

Gymnastics  
Australia  
Annual  
Report  
2011





The difference  
between machinery  
and the human  
body is unyielding.  
The former wears  
out with use, while  
the latter is perfected  
in motion.

Prof. Bruno Grandi, FIG President

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Our Vision:  
Gymnastics is a lifestyle,  
not only a sport

## Life Members

### Patron:

The Hon. Robert Ellicott O.C.

### Gymnastics:

Harry Morris – VIC\*  
 Bill Wilson – NSW\*  
 Jack Carey – VIC\*  
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 Murray Chessell – VIC  
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 Helen Colagiuri – NSW

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 Sydney Hurlle – VIC\*  
 Ian Irvine – NSW\*  
 Ernest Blamires – NSW  
 Len Ransom – QLD  
 Fred Austine – NSW  
 Kay Stevenson – SA

\* Deceased

## Mission

To promote, develop and increase participation in gymnastics from grass roots to elite, through the provision of best quality programmes, products and services

## Strategic Priorities

1. Demonstrate the proven link between gymnastics, health and education, and secure government funds for implementation of projects and programs.
2. Adopt a national model for the operations of cheer leading and aerobics.
3. Create a stronger presence in the 12-16 year old market.
4. Implement a targeted national high performance plan to maximise Olympic medal opportunities.
5. Offer integrated education to strengthen the career pathways for coaches, officials and administrators.
6. Make more efficient the gymnastics systems and processes on a national wide basis.
7. Investigate the pros and cons of a non-federated model, and if proven beneficial, gain agreement for implementation.

Above: 2011. Artistic World Championships, WAG Team Finals.

## Partners



## 2011 National Office Staff

Catherine Clark	Chief Executive Officer
Karen Norden	Business Manager
Alistair Edgar	National Events Manager (secondment)
Suimai Hare	Membership Administrator
Maris Haryadi	Membership Database/ IT Coordinator (Jan – May)
Henny Ningsih	Database Administrator (Aug - ongoing)
Sue James	Finance Administrator
Kiera Sjogren	National Office Administrator
Linda Pettit	Education Manager (Jan – May)
Brooke Irvine	Industry Training and Development Manager (from Aug)
Brooke Sargeant	GA Educate Contractor
Martin Kurz	G-Educate Project Officer (Apr – Dec)
Timothy Robertson	G-Educate Project Officer
Adam Sachs	High Performance Manager
Rachel Millar	Sports Administrator
Stephanie Moorhouse	Women's & Men's National Program Manager
Geoff Rietschel	Club Services/ Membership Manager
Marcus Leslie	Project Manager – Youth and Schools
Karon Williams	Rhythmic Gymnastics & Sport Aerobics Program Manager (Jan – Aug)
Petrina Hutchinson	Gymnastics For All Program Manager
Tessa Storey	Trampoline Sports & Acrobatic Gymnastics Program Manager (from Apr)
Russell Smart	Trampoline Sports & Acrobatic Gymnastics Program Manager (Jan – Mar)
Kelly Marshall	Cheerleading Program Manager (Feb – Jun)
John Curtin	Men's National Coach
Peggy Liddick	Women's National Coach
Nikolay Zhuravlev	Trampoline National Coach
Joanne Richards	Women's National Junior Development Coordinator

### Board of Directors

Ken Williamson – President (until Oct); Elected Director (from Nov)  
 George Tatai – Vice President  
 Grant Harrison – Elected Director (until Oct); President (from Nov)  
 Val Beddoe – Elected Director  
 Michael Burnett – Elected Director  
 Margot Foster – Appointed Director (until Oct)  
 Ian Bartlett – Appointed Director  
 Jacqui Briggs-Weatherill – Appointed Director (from Dec)  
 Tim Frampton – Appointed Director (from Dec)

### Commission Chairpersons

Daren Wolfe – Men's Gymnastics Technical Director  
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 Teresa Evans – Rhythmic Gymnastics Technical Director  
 Karon Williams – Sport Aerobics Technical Director  
 Mike Kelso – Trampoline Sports Technical Director  
 Andrew Saba – Acrobatic Gymnastics Technical Director

### FIG Representatives

George Tatai – FIG Council  
 Kym Dowdell – FIG Women's Technical Committee

### Athletes' Commission

Ian Bartlett – Chairman  
 Naazmi Johnston – Commission Member  
 Philippe Rizzo – Commission Member  
 Damian Ryan – Commission Member  
 Allana Slater – Commission Member

## 2011 Office Bearers

**The year before an Olympics is a balance between delivering the *here and now*, while always keeping an eye on the horizon. A significant calendar of programs and events was flavoured with anticipation, as preparations and plans for London 2012 gathered steam.**

As if to signal we had shifted up gears, we were treated to a world class gymnastics spectacle in the form of the 2011 World Gymnaestrada, in Switzerland. For the Olympic codes, this year was a nail-biting quest for Olympic qualification at World Championship events. All the while, 2011 was threaded with a sense of review, innovation and rejuvenation, as we enthusiastically launched into the development and delivery of new participation projects.

Importantly, with two years remaining on the Gymnastics Australia Strategic Plan, significant strides were made towards the achievement of the strategic goals set in 2009.

### High Performance

After decisions taken in 2010, Gymnastics Australia transitioned to a fully camps-based, decentralised high performance model in 2011. As a result, we gave a significant boost to our investment in our State Institute and Academy partners. The implementation of a new stream of performance funding began, to recognise and reward State programs delivering world class results. Approximately \$560,000 was directly invested into our high performance system partners. This included a 50% increase on previous levels of base funding. In total, Gymnastics Australia invested approximately \$2.3 million in high performance programs and athletes in 2011. Gymnastics Australia would like to acknowledge the support offered by the Australian Institute of Sport (AIS) and Australian Sports Commission (ASC) in the transition towards a fully camps-based high performance model. This support, especially for our athletes, was vital.

On the back of the 21 medals won at the Delhi Commonwealth Games, 2011 delivered a more modest report card in terms of medals at benchmark events. Across all disciplines and international events, Australia claimed 126 medals in 2011. Our disappointment at not securing a medal at the Artistic World Championships in Japan, was lessened by the fact that we achieved our main goal – qualifying for the London 2012 Olympic Games. Australia qualified a Women's Artistic

## Report from the Chairman and CEO

Team, following a top 8 finish at the World Championships. Lauren Mitchell's performance on Floor has firmed her as a hot favourite for a medal in this, her pet event. Australia qualified spots in the Men's Artistic Gymnastics and Men's Trampoline following fantastic performances by our athletes at the London Olympic Test Event (January 2012). Australia will also be represented in Rhythmic Gymnastics at the 2012 Olympic Games, with Janine Murray securing the continental quota place for Oceania, based on her performance at the 2011 World Championships.

These achievements, and the opportunity to strive for that elusive Olympic medal, are the work of a collaborative and focused network of high performance partners. Gymnastics Australia recognises the investment, commitment and support of the Australian Sports Commission (ASC), the Australian Institute of Sport, the Australian Olympic Committee and the Australian Commonwealth Games Association. We also acknowledge and thank each of our program delivery partners – Western Australian Institute of Sport, Victorian Institute of Sport, Queensland Academy of Sport, New South Wales Institute of Sport and South Australian Sport Institute – your continued commitment to our high performance program provides our athletes with the pathway to become world class.

### Participation

Every four years, the International Gymnastics Federation (FIG) conducts a World Gymnaestrada. In 2011, the 14th World Gymnaestrada was held in Lausanne with 19,000 participants from 54 countries. Gymnastics Australia organised a team of 130 participants who took part in what is known as the biggest gymnastics festival in the world. Congratulations to the Australian team who not only won accolades for their performances, but were asked to perform in the closing ceremony.

The participation area received an injection of resources thanks to new funding secured in 2010. The major focus for the year was developing a national approach to growing

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participation in the 0-12 year old population. Our dream is to provide every Australian child with an opportunity to experience gymnastics. We are therefore committed to building awareness and improving access to our sport. The need to compete in a growing and highly competitive sport and recreation market, gave rise to the *LaunchPad* initiative – the national brand for a suite of programs targeting participation for 0-12 year olds, in addition to coach and teacher education packages. The development of *LaunchPad* is designed to strengthen the claim that gymnastics is the nursery of Australian sport – kids who start in gymnastics can go anywhere. Although the initiative is only in its infancy, we are excited about its potential to grow our membership and the profile of our sport.

## Events

The final year under the existing national event format saw Gymnastics Australia deliver seven national championship events, in five different States across Australia, and in seven different stadiums. This is a massive logistical undertaking and requires enormous input and contribution from our Staff. We extend our appreciation and recognition to all GA and State Association staff plus the 175 judges, 222 officials and 110 volunteers around Australia for delivering these events. Add to these numbers in excess of 1,200 athletes who competed at the various championship events and the scale of the task becomes evident.

As a result of community feedback and financial realities, in 2012 Gymnastics Australia will implement a new national event format. The strain of the current model on our people and finances makes evolution essential. We believe our Gymsports are a great product in the sports entertainment market; the challenge is to package events to attract investment and profile. Doing so will enable Gymnastics Australia to deliver the best event experience possible for all athletes and members of our community. 2012 will be our first step towards this vision.

## Membership and Education

Having identified many areas where we need to improve and modernize, a key theme this year was *innovation and improvement*. We made a start on key projects of long-term and strategic importance. A snap shot of the main projects includes:

- 2011 saw Gymnastics Australia and Gymnastics Tasmania enter into a landmark partnership. Gymnastics Australia assumed the administration and management responsibilities for Tasmania, as a branch of the national office. This partnership agreement is designed to maximise member services and provide essential infrastructure to one of our smaller States. The first 12 months contained much learning and we are thrilled to have re-signed the partnership agreement for a further term. This innovative partnership and commitment to best use of resources, is drawing attention and recognition from the industry, as many other sports also investigate ways to make resources stretch and capitalise on economies of scale.
- A Review of the Club 10 program was completed and the consultation on a new program model was commenced. The value of the Club 10 program was demonstrated in the Queensland Workplace Health and Safety Review conducted by the Queensland Government.
- We commenced the build for a database compatibility tool. This tool is designed to eliminate the need for clubs to enter data and membership information into their club database as well as into the Gymnastics Australia database.
- Further progress has been made on the major development work in the education portfolio. In August 2011, Brooke Irvine took the reins over the newly titled Industry Training and Development portfolio. The new title recognises the scale and scope of our paid and unpaid workforce, and the modern and comprehensive training needs of our broader community. Our focus has been on working closely with State staff to review and update processes, systems and course content to deliver improved

access, quality of experience and candidate accreditation levels.

Overall, we are pleased to report that Membership growth achieved the projected targets in 2011. Gymnastics Australia finished the year with 135,342 athlete members (target 135,000) and 4,144 Technical Members (target 4,000+). This reflects modest but steady growth trend in membership numbers.

## Finance and Management

Gymnastics Australia recorded a profit for the 2011 calendar year of \$158,702, exceeding the budgeted profit of \$106,231 by almost 50 per cent. A consolidation of our banking products resulted in an improved return on our cash investments, as well as a reduction in interest on borrowings. Resource sales also performed strongly against budget and expenditure was tightly controlled. The financial result was achieved despite unexpected costs associated with repairs and maintenance to our national office in Oakleigh South, after two floods and storm damage. We are thankful to our staff for their resilience and commitment to minimising the interruption to member services and operations. Our financial performance in 2010 and 2011, together with changes to business models in 2012, are designed to create a strong financial legacy for years to come.

Gymnastics Australia welcomed a new sponsor in 2XU for the supply of national team uniforms and we look forward to building a long term relationship with the company. Our insurance partner, Jardine Lloyd Thompson, continues to work hard on behalf of gymnastics securing industry-leading coverage and products for our members. The ongoing development of the iMIS database continued throughout 2011 with a software upgrade implemented for Gymnastics Australia and the States, and plans for further enhancements in the pipeline.

2011 saw many new faces join GA and some familiar faces farewell. New faces joined the team as a result of new positions being created, the shift of the Men's National Coach role from the AIS into Gymnastics Australia, in addition to filling vacancies in existing positions. Gymnastics Australia would like to acknowledge the contributions of several long serving staff who moved on in 2011.

## Governance and Management

With the support of the ASC, the Gymnastics Australia Board undertook a Governance Review to further enhance our governance practices and establish Board policies in line with the achievement of the Gymnastics Australia strategic plan.

As part of Board succession planning, Margot Foster, ended her term as an Appointed Director in October, and in December Gymnastics Australia welcomed two new Appointed Directors in Tim Frampton and Jacqui Briggs-Weatherill. In August, Ken Williamson retired from the position of President after having been in the role for the past nine years. His service to gymnastics has been outstanding spanning 25 years on the Board in the roles of Men's Technical Director, Board Director, Vice President and President. On behalf of the Board, Gymnastics Australia and the gymnastics community, we extend a sincere thanks to Ken for his service and contribution.

In closing, Gymnastics Australia wishes to acknowledge the support received from Association Members, clubs, athletes and volunteers across Australia. Further, Gymnastics Australia recognises the commitment and dedication of national office staff, the national Board, and National Commission members, all of whom have played an important role in the achievements and success in 2011.

**Ken Williamson**  
President

**Catherine Clark**  
Chief Executive Officer

Gymnastics  
is the nursery of  
Australian Sport  
– kids who start  
in gymnastics  
can go anywhere





Australian Government  
Australian Sports Commission

## Message from the Australian Sports Commission

The countdown to an Olympic and Paralympic Games is an exciting time for Australians. As London 2012 looms on our horizon there is much work to be done to fine tune our preparations.



The Australian Government and the Australian Sports Commission (ASC) continue to work closely with Olympic and Paralympic sports, along with the Australian Olympic and Paralympic Committees to ensure our athletes get the best possible support.

Through the Green and Gold project, \$3.85 million in extra funding has been provided for our top Olympic athletes and teams to boost their training and preparations for London 2012.

A true sign that Australian sport is united in working together is the endorsement from the Commonwealth, State and Territory Governments of the National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework.

What this means is that for the first time all governments have agreed on priorities for sport.

Underpinning the Framework is the new National Institutes System Intergovernmental Agreement which unites our National Institutes of Sport and national sporting organisations to work hand-in-hand to achieve common national high performance objectives to maximise resourcing and expertise in support of the development of world class athletes to achieve international success.

This Framework is supported by significant additional investment in sport by the Australian Government. The 2011-12 Budget will provide \$300 million to support the full spectrum of sport from grass roots through to elite competition.

Support by the Australian Government will enable a more collaborative long term focus to drive reform within Australian sport and importantly make the connection between Australian's standing on the podium and young Australians participating in sport.

This is an exciting and challenging time for Australian sport. The Australian Sports Commission looks forward to working with all sporting organisations, the state and territory institutes and academies of sport and state and territory departments of sport and recreation, to promote access to, and participation in, sport across the community and support Australia's continued sporting success.

**The Hon. Warwick Smith AM**  
Chairman  
Board of the Australian Sports Commission

## Participation

In July 2010, Gymnastics Australia submitted an application for funding to the Australian Sports Commission, as part of a new government funding pool available for participation and development initiatives. GA secured an additional \$600,000 per annum, for four years. Gymnastics received the third highest allocation of funding – Cricket, Tennis, AFL (\$750,000), Football, Netball (\$700,000) and then Gymnastics on \$600,000.

Backed by this funding, the 2011-2014 Participation Plan has been developed. This plan outlines how this new funding will be utilised to achieve growth in participation, with a specific focus on children and young people, and strengthening our delivery infrastructure and capacity, from national to grass-root levels.

The development of this plan was a consultative and inclusive process involving Gymnastics Australia and its State Association members, kick-started by an internal baseline survey completed by each State Association early in 2011. This was followed by a National Participation Planning Meeting in February 2011, involving two members of each State Association, Gymnastics Australia staff and representatives from the Australian Sports Commission. The planning meeting provided the priorities and shape for future program development.

Gymnastics Australia is committed to providing leadership which sees gymnastics as a strong and sustainable sport contributing positively to the Australian way of life and our overall success as a nation.

In alignment with our strategic goals, the desired long-term outcomes of the Participation Plan are:

1. Australian children to have the fundamental movement skills essential for an active life and future sporting success;
2. Gymnastics offers a place for everyone by delivering programs across the entire sporting pathway;
3. Gymnastics is delivered across Australia through a highly capable and sustainable network of member organisations.

The following belief statements, underpin the Participation Plan:

- Movement is the basis for all sport and active recreation
- We are movement experts – it is our core business

- Everyone can participate and benefit from gymnastics
- We reach Australian's through our clubs
- We maximize our success by working as one 'sport'
- We value and celebrate achievement at all levels

Gymnastics Australia's participation initiatives are designed to achieve the following goals:

1. Deliver clear, visible and cohesive national leadership on participation
2. Develop sustainable, financially viable infrastructure with the capability to lead the market in high quality participation experiences
3. Growth in our technical membership (coaches and judges)
4. Communicate clear and succinct messaging through a quality brand
5. Establish a nation-wide team at state and local levels to effectively drive, coordinate, and implement the Participation Plan initiatives
6. GA has a reputation for exciting, vibrant and effective programs and resources
7. Ensure educators are confident and choose to use gymnastics programs

### 2011 Initiatives

The focus and key deliverables for 2011 were: consultation, planning, and development work. 2011 was fundamentally about setting ourselves up for an exciting phase of program renewal and innovation, membership growth, and strengthening the alignment between national and state levels in order to better service our clubs. The big projects for 2011 included Fundamentals for Life, Rebound Therapy, and the Review of Club 10.

Gymnastics is a foundation sport and Gymnastics Australia wants every Australian child to have a gymnastics experience. Therefore, in 2011, an audit of all our programs (such as KinderGym and GymAbility/GymMix) was undertaken, in addition to a gap analysis and marketing audience. The result has been the development of "LaunchPad", a national initiative targeting children aged 0-12.

The Launchpad initiative is aimed at increasing the number of children participating in positive fundamental movement skill activities. The initiative will provide a national, unified brand which positions gymnastics programs, and our clubs, as the best foundation sport for children. In 2012, LaunchPad will roll-out with three marque programs: KinderGym, GymFun and

GymSkills. As a brand, LaunchPad is vibrant, modern, exciting and energetic, designed to connect with children at different stages of their lives, and with coaches and teachers who need to embody the essence of the program. LaunchPad, its programs, resources and workshops are for any teacher, coach, parent or child who is interested in fundamental movement skill development. See the website [www.launchpad.org.au](http://www.launchpad.org.au) for more information.

Incorporated into the Participation Plan, is the review and extension of disability programs. In addition to reviewing mechanisms for expanding the reach of the GymAbility/GymMix program, additional funding support from the NSW State Government, has enabled Gymnastics Australia and Gymnastics NSW to partner in the development and piloting of Rebound Therapy in NSW. Rebound Therapy is a trampoline based program, developed in the United Kingdom that aims to provide therapeutic exercise and recreation for people with a wide range of physical and intellectual special needs. Although in its infancy, this is already proving to be hugely valued by participants and families.

And lastly, Gymnastics Australia completed a review of the Club 10 program. Club capability and capacity is a key priority for the current and future health of our sport. Gymnastics Australia invested in the Club 10 Review to ensure the program is meeting the current and future needs of our member clubs. The Review involved much consultation with State Associations and member clubs, research, a review of best practice models, and the testing out of new potential program models. In 2012, Gymnastics Australia will complete the redevelopment work and announce the revitalised club development program.

**Catherine Clark**  
Participation Team Manager

Gymnastics Australia wants every child to have a gymnastic experience

## High Performance

**The primary focus of Gymnastics Australia's High Performance Program in 2011, was the successful participation of its National Teams in World Championship events, which also formed part of the qualification process for the 2012 Olympic Games.**

By the end of 2011, Australia's Women's Gymnastics Team had secured its place at the London Olympics, Janine Murray had positioned herself to be the sole Olympic representative from Rhythmic Gymnastics by securing the Oceanic wildcard, and our Men's Gymnastics and Trampoline athletes had confirmed their places in the Olympic Test Event (to be conducted in London, in January 2012) which doubled as the second and final Olympic qualification event for those Gymsports.

