

CANBERRA ALPINE CLUB INC



ANNUAL REPORT

FOR 2015

**TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE
AUDITED ACCOUNTS SUPPLEMENT**

Canberra Alpine Club

The Club was formed on 31 July 1934 at the Alpine Hotel, Kiandra and was incorporated on 29 June 1955 (registration number A.19).

The motion to form the Club was put by Tim Ingram and Tom Campbell at a meeting chaired by H.J. Lamble, then Director of the NSW Government Tourist Bureau. The inaugural general meeting was held at the Hotel Canberra on 11 October 1934 to elect office bearers and a committee and to ratify the provisional operating arrangements.

The Club is governed by a written Constitution, By-laws and the *Associations Incorporation Act 1991*. The present Constitution, which has been subject to minor amendments, was adopted in 1996 and the By-laws are revised annually and circulated each June.

The objects of the Club include promoting snowsports and bushwalking, fostering the conservation of the alpine environment and the interest of members in matters of historical or heritage significance to skiing or bushwalking including the preservation of buildings, sites and objects.

The Club is a corporate member of Snowsports ACT. The Club is also a member of SLOPES (Ski Lodges of Perisher, Guthega and Smiggins Inc) and of the Kosciuszko Huts Association.

The Mount Franklin Chalet was constructed for the Club in 1938 with bunk accommodation for 32 on leased land. The Chalet reverted to the Government when Namadgi National Park was created in 1984 and was destroyed by bushfires in January 2003, with a new shelter being erected by the ACT Government in 2007. The Mount Franklin precinct is the subject of memoranda of understanding made in 1989 and 1998 between the Club and the ACT Parks and Conservation Service.

The A-frame Perisher lodge was constructed by Club labour in 1961 on land leased from the State of New South Wales. A new lease executed late in 2008 runs until 31 December 2028 – with three 10 year options exercisable after that. This lodge is licensed to accommodate 46 persons and was extended and substantially upgraded in 1983. The bedroom wing was added in 1999, together with wheelchair accessible facilities.

The original Jindabyne lodge was constructed in 1968 on leased land in Banjo Paterson Crescent, adjacent to Lake Jindabyne. Freehold title was acquired in 1992. The original lodge was demolished in late 2013 and a new lodge built, opening in 2014.

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Introduction

This report covers the 2015 calendar year, which coincides with the financial year of the Club. It should be read together with the audited financial statements for the Club's financial year ending 31 December 2015 which have been published as a supplement.

While the report formally covers the calendar year, some information is also provided regarding events between the beginning of 2016 and preparation of this report.

PART 1 – PRESIDENT’S REPORT

This Annual Report provides information on the activities of the Canberra Alpine Club (the Club) from the 2015 calendar year, the financial position of the Club, the register of members as at the end 2015, and other information as required by the Constitution and Incorporated Associations Act. Detailed information on various aspects of the Club's operations and governance is presented in the following pages.

2015 was generally a quieter year for the committee, following a hectic schedule associated with the completion of the redevelopment of the Jindabyne Lodge the year before. A decent snow season in 2015 and strong utilization of both lodges in winter and during summer by members and visitors enabled a sound financial performance. Group bookings by external associated organizations have provided a noteworthy contribution to this result and may provide a future largely untapped revenue source for the future. The Treasurer reports that Club finances continue to show a healthy position.

Year end membership remains steady at around 550 with those not renewing being replaced by new membership applications across all age groups throughout the year.

The Club sporting and competition calendar provided a number of opportunities for members to demonstrate enthusiasm and growing prowess. We were unable to repeat our previous year's success in the inter-club competition and it was with some regret that we handed over the Balmain Cup. However, across a wide range of snowsports disciplines, Club members competed and excelled in local and national competition with honor and distinction. In January 2015, Club member Laura Peel, performing a triple-twisting double-somersault, won the aerials gold medal at the freestyle skiing world championship in Austria.

Unfortunately, my wife Deborah and I spent little time during the peak winter season at the Club, as we took the opportunity to join the supporters group of the Australian demonstration team to INTERSKI 2015 in Ushuaia Argentina. However, we were able to showcase the Jindabyne Lodge to many of our friends, family and a five piece band over a long weekend in December, as we celebrated a major birthday event. It is a brilliant party venue.

During the year, many other members and visitors enjoyed an active social and work party program at both lodges. I would like to express my personal appreciation for all those members who organized or coordinated these events and, as workers and partiers, contributed to their success.

Behind the scenes, a great deal of effort has gone into improving the Club communications media, including a new Club website, new format Skimail and delivery of Frozen Acres by email. Together with the development and trialling of a new online booking system, one of the Committee's goals is to continuously improve our service and enhance the membership experience.

During the year many members continued to invest extraordinary time and effort into the Club, a number of these have been recognized personally at our Annual Dinner, in articles in Frozen Acres, or in my monthly President's Précis. I would like however to take this opportunity to express my thanks to Ian McLeod who was the driving force behind the Club's successful award of two ACT Government heritage grants to preserve aspects of our Club's history. Well done Ian.

I would also like to thank my Vice Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer and Committee members for a great year. Also my thanks to our Club Captain, Public Officer, Perisher Lodge Coordinator, Jindabyne Lodge Coordinator and Franklin Officer, our Administrative Officer and Perisher winter manager.

Together, with those involved in our sub-committees and working groups, these members form the "engine room" and steady hands on the tiller that keep the Club moving forward.

And in conclusion, I would like to thank the membership and supporters of the Club for a great year and I look forward to the challenges and opportunities of 2016 - 17.

Lloyd Meehan
President

February 2016.

PART 2 - OPERATIONS

The Club's operations are directed generally by the Committee, assisted by sub-committees and working groups convened by Committee members or interested members.

FINANCES

(Treasurer: Mark King)

2015 Result

With the Jindabyne lodge attracting decent bookings and with reasonable snowfall for the year, 2015 provided good but not spectacular financial performance. Of note are the strong advance bookings for Jindabyne in January, February and March 2016. As predicted by (and hoped for) by the Committee, Club members are utilising the Jindabyne lodge in the warmer months.

Cost Centre net results, after allowing for depreciation and amortisation expenses of \$74,377 and matching income and expenditure to the applicable year, were:

Administration	\$13,755
Perisher	(\$18,980)
Jindabyne	(\$40,811)
Social	\$2,841
Capital Fund	\$110,473
Net Profit	\$67,278

(The Club recorded a Net Profit of \$75,038 for the 2014 year.)

Capital Contributions and Entrance Fees

The contribution to the net result from Capital Contributions and Entrance Fees continues to remain critical to the Club's financial performance and its ability to pay down the Jindabyne Redevelopment Loan during this current period of historically low interest rates. For 2015 these totalled \$110,473.

Trading

Total income attributable to the Administration cost centre was \$67,573 comprising

subscriptions of \$55,088, interest income of \$109, cancellation fees of \$2,293 and sundry income of \$10,083. The Sundry income includes a number of generous cash donations from members towards the finishing touches to the Jindabyne Lodge and also includes an ACT Heritage Grant of \$5,060.

The administrative expenses of the Club for the year were \$53,818 with major items of expenditure being a portion of contract payments to the Club's Administrative Officer of \$17,149, Frozen Acres production and distribution costs of \$6,281, audit and bank fees of \$10,213 and insurance of \$4,948. The Club contributed \$10,412 to ski development and training programs for its members throughout the year.

Perisher total receipts were \$179,563 but again do not cover the running costs for this lodge.

Jindabyne accommodation receipts contributed income of \$80,440. Expenses were \$121,251 inclusive of Loan Interest of \$39,920, the Loan Line Fee of \$10,000 and Building Depreciation of \$35,744. The Jindabyne lodge, like Perisher, is not on a commercial footing. This fact should be considered by the Committee when setting accommodation prices and the quantum of Subscriptions/Contributions in future.

The Club's social functions again exceeded the budgeted 'break even' position and produced a net profit of \$2,841.

Balance Sheet

There was a net increase in cash held for the year of \$12,652. Cash assets at 31 December 2015 were \$183,138.

Property values are included in the Balance Sheet at cost less accumulated depreciation. At last independent market valuation (24 September 2007) the Perisher property was valued at \$1,920,000. The Jindabyne Lodge is in the accounts at \$1,434,133 less Accumulated Depreciation of \$50,485.

