, Peter McIntosh, Michael Doyle.



GPS RUGBY UNION  
COLTS II – 1994

FRONT ROW (LtoR): Chris Ferro, Simon Baggio, Justin Barlow, Denis Griffith (Coach), Bruce Young, Nick Holmes, Danny Tully.  
SECOND ROW (LtoR): Steve Lyngcoln, Dugald Scott, Lachlan Given, Christian Sergiacomi, Derek Slade, Ben Schiller.  
THIRD ROW (LtoR): Michael Gallagher, Sean Barry, Brendan Dilk.



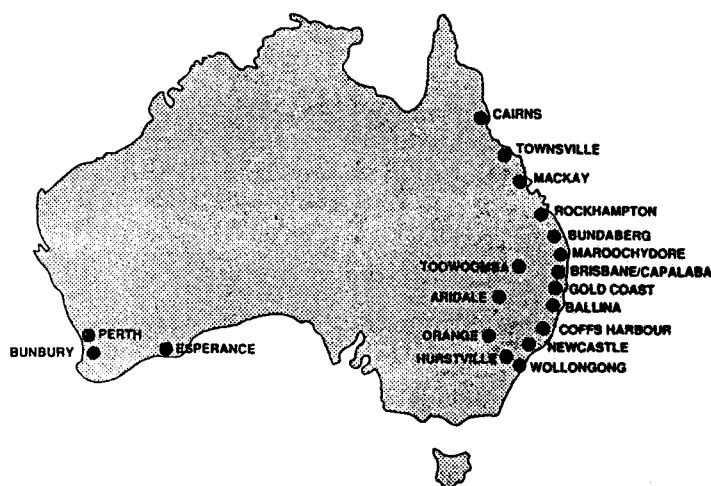
GPS RUGBY UNION  
COLTS III – 1994

FRONT ROW (LtoR): Ross Oakhill (Coach), Adam Oakhill, Chris Ferro, Rob Clifton, Bruce Young, Shane Oakhill, Scott Oakhill (Manager).  
SECOND ROW (LtoR): Kelevi Tuicolo, Justin Bond, Stavros Konstantinos, Adam Hawkins, Justin McCaffery, Des Kissane (Colts Development Officer).  
THIRD ROW (LtoR): Dan Tully, Simon Baggio, Steve Lyngcoln, Peter Sheehan, Sean Barry.

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