Along the way, there were some noteworthy performances from individual athletes/groups including:

- Prashanth Sellathurai winning the FIG's World Cup Championship on Pommel Horse;
- Lauren Mitchell, Ashleigh Brennan and Larissa Miller all winning medals at FIG World Cups;
- Eva Kierath winning the 17years+ age group at the Trampoline World Age Championships; and
- Kieran Gorman and Australia's Aero Dance group (Elkington, Kukura, Davies, Godber, Pink, McAlpine, Price, Kane) winning medals at the ANAC World Championships.

Australia's strong World Championship performances were underpinned by the tremendous contributions of GA's state-based HP system partners, who continued to take the lead on preparing our athletes for the challenges of international competition. In 2011, GA was able to significantly increase its investment in each of these programs, thanks entirely to the additional funding allocated to Gymnastics by the Australian Government, through the Australian Sports Commission (ASC), in 2010.

2011 also saw the Australian Institute of Sport (AIS) Gymnastics Program transition from a full-time residential scholarship to a camps-based program. The new program provides Australia's top 20 Men's and Women's Artistic gymnasts (i.e. known as the AIS/GA Olympic Squads) with regular access to the world-class facilities and service providers, for which the AIS has become internationally recognised.

There was significant change within GA, also, with the departure of a number of long-standing staff members including Karen Myers, Russell Smart, Karon Williams and Megan Currie. Their contributions to the development of GA, its sport programs and national squads/teams has left a strong, positive legacy for Gymnastics in Australia.

### Future Developments

During the first half of 2012, GA's HP resources will be focussed on the selection and preparation of Australia's best gymnasts, for a successful Olympic Games in London. Following the conclusion of the Games, however, GA's attention will turn towards reviewing the performances of its HP programs and infrastructure, over the past 4 years, with a view to maximising our success in next Olympic cycle.

A key part of this process will be review and revision of pathways plans, for each of GA's six competitive Gymsports, together with the development of GA's HP Plan for the period 2013-2016. This is likely to address a number of key areas for improvement within the HP area, including:

- Investment in, integration and alignment of HP system partners and programs;
- Identification and/or development of world-class HP coaches, managers and support staff;
- Enhanced systems and processes for recruiting, monitoring and managing the development of talented athletes;
- Strategies for improving access to the 'world's best' through training and competition opportunities; and
- Development of a capital facilities and equipment plan to ensure that our athletes and coaches are operating in world-class daily training environments.

### Acknowledgements

GA would like to thank and congratulate its HP system partners for their continued investment of world-class facilities and expertise Gymnastics. These organisations include the:

- Australian Sports Commission;
- Australian Institute of Sport;
- Western Australian Institute of Sport;
- Queensland Academy of Sport;
- New South Wales Institute of Sport;
- Victorian Institute of Sport;
- South Australian Institute of Sport;
- Australian Commonwealth Games Association; and
- Australian Olympic Committee.

GA would also like to recognise corporate supporters – GK and 2XU – who provide travel, training and competition uniforms, and other apparel for Australia's Gymnastics National Teams.

And finally, GA would like to recognise the tireless efforts, passion and commitment shown by the athletes, coaches, sports science and medicine providers, and program management staff, who collectively continue to strive towards representing us on the world stage, and 'getting a result for Australia'.

**Adam Sachs**  
High Performance Manager

Getting a  
result for  
Australia

## Industry Training and Development

2011 was a time of change for the Education area, with a number of staff changes and a review of the G-Educate Project.

While the review was conducted, Education continued to focus on the development and implementation of the re-designed Judging courses. Throughout the year, States delivered 121 Judging courses and 141 Coaching courses nationally.

Future focus in Education will involve setting the foundations and gaining stability to assist in building, not only a National Industry Training Team, but working groups of Gymsport experts to achieve the huge task of re-developing the new coaching courses, in line with the new coaching framework.

### Key Statistics

- No. of Judging Courses delivered - 121
- No. of Coaching Courses delivered - 141
- No. of Workshops delivered - 572
- Total no. Coaches - 3627\*
- Total no. Judges - 1590\*

\*Some individuals may be calculated twice if they hold both accreditations.

### Key Highlights

- Change of focus from Education to Industry Training and Development, and the employment of a new manager.
- First time any Gymnastics Australia staff member has engaged in a State Office Induction Tour, to improve understanding of States' systems, needs and ideas.

- At least one Industry Training staff member present at every National Event, to gain feedback from the Gymsport communities.
- Special Olympics Judging Course developed.
- Gymnastics Orientation Course completed.

### Future Developments

In 2012, the Training Team will be working on developing a clear structure for training across the organisation. A focus will be on up-skilling the workforce, particularly presenters, assessors and mentors, as well as the development of new coaching courses for all Gymsports.

In parallel, the Training Team will be investigating the use of online technologies for course delivery, and developing links to Vocational Education and Training qualifications.

### Acknowledgements

Acknowledgement and thanks must be extended to the State Associations, Gymsport Technical Communities, working groups, staff, and contractors, for their hard work and dedication throughout the year.

### Brooke Irvine

Industry Training and Development Manager

The sport continues its trend of real participation growth, with athlete and technical memberships increasing at rates greater than population growth. Athlete membership at clubs rose to unprecedented levels, within excess of 130,000 athletes registered in affiliated clubs, in 2011.

Technical Memberships continued to grow, with the number of coaches and judges reaching 4,100.

Once again, Clubs continued to grow their programs, not only by participants, but by venues, with gymnastics being delivered in over 700 sites. The net result is an average of one in every three Clubs running a satellite venue.

### Key Statistics

- Athlete and Technical Membership continue to experience 'real' growth.
- Managing Risks of Coaching and Managing Inclusion in Gymnastics rolled out to 2,880 users in 2011

### Key Highlights

- Membership, both technical and athlete/ participant reached highest levels on record;
- Commencement of Club Data Import solution;
- Integration of Gymnastics Tasmania's administration into Gymnastics Australia operations;
- Response to QLD floods and support for affected Clubs, especially Allstars Gymnastics Academy;
- RG and ACR make national television with Australia's Got Talent;
- Gymnaestrada event tour conducted;
- Cirque de Gymnastique; and
- Commencement of Club 10 review.

## Membership

### 2012 Expectations

- Athlete Membership to exceed 130,000
- NSW to become the first 40,000 Members State
- Technical Membership to reach 4,500
- Delivery of online improvements

### Acknowledgements

Thanks must be extended to the Club 10 Officers and State Staff for their support and commitment to the program, in addition to the Membership staff who tirelessly service the members.

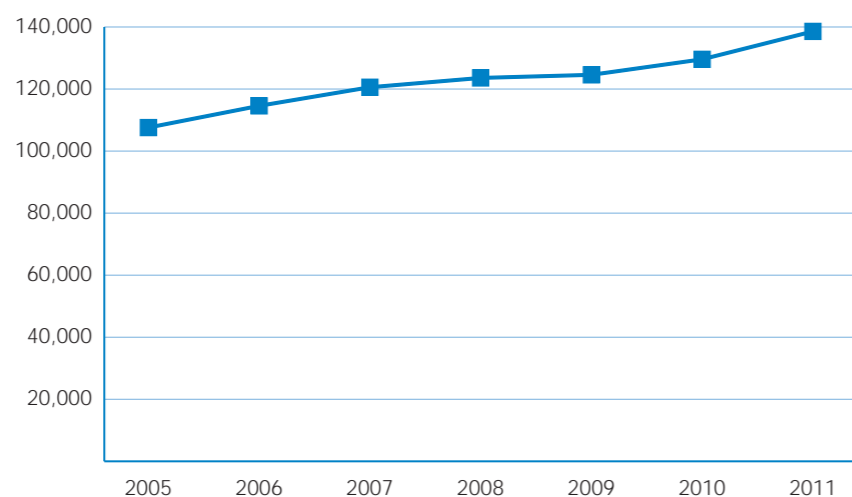
### Brooke Irvine

Industry Training and Development Manager

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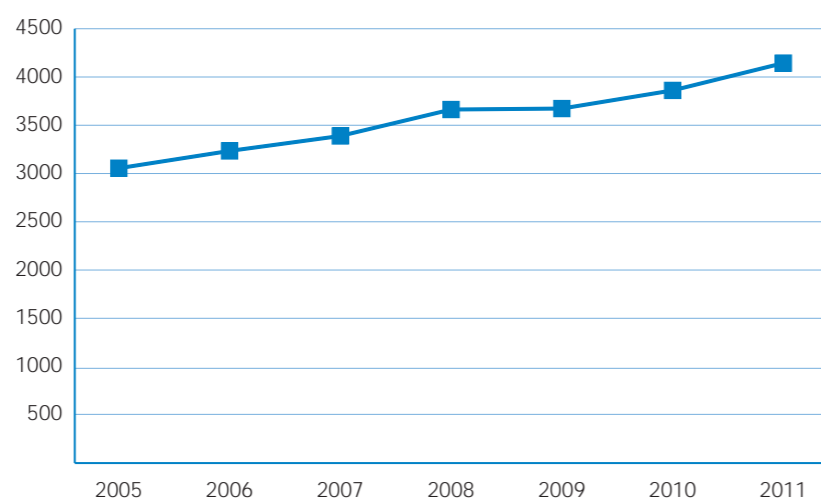


## 2011 TOTAL ATHLETE MEMBERSHIP



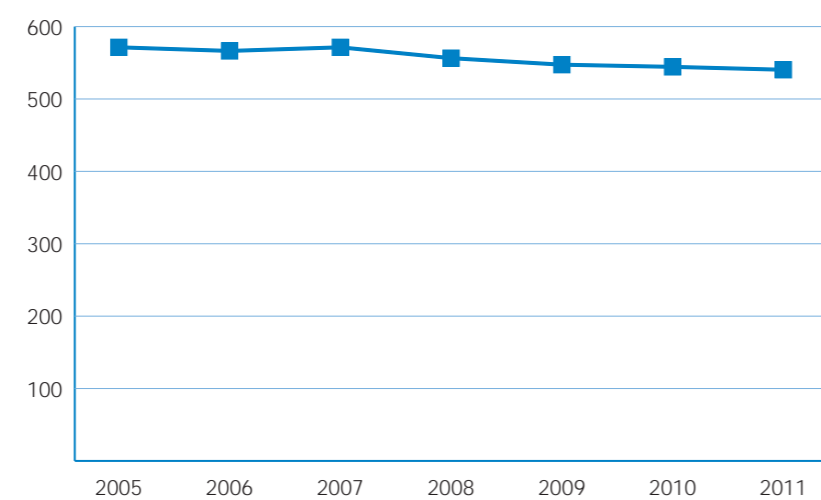
STATE	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
ACT	2,672	2,619	3,141	3,152	3,194	3,258	3,224
NSW	29,526	29,613	32,371	35,044	34,260	36,834	39,088
NT	1,088	1,285	1,438	1,463	1,426	1,189	1,100
QLD	24,991	27,370	28,908	29,972	29,811	30,036	31,149
SA	14,277	13,969	14,429	13,761	13,491	13,584	14,235
TAS	2,588	2,666	2,677	2,874	3,236	3,238	3,467
VIC	22,348	24,360	25,281	26,250	27,498	29,491	33,362
WA	7,334	9,364	9,339	8,710	8,949	9,106	9,717
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>104,824</b>	<b>111,246</b>	<b>117,584</b>	<b>121,226</b>	<b>121,865</b>	<b>126,736</b>	<b>135,342</b>

## 2011 TECHNICAL REGISTRATIONS



STATE	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
ACT	50	54	61	84	88	96	94
NSW	942	982	958	1,063	1,049	1,142	1,267
NT	47	49	48	45	43	43	33
QLD	681	711	780	786	753	747	798
SA	273	319	314	334	336	352	376
TAS	85	86	95	113	111	119	132
VIC	748	786	841	848	861	942	1,035
WA	229	247	292	390	432	420	409
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,055</b>	<b>3,234</b>	<b>3,389</b>	<b>3,663</b>	<b>3,673</b>	<b>3,861</b>	<b>4,144</b>

## 2011 CLUB REGISTRATIONS



STATE	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
ACT	6	6	8	7	5	5	5
NSW	176	173	177	177	181	182	182
NT	7	8	7	7	6	6	6
QLD	131	131	131	127	120	121	118
SA	82	77	79	72	74	71	70
TAS	15	16	14	14	13	15	16
VIC	96	97	96	94	89	91	94
WA	51	51	52	51	52	46	42
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>533</b>



Events Statistics

Seven National Championships  
 Five different states  
 Simultaneous events  
 Time to review

National Championships	Venue & Destination	Date	Host
Women's Gymnastics	Challenge Stadium, Perth WA	11-17 July	Gymnastics WA
Rhythmic	Loftus Recreation Centre, Perth WA	12-17 July	Gymnastics WA
Men's Gymnastics	AIS Arena, Canberra ACT	15-19 July	Gymnastics ACT
Trampoline Sports	ETSA Park Stadium, Adelaide, SA	25-29 September	Gymnastics SA
Cheerleading	SOP Sports Centre, Sydney NSW	24-25 September	Gymnastics NSW
Sport Aerobics & AEROSkools	State Netball Hockey Centre, Melbourne VIC	3-6 October	Gymnastics VIC
Acrobatic Gymnastics	The Geelong Arena, Geelong VIC	8-10 October	Gymnastics VIC

2011 Participants

	Competitors	Coaches	Judges	Officials	Volunteers/ Event Staff	Total
<b>MAG</b>	209	45	33	32	24	<b>343</b>
<b>WAG</b>	226	85	49	40	32	<b>432</b>
<b>RG</b>	199	39	21	23	19	<b>301</b>
<b>TRP</b>	189	40	49	86	24	<b>388</b>
<b>ACR</b>	391	47	23	41	11	<b>513</b>
	<b>1,214</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>1,977</b>

2011 State Competitors

STATE	Men's	Women's	Rhythmic	Trampoline	Acrobatic	Total
<b>ACT</b>	20	15	0	3	18	56
<b>NSW</b>	39	46	61	50	162	358
<b>QLD</b>	47	40	31	43	106	267
<b>SA</b>	17	28	29	27	0	101
<b>TAS</b>	6	3	0	16	0	25
<b>VIC</b>	54	63	23	27	54	221
<b>WA</b>	26	31	55	23	51	186
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>1,214</b>

This year was identified as an opportunity to pilot several initiatives that could be implemented long-term, to enhance event delivery and improve commercial viability.

There were four key areas that the event team focused on in 2011.

1. Event Presentation
2. Marketing
3. Ticketing
4. Volunteer Management

**Event Presentation**

There was a greater emphasis on venue and sport presentation, in an effort to create more of a showcase that engages spectators and enhances the experience for participants.

With all events draping was used to create a more intimate event, counteracting any sense of being 'lost' in an empty stadium. The Rhythmic event saw the creation of a 'grand entry' to highlight the showcase element of sport, presenting athletes before each routine.

There was the inclusion of live entertainment through GymSport exhibitions and live performances of the national anthem to open the events. The use of music videos to enhance the atmosphere and engage spectators during down time was also implemented at the majority of the events.

**Marketing**

With a limited budget it was necessary to generate optimal return on investment. Rather than dilute marketing efforts across each individual event, energy was invested into promoting a 'national event series'. The objectives of the marketing strategy were to:

- Build a profile and raise awareness at a local, state and national level
- Significantly boost ticket sales through campaigns that appeal to all members and the wider community
- Expand the event experience beyond the field of play through theming, social media and PR activities
- Create a public domain at all events through increased vendor attendance and retail outlets

- Generate revenue through event merchandising
- Deliver an event experience that is attractive to commercial sponsors
- Invest in cost-effective marketing strategies that will have the greatest impact and highest return

**Ticketing**

After reviewing the varying ticketing arrangements for previous national events, a standardised ticketing structure was utilised across the 2011 national event series. The purpose of applying a standard approach was to:

- Streamline the administration associated with setting up event ticketing across the multiple agents and venues
- Offer a 'user friendly' range of event tickets that Technical Members and the general public could easily understand
- Establish some benchmarks to enable GA to compare 'apples with apples' and be better placed to analyse the impact of marketing campaigns for events.
- Establish some industry standards and consistency across Gymsports and National events

**Volunteers**

A national volunteer framework was introduced to streamline administration, increase consistency across events, and work towards setting industry standards. Host states played a lead role in volunteer recruitment. Volunteer opportunities were advertised directly through host states, GA & Sportspeople. Objectives of the national volunteer framework included:

- Create/ Increase the opportunities for Technical Members to volunteer at national events
- Create opportunities for those outside of gymnastics to share their expertise in an effort to raise the standard of GA events and skill set of Technical Members
- Move towards a de-centralised volunteer structure to lessen the workload on key individuals, start sharing the knowledge and introduce some succession planning mechanisms

- Establish some national protocol around volunteer recruitment, training and benefits that could be adopted at a state level

**Future Developments**

In 2012, GA will build on the 2011 initiatives, combining of five of the seven Gymsports into one mega Australian Championships.

In 2012, there will be a focus on the event experience for the spectators, officials, volunteers and participants. The event team will develop a plan that will extend the event experience beyond the dates of competition ie build anticipation pre-event and create lasting memories post event.

Armed with a marketing plan, GA will maximize the 'perfect-storm' – 5 Gymnastics disciplines, Olympic Trials, Launchpad Program Launch, Prime Ministers Olympic Challenge – for the long term benefit of Gymnastics in Australia. The objective of 2012 will be to generate awareness and drive ticket sales, leverage the Championships to build the profile of Gymnastics at a state and national level, and generate awareness of the diversity of gymnastics.

**Acknowledgements**

The continued delivery of national events, to the standard and magnitude undertaken, could only be performed with the support of our states. While integral to the running of these events, it is our National Commission Members along with the volunteer workforce, that underpin the success of the events. GA is eternally grateful to the National Commission Members and our volunteer workforce who are the 'heartbeat' of our organisation and the national events.

**Karen Norden**  
 Business Manager

## Gymnastics For All

Worldwide, the Gymnastics for All community was focussed on the incredible gymnastics participation event that is the World Gymnaestrada. Held in Lausanne, Switzerland, and attracting 19,000 participants from 54 nations, the 14th World Gymnaestrada celebrated gymnastics in all its many and varied forms. The week-long event is non-competitive and all performances are in groups from at least ten, up to more than one thousand people. At the Opening Ceremony, Lynn Martin from South Australia led the Australian team into the stadium as the 2011 Australian Team Flag Bearer.

The 130 gymnasts in the Australian team, made up seven teams, representing all States. Each team performed three times, as well as some teams choosing to perform on the city stages around Lausanne; five teams chose to perform in evening Gala shows, with the English-Speaking Evening featuring four talented Australians in the lead roles: Samantha Orchard (VIC), Anthony Dorrington (VIC), Jillian Arthur (SA) and Lachlan Richards (NSW). The entire team joined together to perform in the Closing Ceremony in the Lausanne Stadium. Thanks to Bridget Thomson and Eleanor Majpruz for their organisation of that large group performance.

Congratulations to all involved in the 2011 Australian World Gymnaestrada Team. Thanks to GA Staff: Marcus Leslie, Catherine Clark and Suimai Hare for their roles in the management of the team in Lausanne.

Australian gymnasts are regularly offered scholarships at the Academy of Physical Education in Ollerup, Denmark. In mid 2011 two young women, Jillian Arthur (SA) and Eliza Hui (NSW) began their training at the academy in the International Youth Leader Education course. The course includes cultural and sporting content, including: Performance Gym, Danish Rhythmical Gymnastics, Team Gym and Tumbling.

Work has begun on the Sydney International Gymfest which will be held in September 2012. Three international teams are confirmed to attend the event which will include display performances under a marquee at Cronulla beach as well as workshops, street performances, the 2nd Australian Gym for Life Challenge and Gala shows.

With GA's Participation Plan for Fundamental Movement starting to take shape, the future looks very bright for Gymnastics for All within Australia.