Jindabyne Redevelopment Loan

The details of the Jindabyne redevelopment loan with Westpac bank are (at time of writing this report):

Type	Bank Bill Business Rate, variable rate, 90 day reset
Limit	\$1,000,000
Base Rate	2.35%

Margin rate	1.61%
Resultant rate	3.96%

The loan is interest-only to December 2016, having been rolled over in December 2015. There is a Facility Fee of 1% of the loan balance per annum.

At 31 December 2015 the Club had paid the initial drawdown of \$1m down to \$930,000.

Auditor

Mr Patrick Salter, Chartered Accountant, has provided an unqualified audit opinion on the Club's 2015 financial report.

Insurance Cover

The principal policies provide the following cover at each of the lodges:

	Perisher	Jindabyne
Building	\$2,794,000	\$1,400,000
Contents	\$127,339	\$39,000
Public Liability	\$20,000,000	\$20,000,000

The policy excess amounts are (generally) \$2,500. The policies provide cover to specific sub-limits for accidental damage, burglary, theft, and a range of other risks.

The Club maintains a group accident policy providing limited cover for members and persons attending organised Club work parties and other functions.

Persons representing the Club at sanctioned snow sports events or participating in Club events are generally covered under a policy maintained by Ski and Snowboard Australia. This policy also provides Public Liability cover of \$20,000,000, Professional Indemnity cover of \$2,000,000 and Management Liability cover of \$1,000,000.

The Club maintains a Voluntary Workers insurance policy which, in broad terms, covers members on and travelling to work parties.

Workers Compensation insurance policies are maintained for ACT and NSW to cover contractors and employees of the Club.

GOVERNANCE

(Convenor: Lloyd Meehan)

General Meeting

The 2015 Annual General Meeting (AGM) was conducted at the Canberra Bridge Club in Deakin on Wednesday 25 March 2015.

Committee

The members shown below served on the Committee during the 2015 calendar year. The AGM at which they retired or at which their term is due to expire is shown and is current as at the time of preparation of this report. Positions shown are as at the time of preparation of this report.

		<i>AGM Retire</i>
President	Lloyd Meehan	2016
Vice Presidents	Peter Cunningham	2016
	Paddy Hodgman	2015
	Jonathon Wilson *	2016
	Jenny McLeod	2016
Secretary	Mark King	2017
Treasurer		
Ordinary Committee Members	Gwen Harding	**
	Denelda Bolt	2017
	Kristen Guseli	2015
	Chris McLennan	2017
	Judy Lejins	2016
	Peter Murphy	2016
	Peter Veenstra *	2016
	* Filled casual vacancy	
** Resigned during 2015		

Committee Meetings

Details of attendances at Committee meetings are set out in Table 1.

The Committee is required to meet at least every ten weeks and at least nine times in any year. The Committee met in February and March prior to the 2015 AGM, and in March (again), May, and each later month in 2015, for a total of eleven times in the year. The Committee also met, or is expected to meet, in February and March prior to the 2016 AGM. All meetings in 2015 were held in Canberra.

At least five Committee members must be present for a quorum and at least seven must support the election of a person to membership.

Meeting Attendance

	Feb	Mar	Mar31	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Σ	Of
		3											
Bolt	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	L	✓	L	✓	✓	✓	9	11
Cunningham	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	10	11
Guseli	✓	✓	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	2
Harding	NA	NA	✓	✓	✓			NA	NA	NA	NA	3	5
Hodgman	✓	✓	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	2
King	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	9	11
Lejins	✓	✓		✓	✓	L	✓	✓	L	✓	✓	8	11
McLennan		✓	✓	✓	L	✓	L	✓	✓	L	✓	7	11
McLeod	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	11	11
Meehan	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	L	✓	✓	✓	9	11
Murphy	✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	L		5	11
Veenstra	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	5
Wilson	✓	✓	L	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	8	11
	10	9	6	9	7	7	8	7	8	7	9		

L denotes prior leave of absence granted

NA denotes not a member of the committee at the time of the meeting

Table 1 - Attendance at 2015 Committee Meetings

Committee Changes

Kristen Guseli and Paddy Hodgman retired at the 2015 AGM. At the close of the 2015 AGM one Vice-President position remained unfilled. Jon Wilson was elected to the vacant Vice-President position, and one ordinary committee position remained unfilled until July 31, when Peter Veenstra was elected by the Committee to the position.

On 8 September Gwen Harding resigned from the Committee.

LODGES

(Convenor: Peter Cunningham)

Perisher (Lodge Coordinators: Andrew McIntyre/Peter Richards/Judy Lejins)

We are still looking for a Perisher Officer; the position has been jointly shared by Andrew McIntyre, Peter Richards and Judy Lejins since 2014. It is essential for us to have a Perisher Officer to oversee the general running of the lodge including minor projects and maintenance. The Committee is seriously considering the use of a

professional maintenance service to handle Perisher lodge and maybe also Jindabyne as a means of reducing our reliance on volunteer labour for the larger projects. It may be a more expensive option but possibly necessary to ensure continuation of our maintenance and capital works program.

After 32 years Jill continues to manage the lodge with her usual efficiency, greeting members and guests, making sure they waken to spotlessly clean common areas, and dealing with any problems that arise.

Work carried out during the year included general maintenance, painting, general cleaning, checking bedding, replacing pillows, bed lamps and globes as needed, removing exotic plants from our lease and the purchase of new items.

Major projects were the completion of the installation of Fyrchek plaster on the exposed lounge room beams to complete one of the last outstanding items in our alternative fire solution compliance. Some other items will be addressed as part of the development application to extend the dining room. Another major job that was completed was repainting all ceilings in the new wing.

In the kitchen following a number of false alarms resulting in fire brigade attendance we had our fire service agent, Highlander Combined Services, change the sensor type. This appears to have solved the problem but we did get two \$1,300 fines from the NSW Rural Fire Service for an excessive number of attendances. Most of the false alarm incidents were caused by burning toast or other food, so members should ensure that they use the exhaust fans provided and have adequate ventilation otherwise we could be fined again in the future.

There was a good roll-up of willing hands at each of the four work parties held during 2015 (14/15 February, 21/22 March, 18/19 April and 15/16 November), these included members, waiters, friends and children who undertook the various tasks at hand.

Jindabyne Lodge (Lodge Coordinator: Rhonda Cunningham)

Three work parties were conducted during 2015 on Feb 28/1 March, May 23/24 and Oct 24/25. All were very successful and mainly well attended.

The major projects completed were:

- Installation of new decking chairs and a large aluminium dining table
- Installation of the decking awning, lounge blinds and mobile internal fans
- Continuation of the front yard landscaping

- The remainder of the fallen tree in the back yard was cleaned and all rocks transported to the front yard.
- Drying rack installed in the drying room.
- Rubbish bin ledge installed to remove the rubbish bins from the carpark to provide more parking space.
- Stairs installed from the carpark down to the rear yard.
- Two large photos, purchased from Mike Edmondson, were installed in the lounge area
- Installation of bedroom furniture and bedside lighting
- A host of small adjustments and minor maintenance jobs to beds in the lodge

Many Club members made substantial donations for the purchase of furniture and equipment. This was very generous of them and we appreciated it very much as it enabled an early purchase of some necessary items to improve the lodge's amenity considerably. The donations were used to purchase the lounge chairs, a BBQ, the decking table and the large landscape photos.

There have been very few problems but one that we are addressing through various means is the problem of the retention of heat during the hottest summer days making it very warm and a bit stuffy in the upstairs common areas and upstairs bedrooms. The sunlight transmission through the upstairs front windows is brilliant during winter but can be a problem during summer. It is a credit to the high insulation qualities of the building which is what was intended, but mainly with a winter intent. During winter the use of the gas heating has been minimal, not being required at all during many days. Mitigation measures made during 2015 have been the installation of a 7 metre length by 2 metre width motorised deck awning and internal blinds in the upstairs lounge area. The windows have been modified to allow them to wind out further to improve cross ventilation. We will be monitoring the summer comfort during the 2015/16 summer and future years to ensure that staying at the Jindabyne Lodge is a pleasant experience all year round.

A historic occasion occurred at the May work party with the erection of the Club sign on a prominent position at the front of the lodge. The event was witnessed with much celebration by the large number of members and waiters present for the weekend.

A ski rack was installed in the front entry after being donated by the Snowsports NSW XC committee to thank CAC for the provision of complimentary accommodation for the Nordic Shelter working bees for many summers.