**Petrina Hutchison**  
Gymnastics For All Program Manager

## Cheerleading

Since late 2010, GA has been reviewing the current delivery model for Cheerleading in Australia. Having presented the outcomes to key GA stakeholders, future focus will be on participation and school initiatives. While the review was underway, GA maintained a scaled-back operational plan for AUS Cheer delivery, in 2011, directing resources to the Cheerleading Review and developing solutions for 2012.

In 2011, a team of 20 cheerleaders, and 17 support crew, from Southern All Stars Cheer & Dance, left Hobart bound for Hawaii, and the 2011 Aloha International Spirit Championships. Southern All Stars Cheer & Dance were the only team from Australia at this event, with teams from Japan, Canada and across the US travelling to compete at the championships. The results were fantastic, with a first place in the Open Pom section, second in the Level 3 Senior Group Stunt section, and second in the Open Co-Ed International Level 5 Cheer section.

Southern All Stars Cheer & Dance also received an award for sportsmanship that will now be presented at all future Aloha International Spirit Championships...it will be called the Aussie Spirit Award.

In 2011 Star-mites and Perth Angels from WA, and Starlets from NSW, headed off to Orlando, Florida, to compete at the IASF Cheerleading Worlds competition, using Bids they received at the 2009 & 2010 AUS Cheer Grand National Championships.

As part of their preparation, Perth Angels and Star-mites teams competed at a pre-Worlds competition, the COA Cheer & Dance Championships, where they placed fourth and fifth respectively. All three teams then checked into Disney World, to enjoy five days (April 28 – May 2), jam-packed full of competitions, workshops and, of course, the excitement of the Disney World Resort. The three teams competed in the VERY competitive (46 teams) International Open Co-Ed Level 5 preliminaries. Starlets made it through the preliminaries to place 15th in the World at the Finals. This is a fantastic effort and a credit to Dani and the dedicated team.

On the nationally broadcast "Australia's Got Talent", we had Fit 2 Cheer and Star-Mites Gymsports, as well as KLD-Xtreme, flying the Cheerleading flag. These teams showed the public what an exciting sport cheerleading is.

The AUS Cheer National Championships, held over two days in Sydney, was a big success with approximately 1,200 athletes competing. On Day Two, GA announced the winners of the Nations Cup. Congratulations to MLC All Stars, Level 3 Senior Team (VIC) for Cheer, with 5280.00 points, and Tea Tree Gully Gymsports, Gold Fever Open Pom Team (SA) for Dance, with 2980.00 points. Both teams had a terrific year collecting points by competing successfully at numerous AUS Cheer events around Australia.

The National Championships is also the stage for allocating bids for the 2012 Cheer & Dance Worlds. Congratulations to the following winners:

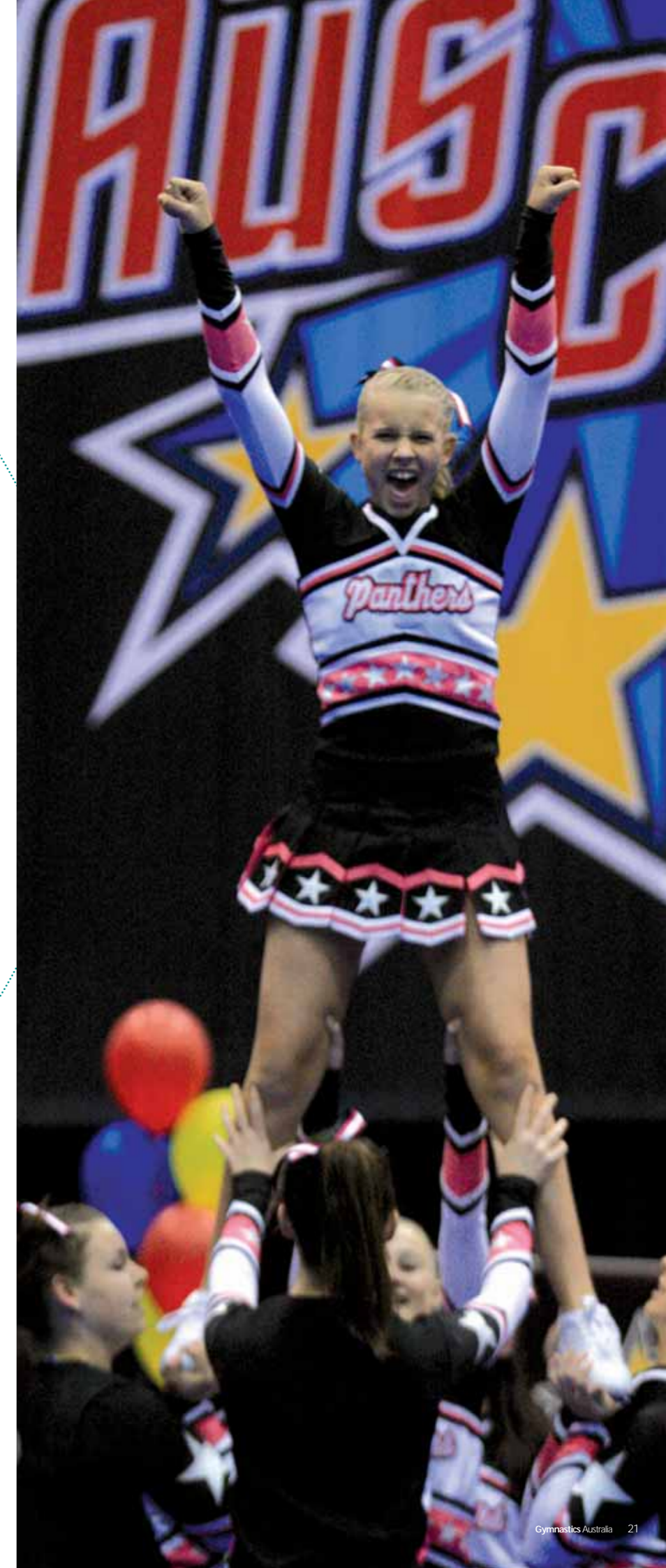
- Dance – Open Pom – Air Born Cheerleading
- Open Jazz – Air Born Cheerleading
- Open Hip Hop – Air Born Cheerleading
- Cheer – Level 5 Open – Starlets (Black Elite)

The future delivery model for Cheerleading in Australia, along with new resources that form part of the Fundamentals for Life participation program, will be rolled out in 2012. GA will continue to forge ahead with the development

of the coaching and judging education framework, along with delivering high quality competitions through AUS Cheer. While the growth of Cheerleading in Australia will form part of the participation plan in 2012.

Cheerleading has incurred a year of uncertainty yet, throughout this period, there have been some extremely dedicated personnel that have remained supportive of GA and the delivery of cheerleading. Special mention should go to Kelly Marshall, Nerine Cooper, Pam Behan and in particular Ann Ranieri. The continued support of the state association and the clubs that have embraced this exciting sport should also be thanked and acknowledged. Their ongoing support and input is essential as we move forward to a strong and sustainable future for Cheerleading in Australia.

**Karen Norden**  
Business Manager



# Junior gymnasts ...represent our future



**It was a year of highs and lows for the Australian Men's Gymnastics national program. The highlight of 2011 was the well-deserved recognition of a truly world-class gymnast, when Prashanth Sellathurai became the first Australian to secure the MG Overall World Cup Champion title, on an individual apparatus. Prashanth was awarded the 2011 FIG World Cup Series Champion on Pommel Horse, at the conclusion of the Moscow World Cup in May. This recognition followed a successful start to the year, when Prashanth won a gold medal on his favourite apparatus at the Doha Challenge Cup, and a silver medal at the Moscow World Cup.**

Left: Naoya Tsukahara, Senior All Around Australian Champion

The World University Games in Shenzhen, China, provided a litmus test for the Australian men's team: all of whom would vie for selection to compete at the World Championships later in the year. Some promising results were achieved at Universiade, with Luke Wiatowski and Thomas Pichler both qualifying for the All Around final, and Sam Offord and Prashanth Sellathurai qualifying for the Apparatus finals. Sam finished just out of the medals, in 4th place on Rings. Prashanth continued his successful campaign on Pommels to win gold on this apparatus, at this highly competitive event.

The primary goal for the men's national program was maintaining momentum for Olympic selection, which would be predicated on results at the 2011 World Championships, in Tokyo. Dual aims were to improve our team ranking from 2010, by two places, to finish at least 16th, thus qualifying the team to the 2012 London Test Event, and to automatically qualify an apparatus specialist by winning a medal in the Apparatus final. On paper, the experienced Australian team was capable of achieving at least a 16th place finish, particularly with team morale under National Coach, John Curtin, at an all-time high. Unfortunately, a couple of inopportune falls under pressure meant the difference between a Test Event berth and 18th place. Despite finishing in the top 3 at the 2009 and 2010 World Championships, and qualifying in 3rd place for the 2011 World Championships Pommel Horse Apparatus final, Prashanth was regrettably one of four of the eight finalists who fell during the finals, denying him automatic selection to the 2012 London Olympic Games. As a consequence, two male All Around athletes qualified to continue the Olympic journey and compete at the Olympic Test Event in January, 2012.

At the 2011 National Championships, Naoya Tsukahara (QLD) became the Australian Senior

## Men's Artistic

National Champion, the first time that Naoya has been able to lay claim to the title as an Australian resident. Tyson Bull (VIC) retained the Junior National Champion title, for the second year in a row. Queensland won the Cheales-Williamson Shield, for a record sixth time, and Australia retained the Trans-Tasman Trophy. Based on results from Nationals, twelve of the country's best Level 7-9 Open gymnasts were selected for the Australian Open Levels Tour, to compete at the New Zealand National Championships in Timaru, in November.

The Men's Gymnastics National Advisory Committee (NAC) meeting was held in Melbourne, in August, and included each State Technical Director, or their representative, along with the National Commission. The meeting afforded a productive opportunity for open and honest dialogue, and exchange of information, between the key decision-makers within the sport. A thorough review of the Technical Regulations was undertaken, and several recommendations were provided to the Commission regarding National Championships, National Club Championships, and annual award selection guidelines.

John Curtin's first full year as National Coach has been characterised by a rejuvenation in National Team morale, and a renewed focus on Junior National athletes. For the first time in our history, the national program is now focused heavily on development of the junior gymnasts that represent our future.

Thanks are extended to all of the National Commission members – Paul Szyjko, Rohan Kennedy, Andrew Cordery, John Curtin, and Artistic Program Manager, Stephanie Moorhouse, for your contributions and support throughout the year.

**Daren Wolfe**  
National Technical Director

## Women's Artistic

# Time and tireless effort

The major focus of 2011 was to qualify an Australian team for the London Olympics. All competitions Australian gymnasts attended, in the first half of the year, were in preparation for World Championships in Tokyo – the qualification event for the 2012 Olympic Games. Throughout the year, quality training and competition experiences led to the Australian team of Ashleigh Brennan, Georgia Rose Brown, Emily Little, Larissa Miller, Lauren Mitchell and Maryanne Monckton, qualifying in 6th place to guarantee Australia a WAG team at the Olympics in London, 2012.

Junior gymnasts, Alex Eade, Madelaine Leydin and Emma Nedov, travelled to the Isle of Man to compete in the Junior Commonwealth Games. The team placed 3rd, and Emma won the Gold Medal on Beam.

Jo Richards, the Junior National Development Coordinator, has continued her twice yearly visits to each state, and coordinated an Advanced Coaches Conference at AIS, in August. The Conference was attended by over 40 coaches and was held in conjunction with the Gymnastics Australia Olympic Squad camp. The coaches were able to observe training, and a verification competition, as well as attend many presentations by leading coaches and support staff of our National Team.

The International Development Program was serviced by two workshops in each State, conducted by Stacey Umeh. The workshops were attended by coaches, judges and gymnasts. Everyone came away with a better understanding of the IDP program and its text.

National Levels 9 and 10 gymnasts were selected to compete at the South African Gynsport Championships, in Cape Town, in October. They not only enjoyed the

competition, but the experience of a safari and a wild-life park visit - an exciting reward for the top gymnasts in the National Levels Program.

Australian judges travelled with teams to a number of international events, with some receiving personal invitations to judge FIG events.

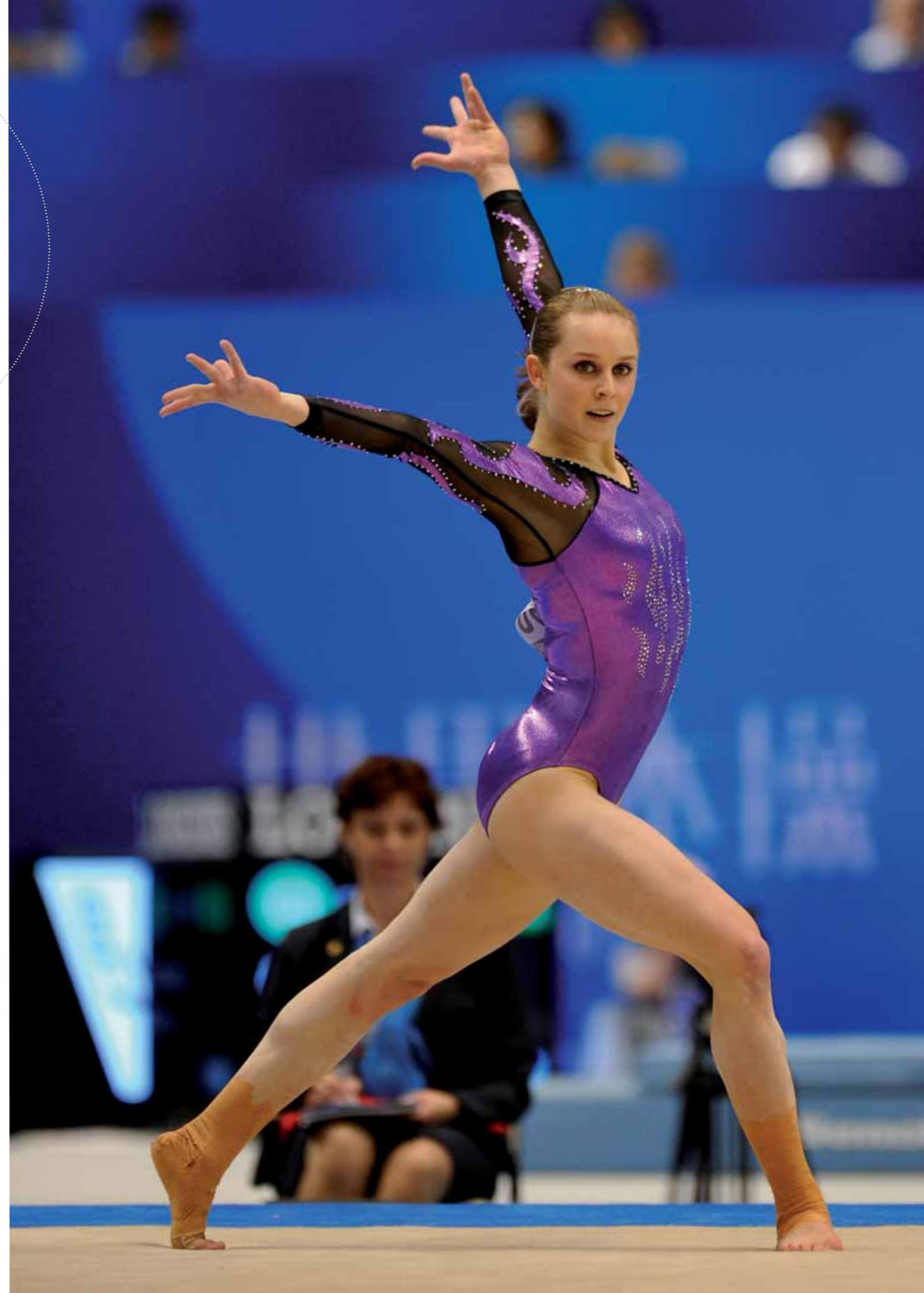
Throughout the year, the sport was led by the Sport Technical Commission with advice and assistance from the Elite Management Committee and the Advisory Committee. These committees must be acknowledged for the time and tireless effort they put into developing and maintaining the high standard of Australian Women's Gymnastics.

Again, I must thank all of the National Commission members – Jill, Desiree, Michelle and Peggy - and the State Sport Management Committees. Thank you to the staff at Gymnastics Australia, especially the Artistic Program Manager, Stephanie Moorhouse, and High Performance Manager, Adam Sachs.

**Helen Colagiuri**

National Technical Director

Right: Lauren Mitchell at Artistic World Championships



# Rhythmic community has the balance right



## Rhythmic

**2011 was an interesting and exciting year, following the heady heights of 2010.**

The increasing number of gymnasts in the competitive side of the sport was heartening. So, too, was the flow of gymnasts who, upon starting in the National Stream, graduated to attempt the more complex routines and higher training requirements of the International Stream. This shows that the Rhythmic community has the balance right in the developmental framework, and future Commissions need to ensure that this balance is continued.

The release of the Rhythmic Skools kits happened in March. We hope that, with promotion in each of the States, this will increase the base for RG in schools and recreational clubs.

January saw a flurry of National Squad, International and National Stream gymnasts, coaches and judges travelling to the USA and Canada for various competitions and, in particular, the Montreal World Cup.

April saw gymnasts travelling to Slovenia. The end of April and beginning of May, Australia was represented in the World Cups in Portimao and Kiev, by National Squad member Danielle Prince.

June, we saw a combined clubs tour to a new competition, the Singapore Open. Gymnasts from NSW and VIC represented Australia. Also in June, the Meriden Rhythmic Gymnastics centre undertook a tour with five gymnasts, to Belgium and the No Limits Open.

An increase in numbers was a happy trend at the National Championships held in Perth, in July. We must thank WA Gymnastics for their assistance, once again. Limited competition personnel made for a tiring Championships, but certainly a successful one. The Organising Committee ensured improvements, gleaned from feedback from the previous championships, were implemented, and

this assisted in the smooth running of an exciting event. A real highlight was the World Championships trial, run in conjunction with the Senior Competition, which resulted in the selection of Danielle Prince, Janine Murray, Jaelle Cohen and Taylor Tirahadjio, plus coaches, Edith Peluso, Emma Tankovich and Krassi Yurukova, and judge, Teresa Evans.

In August we had the Australian RG tour of New Zealand, to the NZ Gymsports National Championships. The gymnasts were extremely successful, bringing back a total of 52 medals. Thanks go to the team manager, Nicole Higham, coaches Naazmi Johnston and Kate Johnson, judges Stephanie Schahinger and Zoe Baker, and chaperones, for their assistance and expertise in volunteering for this competition.

Also in August, was the Summer Universiade World Games in China. Our 1st and 2nd ranked gymnasts, Danielle Prince and Janine Murray, competed and gained 23rd and 24th places respectively. This was the first opportunity, for some time, for Australia to be represented at this prestigious event.

In early September, Janine Murray, and her coach Krasi Yurukova, competed at the Berlin Masters with good results.

Preceded by a camp in Perth, the World Championships tour to Montpellier, France, was an exciting competition. Gymnasts competed well but, unfortunately, with some errors. This resulted in Australia losing ground in the teams competition, from 19th in 2010, to 23rd in 2011. Janine Murray finished best in the All Around Competition, resulting in her gaining the Wild Card for the Oceanic Region. As such, she will represent Australia in the Olympic Games in London 2012. Well done Janine.

The last competition of the year in Ghent, Belgium, was attended by a party of three Australian clubs - Ruyton, Prahan and WA's RGHPC - and was successful in giving

the gymnasts much needed competitive experience.

One of two notable events during 2011, was the retirement of Naazmi Johnston, our 2010 Gold Medalist at the Commonwealth Games. She kept us guessing as to whether or not she had actually retired. Naazmi has transitioned smoothly into coaching and judging, fortunately, she has not been lost to the sport. We thank her for her positive example to our community, and look forward to her future career.

The other notable event was the resignation of Karon Williams, our National Program Manager. The community thanks her for her hard work, enthusiasm and assistance to the Commission over nine years. It was greatly appreciated by all and she will be missed.

The Commission thanks our committees and volunteers who have assisted in 2011. Your continued assistance is essential for the running of our sport. We welcome the new Levels Committee and look forward to working with them in 2012:

2011 saw an increase in the number of judges leaving our shores to assist with tours. Thanks to judges, Karyn Murray, Stephanie Schahinger, Veronica Sologuren, Sandra Button, Karen Gilgallon, Carole Lane, Joy Millard and Gina Peluso, for their contribution.

Once again, I thank the members of the Commission - Gina Peluso, Virginia Elliott and Jo Edinger - for their work. Their advice, assistance and expertise is of great value to the community.

Thank you, too, to Gymnastics Australia staff. Although they have experienced a high turnover in personnel this year, their efforts to assist our Gymsport have not faltered. This is much appreciated.

**Teresa Evans**  
National Technical Director

Left: Jaelle Cohen at Rhythmic World Championships

## Trampoline

**Trampoline experienced many changes in 2011, with the most critical being a mid-cycle change to the FIG Code of Points. The change introduced an electronically measured 'time of flight' component to individual trampoline scores. This has given athletes a third element, along with execution and difficulty, on which to focus in improving their performances.**

January 2011, Russell Smart was appointed to the position of Trampoline Sports Program Manager. Russell's extensive background in Trampoline Sports, coupled with the experience gained in his many years at Gymnastics Australia, promised to serve the community well. Russell's early resignation, paved the way for former gymnast, Tessa Storey, to resume her connection with Trampoline Sports, as Program Manager. Commencing April, Tessa joined Gymnastics Australia just in time to finalise preparations for the first of our international competitions for the year.

Internationally, qualifying for the 2012 London Olympic Games was the 2011 focus for Senior National Trampoline Squad athletes and the National coach.

In preparation for the first Olympic Qualifier, the 2011 World Championships, Australian athletes Blake Gaudry, Will Morris and Ty Swadling attended the Bulgarian World Cup mid-April. Notably, Blake Gaudry achieved the highest time of flight and difficulty of the competition, in his first routine. Jack Penny and Bethany Bailey joined Blake, Will and Ty at the Chinese World Cup meet, in July, giving Australian athletes a further opportunity to measure their progress on the world stage. In the Men's synchronised trampoline event at this World Cup, Jack Penny sustained an injury that sidelined him for the remainder of 2011. National Coach, Nikolay Zhuravlev, and judge, Brett Austine, completed the Australian contingent at both World Cups.

After creditable performances at the National Championships, Shaun Swadling joined brother Ty Swadling, along with Blake Gaudry and Will Morris, as members of the Australian Men's Trampoline team for the World Championships held in Birmingham, in November. Bethany Bailey was the sole Women's Individual Trampoline representative at World Championships.

Blake Gaudry achieved Australia's best result, placing 16th in Men's Individual Trampoline. While not qualifying for the London Olympics, Blake's placing earned Australia a spot in the inaugural Olympic Test event to be held in

January, 2012. National Judging Coordinator, Darren Gillis, was selected to judge at this event.

The Double-Mini Team of Jarrod Spear, Christine Hall, Kelsie Henry and Jessie Tullett, coached by Belinda Cox, also performed creditably at World Championships. Christine's 12th place was Australia's best performance. Unfortunately, Double-Mini Trampoline Coordinator, Kerry Smyth, had to withdraw from this event and has subsequently resigned from her role after many years coaching National Double-Mini Trampoline teams.

The Australian Team for World Age Championships, was selected after a trial at the National Club Championships in Hobart. A team of 31 gymnasts was selected to represent Australia in Individual, Synchronised and Double-Mini Trampoline events. Eva Kierath improved on her 2010 form, earning gold in the 17-18 years Women's Individual Trampoline. Patrick Cooper and Matthew Weal added bronze in the 17-18 years Men's Synchronised Trampoline, and Kira Ward in the 11-12 years Women's Double-Mini Trampoline.

Other notable events of the year included a return to the AIS Canberra for National Squad training camps (under the guidance of coaches Nikolay Zhuravlev, Ben Kelly and National Junior Development Coordinator, Jarrod Heriot), the relocation of the National Training Centre to a shared facility in Adelaide, and a pre-Worlds Training Camp at the Northampton Trampoline Gymnastics Academy for the Open Trampoline team.

As always, the volunteer support for National and State events throughout Australia, and for international tours, was outstanding. This culture of selfless service to the sport has always been a characteristic of Trampoline, and has continued to ensure successful events and tours in 2011.

**Mike Kelso**  
National Technical Director

# Flight and difficulty



Right: Jessie Tulett at 2011 Australian Trampoline Nationals



## introduction of a new division of international competition ... Aerodance

Aerobic

**2011 was exciting for Aerobics as it saw the introduction of a new division of international competition, called AeroDance. The Commission decided to be proactive, introducing it immediately, at a state and national level. In July, our first Senior AeroDance team competed at the 2011 ANAC International Championships in Las Vegas, setting a high standard of performance by beating the Mexicans and the Argentinians to gold. Their success has generated great interest nationally, hopefully resulting in a boost in participation numbers in the sport.**

Left: Zoe Tisdale, Senior National Squad member

Medal success continued in July, at the 2011 Gymsports New Zealand National Championships, in Auckland. A team of Development and National Squad athletes represented Australia. The event provided them with the valuable experience of competing internationally, as well as working together as a team.

The 11th AEROSkools resource kit was released in January. The program continues to attract new schools, with students provided with the opportunity to represent their school at State and National Championships. In October, 42 schools from across Australia entered the National Championships. Special thanks to Kerryn Cormick, who is actively involved in promoting the program at workshops and conferences around Australia, as well as helping to produce the resource kit each year.

Judge and coach education continued to be the focus of the Sport Aerobics Commission this year. While the tasks seemed daunting at times, the Commission was grateful for the assistance and guidance from the Gymnastics Australia Education Staff, in particular Brooke Sargeant and Tim Robertson.

The Aerobic Advisory Committee meeting, held in October, provided the opportunity for state representatives to meet with the Aerobic Commission to discuss issues and provide feedback on the direction of the sport. The Strategic Plan and Technical Regulations were also reviewed and updated in preparation for 2012.

Sport Aerobics is a small but successful Gym Sport. Our National Squad athletes continue to achieve international success. At the grass roots level, the sport continues to increase, attracting new girls and boys each year. It is encouraging to see many of these on the development pathway, with the goal of achieving competition success.

All this would not be possible without the help and support of many people. Special thanks to:-

- Athletes for their passion and dedication to the sport
- Coaches who believe in the sport and provide the opportunity for athletes to develop
- Judges who tirelessly judge at state and national events
- State Sport Management Committees who drive the sport in their state
- State Associations who support the sport by running events and workshops
- Volunteers who make events happen
- Gymnastics Australia staff for their ongoing support
- Fellow Commission members, Liz Lyons, Kerryn Cormick and Carolyn Warren, who make my job enjoyable by providing support and assistance to achieve set goals

**Karon Williams**  
Aerobic Technical Director



## Acrobatic

To Acrobatic Gymnastics (ACR), the ACR Australian Championships, ACR World Championships (WC) and World Age Group Competition (WAGC) Selection Trials, were the event highlights of the year. ACR was fortunate enough to secure the services of Tonya Case (FIG ACR Technical President), to support the National Squad Training Camp, and present a Technical workshop focusing on the Artistic Performance of the athletes' exercises.

The Inaugural ACR National Club Championships, in July, was the first national event for the year. This was kindly hosted by Queensland Gymnastics, in a superb venue located at Ormiston College, Ormiston. This event was held alongside the Queensland Cup, and was supported by clubs from Victoria, New South Wales and, of course, Queensland. Despite a few teething problems, the event ran smoothly and spectators were thrilled by performances from Pairs and Groups from both the National and International Programs. Congratulations to Gymnastics QLD staff who went out of their way to provide an outstanding first-ever National Clubs Championships ... we look forward to more of the same in 2012.

Immediately prior to the ACR National Clubs Championships, National Squad and potential National Squad athletes, attended a training camp focusing on enhancing Performance in Technical and Artistic areas. Presenter, Tonya Case's, invaluable experience was utilised to the fullest, with many suggested changes to existing exercise keenly adopted in athlete preparation for forthcoming events.

Directly after National Club Championships, ACR coaches and judges attended a one-day Technical workshop. These workshops are vital for a clear understanding of Technical and Artistic rules and, as the ACR FIG Technical Committee is responsible for these rules, we were privileged and fortunate to have Tonya Case as presenter. All attendees from across the country were enthusiastic participants, with clarity provided for the many discussion

Right: Adrian Buck and Jake Sergeant, Level 9 Men's Pair Australian Champions

Spectators  
were  
thrilled ...

topics. At the conclusion of the workshop, attendees voiced their satisfaction and strongly indicated their willingness to attend future workshops / clinics.

In October, the ACR Australian Championships were held in the Geelong Arena, Geelong, VIC. This is the first time Victoria has hosted to this event since 2000. Although the venue had a number of logistical issues, the event went off without a hitch. Well done to all support staff, especially Gymnastics Victoria, for the hard work and dedication you provided.

Finally, the Australian Selection Trial for the upcoming 2012 FIG ACR World Championships and World Age Group Competition was held at the AIS, Canberra. Athletes were selected to represent Australia in the following categories:

World Championships:

- 1 x Senior Women's Group

World Age Group Competition:

- 2 x 12-19 Women's Groups
- 1 x 11-16 Women's Group
- 1 x 11-16 Mixed Pair
- 2 x 11-16 Women's Pair

Best wishes to athletes and officials attending this April 2012 FIG event, to be held in Orlando, Florida, USA.

**Andrew Saba**  
Acrobatic Gymnastics Technical Director





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## National Squad Athletes

### Men's Artistic

#### Senior

Aaron Thanas (VIC)  
Briece Newton (VIC)  
Dion Pocklington (VIC)  
Elliot Cook (WA)  
Jayden Bull (VIC)  
Josh Jefferis (QLD)  
Kevin James (VIC)  
Luke Wadsworth (VIC)  
Luke Wiwatowski (QLD)  
Martin Jozwiak (WA)  
Michael Mercieca (NSW)  
Mitchell Morgans (NSW)  
Naoya Tsukahara (QLD)  
Philippe Rizzo (ACT/NSW)  
Prashanth Sellathurai (NSW)  
Sam Offord (SA)  
Sam Simpson (QLD)  
Sean O'Hara (SA)  
Thomas Pichler (QLD)  
Vincent Lam (VIC)

#### Junior

Ben Astley (NSW)  
Brody-Jai Hennessy (QLD)  
Declan Stacey (NSW)  
Jack Rickards (NSW)  
Kent Pieterse (VIC)  
Kevin James (VIC)  
Kristian Wan (QLD)  
Mitchell Jones (QLD)  
Mitchell Morgans (NSW)  
Scott Costin (QLD)  
Tyson Bull (VIC)

#### AIS/GA Olympic Squad

Briece Newton (VIC)  
Brody-Jai Hennessy (QLD)  
Declan Stacey (NSW)  
Demonic Bedggood (QLD)  
Jack Rickards (NSW)  
Jayden Bull (VIC)  
Josh Jefferis (QLD)  
Kent Pieterse (VIC)

Kevin James (VIC)  
Kristian Wan (QLD)  
Luke Wadsworth (VIC)  
Luke Wiwatowski (QLD)  
Michael Mercieca (NSW)  
Naoya Tsukahara (QLD)  
Philippe Rizzo (ACT)  
Prashanth Sellathurai (NSW)  
Sam Offord (SA)  
Sam Simpson (QLD)  
Sean O'Hara (SA)  
Thomas Pichler (QLD)  
Tyson Bull (VIC)

#### U16 National Squad

Aden Messori (QLD)  
Ben Congedi (SA)  
Christopher Remkes (SA)  
Clay Stephens (SA)  
Corey Morton (VIC)  
Daniel Tabone (VIC)  
Demonic Bedggood (QLD)  
Fraser Irvine (QLD)  
James Bacuëti (ACT)  
Jordan Read (ACT)  
Kent Pieterse (VIC)  
Kristian Wan (QLD)  
Lachlan Savill (QLD)  
Robert Thornton (QLD)  
Trenten Wan (QLD)  
Zachary Perillo (VIC)

#### U14 National Squad

Alexander Thomson (NSW)  
Christopher Subasic (QLD)  
Clay Stephens (SA)  
Darren Fung (NSW)  
Ethan Stethakis (NSW)  
Etienne Rousseau Forward (QLD)  
Gabe O'Sullivan (WA)  
Gabriel Swan (NSW)  
Jack Riek (QLD)  
Jackson Clarke (QLD)  
Jackson Kurz (VIC)  
Jake Thompson (WA)  
Joshua Di Nucci (WA)  
Justin Tan (VIC)  
Lachlan Fitzgerald (VIC)  
Matthew Richardson (WA)  
Michael Tone (QLD)  
Reace Massey (NSW)  
Rourke Jenkins (QLD)  
Scott Brooks (VIC)  
Sean Forde (WA)  
Trenten Wan (QLD)  
William Sherwood (WA)  
Yari Marazzato (WA)

#### U12 National Squad

Alec Traina (NSW)  
Alex D'Cruz (WA)  
Alexander Maratos (VIC)

Andrew Gordon (VIC)  
Andrew Sumner (WA)  
Ben Leong (NSW)  
Blake Grainger (NSW)  
Brodie Chaffey (QLD)  
Cade Pettie (VIC)  
Cassiel Rousseau Forward (QLD)  
Christopher Jenkinson (QLD)  
Curtis Lindeman (QLD)  
Elija Meegan (WA)  
Erik Grabant (VIC)  
Etienne Rousseau-Forwood (QLD)  
Finaly Kroon (NSW)  
Harrison Jones (WA)  
Indigo Dragon (QLD)  
Jack Elliott (QLD)  
Jack Miller (QLD)  
Jack Riek (QLD)  
Jack Sweeney (NSW)  
Jackson Clarke (QLD)  
Jae Naegel (NSW)  
James Ciupac (WA)  
Joel O'Neill (NSW)  
Julien Horrocks (NSW)  
Kyle McCartney (QLD)  
Liam Robinson (QLD)  
Maikolo Fekitoa (NSW)  
Matthew Richardson (WA)  
Max Mingay (NSW)  
Mitchell Repsevicius (WA)  
Morgan Evans (QLD)  
Nathan Brophy (WA)  
Noah Eisenmenger (QLD)  
Oliver Dilnutt (VIC)  
Philip Koe-leong (VIC)  
Robert Crea (VIC)  
Ryan Woodhouse (WA)  
Samuel Schukin (QLD)  
Thomas Harden (QLD)  
Travis Donaldson (NSW)  
Whitiora Monaro (NSW)  
Yari Marazzato (WA)

### Women's Artistic

#### Senior National Squad

Amaya King Koi (QLD/QAS)  
Amelia McGrath (VIC/VIS)  
Angela Donald (VIC/VIS)  
Ashleigh Brennan (VIC/VIS/AIS)  
Ashley Cooney (WA/WAIS)  
Britt Greeley (VIC/VIS)  
Chloe Sims (QLD/QAS/AIS)  
Clare O'Donnell (VIC)  
Crystal Yeo (SA)  
Emily Little (WA/WAIS/AIS)  
Emma Collister (VIC/VIS)  
Georgia Rose Brown (VIC/VIS/AIS)  
Georgia Simpson (WA/WAIS)  
Georgia Wheeler (VIC/VIS)

Georgie Bonora (VIC/VIS)  
Karina Brooks (QLD/QAS)  
Katie Wurth (QLD/QAS)  
Larrissa Miller (QLD/QAS/AIS)  
Laura Hingston (VIC)  
Lauren Mitchell (WA/WAIS/AIS)  
Mary-Anne Monckton (VIC/AIS)  
Natalia Joura (QLD/QAS)  
Natasha Hammann (SA)  
Nikola Chung (WA/WAIS)  
Shar-Lee Clark (QLD)  
Sophie Budack (QLD/QAS)  
Svetlana Sanders (VIC/VIS)  
Tierra Exum (VIC/VIS)  
Zoe Lorenzin (VIC/VIS)

#### Junior National Squad

Aimee Warncok (AIS)  
Alexandra Eade (VIC/VIS/AIS)  
Ashley Kittl (QLD)  
Celeste Loo (NSW)  
Desnee Richter (NSW)  
Ebonie Boucher (VIC)  
Eden Tarvit (QLD/QAS)  
Elisha Lai (NSW)  
Emily Conran (QLD/QAS)  
Emma Curry (VIC)  
Emma Nedov (NSW/AIS)  
Franceska Fusha (WA/WAIS)  
Georgia Godwin (QLD/AIS)  
Grace Flood (VIC)  
Isis Lowrëy (VIC)  
Jazminne Casis (QLD/AIS)  
Kiara Munteanu (VIC)  
Maddi Leydin (VIC/VIS/AIS)  
Madeleine Nedov (NSW)  
Naomi Lee (ACT/AIS)  
Nicole Grout (SA)  
Rachel Boyd (VIC)  
Stella Savvidou (VIC)  
Tamika Jones (QLD/QAS/AIS)

### Rhythmic

#### Senior

Danielle Prince (QLD)  
Jaelle Cohen (NSW)  
Janine Murray (WA)  
Taylor Tirahadjo (VIC)

#### Junior

Amy Quinn (WA)  
Anastasia Katharios (NSW)  
Marival D'Jamirze (NSW)  
Michaela Joannides (WA)  
Michaela Whitehouse (NSW)  
Neisha Rizzo (WA)  
Tegan Lindsay (NSW)  
Zoe Ormrod (QLD)



### Trampoline

#### Senior TRP Squad

##### Men

Aiden Thomas\* (NSW / Eastlakes)  
Blake Gaudry (SA / T-Jets / SASI)  
Jack Penny (TAS / Eastside)  
Jarrod Spear (QLD / Victoria Park)  
Shaun Swadling (NSW / Eastlakes)  
Ty Swadling (NSW / Eastlakes)  
Will Morris (SA / T-Jets / SASI)

##### Transitional Athletes

Patrick Cooper (QLD / Victoria Park)

##### Women

Aslin Styles (SA / T-Jets / SASO)  
Bethany Bailey (NSW / Castle Hill / SASI)  
Christine Jenkins (VIC / Cheltenham)

##### Transitional Athletes

Madeleine Johnson (VIC / Cheltenham)

#### Senior DMT Squad

##### Men

Aiden Thomas (NSW / Eastlakes)  
Andrew Ronacher (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Elliot Stratton (WA / High Flyers)  
Jack Penny (TAS / Eastside)  
Jarrod Spear (QLD / Victoria Park)  
Ty Swadling (NSW / Eastlakes)

##### Transitional Athletes

Hugh Ross (TAS / Launceston PCYC)  
Matthew Gifkins (QLD / Robertson)  
Patrick Cooper (QLD / Victoria Park)

#### Women

Christine Hall (NSW / Eastlakes)  
Christine Jenkins (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Hayley Tagell (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Jessie Tulett (NSW / Castle Hill)  
Kelsie Henry (QLD / Robertson)  
Madeleine Johnson (VIC / Cheltenham)

##### Transitional Athletes

Hannah Sallow

#### TRP Junior National Squad

##### Men

Blake Rutherford (QLD / Rockhampton PCYC)  
Dominic Clarke (NSW / Castle Hill)  
Matthew Weal (NSW / Castle Hill)  
Riley Glazebrook (QLD / Victoria Park)

##### Women

Eva Kierath (WA / Peak Trampoline)  
Georgia McMahon (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Leanne Van Rensburg (NSW / Castle Hill)  
Natalie Skinner (SA / T-Jets)  
Nikita Wilson-Beddoe (SA / T-Jets)  
Taylor Ellison (NSW / Ryde RSL)

#### DMT Junior National Squad

##### Men

Aidan Collins (TAS / Launceston PCYC)  
Bastian Tinney (QLD / Rockhampton PCYC)  
Fletcher Donohue (QLD / Robertson)  
Matthew Henry (QLD / Robertson)  
Matthew Weal (NSW / Castle Hill)  
Riley Glazebrook (QLD / Victoria Park)