There are plans to complete the landscaping and other projects during 2016.

Jindabyne lodge was cleaned twice weekly during the winter peak months of July, August and September, reverting to weekly during the off peak season. The cleaning requirements were assessed during the year and because of the increased summer usage by many large groups it has been found necessary to clean the lodge almost weekly.

Mount Franklin (Coordinator: Ian McLeod)

Two work parties were held during the year. As the shelter needs little maintenance, work was concentrated on removing weeds, keeping the runs clear, and improving Wombat Walk. Both work parties included convivial evenings. An ad hoc duo and then trio replaced rotted boards in the toilet doors over two days.

A public open day was held on 12 April as part of the ACT and Region Heritage Festival. Members of the public were well out-numbered by long-standing and former members; so while somewhat disappointing as a public open day, it was very successful as a 'back to Mount Franklin' day. Participants in a 45 km mountain bike tour organised by the Parks Service on 17 May heard from members about the Club and the precinct while recovering at the shelter before heading back to Bulls Head via firetrails.

A memorial pad of crushed granite bounded by railway sleepers was constructed to mark the footprint of the former chalet; the drying room stove and the remains of the kitchen range were installed in their former positions. The work was funded by an ACT heritage grant and a substantial contribution by the ACT Parks and Conservation Service. The Club has received another heritage grant for conservation of selected items of some of the ski equipment stored in the shelter; this work will be done early in 2016.

O'Keefe's Hut (Coordinator: Monika Binder)

A work party for O'Keefe's Hut was held on the Canberra Day Long Weekend between 7 and 9 March 2015. Eleven members, waiters and friends drove (or in some cases partly cycled) to the hut, located at the foot of Mt Jagungal. The workers repapered the walls of the Hut with very old newspaper, some from the 1930s. There was much careful cutting to ensure one could read interesting stories from yesteryear. Plastic sheeting was applied on the lower half of the walls for some protection from future occupants with their dirty boots and backpacks. The hut was also restocked with wood for winter.

There was plenty of opportunity over the long weekend for exploring the trails around the hut with mountain bikes or by foot, and for sitting around the fire telling stories and sharing some amazing food. The fireplace has a long-standing problem with smokiness, and NPWS had installed a new smoke board; although OK on the work party weekend, it transpired later on that the smoke board has not fixed the problem, and the fireplace continues to smoke. A perennial problem which may only be fixed by the installation of a wood stove.

The weather was excellent. The scenery was outstanding. CAC is very fortunate to have care taking responsibilities for this hut. It is hoped that members will take advantage of this by attending future work parties to see how extraordinary this hut (and its location beneath Mt Jagungal) really is.

BOOKINGS

(Convenor: Jon Wilson)

Lodge Usage

The Club has had another good year for lodge bookings in 2015. The additional capacity at the new Jindabyne lodge has been welcome, and has supported a 40% increase in the bed nights at this lodge over levels in 2012 (the last calendar year where the lodge was available for the full period). It is great to see our members making the most of the new lodge, and feedback on this facility continues to be extremely positive.

As expected, with the additional capacity, the Club has recorded its best year in terms of total bed nights since 2009. While there has been an overall reduction in the utilisation of Perisher, this has been more than offset by the increase in the utilisation of Jindabyne. Ultimately the increase in total capacity is making it easier for members to book the dates they want, however with peak periods remaining busy at both lodges, members should still try to book early to secure their place. As a reminder, attendance at work parties does allow for early confirmation of additional Saturday nights, and members are encouraged to take advantage of this to secure their bookings.

One extremely positive feature of bookings this year has been the great usage of both lodges during the off-peak period. Whether it is to enjoy the beautiful lakes, trails and wildlife, to participate in one of the increasing number of local events, to have your own celebration, or simply to get away and relax, it is fantastic to see so many of our members enjoying the mountains year round. In addition, our new pricing

structure for Associated Organisations is allowing large groups from organisations such as Australian Institute of Sport and Greening Australia to utilise the Club facilities during the off-peak period. These types of relationships are increasing off-peak utilisation and generating additional revenue for the Club. Increasing usage during the off-peak period continues to be a key objective of the sub-committee, and opportunities for encouraging further growth in this trend will be explored in 2016.

For a comprehensive summary of bookings information for this year, and comparison with previous years, please refer to Appendix 2 of the report.

Online System

As described in the 2014 Annual Report, the Club has spent several years looking at options to move to a centralised system that would allow membership data, subscriptions, bookings and payments to be carried out online, by both members and our Admin Officer.

A key goal of moving to an online system is to provide 24x7 access for members to their personal data, booking history, and current balance information. The system must also allow members to update contact data, submit booking requests, and make payments online, where these actions are consistent with our bylaws.

In addition to providing improved access for members, the online system is also expected to streamline many of the existing administrative processes, such as the processing of annual subscriptions, capture of booking requests, email of booking confirmations and reminders, and processing of credit card payments.

Following considerable investigation, and the recommendation of a number of other ski clubs, the committee has selected CBDWeb, a system that is currently used by 25 other clubs, and has committed to complete the transition to this system during 2016. The new system is already being used by our Admin Officer, with membership data loaded, subscription invoices (for 2016) generated, and member balances entered. Receipts for renewals are also being processed through this system.

The system is currently only available for use by our Admin Officer, while processes such as online booking and payment are tested and finalised. Once these processes have been completed, the system will be made available for members. This is planned to occur prior to the 2016 peak season.

Please note that once available, use of the new system will be optional, and members can continue to use existing processes, such as contacting the Admin Officer (by

phone / email), if they prefer.

Booking Privileges

A number of members and guests were granted booking privileges (e.g. complimentary accommodation, discounted accommodation, and early confirmation of Saturday nights) which are approved by the committee. A list of these is included in Appendix 3.

Administrative Officer

The committee would again like to thank Stella for her continued efforts managing the Club's administrative procedures, specifically in relation to membership and bookings. During 2015, in addition to her normal role, Stella has also contributed considerable time and effort to support the successful implementation of the online system, and these efforts are continuing in 2016. In all cases, her dedication to the Club is always evident, and for this she deserves thanks from all of us.

SNOWSPORTS

(Convener: Gwen Harding/Chris McLennan, Club Captain: Teresa Harrington)

The season got off to a bit of a slow start in 2015 but that didn't inhibit Club participation. In accordance with its history and objectives, the Club supported participation in development programs for our junior, youth and adult members, skiing and boarding in alpine, cross country and freestyle disciplines.

Elite Performance

Laura Peel: Following her World Championship win in January 2015 Laura did not complete in the 2015/16 competition season, instead taking a non-World Championship, non-Olympic year to rehabilitate an ankle injury. She hopes to return to full training shortly.

Valentino Guseli: Ten year old Valentino is one of only ten riders invited to compete in the Burton US Open Snowboarding Championships 2016 and go straight from Under 14s to the pro semi-finals. This event will take place before the AGM – watch out for his results.

Racing

The Paddy Pallin Junior Cross Country was held on Saturday 5 September 2015,

having been postponed from its usual scheduled weekend in June due to lack of snow. Thirty one competitors raced over varying distances from 50 metres (0 - 4 years) to 3 kilometres (15 – 16 years). CAC was very ably represented by Emelia Greville, Harriet Greville, Sam Whitmore, Alec Bell and Magnus Bell.

Club Championships were held on Mother-in-Law on 25 July attracting 21 entrants. Results were:

Alpine Men's Champion	Tom Kenyon
Alpine Women's Champion	Lauren Wilson-Bygrave
Alpine Junior Champion (male)	Andrew Kerr
Alpine Junior Champion (female)	Caitlin Wilson-Bygrave
Snowboard Men's Champion	Valentine Guseli
Snowboard Women's Champion	Nina Lange
Snowboard Junior Champion (male)	Valentino Guseli
Snowboard Junior Champion (female)	Ali Guseli

CAC Cross Country Championships were held as part of the KAC on 5 August.

Men's Champion	Tim Greville
Women's Champion	Jenny McLeod
Junior Champion (male)	Alec Bell

Brumby and President's Cup were held on Upper Rollercoaster on 9 August.

Brumby cup winners were Lauren Wilson-Bygrave paired with Peter Veenstra with a combined time of 71.400 seconds.

The President's Cup knockouts (men's and women's) were won by Stephen Bygrave and Lauren Wilson-Bygrave.