##### Women

Emily O'connor (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Georgia McMahon (VIC / Cheltenham)  
Lauren Sampson (QLD / Robertson)  
Rebecca Stacey (QLD / Robertson)  
Tarryn Hurst (VIC / Cheltenham)

### Aerobic

#### Age Group 1 Individual Female

Jazmin Crawford (WA)

#### Age Group 2 Individual Female

Cairo Leicester (WA)

#### Age Group 2 Individual Male

Kenji Fujihara (VIC)

#### Senior Individual Female

Samantha Elkington (WA)

### Acrobatic

#### Senior

Felicity Munton, Glen Wimberley  
(Mitchelton Gymnastics Club / QLD)

#### Junior 12 - 19 yrs

Mariya Stepchenkov, Tiffany Sciasci,  
Gabiella Ahlatis (Robertson Gymnastics  
Academy / QLD)

Attitude is a little thing that makes

a big difference. Kristina Ostojic, WAG gymnast

## Australian Champions

### Men's Artistic

#### Senior International All Around Champion

Naoya Tsukahara (QLD)

#### Level 10 Under All Around Champion

Tyson Bull (VIC)

#### Level 9 Open All Around Champion

Luke Rammell (SA)

#### Level 9 Under All Around Champion

Robert Thornton (QLD)

#### Level 8 Open All Around Champion

Scott Brooks (VIC)

#### Level 7 Open All Around Champion

Jack Norman (QLD)

#### Level 7 Under All Around Champion

Jackson Clarke (QLD)

#### Level 6 Under All Around Champion

Finlay Kroon (QLD)

### Women's Artistic

#### Senior International All Around Champion

Lauren Mitchell (WA)

#### Junior International All Around Champion

Georgia Godwin (QLD)

#### IDP 10 All Around Champion

Madelaine Leydin (VIC)

#### IDP 8 All Around Champion

Eliza Freeman (VIC)

#### IDP 6 All Around Champion

Alysha Koloj (QLD)

#### National Level 10 All Around Champion

Alicia Brown (VIC)

#### National Level 9 All Around Champion

Sophie Musgrave (QLD)

#### National Level 8 All Around Champion

Bianca Wardell (QLD)

#### National Level 7 All Around Champion

Taylah Laval (VIC)

### Rhythmic

#### Senior International All Around Champion

Danielle Prince (QLD)

#### Senior International Team

New South Wales

#### Junior International All Around Champion

Zoe Ormrod (QLD)

#### Junior International Team

Western Australia

#### Level 8 International All Around Champion

Tara Wilkie (NSW)

#### Level 8 International Team

New South Wales

#### Level 7 International All Around Champion

Kylie Ly (NSW)

#### Level 7 International Team

New South Wales

#### Level 10 National All Around Champion

Georgia Pase (QLD)

#### Level 10 National Team

Queensland

#### Level 9 National All Around Champion

Ashleigh Roper (QLD)

#### Level 9 National Team

New South Wales

#### Level 8 National All Around Champion

Sasha Lian (NSW)

#### Level 8 National Team

New South Wales

#### Level 7 National All Around Champion

Katherine Vikulov (QLD)

#### Level 7 National Team

Queensland

#### Junior Group All Around Champion

New South Wales

#### Sub-Junior Group All Around Champion

New South Wales

### Cheerleading

#### Hip Hop:

##### Junior

Air Born Cheerleading - Magic Squad

##### Mini

Air Born Cheerleading - Sparkle Squad

##### Open

Air Born Cheerleading - Power Squad

##### Secondary

The Hills Sports High School

##### Senior

Evolution of Dance

##### Youth

Evolution of Dance

##### Jazz:

##### Junior

Evolution of Dance

##### Open

Air Born Cheerleading - Power Squad

##### Senior

Evolution of Dance

##### Youth

Evolution of Dance

##### Pom:

##### Junior - Small

Air Born Cheerleading - Magic Squad

##### Mini - Small

Air Born Cheerleading - Sparkle Squad

##### Open - Small

Air Born Cheerleading - Power Squad

##### Primary

Tara Anglican School for Girls

##### Secondary

Our Lady of Mercy College

##### Senior - Small/Large

The Academy of Cheerleading - Thunder

##### University

VU Vipers

##### Youth - Small

Air Born Cheerleading - Spirit Squad

##### Partner Stunt:

##### Open - 2

VU Vipers " Derek & Amanda"

##### Open - 3

Air Born Cheerleading " Bugg\*Em"

##### Senior - 2

NRG Cheersports Inc " Immi & Letaasha"

##### Senior - 3

NRG Cheersports Inc " David & Keety"

##### Senior - 4

NRG Cheersports Inc " Ceilidh & Casy"

##### Senior - 5

Starlets " Charlotte & Michael" EXHIBITION

##### Youth - 1

Southern All Stars Cheer & Dance " Taylah & Taylah"

##### Group Stunt:

##### Junior - 3

Air Born Cheerleading - Dazzle Squad

##### Junior All Girl - 1

The Academy of Cheerleading - Tripple J

##### Junior All Girl - 2

Starlets Cheerleading - Ash & Sofia

##### Mini All Girls - 1

Diamond Dance & Cheerleading - Silver Games

##### Open - 1

Diamond Dance & Cheerleading - Sapphires

##### Open All Girl - 2

Visual Energy Studios Cheers & Dance - Silver Bullets

##### Open All Girls - 3

Air Born Cheerleading - Blue Diamond Squad

##### Open All Girls - 4

Starlets Cheerleading - Mo

##### Open Mixed - 3

Visual Energy Studios Cheers & Dance - Black Hawks

##### Open Mixed - 4

Starlets Cheerleading - Alana & Ash

##### Open Mixed - 5

Air Born Cheerleading - Pink Squad

##### Open Mixed - 6

Starlets Cheerleading - Touv'e really got to see this

##### Secondary Girl - 2

Gilroy College

##### Senior - 3

Hightett - Hurricanes

##### Senior All Girl - 1

Diamond Dance & Cheerleading - Emeralds

##### Senior All Girl - 2

The Academy of Cheerleading - Luigi

##### Senior All Girl - 4

Air Born Cheerleading - White Squad

##### Senior Mixed - 3

Starlets Cheerleading - Bella & Deyana

##### Senior Mixed - 4

NRG Cheer Sports Inc - Tornado

##### Youth All Girl - 2

PCYC Gyमारos - Gold Squad

##### Youth All Girl/Mixed - 1

Air Born Cheerleading - Superstar Squad

##### Cheer:

##### Junior - Large - 2

Air Born Cheerleading - Magic Squad

##### Junior - Small/Large - 1

Starlets Cheerleading - White Elite

##### Junior Small - 2

Starlets Cheerleading - Silver Elite

##### Mini - Small - 1

Air Born Cheerleading - Sparkle Squad

##### Open - Large - 2

Lions Allstar Cheerleading - Force

##### Open - Large - 5

Starlets Cheerleading - Black Elite

##### Open - Small - 2

Starlets Cheerleading - Black Squad

##### Open - Small - 3

Air Born Cheerleading - Power Squad

##### Open - Small/Large - 4

Lions Allstar Cheerleading - Lions

##### Primary - 1

Blakehurst Primary School

##### Primary - 2

Tara Anglican School for Girls

##### Secondary - 2

Tara Anglican School for Girls

##### Secondary - 2

Tara Anglican School for Girls

##### Senior - Large - 2

E.O.D Allstars

**Senior - Large - 3**  
E.O.D Allstars

**Senior - Large - 4.2**  
Steps 201 - Silver Stars

**Senior - Small - 1**  
Starlets Cheerleading - Silver Squad

**Senior - Small - 2**  
The Academy of Cheerleading - Thunder

**Senior - Small - 3**  
Starlets Cheerleading - Teal Elite

**University - 2**  
VU Vipers

**Youth - 2**  
Southern All Stars Cheer & Dance - Star Brights

**Youth - Small/Large - 1**  
Air Born Cheerleading - Spirit Squad

## Trampoline

**Senior Male TRP Champion**  
Ty Swadling (NSW)

**Senior Female TRP Champion**  
Bethany Bailey (NSW)

**Junior Male TRP Champion**  
Matthew Weal (NSW)

**Junior Female TRP Champion**  
Leanne Van Rensburg (NSW)

**Senior Male Synchro Champion**  
Blake Gaudry & Will Morris (SA)

**Senior Female Synchro Champion**  
Alexandra Freeman & Natalie Skinner (SA)

**Junior Male Synchro Champion**  
Abbie Watts & Nikita Wilson Beddoe (WA/SA)

**Junior Female Synchro Champion**  
Joshua Mobbs & Luke Seal (WA/SA)

**Senior Male DMT Champion**  
Jarrod Spear (QLD)

**Senior Female DMT Champion**  
Jessie Tulett (NSW)

**Junior Male DMT Champion**  
Matthew Weal (NSW)

**Junior Female DMT Champion**  
Emily O'Connor (VIC)

**U11 Female Double Mini Tramp**  
Britney Glazebrook (QLD)

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**U11 Female Synchro Groups**  
Katelyn Smith & Kirralee Costelloe (QLD)

**U11 Male Double Mini Tramp**  
Benjamin Carroll (NSW)

**U11 Male Tramp**  
Ben McDermott (NSW)

**U11 Male Synchro Groups**  
Adam Davey & Hunter Groves (VIC)

**U13 Female Double Mini Tramp**  
Kira Ward (NSW)

**U13 Female Tramp**  
Kira Ward (NSW)

**U13 Female Synchro Groups**  
Kira Ward & Megan Adams (NSW)

**U13 Male Double Mini Tramp**  
Gary Haasbroek (VIC)

**U13 Male Tramp**  
Brendan Weal (NSW)

**U13 Male Synchro Groups**  
Jordan Fletcher & Nathan Mereck (NSW)

**U15 Female Double Mini Tramp**  
Jayden Cooney (WA)

**U15 Female Tramp**  
Nikita Wilson-Beddoe (SA)

**U15 Female Synchro Groups**  
Elenor St George & Jayden Cooney (WA)

**U15 Male Double Mini Tramp**  
Curtis Booth (WA)

**U15 Male Tramp**  
Dominic Clarke (NSW)

**U15 Men Synchro Groups**  
Curtis Booth & Hugh McConnel (WA/TAS)

**U17 Female Double Mini Tramp**  
Emily O'Connor (VIC)

**U17 Female Tramp**  
Leanne Van Rensburg (NSW)

**U17 Female Synchro Groups**  
Emily O'Connor & Georgia McMahon (VIC)

**U17 Male Double Mini Tramp**  
Aidan Collins (TAS)

**U17 Male Tramp**  
Luke Seal (SA)

**U17 Male Synchro Groups**  
Blake Rutherford & Luke Seal (QLD/SA)

**17+ Female Double Mini Tramp**  
Kaitlyn Duignan (VIC)

**17+ Female Tramp**  
Stacey Healy (QLD)

**17+ Female Synchro Groups**  
Ashleigh Rowe & Lauren Sampson (QLD)

**17+ Male Double Mini Tramp**  
Owen Gilbert (NSW)

**17+ Male Tramp**  
Owen Gilbert (NSW)

**17+ Male Synchro Groups**  
Benjamin Martin & Jakob Martin (NSW)

## Acrobatic

**Level 4 Women's Pair**  
Dana Armour, Mykenna Collier (NSW)

**Level 4 Women's group**  
Shelly Franke, Maddison Lacey, Tekia Cheyne (NSW)

**Level 4 Mixed Pair**  
Riley Charles, Ashleigh Johnson (QLD)

**Level 4 Men's Pair**  
Ethan Darrow, Nick Major (ACT)

**Level 5 Women's Pair**  
Jodie Sim, Millie Hulst (NSW)

**Level 5 Men's Pair**  
Joseph Achenza, Jake Cheetham-Thomas (NSW)

**Level 5 Mixed Pair**  
Rachel Moseley, Lachlan Darrow (ACT)

**Level 5 Women's group**  
Amber Marsay, Molly Hanrahan, Kristy Hay (NSW)

**Level 6 Women's Pair**  
Nicole Ilhan, Frances de Asis (NSW)

**Level 6 Mixed Pair**  
Kate Barry, David Caputo (NSW)

**Level 6 Women's group**  
Georgia Ayliffe, Chloe Bormolini, Carly Shott (WA)

**Level 7 Women's Pair**  
Megan Field, Mikayla Stephens (NSW)

**Level 7 Mixed Pair**  
Gregory Clune, Nicola Toigo (NSW)

**Level 7 Women's group**  
Damiana Gogova, Morgan Moroney, Emily Weyman-Jones (QLD)

**Level 8 Women's Pair**  
Desirae Sciasci, Samantha Roberts (QLD)

**Level 8 Mixed Pair**  
Aaron Weidle, Lauren Bezzina (NSW)

**Level 8 Women's group**  
Mei Hubnik, Alex Gall, Lana Borisova (NSW)

**Level 9 Women's Pair**  
Tianye Boorman, Lisa Petersen (QLD)

**Level 9 Mixed Pair**  
Joanne Curry, Aaron Mavro (VIC)

**Level 9 Men's pair**  
Adrian Buck, Jake Sergeant (QLD)

**Level 9 Women's group**

Daisy Puckeridge, Andie O'Brien, Hayley McGrath-Hogan (NSW)

**Level 10 Women's pair**  
Amber Kaldor, Madison Chan (NSW)

**Level 10 Mixed pair**  
Holly Weyman-Jones, Aaron Janes (QLD)

**Level 10 Women's group**  
Elizabeth Jacobs, Amy Lang, Elodie Rousseau-Forwood (QLD)

**Junior 11 - 16 Women's Pair**  
Natalie Lin, Alexandra Der (NSW)

**Junior 11 - 16 Mixed Pair**  
Perry Drakopoulos, Tara Sahagian (NSW)

**Junior 11 - 16 Women's group**  
Hannah Cosgrove, Holly Cosgrove, Lauren Cosgrove (NSW)

**Junior 12 - 19 Women's group**  
Shani Meadows, Emily Shaw, Krystal Hoyer-Smith (QLD)

**Senior Mixed Pair**  
Felicity Munton, Glen Wimberley (QLD)

**Senior Women's group**  
Melanie Bryne, Ingrid Dunkerley, Annelise Olsson (NSW)

## Aerobic

**Age Group 1 Individual Female**  
Jazmin Crawford (WA)

**Age Group 2 Individual Female**  
Cairo Leicester (WA)

**Age Group 2 Individual Male**  
Kenji Fujihara (VIC)

**Senior Individual Female**  
Samantha Elkington (WA)

Discipline  
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most

Sean O'Hara,  
MAG gymnast

## National Commissions

### Men's Artistic

Daren Wolfe – Technical Director  
Paul Szyjko – Judging Coordinator  
Rohan Kennedy – Commission Member  
Andrew Cordery – Commission Member  
John Curtin – National Coach

### Women's Artistic

Helen Colagiuri – Technical Director  
Jill Wright – Judging Coordinator  
Peggy Liddick – National Coach  
Michelle de Highden – Member  
Desiree Jones – Member  
Stephanie Moorhouse – Program Manager

### Rhythmic

Teresa Evans – Technical Director  
Gina Peluso – Judging Coordinator  
Joanne Edinger – Commission Member  
Virginia Elliott – Commission Member

### Trampoline

Mike Kelso – Technical Director  
Darren Gillis – Judging Coordinator  
Belinda Cox – Commission Member  
Ben Kelly – Commission Member  
Nikolay Zhuravlev – National Coach

### Aerobic

Karon Williams – Technical Director  
Liz Lyons – Judging Coordinator  
Kerryn Cormick – Commission Member  
Carolyn Warren – Commission Member  
Karon Williams – Program Manager (Jan-Aug)

### Acrobatic

Andrew Saba – Technical Director  
Yuriy Stepchenkov – Judging Coordinator  
Bruce Treble – Commission Member  
Amy Yeomans – Commission Member

**20 – 23 January**  
**RG | Koop Cup - Toronto, Canada**

Danielle Prince – AA 9th, Ribbon 2nd,  
Ball 4th  
Zoe Ormrod – AA13th

**27 – 31 January**  
**RG | Montreal World Cup - Montreal, Canada**

Danielle Prince – AA11th  
Zoe Ormrod – AA12th  
Marival D'Jamirze – AA13th

**24 – 28 February**  
**AER | Aix Les Bains World Series, France**

Kieran Gorman – Senior Male 9th  
Samantha Elkington – Senior Female 13th

**2 March**  
**WAG | AUS v GBR Manchester, England**

Team Members:  
Georgia Wheeler, Nikola Chung, Zoe Lorenzin,  
Emma Nedov, Amelia McGrath, Mary-Anne  
Monckton  
Results:  
Team – 2nd  
All Around – Georgia Wheeler 3rd (snr);  
Emma Nedov 1st (Jnr)  
Uneven Bars – Georgia Wheeler 1st  
Beam – Mary-Anne Monckton 2nd;  
Georgia Wheeler 3rd  
Floor – Georgia Wheeler 2nd; Zoe Lorenzin 4th

**5 March**  
**WAG | American Cup, Jacksonville, Florida, USA**

Lauren Mitchell – All Around – 6th

**10 March**  
**WAG | Gymnix International**

Team Members:  
Georgia Wheeler, Nikola Chung, Zoe Lorenzin,  
Emma Nedov, Amelia McGrath, Mary-  
Anne Monckton  
Results:  
All Around – Georgia Wheeler 7th; Nikola  
Chung 10th; Zoe Lorenzin 13th; Emma Nedov  
17th; Mary-Anne Monckton 29th; Amelai  
McGrath 45th  
Uneven Bars – Georgia Wheeler 4th;  
Zoe Lorenzin 7th; Nikola Chung 10th  
Beam – Nikola Chung 3rd; Georgia Wheeler  
7th; Emma Nedov 8th  
Floor – Amelia McGrath 7th; Zoe Lorenzin 9th;  
Mary-Anne Monckton 11th

**11 March**  
**WAG | Cottbus World Cup**

Team Members:  
Ashleigh Brennan, Larissa Miller  
Results:  
Ashleigh Brennan: 7th Floor

**19 – 20 March**  
**MAG | Paris World Cup**

Prashanth Sellathurai – 4th PH

**19 March**  
**WAG | Paris World Cup**

Lauren Mitchell – 4th Beam

**28 March**  
**WAG | Wild Rose Invitational, Edmonton, Canada**

Team Members:  
Emily Little, Tierra Exum, Georgia-Rose Brown,  
Britt Greeley, Katie Wurth  
Results:  
All Around: Katie Wurth 5th; Tierra Exum 10th;  
Georgia-Rose Brown 14th; Britt Greeley 17th;  
Emily Little 18th  
Beam: Emily Little 2nd; Katie Wurth 9th  
Floor: Emily Little 7th

**30 March – 1 April**  
**MAG | Doha Challenger Cup**

Prashanth Sellathurai – 1st PH

**10 – 11 April**  
**RG | 24th MTM Competition - Ljubjana, Slovenia**

Enid Sung – 12th AA, Ribbon 9th, Clubs 13th,  
Ball 14th, Hoop 16th  
Jaelle Cohen – 21st AA, Hoop 9th, Clubs 22nd,  
Ball 22nd, Ribbon 22nd

**13 – 18 April**  
**RG | Kalamata World Cup, Kalamata Greece**

Enid Sung – 36th AA  
Jaelle Cohen – 35th AA

**14 – 16 April**  
**ACR | Belgium World Cup - Flanders International**

Felicity Munton and Glen Wimberley –  
6th Place

**16 – 17 April**  
**TRP | Bulgarian World Cup**

Blake Gaudry – 17th Ind Trp,  
12th Sync  
William Morris – 39th Ind Trp,  
12th Sync  
Ty Swadling – 21st Ind Trp