The Balmain Cup was held on 5 September. After winning the Cup in 2014 CAC came 5th in 2015, which only challenges us succeed in 2016!

SnowSports ACT Award Winners

Laura Peel	Athlete of the Year
Valentino Guseli	Junior snowboarder of the Year
Andrew Kerr	Perisher Scholarship Winner

NSWACT Alpine Awards

Lara Agnew Under 14 Alpine
 William Brake Alpine rising star

Congratulations to all our CAC athletes. Full results for Club events have been published in Frozen Acres throughout the year, and all Club trophies are listed in Appendix 5.

Development Program

The Snowsports Development Program funded entry fees for Club members in the Club Championships (Alpine/Snowboard and XC), Brumby Cup, and the Balmain Cup. It also provided grants to four Junior members to assist with the cost of training programs, including associated accommodation. Details of development program expenditure is in Appendix 6.

SOCIAL

(Convenor: Chris McLennan)

The social activities of the Canberra Alpine Club are many and varied, with different management arrangements. The sub-committee organises some large scale annual events and considers policy issues such as pricing. Other activity, not managed by the sub-committee, occurs at Youth and Family weeks, work parties and ad hoc events.

In 2015, Canberra based functions were the Pre-Season Cocktail Party, held on 23 May in the Catchpole room at the Southern Cross Club at Jamison; the Annual Presentation Dinner on 31 October at the Mawson Club; and a re-introduced event for presentations to junior and youth members, a barbecue at the Black Mountain peninsula on 29 November. This was very successful and more appropriate for younger members than the evening dinner.

Perisher based events were the Club Championship Dinner on 25 July and the Brumby Cup Dinner on 15 August.

Thanks go to the following organisers: Judy Lejins, Club Championship Dinner, Lindy Down, Brumby Cup dinner, Louise Hodgman, Annual Presentation dinner and Amanda East, junior presentation barbecue.

Members of the social sub-committee were Chris McLennan, Denelda Bolt, Kristen Guseli, Louise Hodgman, and Rhonda Cunningham. Louise Hodgman resigned from the sub-committee in November 2015. Many thanks to Louise for her contribution and participation in social events over the years.

There has been declining interest in both attendance and participation at social events in recent years. The sub-committee has been asked to investigate whether the social calendar meets member needs and to consider alternatives. This may include consulting with members via an opinion survey.

PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT / JINDABYNE REDEVELOPMENT

(Convenor: Peter Cunningham)

We have completed our first full year of operations in the new Jindabyne Lodge. It has been very successful with very satisfying experiences for all users. Booking numbers and revenue have been right on the original projections which is very satisfying. The unexpected bonus has been the significant reduction in the loan interest costs to approximately 50% of the initial projections due to the very attractive loan facility we have with Westpac and the current low interest rates. This has enabled us to be ahead of our planned loan reduction target.

The Club's planning emphasis has been on the Jindabyne redevelopment for the past 5 or more years. The plan going forward is to reduce the Jindabyne loan debt as quickly as possible to enable the progression of the Perisher developments in a timely manner. We are probably a couple of years away from this position but the Lodges sub-committee is developing and estimating a co-ordinated project plan for Perisher which will encompass major projects such as the extension of the dining room into the rebuilt southern deck (stage 1 completed in 2013 with the decking rebuild), refurbishment of the basement, refurbishment of the old wing bedrooms, possible installation of ensuites in the new wing lower bedrooms (plumbing and wall layout pre-installed in original construction) and a number of other smaller projects.

The Committee is in the process of producing a ten (10) year strategic plan which will encompass all future lodge development as one of its central focuses.

MEMBERSHIP

(Convenor: Jenny McLeod)

As usual for recent years, membership offers were able to be made through the year as waiters became eligible. In many cases this meant waiters progressing to provisional status early in the year as they attended work parties, and then being offered full membership late in the year, or with their subscription renewals.

	2015
Honorary Life	8
Life	23
Ordinary	406
(50 yr)	(12)
(Gold)	(61)
Youth	52
Junior	55
Provisional	12
Total Members	556
Waiting List – Adult	18
Waiting List – Youth	2
Waiting List – Junior	18
Associated Ex-Members	39
Total Associates	77

Table 2 - Membership by Category 2015

The register of members (including the year elected to membership) and lists of associated persons form Appendix 7. Any errors should be notified to the Secretary or Administrative Officer.

Information on membership demographic trends is available in Part 3 of this report.

Obituaries

The Committee records with regret the deaths, in 2015, of Pat Bray, Graeme Hyles, and Ken Wilson – all life members.

Re-admission to Membership

During 2015, the Committee re-admitted six persons whose membership had lapsed.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

(Convenor: Jenny McLeod; Frozen Acres editor: Judy Lejins)

Several methods are used for communication with members (and non-members), and almost all communication methods underwent a revamp in 2015. The Club journal, *Frozen Acres*, remains the primary means of disseminating information about the Club and its activities to members; the email mailing list *Skimail* is used in particular for reminders and short-notice notifications; the website (www.cac.org.au) is currently mainly used for slow-changing information for both members and non-members; and the Facebook page is a less formal forum, where any member of the

group can exchange information and photos and discuss issues.

Eight issues of *Frozen Acres* were published and distributed to members in 2015. This was a smaller number than usual; the issues produced are (partly) governed by the number of members' contributions which are received. Articles are always appreciated by our readers, so members are asked to keep them coming in.

Lowes, the printers who have given us very good service over many years, retired in 2015. Fresh Creative has taken over the role; they have been able to reproduce clear photos which have enhanced our copies and they have been helpful in getting each edition printed on time. Stella continues to batch each issue and proofreads each article in her own time as she has done for some years now; this is much appreciated by the Editor.

The Club website was redesigned during the year to use WordPress, which has allowed easier updates as well as a more attractive site. It was also moved to another hosting company (NetVirtue) as our previous host Ilisys was gradually moving towards higher features (and higher costs) aimed at larger companies.

Skimail was again an important method of communication with members, with 17 Skimails being sent in 2015, and over 300 email recipients on the list. Skimail was also updated during the year, with emails now being sent using the MailChimp email management system. This allows better management of addressees, and also allows multiple people to be authorised to create and send emails.

The Club's Facebook group continues to be active, with members posting Club event updates and photos, snow updates, photos of their snow-related activities, information on events of interest, and sharing general snow-related posts – including of course Laura Peel's aerial skiing world championship win. The Facebook group includes several people not formally associated with the Club who have expressed an interest.

The Club's Personal Locator Beacon was borrowed four times in 2015, with one loan for a Club event and three for private trips. The PLB is available for loan to any member at no cost for bushwalking, skiing, or other expeditions, in order to improve safety for members on Club or private trips.

PART 3 – MEMBERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE

MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS

Details of the number of persons in each membership category in recent years are shown in Table 3. Membership changes are notified periodically in Frozen Acres.

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Hon. Life	6	7	7	6	7	8	8	7	7	8
Life	39	37	36	35	34	30	28	26	26	23
Ordinary	423	418	424	438	435	426	416	424	410	406
(50 yr & Gold)	(36)	(43)	(46)	(48)	(50)	(51)	(55)	(60)	(69)	(73)
Youth	41	37	39	44	46	48	53	57	60	52
Junior	73	77	82	71	72	75	69	70	63	55
Provisional	14	16	10	1	6	10	13	9	5	12
Totals	596	592	598	595	600	597	587	593	571	556
Waiting list (all classes)	89	70	66	72	54	56	46	24	28	38

Table 3 - Membership by Category 2006-2015

Table 4 shows the approximate age profile of the membership. As dates of birth are not routinely available for members joining prior to about 1970, and are also missing for some later members, the data has a significant amount of uncertainty, in particular for older age groups.

	<10	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80+
Members (all classes)	8	65	69	41	70	147	78	56	22
Waiting list (all classes)	6	13	3	2	8	5	1	0	0

Table 4 - Membership by Age 2015

The Constitution prevents the Committee from offering membership to persons resident more than 160 kilometres from the Canberra GPO (other than a partner or child of a member) whenever more than one third of the total membership is or would be residing more than 160 kilometres from the Canberra GPO. “In area” membership has increased in 2015, and is now slightly above 70% for the first time in many years.

Table 5 shows residence and gender trends over the previous decade.

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
% "In Area"	68.8%	68.6%	69.1%	69.2%	68.5%	68.8%	69.0%	69.8%	69.2%	70.8%
% Male	55.2%	52.9%	54.3%	53.9%	53.2%	52.4%	52.5%	52.3%	52.6%	52.1%

Table 5 – Membership trends

Membership Changes in 2015

The following persons were deleted from the register of members during 2015 (year of joining shown in parentheses):

Pat Bray (1957)	Conor McNamara (1983)
Stephen Brazenor (2006)	Karin McNamara (1964)
Simon Briggs (1983)	Olivia McNamara (2001)
Daniel Casey (2001)	Alexandra Norrie (2001)
Steven Chater (1996)	Caroline Norrie (2000)
Lewis DeLorenzo (1999)	Gilbert Norrie (2000)
Richard Finlayson (1980)	Jessica Pascall (1988)
Robin Gibson (1984)	Georgia Press (2001)
Helen Hemphill (1987)	Helen Prosser (1969)
John Hemphill (1987)	Gemma Stehlik (2007)
Christopher Hingee (2002)	Olivia Veenstra (2005)
Graeme Hyles (1964)	Ken Wilson (1960)

Fourteen adults, one youth, and two juniors were added to the register of members during 2015. These members are listed in the register of members in Appendix 7 with a joining year of 2015.

OTHER MANAGEMENT ISSUES

Executive Office Holders

During the year, the Committee appointed the following Executive Office holders:

Club Captain:	Teresa Harrington
Editor of <i>Frozen Acres</i> :	Judy Lejins

Public Officer

Tony Bolt was elected for a two year term as the Club's Public Officer at the 2015 AGM. He has served in the position since November 2006.

Auditor

Patrick Salter, of Salter Associates, was appointed at the 2015 AGM as auditor until the 2017 AGM.

Staff

The following staff were engaged on behalf of the Club during the year

Administrative Officer:	Stella McLaughlin
Perisher Manager/Caretaker:	Jill French

Club Records

The Club's records are presently stored at the residences of the Public Officer and Secretary. The few records held documenting Club activities and membership until the move to Perisher are generally fragile, in poor condition and incomplete. Archival action has continued to preserve and scan the older records and ensure that newer records do not deteriorate. Records held include photographs, construction drawings, minutes, *Frozen Acres*, membership records, accounting records and year books.

Affiliations

The Club is a corporate member of SLOPES (Ski Lodges Organisation of Perisher, Smiggins and Guthega Inc), Snowsports ACT, and KHA (Kosciuszko Huts Association).

SLOPES represents all 86 private lodges in the Perisher, Smiggins and Guthega area, and participates in a wide range of matters involving the governance of the Perisher area.

Snowsports ACT is the peak body governing competitive snowsports in the ACT. It conducts programs and events for elite and recreational skiers and snowboarders, and runs the annual Snowsports Sale and Expo in Canberra. Snowsports ACT also provides affiliation with SSA (Ski & Snowboard Australia), the nationally and internationally recognised authority governing competitive snowsports in Australia.

KHA assists with the conservation, management, and construction of huts and homesteads within Kosciuszko National Park and Namadgi National Park. Canberra Alpine Club is the KHA caretaker club for O'Keefe's Hut in the northern part of Kosciuszko National Park.

APPENDIX 1**WORK PARTY PARTICIPATION - 2015**

The following members attended a work party at a Club lodge, O'Keefe's Hut, or the Mount Franklin Chalet Precinct

Bruce Barnett	Josie Grayson	Bev McLeod
Angela Beatty	Ali Guseli	Ian McLeod
Phil Bell	Kristen Guseli	Jenny McLeod
Monika Binder	Ric Guseli	Allister
Doug Boast	Val Guseli	Polkinghorne
Tony Bolt	Geoff Hansen	Daanja Rensen
Ed Bristow	Teresa Harrington	Femke Rensen
Steve Bygrave	Lachlan Hatch	Peter Richards
Anne Campbell	Elizabeth Hodgman	John Sanders
Liam Cash	Louise Hodgman	Andrew Saw
Peter Cunningham	Paddy Hodgman	Kathy Saw
Rhonda	Lynette Johns-	Joachim Schoen
Cunningham	Boast	Steve Smith
Andrew Davies	Paul Kelly	Kathleen Waddell
Maija Davies	Dean Lange	Marilyn Wall
Otto Davies	Jet Lange	Linda Wells
Robert Eddy	Nina Lange	Anne-Marie Wilson
Jenny Gallagher	Judy Lejins	Kathryn Wingett
Fil Giles	Yvette Lejins	
Stan Goodhew	Margaret Mahoney	

The following people (many of whom were on the waiting list) also participated:

Lorraine Anderson	Greg Carman	James Hansen
Dominique Batch	Hunter Dawe	Angus Hatch
Alec Bell	Marcus Dawe	Jess Hatch
Magnus Bell	Sophia De	Conrad Jolly
Adele Bottom	Crespigny	Genevieve Jolly
Alice Cameron	Dave Drohan	Graeme Jolly
Dougal Cameron	Lala Faith	Isabella Jolly
Hamish Cameron	Wendy Grayson	Sebastian Jolly

Rosemary	Aidan Parker	Glenn Smith
Jovanovic	Ella Parker	Dana Stewart-
Briege Kelly	Nick Parker	Thompson
Winter Lange	Susan Parker	Jeremy Thompson
Geoff McCarthy	Chris Pittaway	Ben Tyhouse
Sally McCarthy	Alison	Willi Tyhouse
Portia McKay	Polkinghorne	Lloyd Weedall
Zaden McKay	Jeanette Schwarz	Nick Willey
Matthew O'Toole	Mick Simpson	

Apologies to anyone who participated, but is not listed above.

APPENDIX 2**LODGE OCCUPANCY DATA 2009-2015**

(Bed/nights occupied per month)

Jindabyne (capacity 12 beds from 2007 – 30 beds from 2014)

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	14-15 variation	
Jan	42	28	72	53	66	0	198	198	
Feb	16	85	94	105	50	0	90	90	
Mar	91	103	91	81	137	0	58	58	
Apr	76	73	79	130	109	0	123	123	
May	71	26	32	62	67	0	60	60	
Jun	68	69	70	135	71	0	150	150	
Jul	342	252	288	295	288	0	459	459	
Aug	357	273	274	235	225	296	375	79	
Sep	52	148	115	149	58	150	119	-31	
Oct	28	74	3	35	0	38	27	-11	
Nov	14	11	5	17	0	135	146	11	
Dec	<u>2</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>268</u>	<u>48</u>	
	1,159	1,184	1,153	1,441	1,071	839	2,073	1,234	147.1%

Perisher (capacity 44 beds from 2008)

Jan	542	144	119	163	282	86	311	225	
Feb	265	320	179	311	172	259	247	-12	
Mar	258	364	403	232	368	165	184	19	
Apr	207	150	246	132	70	331	229	-102	
May	45	23	42	0	21	63	85	22	
Jun	89	65	86	290	176	156	229	73	
Jul	1247	1033	1085	1243	1266	1287	1025	-262	
Aug	1153	964	1048	988	1061	1064	889	-175	
Sep	100	325	229	566	296	367	313	-54	
Oct	104	11	181	68	0	61	2	-59	
Nov	70	61	141	102	60	40	21	-19	
Dec	<u>173</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>67</u>	
	4,253	3,547	3,925	4,238	3,901	3,957	3,680	-277	-7.0%

Both Lodges

Totals	5,412	4,731	5078	5679	4,972	4796	5753	957	20.0%
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APPENDIX 3

COMPLIMENTARY ACCOMMODATION

<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Location</i>	
<i>Night(s)</i>			
Lloyd Meehan	Meeting with NSW Planning	Jindabyne	1
Judy Lejins	C'ship Dinner Coordinator	Perisher	1
Lindy Down	Brumby Dinner Coordinator	Perisher	1
Kristen Guseli	Family Week Coordinator	Perisher	6
Femke Rensen	Youth Week Coordinator	Perisher	6
Peter Cunningham	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	1
Rhonda Cunningham	Balmain Cup Organiser	Jindabyne	1
Isaac Dugdale	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	1
Robert Eddy	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	1
Kristen Guseli	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Valentino Guseli	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Liz Hodgman	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Tom Kenyon	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	1
Dean Lange	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Nina Lange	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Margaret Mahoney	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	2
Jenny McLeod	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	2
Matt Thomas	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	2
Jordan Thompson	Balmain Cup Competitor	Perisher	1
Wil Trewartha	Balmain Cup Competitor	Jindabyne	1
Kathryn Wingett	Balmain Cup Organiser	Jindabyne	2
Total			40

Notes:

Approximately 56 complimentary bed-nights were also provided for participants in Nordic Shelter work parties (mostly non-members).