**28 April – 1 May**  
**RG | Portimao World Cup, Portimao Portugal**

Danielle Prince – 42nd AA

**6 – 8 May**  
**RG | Kiev World Cup, Kiev, Ukraine**

Danielle Prince – 38th AA

**13 May**  
**WAG | Moscow World Cup**

Lauren Mitchell – Uneven Bars: 7th

**13 - 14 May**  
**MAG | Moscow World Cup**

Prashanth Sellathurai – 2nd PH

**13 - 15 May**  
**AER | Borovets World series and Aerobics Open, Bulgaria**

Kieran Gorman – Senior Male 5th  
Samantha Elkington – Senior Female 24th  
Koby Moore – Senior Female 26th  
Chelsea Carroll – Age Group 2 7th  
Stephanie Keily – Age Group 1 21st  
Charlotte Roe – Age Group 1 30th  
Robyn Kalkhoven – Age Group 1 33rd

**21 May**  
**WAG | International GymSport**

Team Members:  
Alex Eade, Emma Nedov, Madelaine Leydin  
Results:  
Team: 1st  
All Around: Alex Eade 1st; Emma Nedov 1st;  
Madelaine Leydin 4th

**28 May**  
**WAG | Pre-Olympic Youth Cup**

Team Members:  
Alex Eade, Emma Nedov, Madelaine Leydin  
Results:  
All Around: Alex Eade 2nd; Emma Nedov 11th;  
Madelaine Leydin 14th

**3 – 5 June**  
**RG | No Limits Open – Belgium**

Jaelle Cohen – 6th AA, Finals in  
Hoop and Ribbon  
Enid Sung – 11th AA, Finals in Ball  
Vanessa Ade – 14th AA  
Samantha Richardson –  
15th AA–  
Claudia Pillay – 16th AA

**4 – 5 June**  
**AER | Suzuki World Cup, Japan**

Selected Competitors:  
Kieran Gorman, Samantha Elkington,  
Zoe Tisdale, Chelsea Carroll, Cairo Leicester,  
Giveney How, Jazmin Crawford  
Results:  
Team withdrawn due to nuclear and  
earthquake concerns

**17 – 19 June**  
**RG | Singapore Open – Singapore**

Michaela Whitehouse –  
5th AA, Ball 7th,  
Clubs 3rd  
Tegan Lindsay – 9th AA, Hoop 4th,  
Ribbon 4th  
Anastasia Katharios – 10th AA, Hoop 8th,  
Clubs 5th  
Marlee Shae Holden – 12th AA  
Jaelle Cohen – 1st AA, Hoop 2nd,  
Ball 1st, Clubs 1st,  
Ribbon 2nd –  
Taylor Tirahardjo – 3rd AA, 3rd Ball,  
2nd Clubs –  
Samantha Richardson –  
4th AA, 3rd Hoop,  
3rd Ribbon –

**2 July**  
**WAG | Japan Team Cup**

Team Members:  
Lauren Mitchell, Ashleigh Brennan,  
Georgia-Rose Brown, Mary-Anne Monckton,  
Larissa Miller  
Results:  
Team: 4th  
All Around: Lauren Mitchell 4th; Mary-Anne  
Monckton 5th

**2 – 3 July**  
**TRP | China World Cup**

Blake Gaudry – 30th Ind Trp, 7th Sync  
William Morris – 31st Ind Trp, 7th Sync  
Ty Swadling – 32nd Ind Trp,  
14th Sync  
Jack Penny – 20th Ind Trp,  
14th Sync  
Bethany Bailey – 13th Ind Trp

**20 – 23 July**  
**AER | ANAC International Championships, USA**

Kieran Gorman – Senior Male 3rd  
Samantha Elkington –  
Senior Female 7th  
Zoe Tisdale – Senior Female 19th  
Samantha Elkington –  
AeroDance Senior  
Team 1st  
Cairo Leicester – Age Group 2  
Female 5th  
Sophie Beucker – Age Group 2  
Female 16th  
Jazmin Crawford – Age Group 1  
Female 3rd  
Giveney How – Age Group 1  
Female 6th  
Carissa Curia – Junior Showcase 5th  
Michelle Godber  
Samantha Kukura  
Emma Davies  
Suzi Price  
Tamzen McAlpine  
Vanessa Pink  
Eloise Kane

**28 – 31 July**  
**RG | New Zealand National Championships**

Anna Karaganova –  
3rd AA, Hoop 1st  
Amie Long – 4th AA, Hoop 1st  
Sasha Lian – 1st AA, Hoop 1st,  
Ball 1st, Clubs 1st,  
Ribbon 1st  
Chelsea Zwoerner –  
3rd AA, Hoop 2nd,  
Ribbon 3rd  
Emily Schneider – 5th AA, Ball 2nd,  
Ribbon 2nd –  
Emma Long – 1st AA, Hoop 1st,  
Ball 1st, Clubs 2nd,  
Ribbon 1st  
Chloe Trevett – 2nd AA, Hoop 2nd,  
Ball 3rd, Ribbon 1st  
Hannah Moroney  
4th AA, Ball 2nd  
Georgia Pase – 1st AA, Hoop 2nd,  
Ball 1st, Clubs 2nd,  
Ribbon 1st  
Abigail McPherson –  
2nd AA, Hoop 1st,  
Ball 2nd, 1st Clubs,  
Ribbon 3rd  
Chloe Nelson – 5th AA  
Ashleigh Parsons – 3rd AA, Rope 2nd,  
Ribbon 3rd  
Emma Chan – 1st AA, Hoop 1st,  
Ball 2nd, Clubs 2nd,  
Ribbon 3rd

Neisha Rizzo – 3rd AA, Hoop 2nd  
Zoe Ormrod – 7th AA, Hoop 3rd,  
Clubs 3rd  
Marlee Shae Holden –  
8th AA  
Vanessa Ade – 3rd AA, Hoop 2nd,  
Ball 1st, Clubs 1st,  
Ribbon 3rd

## 28 – 31 July

### AER I Gymsports NZ National Championships, New Zealand

Krichelle Gilmour –  
Senior Female 2nd  
Chelsea Harris – Age Group 2 2nd  
Megan Shroff – Age Group 1 1st  
Maddison Kerr – Age Group 1 2nd  
Rachel Johnson – Junior A 1st  
Briarly Collyns – Junior A 2nd  
Anastasia Riordan-Banister –  
Junior A 3rd  
Madisson Napper  
– Junior A 4th  
Katie Underwood  
– Junior B 1st

## 12 – 23 August

### MAG I World University Games

Luke Wiwatowski –  
17th AA –  
Sam Offord – 4th R  
Thomas Pichler – 22nd AA  
Michael Mercieca  
Prashanth Sellathurai –  
1st PH

## 27 – 28 August

### RG I RG Berlin Masters, Germany

Janine Murray – 24th AA

## 3 - 4 September

### MAG I Ghent Challenger Cup

Jayden Bull – 8th HB

## 7 - 12 September

### WAG I Commonwealth Youth Games

Team Members:  
Emma Nedov, Alex Eade, Madelaine Leydin  
Results:  
Team: 3rd  
All Around: Emma 5th; Maddie 9th; Alex 13th  
Apparatus Finals: Emma 1st Beam

## 9 – 11 September

### MAG I Commonwealth Youth Games

Tyson Bull – 2nd R, 5th HB  
Kent Pietrse – 14th AA  
Declan Stacey – 1st FX, 8th PB,  
12th AA

## 19 – 25 September

### RG I RG World Championships – Montpellier, France

Janine Murray – 75th AA  
Danielle Prince – 86th AA  
Jaelle Cohen – 105th Hoop,  
88th Ribbon –  
Taylor Tirahadjo – 96th Ball, 93rd Clubs

## 24 – 25 September

### MAG I Japan Junior

Tyson Bull – 11th AA, 6th PB,  
4th HB

## 28 September

### WAG I Japan Junior

Jazmin Cassis – All Around: 8th;  
Vault: 6th;  
Uneven Bars: 8th;  
Beam: 8th; Floor: 8th

## 7 October

### WAG I World Championships

Team Members:  
Lauren Mitchell, Emily Little, Ashleigh Brennan,  
Georgia-Rose Brown, Mary-Anne Monckton,  
Larissa Miller  
Results:  
Team: qualified 6th 2012 Olympic Games  
All Around: Lauren 8th; Emily 23rd  
Floor: Lauren 5th

## 7 – 16 October

### MAG I World Championships

Team Members:  
Joshua Jefferis, Sam Offord, Thomas Pichler,  
Prashanth Sellathurai, Luke Wadsworth,  
Luke Wiwatowski, Samuel Simpson (Reserve)  
Results:  
Team: 18th Place

Joshua Jefferis – 53rd AA, 119th Fx,  
135th PH, 34th RR,  
119th VT, 45th PB,  
97th HB  
Sam Offord – 108th Fx, 28th RR,  
98th VT, 105th PB,  
82nd HB

Thomas Pichler – 38th AA, 33rd Fx,  
115th PH, 93rd RR,  
107th VT, 31st PB,  
96th HB  
Prashanth Sellathurai – 6th PH, 42nd RR,  
114th PB  
Luke Wadsworth – 95th Fx, 197th PH,  
85th VT, 150th HB  
Luke Wiwatowski –  
72nd AA, 129th Fx,  
124th PH, 105th RR,  
98th Vt, 55th PB,  
151st HB

## 1 – 7 November

### MAG I NZL Open Levels Tour

Level 7 Team – 2nd Place  
Jack Norman – 2nd AA, 1st PH,  
2nd RR, 4th VT,  
Matthew McKenna –  
4th AA, 2nd FX,  
3rd RR, 6th HB  
Joshua Meyer – 6th AA, 5th PH,  
6th PB, 10th HB  
Stephen Moulds – 7th AA, 2nd PB,  
3rd VT, 5th FX

Level 8 Team – 1st Place  
Jordan Papandrea –  
1st AA, 1st RR,  
1st HB, 2nd FX,  
3rd PH  
Dylan Schlumpf – 7th AA, 1st PB,  
2nd HB, 4th PH,  
8th RR  
Zachariah Salameh –  
9th AA, =4th VT,  
6th PB  
Jay Pery – 11th AA, 7th FX

Level 9 Team – 2nd Place  
Michael Tone – 4th AA, 1st PB,  
2nd VT, 3rd RR,  
3rd HB, 6th FX  
Gerard Atzeni – 7th AA, 1st FX,  
3rd PB, 7th PH  
Brandon Lee – 8th AA, 3rd VT,  
5th RR  
Mark Rodgers – 9th AA, 5th PH,  
7th HB

## 11 November

### WAG I DTB Team Cup

Team Members:  
Lauren Mitchell, Emily Little, Larissa Miller,  
Nikola Chung  
Results:  
Team: 2nd  
All Around: Georgia Wheeler 3rd  
(snr);Emma Nedov 1st (Jnr)

Uneven Bars: Georgia Wheeler 1st  
Beam: Mary-Anne Monckton 2nd;  
Georgia Wheeler 3rd  
Floor: Georgia Wheeler 2nd; Zoe Lorenzin 4th

## 12 November

### WAG I DTB World Cup

Lauren Mitchel – 4th AA;  
4th Uneven Bars;  
4th Beam: 2nd Floor  
Emily Little – 8th AA; 2nd Vault;  
7th Uneven Bars;  
5th Beam; 8th Floor

## 17 – 20 November

### TRP I World Championships

TRP Team – Men's TRP Team - 9th  
Blake Gaudry – 16th Ind Trp,  
21st Sync  
William Morris – 44th Ind Trp,  
21st Sync  
Ty Swadling – 97th Ind Trp,  
18th Sync  
Shaun Swadling – 32nd Ind Trp,  
18th Sync  
Bethany Bailey – 69th Ind Trp

DMT Team – Women's DMT  
Team – 6th  
Jarrod Spear – 23rd DMT  
Christine Hall – 12th DMT  
Kelsie Henry – 17th DMT  
Jessie Tulett – 22nd DMT

## 18 November

### WAG I Marseille Cup

Team Members:  
Mary-Anne Monckton, Emily Little, Larissa  
Miller, Nikola Chung, Ashleigh Brennan,  
Georgia-Rose Brown, Georgia Wheeler  
Results:  
Open Team: 3rd  
All around (Open): Georgia-Rose Brown 2nd  
Master Teams: 4th and 6th  
All Around (Master): Emily Little 3rd; Georgia-  
Rose Brown 12th; Mary-Anne Monckton 15th;  
Nikola Chung 17th; Georgia Wheeler 24th  
Apparatus Finals (Master): Beam - Emily Little  
4th; Floor - Ashelight Brennan 3rd

## 24 – 27 November

### TRP I World Age Group Championships

Gary Haasbroek –  
4th 11-12 Men's DMT,  
12th 11-12 Men's Ind Trp

Zoe Nay – 24th 11-12 Women's Ind Trp,  
12th 11-12 Women's DMT,  
14th 11-12 Women's DMT  
Kira Ward – 3rd 11-12 Women's DMT,  
17th 11-12 Women's Ind Trp,  
14th 11-12 Women's DMT  
Jared Archer – 7th 13-14 Men's Sync, 37th  
13-14 Men's Ind TRP,  
14th 13-14 Men's DMT  
Curtis Booth – 46th 13-14 Men's Ind Trp,  
23rd 13-14 Men's DMT,  
12th 13-14 Men's Sync  
Dominic Clarke – 7th 13-14 Men's Sync,  
12th 13-14 Men's Ind Trp  
Olivia Davies – 10th 13-14 Women's DMT,  
20th 13-14 Women's Sync  
Joshua Ibrahim – 5th 13-14 Men's DMT  
Hugh McConnell –  
5th 13-14 Men's DMT,  
14th 13-14 Men's Ind Trp,  
12th 13-14 Men's Sync  
Killilipi O'Donoghue-Scarce –  
17th 13-14 Women's DMT,  
20th 13-14 Women's Sync  
Abbie Watts –  
12th 13-14 Women's Ind Trp,  
7th 13-14 Women' Sync (q)  
Nikita Wilson-Beddoe –  
5th 15-16 Women's Ind Trp,  
7th 13-14 Women' Sync (q)

Claire Arthur –  
25th 15-16 Women's Ind Trp,  
11th 15 - 16 Women's Sync  
Michael Burke – 21st 15 - 16 Men's Ind Trp,  
13th 15-16 Men's DMT, 9th  
15-16 Men's Sync  
Aidan Collins – 16th 15 - 16 Men's DMT  
Fletcher Donohue –  
62nd 15 -16 Men's Ind Trp, 9th 15-16 Men's  
DMT, 9th 5-16 Men's Sync  
Oliver Mcgrath – 15th 15-16 Men's DMT  
Mariana Mclean –  
8th 15 -16 Women's DMT  
Georgia McMahan –  
55th 15-16 Women's Trp,  
33rd 15-16 Women's DMT,  
12th 15-16 Women's Sync  
Emily O'Connor – 9th 15-16 Women's DMT,  
12th 15-16 Women's Sync  
Blake Rutherford –  
16th 15-16 Men's Ind Trp,  
17th 15-16 Men's Sync  
Lauren Sampson – DNC  
Luke Seal – 4th 15-16 Men's Ind Trp,  
17th 15-16 Men's Sync  
Leanne Van Rensburg –  
12th 15-16 Women's Ind Trp,  
11th 15-16, Women's Sync  
Patrick Cooper – 3rd 17-18 Men's Sync,  
17th 17-18 Men's Ind Trp,  
12th 17-18 Men's DMT

Eva Kierath – 1st 17-18 Women's Trp,  
14th 17-18 Women's DMT  
Patrick Mcgrath–  
19th 17–18 Men's DMT  
Rebecca Stacey –  
19th 17-18 Women's DMT,  
14th 17–18 Women's DMT  
Bastian Tinney –  
18th 17-18 Men's DMT,  
12th 15-16 Men's Sync  
Matthew Weal – 3rd 17-18 Men's Sync,  
7th 17-18 Men's DMT,  
36th 17-18 Men's Ind Trp  
Joshua Mobbs – 7th, 17-18 Men's Trp,  
12th 15-16 Men's Sync

## 26 November

### WAG I Tokyo World Cup

Mary-Anne Monckton  
Georgia-Rose Brown  
All Around: Mary-Anne Monckton 5th;  
Georgia-Rose Brown 6th  
Vault: Georgia-Rose Brown 4th;  
Mary-Anne Monckton 5th  
Uneven Bars: Mary-Anne Monckton 3rd;  
Georgia-Rose Brown 6th  
Beam: Mary-Anne Monckton 3rd;  
Georgia-Rose Brown 6th  
Floor: Georgia-Rose Brown 6th;  
Mary-Anne Monckton 7th

## 26 November

### MAG I Austrian Future Cup

Team Competition – 11th Place  
Bob Thornton  
Lachlan Savill – 7th AA, 4th FX, 1st PB  
Scott Costin – 7th AA, 5th HB  
Clay Stephens – 10th AA, 4th FX

## 9 December

### WAG – Mexican Gymnastics Open – Championships

Emily Little – All Around: Emily 4th

## 10 – 11 December

### RG – Happy Cup – Ghent, Belgium

Michaela Joannides – 18th AA  
Amy Quinn – 24th AA  
Marlee Shae Holden – 32nd AA  
Julia Onufreichuk – 34th AA  
Taylor Tirahardjo – 18th AA  
Neisha Rizzo – 23rd AA





## National Award Recipients

### Gymnastics For All

#### GFA Coach of the Year

Lynn Martin (SA)

#### KG Coach of the Year

Raelene Osborn (SA)

#### Volunteer Award

John Pickering (SA)

#### Special Recognition Award

Bridget Kimber (VIC)

#### Special Recognition Award

Eleanor Majpruz (VIC)

#### Lance Otto Award

Heather Mooney (SA)

### Rhythmic

#### Senior International Gymnast of the Year

Danielle Prince (QLD)

#### Junior International Gymnast of the Year

Zoe Ormrod (QLD)

#### International Coach of the Year

Edith Peluso (QLD)

#### National Levels Gymnast of the Year

Georgia Pase (QLD)

#### National Levels Coach of the Year

Galrina Yegoroba (QLD)

#### Official of the Year

Joy Millard (NSW)

### Men's

#### Senior International Gymnast of the Year

Prashanth Sellathurai (NSW)

#### Junior International Gymnast of the Year

Tyson Bull (VIC)

#### International Coach of the Year

Songliang Xiong (NSW)

#### Open Levels Gymnast of the Year

Jack Norman (QLD)

#### Open Levels Coach of the Year

Niall O'Leary (QLD)

#### Coach Achievement Award

Sean Wilson (QLD)

#### Judging Official of the Year

Duncan Myers (VIC)

### Trampoline

#### Senior Athlete of the Year

Blake Gaudry (SA)

#### International Coach of the Year

Nikolay Zhuravlev (SA)

#### Junior Athlete of the Year

Matthew Weal (NSW)

#### National Athlete of the Year

Kira Ward (NSW)

#### National Coach of the Year

Ben Kelly (TAS)

#### NOP Judge of the Year

Brett Austine (NSW)

#### Official of the Year

Joanne Penny (TAS)

### Acrobatic

#### National Group of the Year

Amber Kaldor, Madison Chan (NSW)

#### National Coach of the Year

Xi Lin Shen (NSW)

#### NOP Official of the Year

Amy Yeomans (NSW)

#### Special Recognition Award

Michelle Mason (NSW)

### Women's

#### Senior International Gymnast of the Year

Lauren Mitchell (WA)

#### Junior International Gymnast of the Year

Emma Jane Nedov (NSW)

#### International Coaching Team

WAIS

#### National Levels Gymnast of the Year

Alicia Brown (VIC)

#### National Levels Coach of the Year

Jackie Caldwell (VIC)

#### National Levels Coach of the Year

Amanda Deurloo (WA)

### Aerobic

#### Senior Athlete of the Year

Kieran Gorman (WA)

#### Youth Athlete of the Year

Cairo Leicester (WA)

#### Coach of the Year

Trudi Nurse (WA)

#### Levels Coach of the Year

Pricilla Pickering (QLD)

#### Official of the Year

Elizabeth Lyons (QLD)

#### Special Recognition Award

Carolyn Warren (QLD)

#### Special Recognition Award

Kerryn Cormick (VIC)

# Athlete Award of Distinction

## Men's

Graham Bond QLD  
David Gourlay VIC  
John Lees VIC  
Bruce Sharp NSW  
Brian Blackburn NSW  
Noel Puntton VIC  
Benny De Roo NSW  
Ted Trainer NSW  
Marc Faulks NSW  
Doug MacLennan NSW  
Barry Cheales VIC  
Murray Chessell VIC  
Ian Clarke VIC  
Peter Lloyd VIC  
Lambert Ariens SA  
Phil Cheetham NSW  
Rudi Starosta VIC  
Lindsay Nyland WA  
Warick Forbes WA / NSW  
M. Stirling  
Shaw Byng NSW  
Werner Birnbaum NSW  
Gennady Gleyberman VIC  
Rob Edmonds QLD  
Ken Meredith ACT  
T. Wakamatsu WA  
Minoru Yamasaki NT  
Blaise Rizzo NSW  
Grant Carlyon QLD / WA  
Tim Lees VIC  
M. Mommsen ACT  
Brennon Dowrick ACT  
Peter Hogan NSW  
Bret Hudson NSW  
L. Montanyi NSW  
Nathan Kingston QLD  
Damien Crozier ACT  
Brendon Mand WA  
Andrei Kravtsov QLD  
Daniel Grigson WA  
Pavel Mamine QLD  
Phillippe Rizzo NSW  
Damian Iстриa QLD  
Adrian Looney QLD  
Ian Bartlett NSW

Justin Ng NSW  
Dane Smith QLD  
John Carroll WA  
Joshua Jefferis QLD  
Joel Moss ACT  
Prashanth Sellathurai NSW  
Samuel Offord SA  
Thomas Pichler QLD  
Samuel Simpson QLD  
Matthew Curtis NSW  
Luke Wadsworth VIC  
Luke Wiwatowski NSW

## Women's

Inga Fraser QLD  
Barbara Cunningham VIC  
Wendy Nicholls VIC  
Kaye Breadsell WA  
Val Roberts VIC  
Barbara Fletcher VIC  
Val Buffham / Norris WA  
Janice Bedford WA  
Barbara Gage  
Lyn Hancock WA  
C. Hill VIC  
Suzette Cork WA  
Pam Evans SA  
Jenny Sunderland WA  
A. Doig SA  
Sharman Cook VIC  
Lynne Patten VIC  
Julie Harvie VIC  
Sharon Gilligan NSW  
Wanita Lynch WA  
Pamela Miki NSW  
Marina Sulicich SA  
Caroline Marsh NSW  
Karen Edelsten QLD  
Kerry Bayliss SA  
Sandra Jones NSW  
Margaret Jack QLD  
Kym McMaster SA  
Janice Edelstone QLD  
Leanne Stevens SA  
Kerry Bailey SA  
Kellie Wilson QLD  
Heidi Amundsen VIC  
Julia Roberts WA  
Phillipa Ray VIC  
Joanne McCallum WA  
Keri Battersby VIC  
Tracey Johnson WA  
Jenny Curtin NSW  
Elana Sharp ACT  
Sue Miller NSW  
Susan Turnbull VIC  
Michelle White NSW  
Debbie Graham NSW  
Leanne Rycroft SA

Carolyn Stewart NSW  
Michelle Saliba WA  
Kellie Larter TAS  
Monique Allen NSW  
Katie Watts VIC  
Lisa Read NSW  
Kylie Shadbolt QLD  
Jenny Clack WA  
Michelle Telfer WA  
Jane Warrilow WA  
Jodie Rogers NSW  
Joanna Hughes VIC  
Julie-Anne Monico ACT  
Brooke Gysen WA  
Salli Wills WA  
Cathy Keyser WA  
Rebecca Stoyel SA  
Ruth Moniz NSW  
Kirsty-Leigh Brown ACT  
Lisa Moro VIC  
Lisa Skinner QLD  
Genevieve Preston ACT  
Nicole Kantek NSW  
Jenny Smith WA  
Rebecca Wilson QLD  
Zeena McLaughlin VIC  
Rebekah Armbruster QLD  
Allana Slater WA  
Trudy McIntosh VIC  
Katarina Frketic NSW  
Brooke Walker VIC  
Jacqui Dunn SA  
Alexandra Croak NSW  
Melinda Cleland VIC  
Allison Johnston SA  
Kylie Tanner QLD  
Jessica Zarnay QLD  
Sarah Lauren WA  
Stephanie Moorhouse VIC  
Monette Russo VIC  
Belinda Archer ACT  
Danielle Kelly QLD  
Melissa Munro NSW  
Karen Nguyen VIC  
Olivia Vivian WA  
Monique Blount ACT  
Chloe Sims QLD  
Hollie Dykes QLD  
Ashleigh Brennan VIC  
Naomi Russell QLD  
Daria Joura WA  
Melody Hernandez NSW  
Georgia Bonora VIC  
Lauren Mitchell WA  
Shona Morgan VIC  
Emily Little WA  
Larrissa Miller QLD  
Georgia Wheeler VIC  
Georgia-Rose Brown VIC  
Mary-Anne Monckton VIC

## Rhythmic

Karen Ho WA  
Carmel Kinsella WA  
Lorraine Whitecombe WA  
Robyne Levit WA  
Fiona Wallace VIC  
Ann-Maree Kerr VIC  
Gail Duquemin VIC  
Linda Douglas VIC  
A. Guidam WA  
Nicole Higham WA  
Nicole Mozes NSW  
Heather Obremski WA  
Amanda Douglas NSW  
Stacey Wild NSW  
Vanessa Ebb NSW  
Nikoletta Inokai NSW  
Pauline Wilson NSW  
Kasumi Takahashi VIC  
Leigh Marning NSW  
Katie Mitchell NSW  
Kristy Darrah WA  
Shaneez Johnston NSW  
Danielle Leray NSW  
Bree Robertson NSW  
Eliza Gower QLD  
Kate Riley NSW  
Tanya Vahala WA  
Penelope Blackmore VIC  
Kimberly Mason NSW  
Naazmi Johnston QLD  
Amy Khera VIC  
Amelia McVeigh NSW  
Amanda Lee See QLD  
Anna Lorigan NSW  
Janine Murray WA  
Claudia Pillay NSW  
Danielle Prince QLD  
Samantha Richardson NSW  
Enid Sung NSW  
Kate Western NSW  
Jaelle Cohen NSW  
Taylor Tirahardjo VIC

## Trampoline

Ji Wallace QLD  
Adrian Wareham VIC  
Jonathon Dore NSW  
Paul Hadfield NSW  
Steven Davey NSW  
Karl Shore NSW  
Robyn Forbes QLD / VIC  
Jacky Cully NSW  
Elizabeth Cox QLD  
Jacinta Harford VIC  
Khali Ridge NSW

Kirsti Hann SA  
Neesha Lethbridge VIC  
Liselle Paris VIC  
Nikki Ahrens QLD  
Joda Trevena NSW  
Scott Brown NSW / SA  
Damien Kelso QLD  
Damian Ryan VIC / NSW  
Lisa Ross VIC  
Jesse South QLD  
Mark McClaughlin QLD  
Lesley Daley QLD  
Victor Zhuravlev VIC / NSW / SA  
Bree Ferrari VIC  
Carla Dellwo VIC  
Ben Wilden SA  
Grant Lee NSW  
Lauren Gillett VIC  
Daniel Warner VIC  
Leigh Howlett VIC  
Christie Jenkins VIC  
Ty Swadling NSW  
Nick Smith VIC  
Jaimi Meyer VIC  
Bethany Bailey NSW  
Gregory Clune NSW  
Blake Gaudry NSW / SA  
Jack Penny TAS  
Andrew Ronacher VIC  
Reece Thompson QLD  
Hayley Tagell VIC  
Kelsie Henry QLD  
Christine Hall QLD  
Jarrod Spear QLD  
Aslin Styles SA  
William Morris SA  
Shaun Swadling NSW  
Jessie Tulett NSW

## Aerobic

Patsy Tierney NSW  
Eddie Walton WA  
Sonya Shepard WA  
Juanita Little NSW  
Dean Wright VIC  
Michael Betts QLD  
Todd Butland NSW  
Lisa Osborne VIC  
Jason Stayt NSW  
Justin Graham NSW  
Jeff Lim NSW  
Teresa Anderson VIC  
Dale Beaumont NSW  
Anthony Ikin QLD  
Stuart Fisher WA  
Carmen Hayward WA  
Lauren Farry NSW  
Leah Henville WA  
Chris Behan WA

LaShae Pentony VIC  
Melissa Read WA  
Melissa Davies WA  
Hannah Davies WA  
Briony Tung WA  
Elizabeth Kane WA  
Kate Rebiero WA  
Katherine Aquino WA  
Emily Sharp SA  
Sandi Carmichael SA  
Kieran Gorman WA  
Eloise Kane WA  
Sarah Salerno WA  
Janelle Marsh WA  
Emma Davies WA  
Catriona Cowden WA  
Zoe Tisdale WA

## Acrobatic

Chantelle Blackburn NSW  
Megan Bolton NSW  
Jessica Stamenovic QLD  
Tara Busbridge QLD  
Elana Armenis QLD  
Veronica Gravalin QLD  
Rebecca Buffrey NSW  
Bianca Ilacqua NSW  
Lisa Jones NSW  
Sarah Gilbey NSW  
Alice Kesby NSW  
Eliza Hui NSW  
Annelise Olsson NSW  
Emma Briggs NSW  
Ingrid Dunkerley NSW  
Kate Ryan QLD  
Melissa Scott QLD  
Shani Meadows QLD



# Roll of Honour



## Award of Merit

Graham Bond QLD  
 Joan Caelli VIC\*  
 Barry Cheales QLD  
 Stan Davies VIC  
 Ena Duffield QLD  
 Nelleck Jol WA  
 Jane Schmid NSW  
 Maureen Strauss WA\*  
 Phil Teare VIC  
 Chris Timpson ACT  
 John Wilby QLD  
 Dexter Lorbach VIC  
 Anne Bigham SA  
 Jeff Cheales QLD  
 Margaret Lanz VIC  
 Alistair Low VIC\*  
 Frank Vig QLD  
 Ken Williamson VIC/ACT  
 Peter Chen NZL  
 Keith Russell CAN  
 Yoshiteru Matsuzaki JPN  
 John Atkinson GBR  
 Bob Wherrett TAS  
 Warwick Forbes ACT  
 Ju Ping ACT  
 Dr Peter Fricker ACT  
 Dr Don McIntosh VIC  
 Lee Caelli VIC\*  
 Gene Schembri ACT  
 Jonathan Hooper VIC  
 David Zuker VIC  
 Kym Dowdell QLD  
 Steve Chetkovich WA  
 Jacky Wood ACT

George Tatai VIC  
 Tony Davis VIC  
 Helen Colagiuri NSW  
 Tim Quinlivan QLD  
 Kathleen Graham ACT  
 Elizabeth Chetkovich WA  
 Laurie Farrow WA  
 Neil Brodie WA  
 Margaret-Mary Obstelten QLD  
 Allen Cullen NSW  
 Peter Read NSW  
 Karon Williams WA  
 Pamela Ryan NSW  
 Danica Mladenovic ACT  
 Jillian Wright VIC  
 Jean Lang NSW  
 Paul Szyjko SA  
 Peggy Browne VIC  
 Daren Wolfe QLD  
 Ade Foster VIC  
 Michelle De VIC  
 Margot Foster VIC  
 Peter Ruttledge WA  
 Sue Synnot VIC

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 Werner Birnbaum QLD  
 Graham Bond QLD  
 Shaw Byng NSW  
 Grant Carlyon WA

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 Phillip Cheetham NSW  
 Murray Chessell VIC  
 Ian Clarke VIC  
 Stan Davies VIC  
 Bennie De Roo NSW  
 Blair Dixon VIC  
 Brennon Dowrick ACT  
 Robert Edmunds  
 Marcus Faulks NSW  
 Warwick Forbes WA  
 Kennady Gleyberman  
 David Gourlay VIC  
 Peter Hogan NSW  
 Bret Hudson NSW  
 Damian Istria QLD  
 Joshua Jefferis QLD  
 Andrei Kravtsov QLD  
 John Lees VIC  
 Timothy Lees VIC  
 Peter Lloyd VIC  
 Doug McLennan NSW  
 Ken Meredith QLD  
 Mark Mommsen  
 Lindsay Nylund WA  
 Samuel Offord SA  
 Noel Punton VIC  
 Blaise Rizzo NSW  
 Philippe Rizzo NSW  
 Prashanth Sellathurai NSW  
 Bruce Sharp NSW  
 Ted Trainer NSW  
 Minoru Yamasaki QLD

## Roll of Honour - WAG

Monique Allen NSW  
 Kerry Bayliss SA  
 Jan Bedford WA  
 Georgia Bonora VIC  
 Kaye Breadsell WA  
 Sharman Cook VIC  
 Barbara Cunningham VIC  
 Jacqui Dunn SA  
 Hollie Dykes QLD  
 Karen Edelsten QLD  
 Barbara Fletcher VIC  
 Inge Fraser QLD  
 Barbara Gage WA  
 Wendy Grant VIC  
 Lyn Hancock WA  
 Joanna Hughes VIC  
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 Emily Little WA  
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 Stephanie Moorhouse VIC  
 Shona Morgan VIC  
 Val Norris-Buffham WA  
 Lisa Read NSW  
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 Marina Sulcicich SA  
 Jenny Sunderland WA  
 Michelle Telfer WA  
 Salli Wills WA  
 Kellie Wilson QLD

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Penny Blackmore VIC  
 Karen Ho WA  
 Naazmi Johnston NSW  
 Danielle LeRay NSW  
 Kimberley Mason NSW  
 Kasumi Takahashi VIC

## Roll of Honour - AER

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 Michael Betts QLD  
 Catriona Cowden WA  
 Emma Davies WA  
 Melissa Davies WA  
 Lauren Farry NSW  
 Kieran Gorman WA  
 Leah Henville QWA  
 Anthony Ikin QLD  
 Juanita Little NSW  
 Janelle Marsh WA  
 Lisa Osborne VIC

Melissa Read WA  
 Sarah Salerno WA  
 Patsy Tierney SA  
 Dean Wright VIC  
 Samantha Kukura WA  
 Samantha Elkington WA  
 Michelle Godber WA  
 Vanessa Pink WA  
 Tamzen McAlpine WA  
 Suzi Price WA  
 Eloise Kane WA  
 Emma Davies WA

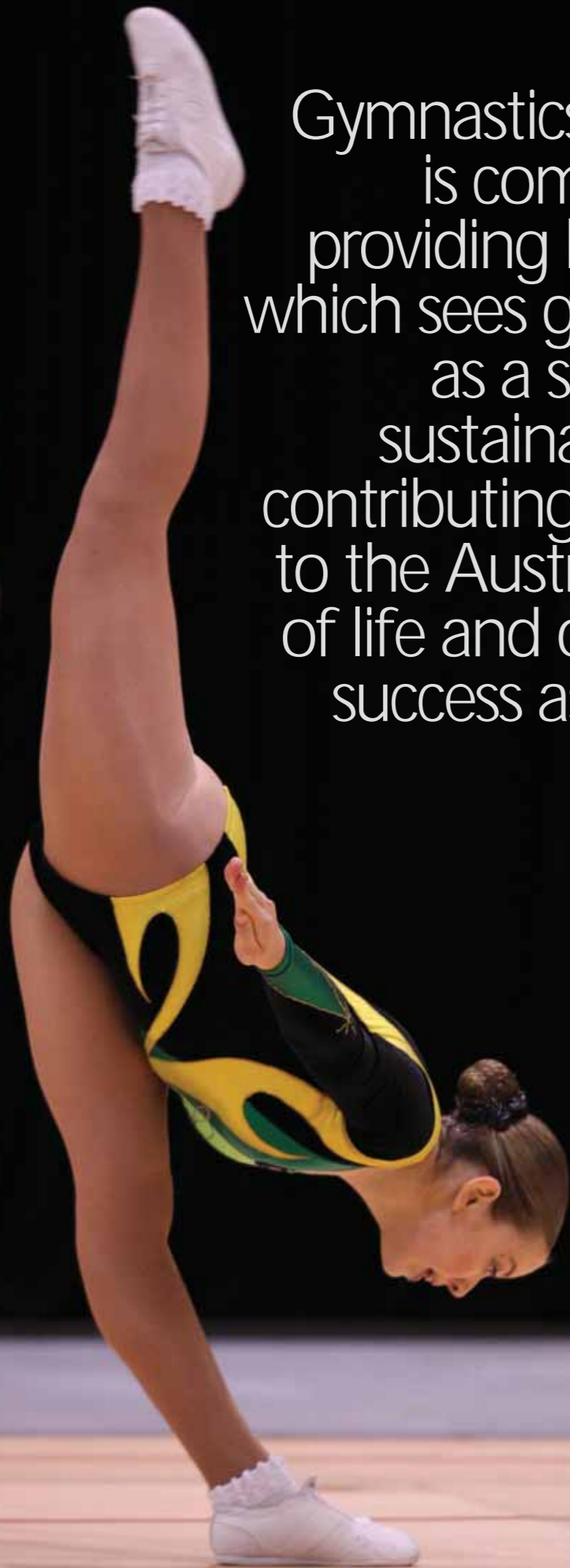
## Roll of Honour - ACR

Tara Busbridge QLD  
 Veronica Gravolin QLD  
 Jessica Stamenovic QLD

## Roll of Honour - TRP

Scott Brown SA  
 Ji Wallace QLD  
 Ben Wilden SA

Gymnastics Australia is committed to providing leadership which sees gymnastics as a strong and sustainable sport, contributing positively to the Australian way of life and our overall success as a nation.



**The Directors of Gymnastics Australia Limited submit herewith the financial report for the financial year ended 31 December 2011.**

In accordance with the provisions of the Corporations Act 2001, the Directors report as follows:

**Directors and Company Secretary**

The names and particulars of the directors of the company during or since the end of the previous financial year and the number of directors meetings attended during the financial year are set out below:

Name	Qualifications	Representation	Board Committees / Special Responsibilities	No. of Director meetings held	No. of Director meetings attended
Grant Harrison	State Gen Mgr SATAB BBus, Ass Dip Mgmt	President (since October)	Awards – Chairman High Performance	7	7
George Tatai	Licensed Custom Broker	Vice President	Finance and High Performance	7	7
Michael Burnett	Partner, Accru Hobart B.Com., F.C.A	Elected Director	Finance - Chairman	7	6
Ken Williamson	Telstra Nat. Business Mgr	Elected Director (formerly President)	Finance and High Performance	7	7
Val Beddoe	Dip Arts – Sports Studies B Education - PE	Elected Director	High Performance - Chairman	7	7
Ian Bartlett	Senior Systems Engineer B Engineering, BSc	Appointed Director	Awards and Athletes' Commission	7	4
Margot Foster	Lawyer BA LLB	Appointed Director (until October)	Awards	7	3
Tim Frampton	General Manager Football BComm, LLB	Appointed Director (December)	High Performance	7	1
Jacqui Briggs-Weatherill	CEO Greater Metropolitan Cemetaries Trust MBA, Grad Dip (Spi.Sci), BA (Rec), GAICD	Appointed Director (December)	Awards	7	1

The Company Secretary during the financial year was Ms Catherine Clark.

Meetings of the company's principal board committees were held during the financial year and details of the directors' attendance is set out below:

Committee and members	No of Committee meetings held	No of Committee meetings attended
<b>Finance, Audit and Risk Management</b>		
M Burnett – Chair	8	8
K Williamson	8	8
G Tatai	8	6
<b>High Performance</b>		
V Beddoe - Chair	3	3
K Williamson (vacated December 2011)	3	2
G Tatai (vacated December 2011)	3	2
G Harrison (appointed December 2011)	3	1
T Frampton (appointed December 2011)	3	1

**Principal activities**

The company's principal activities were to promote and develop gymnastics from grass roots to the elite level.

**Result**

The profit for the year ended 31 December 2011 was \$158,702 (2010: Profit of \$50,118).

**Dividends**

In accordance with its constitution, the company is precluded from making any dividend distributions to its members.