DISCOUNTED ACCOMMODATION

Discounted accommodation was provided for 204 bed nights for a group from the AIS for a training program in January 2015, and for 24 bed nights for a group of volunteers from Greening Australia undertaking weed identification and removal in February 2015.

Early Confirmation of Saturday Night Accommodation

<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Night(s)</i>
Valentino Guseli	Snowboard development program	8
Ric/Kristen Guseli	Accompanying parent	8
Andrew Kerr	WSC Alpine Competition Program	9
Jennifer Kerr	WSC Alpine Competition Program	9
Ross Kerr/Erica Lejins	Accompanying parent	9
Jet Lange	WSC Snowboard Dev Program	8
Dean/Nina Lange	Accompanying parent	8
Jenny McLeod	Blue Cow Masters	6
Linda Wells	Perisher Instructor Training	4
Kathryn Wingett	Blue Cow Masters	6
	Total	75

Note: The above table shows the approvals that were granted, not the accommodation that was booked. Not all approvals of early confirmation of Saturday night bookings were necessarily booked due to injury or other reasons. In general, flexibility for the accompanying parent of juniors was explicitly approved, and in these cases the individuals may have changed from those listed above.

APPENDIX 4**LODGE PARTY LEADERS**

The Committee records its appreciation to the following members who served as leaders at the Lodges during the 2015 Peak Season:

PERISHER

Adrian Beresford-
Wylie
Stephen Bygrave
Leon Down
Geraldine Foley
Garry Fry
Kristen Guseli
Jane Halton
Paddy Hodgman

Peter Holmes
Kerry Keneally
Ric Kenyon
Tanya Mark
Margaret
McCawley
Andrew McIntyre
Amanda Miller

Femke Rensen
Fran Sanders
Kathy Saw
Steve Smith
Simon Tilley
Linda Wells
Sandra Woolacott

JINDABYNE

Jane Boardman
Doug Boast
Andrew Campbell
Anne Campbell
Peter Cunningham

Rhonda
Cunningham
Mark King
Nina Lange
Yvette Lejins

Jono Lineen
Margaret Mahoney
Lachlan McKenzie
Ernst Wilhelm
Jon Wilson

APPENDIX 5**2015 TROPHIES AND AWARDS****Club Champions***Alpine*

Men (Don Olbry Slalom Cup): Tom Kenyon

Women: Lauren Wilson-Bygrave

Boys (Hewson Trophy): Andrew Kerr

Girls: Caitlin Wilson-Bygrave

Cross Country

Men (Casey Trophy): Tim Greville

Women: Jenny McLeod

Boys (Dalheim Trophy): Alec Bell

Girls (Dalheim Trophy): not awarded

Jump

Not awarded

Snowboard

Men (Wilson Cup): Valentino Guseli

Women (Collins Cup): Nina Lange

Boys: Valentino Guseli

Girls: Ali Guseli

Awards

Lane-Poole Trophy: Kristen Guseli

Adam Boling Youth Award: Annabelle Ledger

Peter Wilson Trophy: Will Crowe

Outstanding Contribution Trophy: Mark King

U-Need-A-Plumber Junior Encouragement Cup: Jennifer Kerr

Club Events

President's Cup Men: Stephen Bygrave; Women: Lauren Wilson-Bygrave

Brumby Cup: Peter Veenstra/Lauren Wilson-Bygrave

Social Slider: Jon Wilson; Social Glider: Olivia Beatty

Brocklehurst Parent/Child: Stephen Bygrave/Lauren Wilson-Bygrave

Wombat Cup (most improved female athlete): Ali Guseli

Wombat Cup (most improved male athlete): Jet Lange

Novice Cups: Kieran Savery; Zoe Veenstra

Veterans Trophy (Men): Steve Smith ; (Women): Sybilla Elvin

DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROVIDED 2006-2015

Total Value of Benefits to Individuals (includes value of accommodation)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Total
Brigette Boast	358	292									650
Claire Boast	358	275									633
Katie Calder Bridgette			750	1,500							2,250
Cunningham	304	238	452	400							1,394
Sally Cunningham		238									238
Valentino Guseli							822	836		948	2,606
Ariel Ivanovici		438									438
Andrew Kerr						560	822	812	892	948	4,034
Jennifer Kerr					780	580	822	788	892	948	4,810
Jet Lange										948	948
India Murphy					780						780
Katya Murphy					780						780
Laura Peel	336			750	1,000	2,500	2,500	3,000	2,500		12,586
Shauna Rigby	438	438	388	470	780						2,514
Damien Russet	388	375	362								1,125
Ben Sim	200		750	1,500	1,000						3,450
Michelle Smith	438										438
Elliott Sutton					780						780
Caitlin Wilson- Bygrave							822	836	892		2,550
Lauren Wilson- Bygrave						720	822	836			2,378
subtotals	2,820	2,294	2,702	4,620	5,900	4,360	6,610	7,108	5,176	3,792	45,382
Group Events	2,058	2,484	4,030	3,371	3,280	4,961	4,260	3,425	4,610	4,120	<u>35,046</u>
Totals	4,878	4,778	6,732	7,991	9,180	9,321	10,870	10,533	9,786	7,912	80,622

APPENDIX 7**REGISTER OF MEMBERS**

at 31 December 2015

Year preceding name indicates when elected to membership

Errors should be brought to the attention of the Secretary

HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

1950 BAGNALL, Alan	1980 HATCH, Lyndall
1996 CUNNINGHAM, Peter	1959 MCLEOD, Ian
1986 DELORENZO, Sam	1977 SMITH, Ross
1972 EAST, Amanda	1972 TILLEY, John

LIFE MEMBERS

+ denotes no recent contact and therefore not included in count of members

1960 ALLEN, William +	1958 LANIGAN, Margaret
1960 AUJARD, Jennifer	1955 LEDGER, David
1955 BAGNALL, Barbara	1960 MAY, Simon +
1955 BENNETT, Jessie	1960 MCCONNELL, Albert +
1964 BRENT, Peter	1964 MCKEOWN, Robin
1964 BRENT, Ronald	1956 MILLER, Rob
1960 BURFIELD, Tren	1961 OVERALL, Andrew
1961 CHAFFER, Lin	1961 OVERALL, Michael
1960 COLLINS, Corinne	1961 OVERALL, Tim
1964 DAVIS, Jeanette +	1961 PALL, Stephen
1960 DOWLING, Peter	1959 ROUTLEY, Althea
1956 FRAME, Fred +	1958 THOMPSON, Esther +
1961 GORMAN, Joan	1956 THOMPSON, Ian +
1960 HARVIE, Bob	1958 WATSON, Colin
1962 HAYWOOD, Patricia	1959 WHITNALL, Barbara +
1961 HAYWOOD, Phil	1959 WHITNALL, Warren +
1955 HILLS, Elaine +	
1968 KILPINEN, Paddy +	

ORDINARY MEMBERS**50 Year Members**

1962 BANBURY, Geoff	1955 GOODHEW, Stan
1956 BARNETT, David	1960 MCLEOD, Bev
1956 BARNETT, Michael	1956 PROSSER, David
1961 CHENEY, Phil	1962 PROSSER, Rae
1964 FOLEY, Geraldine	1961 TORMEY, Sally
1961 GARLICK, Marina	1961 WHITE, Geoff

Gold Members

1966 ANDERSSEN, Jennifer	1975 COLMAN, Bill
1967 ARNOTT, Bob	1973 COOK, Margaret
1965 ARNOTT, Pam	1967 DAWSON, David
1972 ASTON, Margaret	1967 DAWSON, James
1964 BROCKLEHURST, Richard	1975 DOWLING, Margie
1972 BYGRAVE, Tricia	1964 DOWN, Lindy
1972 CAIN, Ted	1967 DUNN, Jane
1967 CHENEY, Cynthia	1972 EAST, Michael