**Changes in the state of affairs**

There have been no significant changes in the state of affairs of the company during the financial year ended 31 December 2011.

**Future developments**

The company does not anticipate any significant change in the operations and activities of the company during the 2012 financial year.

**Subsequent events**

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the company in financial periods subsequent to the financial year ended 31 December 2011.

**Environmental issues**

The company's operations are not believed to be regulated by any significant environmental regulations under a law of the Commonwealth or of a state or territory.

**Proceedings on behalf of company**

No person has applied to the Court under Section 237 of the Corporations Act for leave to bring proceedings on behalf of the company or intervene in any proceedings to which the company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the company for all or any part of those proceedings. The company was not a party to any such proceedings during the period.

**Non audit services**

The board of directors is satisfied that the provision of non-audit services during the period is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001. The directors are satisfied that the services disclosed below did not compromise the external auditor's independence for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services are reviewed and approved prior to commencement to ensure they do not adversely affect the integrity and objectivity of the auditor; and
- the nature of the services provided do not compromise the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in APES110: Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants set by the Accounting Professional and Ethical Statistics Board.

No fees for non-audit services were paid/payable to the external auditors during the year ended 31 December 2011.

**Indemnification of officers and auditors**

During the financial year, the company paid premiums in respect of a contract insuring the Directors of the company against liabilities incurred as a director to the extent permitted by the Corporations Act.

The company has not otherwise, during or since the end of the financial year, indemnified or agreed to indemnify an officer or auditor of the company or of any related body corporate against a liability incurred as such an officer or auditor.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to the Corporations Act.

On behalf of the Directors



Director – Grant Harrison



Director – Michael Burnett

Dated at Melbourne this 12th day of April 2012.

	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>INCOME</b>		
<b>Sales</b>		
Online Resources	102,640	71,876
Merchandise		
Merchandise sales	267,712	306,516
Less cost of merchandise sold	(156,633)	(258,963)
Gross Profit (Loss) from Sales	213,719	119,429
<b>Membership</b>		
Membership and fee revenue	1,114,705	992,018
Membership insurance revenue	510,894	492,172
APRA/PPCA license fees received	84,280	81,536
Less direct membership expenses	(156,270)	(75,320)
Less Membership Insurance premiums	(436,074)	(435,269)
Less APRA/PPCA license fees paid	(81,927)	(80,118)
Net Income from Membership	1,035,608	975,019
<b>Government Grant Income</b>		
Projects	1,071,397	909,036
Administration	1,112,424	572,700
Total Government Grant Income	2,183,821	1,481,736
<b>Gymnastics Tasmania Management</b>		
Operating Income	230,335	-
Management Fee	70,000	-
Less Operating Expenses	(230,335)	-
Less Management Expenses	(21,160)	-
Net Gymnastics Tasmania Income	48,840	-
<b>Project and Other Income</b>		
Project income and Participant fees	1,654,276	1,907,999
Sponsorship and royalties	103,034	174,752
Other income	81,775	76,144
Total Other Income	1,839,085	2,158,895
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>5,321,073</b>	<b>4,735,079</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
<b>Operating &amp; Administration Expenses</b>		
Salaries, staff costs and meeting expenses	1,822,232	1,404,180
Operating and administration expenses	350,505	186,859
Depreciation and loss on sale of fixed assets	71,267	61,449
National Judges' Subsidy	86,005	82,643
<b>Project Expenses</b>	<b>2,832,362</b>	<b>2,949,830</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>5,162,371</b>	<b>4,684,961</b>
<b>NET PROFIT(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR</b>	<b>158,702</b>	<b>50,118</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income attributable to:</b>		
<b>Members of the organisation</b>	<b>158,702</b>	<b>50,118</b>

Statement of Financial Position at 31 December 2011

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Cash and cash assets	825,043	1,190,077
Trade debtors	277,641	255,034
Stock	196,192	240,143
Other current assets	214,301	207,946
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>1,513,177</b>	<b>1,893,200</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Investments at cost	234,500	234,500
Land and building (written down value)	974,946	983,321
Plant and equipment (written down value)	103,392	156,107
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>1,312,838</b>	<b>1,373,928</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>2,826,015</b>	<b>3,267,128</b>
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Bank Loan (Secured)	77,197	358,317
Trade creditors and accrued expenses	486,534	552,689
Government grants	639,060	667,663
Other current liabilities	161,992	312,408
Employee entitlements	102,743	123,138
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,467,526</b>	<b>2,014,215</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Bank loan (secured)	-	77,197
Employee Entitlements	36,361	12,290
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>36,361</b>	<b>89,487</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,503,887</b>	<b>2,103,702</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>1,322,128</b>	<b>1,163,426</b>
<b>EQUITY</b>		
Retained Income	1,232,441	1,073,739
Club Development Reserve	89,687	89,687
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>	<b>1,322,128</b>	<b>1,163,426</b>

Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 December 2011

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Receipts from members and customers	2,022,184	1,480,242
Receipts from Government grants for administration support	1,112,424	572,700
Receipts from Government grants for projects	1,042,794	1,388,224
Receipts from project participants and fees	1,757,310	2,153,701
Interest received	60,643	50,361
Cash paid for projects	(2,832,362)	(2,863,793)
Payments to suppliers and employees	(3,159,533)	(2,127,236)
<b>NET CASH INFLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>3,460</b>	<b>654,199</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Plant and equipment acquired	(16,805)	(38,802)
Proceeds on sale of plant and equipment	6,628	-
<b>NET CASH OUTFLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(10,177)</b>	<b>(38,802)</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Bank loan repayments	(358,317)	(132,066)
<b>NET CASH OUTFLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(358,317)</b>	<b>(132,066)</b>
<b>NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH HELD</b>	<b>(365,034)</b>	<b>483,331</b>
OPENING CASH HELD	1,190,077	706,746
<b>CLOSING CASH HELD</b>	<b>825,043</b>	<b>1,190,077</b>

Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 December 2011

	Retained Profits	Club Development Reserve (a)	Total
	\$	\$	\$
<b>Balance at 1 January 2010</b>	1,023,621	89,687	1,113,308
Surplus for the year attributable to members	50,118	-	50,118
<b>Balance at 31 December 2010</b>	<b>1,073,739</b>	<b>89,687</b>	<b>1,163,426</b>
Surplus for year attributable to members	158,702	-	158,702
<b>Balance at 31 December 2011</b>	<b>1,232,441</b>	<b>89,687</b>	<b>1,322,128</b>

(a) The Club Development Reserve is a reserve held to fund future club development.

## 1. Summary of Accounting Policies

The financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared to satisfy the financial preparation requirements of the Corporations Act 2001. The Directors have determined that the company is not a reporting entity.

Gymnastics Australia Ltd is a company limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

### Basis of Preparation

The report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, and the following applicable Australian Accounting Standards and Accounting Interpretations:

AASB 108: Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors;

AASB 110: Events after the Balance Sheet Date;

AASB 1031: Materiality;

AASB 1048: Interpretation and Applicable Standards

No other Accounting Standards, Accounting Interpretations or other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board have been applied.

### Reporting Basis and Conventions

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs modified by the revaluation of selected non-current assets, and financial assets and financial liabilities for which the fair value basis of accounting has been applied.

Accounting policies are selected and applied in a manner which ensures that the resultant financial information satisfies the concepts of relevance and reliability, thereby ensuring that the substance of the underlying transactions and other events is reported.

The following is a summary of the material policies adopted by the company in the preparation of the financial report. The accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

### a) Taxation

The company is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act (1997).

### b) Plant and Equipment

Each class of plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:–

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Rate
Plant and equipment	7.5% - 40.0% (Diminishing Value)
Building	2.5% (Diminishing Value)

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains and losses are included in the income statement.

### c) Land and Building

The land and building has been included in the accounts at cost less accumulated depreciation in regard to the building.

### d) Investments

These investments are variable rate preference shares listed on the Australian Securities Exchange the market value of which was \$199,325 at 31st December 2011 (2010 \$219,140). The investments are reported at cost (\$234,500) as no permanent diminution of value is believed to have occurred.

### e) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less and bank overdrafts.

### f) Revenue

Revenue from services and sale of merchandise rendered is recognised upon the delivery of service to customers.

Interest revenue is recognised on a proportional basis taking into account

the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

Sponsorship and government grant monies received during the financial period that will be expended in the subsequent financial year are shown as current liabilities on the basis that these funds would be refundable if not expended as prescribed.

### g) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST. Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a net of GST basis.

### h) Employee Entitlements

Provision is made for the liabilities for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to balance sheet date. Employee benefits expected to be settled within one year together with benefits arising from wages, salaries and annual leave which may be settled after one year, have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled.

Other employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the net present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits.

### i) Provision for Long-term Employee Benefits

A provision has been recognised for employee benefits relating to long service leave. In calculating the present value of future cash flows in respect of long service leave, the probability of long service leave being taken is based on historical data.

Contributions are made by the company to an employee superannuation fund and are charged as expenses when incurred. The company has no legal obligation to provide benefits to employees on retirement.

### j) Critical Accounting Estimates

The directors evaluate estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial report based on historical knowledge

and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data.

### k) Club Development Fund

A cash management account has been created on formation of the Club Development Fund. These funds have been set aside to fund the annual Club 10 Development Grant Scheme.

### l) Economic Dependence

Gymnastics Australia Limited is dependent on the Australian Sports Commission for the majority of its revenue used to operate the business. At the date of this report the Board of Directors has no reason to believe that the Australian Sports Commission will not continue to support Gymnastics Australia Limited.

### m) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are stated at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

### n) Impairment

At each reporting date, the company assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. In the case of available for sale financial instruments, a prolonged decline in the value of the instrument is considered to determine whether impairment has arisen. Impairment losses are recognised in the income statement.

### o) Comparative Figures

When required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

### p) New Accounting Standards for Application in Future Periods

The AASB has issued new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods and which the Company has decided not to early adopt. A discussion of those future requirements

and their impact on the Company is as follows:

- AASB 9: Financial Instruments (December 2010) and AASB 2010-7: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 9 (December 2010) [AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 101, 102, 108, 112, 118, 120, 121, 127, 128, 131, 132, 136, 137, 139, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 2, 5, 10, 12, 19 & 127] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2013).

These Standards are applicable retrospectively and include revised requirements for the classification and measurement of financial instruments, as well as recognition and derecognition requirements for financial instruments.

The key changes made to accounting requirements include:

- simplifying the classifications of financial assets into those carried at amortised cost and those carried at fair value;
- simplifying the requirements for embedded derivatives;
- removing the tainting rules associated with held-to-maturity assets;
- removing the requirements to separate and fair value embedded derivatives for financial assets carried at amortised cost;
- allowing an irrevocable election on initial recognition to present gains and losses on investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading in other comprehensive income. Dividends in respect of these investments that are a return on investment can be recognised in profit or loss and there is no impairment or recycling on disposal of the instrument;

- requiring financial assets to be reclassified where there is a change in an entity's business model as they are initially classified based on: (a) the objective of the entity's business model for managing the financial assets; and (b) the characteristics of the contractual cash flows; and

- requiring an entity that chooses to measure a financial liability at fair value to present the portion of the change in its fair value due to changes in the entity's own credit risk in other comprehensive income, except when that would create an accounting mismatch. If such a mismatch would be created or enlarged, the entity is required to present all changes in fair value (including the effects of changes in the credit risk of the liability) in profit or loss.

The Group has not yet been able to reasonably estimate the impact of these pronouncements on its financial statements.

- AASB 2010-6: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosures on Transfers of Financial Assets [AASB 1 & AASB 7] (applicable for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2011).

This Standard adds and amends disclosure requirements about transfers of financial assets, especially those in respect of the nature of the financial assets involved and the risks associated with them. Accordingly, this Standard makes amendments to AASB 1: First-time Adoption of Australian Accounting Standards, and AASB 7: Financial Instruments: Disclosures, establishing additional disclosure requirements in relation to transfers of financial assets.

This Standard will only affect certain disclosures relating to financial instruments and is not expected to significantly impact the Group.

- AASB 2010-8: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Deferred Tax: Recovery of Underlying Assets [AASB 112] (applies to periods beginning on or after 1 January 2012).

This Standard makes amendments to AASB 112: Income Taxes and incorporates Interpretation 121 into AASB 112.

Under the current AASB 112, the measurement of deferred tax liabilities and deferred tax assets depends on whether an entity expects to recover an asset by using it or by selling it. The amendments introduce a presumption

that an investment property is recovered entirely through sale. This presumption is rebutted if the investment property is held within a business model whose objective is to consume substantially all of the economic benefits embodied in the investment property over time, rather than through sale.

The amendments are not expected to significantly impact the Group.

- AASB 1054: Australian Additional Disclosures and AASB 2011-1: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Trans-Tasman Convergence Project [AASB 1, AASB 5, AASB 101, AASB 107, AASB 108, AASB 121, AASB 128, AASB 132 & AASB 134 and Interpretations 2, 112 & 113] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 July 2011).  
AASB 1054 sets out the Australian-specific disclosures that are additional to IFRS disclosure requirements.  
The disclosure requirements in AASB 1054 were previously located in other Australian Accounting Standards.  
These Standards are not expected to significantly impact the Group.
- AASB 10: Consolidated Financial Statements, AASB 11: Joint Arrangements, AASB 12: Disclosure of Interest in Other Entities, AASB 127: Separate Financial Statements (August 2011), AASB 128: Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures (August 2011) and AASB 2011-7: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Consolidation and Joint Arrangements Standards [AASB 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 2009-11, 101, 107, 112, 118, 121, 124, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 5, 9, 16 & 17] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2013).
- AASB 10 replaces parts of AASB 127: Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements (March 2008, as amended) and Interpretation 112: Consolidation – Special Purpose Entities. AASB 10 provides a revised definition of control and additional application guidance so that a single control model will apply to all investees. The Group has not yet been able to

reasonably estimate the impact of this Standard on its financial statements.

- AASB 11 replaces AASB 131: Interests in Joint Ventures (July 2004, as amended). AASB 11 requires joint arrangements to be classified as either ‘joint operations’ (whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the assets and obligations for the liabilities) or ‘joint ventures’ (where the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the arrangement). Joint ventures are required to adopt the equity method of accounting (proportionate consolidation is no longer allowed).
- AASB 12 contains the disclosure requirements applicable to entities that hold an interest in a subsidiary, joint venture, joint operation or associate. AASB 12 also introduces the concept of a ‘structured entity’, replacing the ‘special purpose entity’ concept currently used in Interpretation 112, and requires specific disclosures in respect of any investments in unconsolidated structured entities. This Standard will only affect disclosures and is not expected to significantly impact the Group.  
To facilitate the application of AASBs 10, 11 and 12, revised versions of AASB 127 and AASB 128 have also been issued. These Standards are not expected to significantly impact the Group.
- AASB 13: Fair Value Measurement and AASB 2011-8: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 13 [AASB 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 2009-11, 2010-7, 101, 102, 108, 110, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 128, 131, 132, 133, 134, 136, 138, 139, 140, 141, 1004, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 2, 4, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 131 & 132] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2013).  
AASB 13 defines fair value, sets out in a single Standard a framework for measuring fair value, and requires disclosures about fair value measurements.  
AASB 13 requires:
  - inputs to all fair value measurements to be categorised in accordance with a fair value hierarchy; and

- enhanced disclosures regarding all assets and liabilities (including, but not limited to, financial assets and financial liabilities) measured at fair value.

These Standards are not expected to significantly impact the Group.

- AASB 2011-9: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income [AASB 1, 5, 7, 101, 112, 120, 121, 132, 133, 134, 1039 & 1049] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 July 2012).  
The main change arising from this Standard is the requirement for entities to group items presented in other comprehensive income (OCI) on the basis of whether they are potentially reclassifiable to profit or loss subsequently.  
This Standard affects presentation only and is not expected to significantly impact the Group.
- AASB 119: Employee Benefits (September 2011) and AASB 2011-10: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 119 [AASB 1, AASB 8, AASB 101, AASB 124, AASB 134, AASB 1049 & AASB 2011-8 and Interpretation 14] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2013).

These Standards introduce a number of changes to the presentation and disclosure of defined benefit plans, including:

- removal of the ‘corridor’ approach from AASB 119, thereby requiring entities to recognise all changes in a net defined benefit liability (asset) when they occur;
- disaggregation of changes in a net defined benefit liability (asset) into service cost (including past service cost and gains and losses on non-routing settlements and curtailments), net interest expense (interest based on the net defined benefit liability (asset) using the discount rate applicable to post-employment benefits) and remeasurements (comprising actuarial gains and losses, return on plan assets less the ‘revenue’ component of the net interest expense, and any change

in the limit on a defined benefit asset). In addition, AASB 119 (September 2011) requires recognition of:

- service cost and net interest expense in profit or loss; and
- remeasurements in OCI: and
- introduction of enhanced disclosure requirements to facilitate the provision of more useful information in relation to an entity’s defined benefit plans.

AASB 119 (September 2011) also includes changes to the accounting for termination benefits that require an entity to recognise an obligation for such benefits at the earlier of:

- (i) for an offer that may be withdrawn – when the employee accepts;
- (ii) for an offer that cannot be withdrawn – when the offer is communicated to affected employees; and
- (iii) where the termination is associated with a restructuring of activities under AASB 137: Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets, and if earlier than the first two conditions – when the related restructuring costs are recognised.

The Group has not yet been able to reasonably estimate the impact of these changes on its financial statements.

## 2. Operating Profit

Operating Profit includes the following items:

	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>Income</b>		
Other Income		
Interest income	60,643	50,361
Sundry Income	21,132	25,783
<b>Expenses</b>		
Interest paid	26,395	42,646
Depreciation of Building	8,375	8,375
Depreciation of plant and equipment (incl write offs)	62,892	45,747
Transfer to/(from) provisions for employee entitlements	(3,658)	64,226
Audit fees – audit services	6,600	5,000

## 3. Members Guarantee

The company is limited by guarantee. If the company is wound up, the Constitution states that each member is required to contribute a maximum of \$20 each towards meeting any outstanding obligations of the company.

The total number of members at 31 December 2011 was 7. Each member has a vote at a general meeting on a show of hands.

## 4. Segment Information

The company operates in predominantly one industry segment and in one geographic segment.

## 5. Dividends

In accordance with its Constitution, the company is precluded from making any distributions to its members.

As the company is exempt from income tax the balance of the franking account is \$Nil.

## 6. Company Details

The registered office and main business address of the company is 32 Cleeland Road, Oakleigh South, Victoria 3167.



The directors declare that:-

- a) the company is a non-reporting entity;
- b) the attached financial statements and notes thereto comply with accounting standards, as set out in note 1 to the financial statements;
- c) the attached financial statements and notes thereto, give a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the company;
- d) in the directors' opinion, the attached financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
- e) in the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to the Corporations Act.

On behalf of the Directors



Director – Grant Harrison



Director – Michael Burnett

Dated at Melbourne this 12th day of April 2012.



### Independent Audit Report to the Members of Gymnastics Australia Limited

#### Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Gymnastics Australia Limited, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2011, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the directors' declaration.

#### Directors' responsibility for the financial report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and have determined that the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, which form part of the financial report, are appropriate to meet the requirements of the Corporations Act and are appropriate to meet the needs of beneficiaries. The directors' responsibility also includes establishing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making estimates that are responsible in the circumstances.

#### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, as described in Note 1, are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These auditing standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

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

The financial report has been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the directors' financial reporting requirements. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### INDEPENDENCE

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the Corporations Act 2001, provided to the directors would be in the same terms if provided to the directors as at the date of this auditor's report.

#### AUDITOR'S OPINION

In our opinion the financial report Gymnastic Australia Limited is in accordance with the Corporations Act, including:

- a. giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2011 and of its performance for the year ended on that date on accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1; and
- b. complying with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1.

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Nicole Postan  
Partner

Dated: 13 April 2012

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**AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION  
UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001  
TO THE DIRECTORS OF GYMNASTICS AUSTRALIA LIMITED**

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 31 December 2011 there have been:-

- (i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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Nicole Postan  
Partner

Dated 13 April 2012



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