1965 EDWARDS, Robert
 1970 ELVIN, David
 1974 GAME, David
 1965 GIBSON, Trevor
 1972 GRETTON, Paul
 1970 HANSEN, Diane
 1977 HAWKES, Debbie
 1967 HINGEE, Cedric
 1975 HODGMAN, Louise
 1965 HOLMES, Peter
 1967 HOLT, Timothy
 1964 HYLES, Stephen
 1968 IVANOVICI, Angela
 1973 JENNINGS, Helen
 1977 JOHNS-BOAST, Lyn
 1974 KENYON, David
 1964 LOCKWOOD, Sally
 1964 LUKERSMITH, Susan
 1964 MACPHILLAMY, Christopher
 1970 MCLENNAN, Christine
 1964 MOLAN, Heidi
 1970 NORTHROP, Diane
 1967 O'KEEFE, Lyndel

1977 O'NEILL, Helen
 1977 O'NEILL, Terry
 1964 PALL, Leslie
 1969 PARSONS, Frank
 1977 PASCALL, John
 1977 PASCALL, Laurel
 1968 PEARSON, Betty
 1977 PEARSON, Warwick
 1973 PETERSON, Bruce
 1973 PETERSON, Victoria
 1970 POWELL, Daryl
 1968 REOCH, Clare
 1967 SAUNDERS, Gray
 1975 SNEDDEN, Andrew
 1974 SOLAGA, Ted
 1978 STENHOUSE, Tony
 1966 STEWART, Anne
 1968 TORMEY, Peter
 1965 WALLNER, Bruce
 1966 WHITE, Sally
 1970 WILLHEIM, Ernst
 1970 WILLHEIM, Mary Louise
 1973 WOOLACOTT, Sandra

+ indicates provisional member

2004 ABRAHAM, Brett
 1999 ABRAHAM, Peter
 2000 ABRAHAM, Thomas
 1999 AGNEW, Laura
 1986 AGNEW, Nevin
 1993 AGNEW, Styliani
 2013 ALIDENES, Nina
 2015 ANDERSON, Lorraine
 2005 ANDREW, Gabrielle
 2002 ARNOLD, Linda
 1989 ARNOLD, Ron
 1990 ASHTON, Anthony
 1973 ATKINSON, Susan
 2012 ATTREED, Sue
 1982 BAIN, Alan
 1997 BAKER, Andrew
 2008 BAKER, Bronwyn Anne
 1983 BANBURY, Nicholas
 1995 BARCLAY, Gregg
 2007 BARNETT, Bruce
 2007 BARNETT, Jane
 1984 BARNETT, John
 1984 BARNETT, Paul
 2014 BEATTY, Angela

2006 BELL, Andrew
 2015 BELL, Phillip +
 2000 BERESFORD-WYLIE, Adrian
 2001 BERESFORD-WYLIE, Nicholas
 2014 BERESFORD-WYLIE, Serena
 1999 BINDER, Monika
 1999 BOARDMAN, Jane
 2013 BOARDMAN, Robert
 2003 BOAST, Claire
 1995 BOAST, Douglas
 1985 BOLLARD, Anthea
 2000 BOLT, Alice
 2000 BOLT, Denelda
 2000 BOLT, Sarah
 2000 BOLT, Tony
 1999 BOSLER, John
 2003 BOTTOM, Craig
 1999 BOURIS, Angela
 2013 BRAKE, Roger
 1987 BRAY, Debbie
 1972 BRAY, Fiona
 2006 BRAZENOR, Cheryl
 1990 BRENNAN, Christopher
 1982 BRENNAN, Jenni

1997 BRIGHT, Craig
 1997 BRIGHT, Sharron
 2015 BRISTOW, Ed +
 1973 BROCKLEHURST, Adrian
 1988 BRODRICK, Natalie
 1991 BUDD, Dianna
 2000 BUDD, Hamilton
 1999 BUDD, Henry
 2000 BURFIELD, Margaret
 1976 BYGRAVE, Lee
 1977 BYGRAVE, Louise
 1976 BYGRAVE, Stephen
 2005 BYRNE, Peter
 1983 CAIN, Andrew
 1997 CAIN, Callan
 1983 CAIN, David
 1997 CAIN, Jason
 1985 CAIN, Kathryn
 1996 CALDER, Katie
 1980 CALLAGHAN, Melanie
 1981 CAMERON, James
 1976 CAMPBELL, Andrew
 2007 CAMPBELL, Anne
 2014 CAMPOS MACHEHA, Leo
 1986 CAMPOS-PASCALL, Amanda
 1996 CARR, Judith
 2004 CAVENAGH, Gillian
 2011 CHALMERS, Kate
 1987 CODY, Jackie
 2006 COLL, Anne
 1971 COLLINS, Sarah
 1999 COLQUHOUN, Peter
 2000 COMENSOLI, Brendan
 2000 COMENSOLI, William
 1986 COOK, Robert
 2009 CORE, Bruce
 2009 CORE, Katina
 2012 CORE, Nash
 2008 CROWE, Andra
 1996 CUNNINGHAM, Rhonda
 1996 CUNNINGHAM, Sally
 1996 CUNNINGHAM, Scott
 1996 DALEY, Pip
 1995 DALHEIM, Brenda
 1966 DALHEIM, Carl Sterling
 1965 DALHEIM, Halvard
 2005 DAVIES, Andrew
 1978 DAWSON, Andrew
 1984 DE PLATER, John
 2001 DEAN, Annette
 1985 DIAMOND, Rob
 2012 DICKENS, Lesley
 2007 DICKS, Cathy
 2007 DICKS, Daniel
 1979 DOW, Sarah
 1996 DOWN, Jessica
 1996 DOWN, Katie
 1983 DOWN, Leon
 2011 DOWNES, Peter
 2001 DUGDALE, Paul
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 2004 DURNELL, Jeffrey
 1972 EAST, David
 1991 EAST, Lesley
 1995 EDDY, Robert
 1984 EGAN, Christopher
 2004 EGAN, Patricia
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 2005 ELVIN, Sybilla
 2012 EMMERSON, Ashley
 1983 FINLAYSON, Gordon
 1982 FINLAYSON, Michael
 1995 FORBES, Dennis
 2002 FOSTER, Alexander
 1999 FOSTER, Deborah
 1999 FOSTER, Michael
 2002 FOSTER, Solomon
 1996 FRAIN, Andrew
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 2012 FRY, Garry
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 2013 GANNON, Tim
 2015 GILDING, Simeon +
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 2006 GRACZYK, Julia
 2015 GRAYSON, Josie +
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 2007 GUSELI, Kristen
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 2000 HAHN, Andrew
 2007 HAHN, Christopher
 2014 HALL, Jill
 1991 HALTON, Jane
 1986 HANSEN, Geoff
 2015 HANSEN, James +
 1998 HARDING, Gwen

2007 HARDY, Amanda
 1997 HARRINGTON, Teresa
 1965 HARRIS, Karina
 2001 HASSALL, Mark
 1988 HASSALL, Sue
 1983 HATCH, Hal
 1990 HATCH, Lachlan
 1989 HEMPHILL, Peter
 2006 HODGMAN, James
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 1998 HOOTON, Bob
 1989 HORNE, Margaret
 1977 HORNE, Rodney
 1995 HORSNELL, Leon
 2012 HOWLAND, Joe
 2007 IVANOVICI, Ariel
 1996 JAMIESON, Anthony
 1996 JAY, Diane
 2009 JOHANSON, Darren James
 1984 JOHNSON, Helen
 1991 JOHNSON, Richard
 2015 JOLLY, Graeme +
 2015 JOLLY, Isabella +
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 2011 JONES, Jane Roberta
 2015 JOVANOVIC, Rosemary +
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 2010 KELLY, Kieran
 2012 KELLY, Paul
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 2001 KERR, Ross
 2001 KING, Ben
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 2000 KING, Mark
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 2011 KITCHINGS, Sterling
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 1998 LA SPADA, Frank
 2010 LANGE, Dean Douglas
 2010 LANGE, Nina Karolina
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 1993 LAWRENCE, Katrina
 1989 LAY, Lurne
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 2007 LEDGER, Anne
 1967 LEDGER, Charles
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 1990 LEJINS, Judith
 2005 LEJINS, Yvette
 1995 LEVINGSTON, John
 2000 LEVINGSTON, Roderick
 2012 LEVINGSTON, Sun-A
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 2013 LINEEN, Jonathon Roland
 2008 LUCAS, Jeremy
 2000 LUKERSMITH, Oscar
 2000 LUKERSMITH, Sophie
 2010 MAHONEY, Margaret
 2005 MALECKY, George
 2003 MARK, Tanya
 2001 MARTIN, Chelsey
 1982 MAYBURY, Tony
 2014 MAYBURY, Virginia
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 2004 MCINTYRE, Andrew
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 1998 MILLER, Graham
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 1993 MOTEN, Sally
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 1996 MYLEK, Mark
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 2014 O'DONNELL, Matt
 2013 OBOHOV, Paul
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 2007 OSWALD, Deborah
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 2006 POLKINGHORNE, Allister
 2007 POTTS, Margaret
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 1987 QUACH, Michael
 1986 QUACH, Paul
 1995 QUADRACCIA, Luciano
 2001 RAMSAY, Jane
 2006 RANSOME, Rosalind
 2012 RASHID, Amin
 2013 RENSEN, Femke
 1994 RICHARDS, Peter
 1972 RICHARDSON, Rebecca
 2002 RIGBY, Colin
 2011 RILEY, Jessica Ruth
 2005 ROSE, Louise
 1999 ROSS, Roderick
 1996 RUSSELL, Bill
 2001 RUSSET, Martine
 1995 SANDERS, Frances
 1988 SANDERS, John
 2000 SANDERS, Richard
 2010 SARAFA, Niti
 1983 SAVERY, Mandy
 2012 SAVERY, Mark
 1987 SAW, Andrew
 1986 SAW, Kathy
 2014 SCHOEN, Joachim
 2015 SCHWARZ, Jeanette +
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 1973 SEE, Miranda
 1999 SEE, Patrick
 2013 SEVERINO, Audrey
 2013 SEVERINO, Luis
 2015 SMITH, Glenn
 2014 SMITH, Lynda
 2005 SMITH, Michelle
 2005 SMITH, Stephen
 1997 SOUTHGATE, Clare
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 2001 SPRY, Annabel
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2001 BELL, Dominic	2013 MCKENZIE, Kelsey
2013 BOARDMAN, Arthur	2010 MCKENZIE, Zachary
2013 BOARDMAN, Sam	2010 MURPHY, Katya
2003 BOAST, Brigette	2002 PAGANO, Guy
2012 BRENNAN, Fiona	2001 PAGANO, Samuel
2001 BROCKLEHURST, Megan	2008 RANSOME-GILDING, Edmund
2003 BROCKLEHURST, Sarah	2013 RENSEN, Daanja
2002 CARPENTER, Lucy	2001 RIGBY, Shauna
2011 COMENSOLI, Georgia	2008 RILEY, Thomas
2009 CROWE, Alexandra	2001 RUSSET, Damien
2009 CROWE, Phoebe	2008 RYAN, Patrick
2000 CUNNINGHAM, Bridgette	2007 SEE, Frederick
2006 DUGDALE, Kate	2007 SEE, Philippa
2006 DUGDALE, Isaac	2004 SPRY, Sophie
2000 EAST, Declan	1999 SUTTON, Elliott
2002 EAST, Madison	2003 TENNANT, Ashleigh
2003 ELVIN, Morgan	2011 TREWARTHA, Lucy
2002 GREEN, Edward	2011 TREWARTHA, Will
2002 GREEN, William	2005 VEENSTRA, Zoe
2001 HASSALL, Alison	2012 WELCH, Cailah
2002 HASSALL, Patrick	2003 WHITFIELD, Patrick
2015 KELLY, Briega +	2007 WHITFIELD, Sarah
2007 KENEALLY, Liam	2006 WILSON-BYGRAVE, Lauren
2000 KENYON, Bethany	2004 WOOD, Travis
2001 KENYON, Lindsay	2004 WOOD, Tyson

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2008 AGNEW, Thomas	2013 GUSELI, Alessandra
2007 AUSTIN, Elyse	2012 GUSELI, Valentino
2010 BAKER, Max	2015 HATCH-MCKENDRICK, Angus
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2010 BALDWIN, Nicholas	2006 HODGMAN, Elizabeth
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2013 BRAKE, Sarah	2008 KENYON, Alice
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2014 CAMPOS-PASCALL, Natalia	2005 KERR, Jennifer
2013 CASH, Liam	2013 LANGE, Jet
2012 CORE, Josh	2006 LEDGER, Duncan
2009 CROWE, Dimity	2014 MAYBURY, Sasa
2009 CROWE, William	2013 MILLER, Amelie
2008 DAVIES, Luke	2010 MURPHY, India
2011 DAVIES, Maija	2014 O'DONNELL, Sam
2010 DAVIES, Otto	2007 POLKINGHORNE, Ella
2012 DAVIES, Rachel	2006 RANSOME-GILDING, Olivia
2012 DAWSON, Hamish	2007 RASHID, Mia
2012 DAWSON, Lily	2008 RASHID, Zara
2007 ELVIN, Lauren	2011 RILEY, Gabrielle
2011 GUPTA, Priya	2011 RILEY, Peter

2011 RILEY, Samuel
 2012 SAVERY, Kieran
 2012 SAVERY, Neve
 2013 SEVERINO, Dylan
 2011 TILLEY, Natasha
 2013 TILLEY, Rebecca

2006 VEENSTRA, Jake
 2007 WHITFIELD, Emma
 2013 WILSON, Mirabel
 2013 WILSON, Sabina
 2006 WILSON-BYGRAVE, Caitlin

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 DAWE, Hunter *
 DAWE, Marcus

EAST, Marcella *
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 Jemima *
 GREVILLE, Harriet *
 HARDY, Hamish +
 JOLLY, Conrad *
 JOLLY, Sebastian *
 LANGE, Winter *
 MCCARTHY, Geoff
 MCCARTHY, Rory +
 MCCARTHY, Sally

MCFADDEN, Sally
 MOORE, Jason
 MOORE, Olivia *
 NUTTALL, Meg
 O'TOOLE, Matthew
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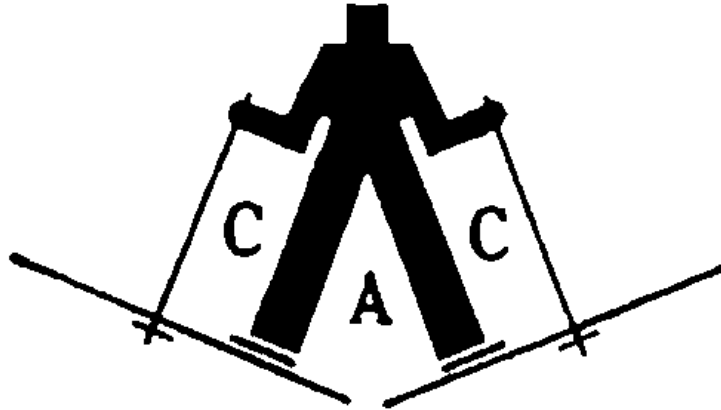
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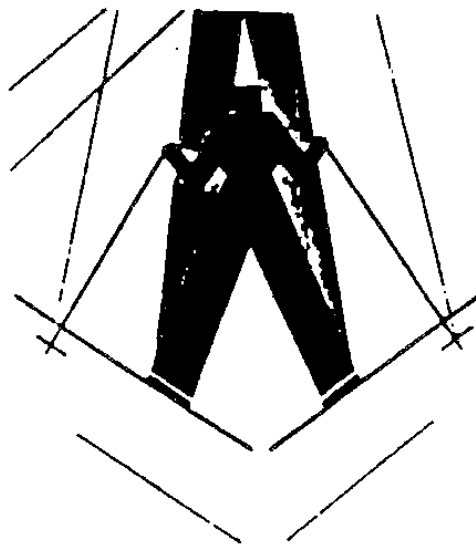
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THE CLUB BADGE

The distinctive Club badge is quite unlike the badges of more recently formed ski clubs and is typical of the skiing era in which it was designed.



The original badge design, shown above, appeared in December 1936 on a brochure explaining the objects of the Club 'to the citizens of Canberra'. According to the Club's foundation Treasurer, Mr J.C. Anderson, it was adapted from the design, shown below, which appeared on the dust cover of the 1935 Ski Year Book. That design is attributed to a Mrs de Gruchy, who was said to be a member of the Ski Club of Victoria.



This original design changed after some time to a blue diamond with the skier herring-boning in yellow, thus utilising the then national colours, which have also been those of the Club for many years. These colours were adopted by the Territory upon obtaining self-Government (but ceased to be the national colours in the 1980s when the unofficial sporting colours of green and gold were formally adopted by the Commonwealth).

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