

ORIENTEERING ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC.



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2007 ANNUAL REPORT

AGM Belair National Park Sunday 2nd March 2008

SPONSORSHIP AND SUPPORT



SA Office for Recreation and Sport

*Statewide Enhancement Program Stream 1
Statewide Enhancement Program Stream 2
SASI Talent Scholarships
SASI High Performance Scholarships
Active Club Program Grants*

SA Secondary Schools Sports Association
SA Primary Schools Sports Association

SA Schools Orienteering Championship

Joggers World

Summer Series 2007-2008

Southern Orienteering Supplies

Summer Series 2007-2008

Paddy Pallin

Summer Series 2007-2008

Snap Printing (Hilton)

Printing design and supplies

Bicycle Express (Brighton), Lifecycle Bicycles (Norwood),
Paddy Pallin, Ultimax Socks

MTBO

Easter Carnival Sponsors:



Maesbury Plumbers Pty Ltd

A.B.N. 55 07 623 519
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ORIENTEERING ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC 2007 COUNCIL

The Council, comprising the Management Committee and Club Delegates listed below, met on the third Monday of even numbered months to oversee the development and conduct of orienteering in South Australia. The Management Committee met in the odd numbered months.

Management Committee

President	Gerry Velaitis
Secretary	Ken Thompson
Treasurer	Jennie Bourne
Assistant Secretary	Michelle Chamalaun
Technical Officers	Jenny Casanova (Adrian Uppill Mapping Coordinator)
Coaching Coordinators	Adrian Craig, Susanne Casanova
Schools Coordinator	David Tilbrook
Newsletter Editor	Michael Round
Publicity and Promotion Officer	John Such
MTBO Coordinator	Bruce Greenhalgh
Government Grants Coordinator	Robin Uppill

Club Delegates

Lincoln Orienteers	John Lyon
Onkaparinga Hills Orienteering Club	John Such and Jenny Hembrow
Saltbush Orienteers	Ken Thompson
Southeast Orienteers	John Lyon
Tintookies Orienteers	Ken Thompson and Barry Wheeler
Top End Orienteers	Jennie Bourne
Tjuringa Orienteers	Tyson Hillyard and Chris Davill
Wallingara Orienteers	Jenny Casanova and Peter Kreminski/Frank Tomas
Yalanga Orienteers	Doug Fotheringham

Other OASA positions:

Web Master:	Garry Harris	Member Protection Officer:	Bec' Hatcher
OA Councillor:	Ken Thompson	OA Delegate:	Jenny Casanova
State Selection Panel:	Peter Clark		Lachlan Hallett
Data Base & E News:	Phil Davill	AO Editorial Contact	Claire Davill
School Team Manager:	Heather Lee	School Team: Asst Manager	Bec' Hatcher
School Team & Junior Coach	John Nieuwenhoven	Southern Arrows Manager:	Tyson Hillyard
Southern Arrows Coach	Susanne Casanova	Sub-Junior Coach:	Adrian Craig

2007 MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS

Club	2007 m/ships	2007 people reg'd	2007 Family	2007 Senior	2007 Junior	2007 School***	cf. 2006 m/ships
LI	25	60	17 (2+15R*)	8 (1+7R)	0	0	19
OH	34	90	20 (17+3C**)	12 (11+1C)	1	1	40
SB	22	52	14 (2+12R)	8 (1+7R)	0	0	27
SE	6	12	2 (2R)	4 (4R)	0	0	5
TE	41	102	22 (5+17R)	19 (3+16R)	0	0	35
TJ	22	41	11 (10+1C)	8 (7+1C)	0	3	25
TT	41	83	18 (17+1C)	20 (18+2C)	1	2	43
WA	20	38	8	11 (7+4C)	0	1	17
YA	24	55	14 (13+1C)	8	0	2	26
2007	235	533	126 (80+46R)	98 (64+34R)	2	9	
cf. 2006	237	535	130 (83+47R)	89 (64+25R)	9	9	237

* R is remote membership - counted as fraction of whole membership by OA

** C is concession/pensioner in SA which counts as Family/Senior by OA

*** School not counted for membership nos and no assessment of no of people registered included in Membership Table

Summary: 2007 OASA membership

80 F + 64 S + 2 J = 146 memberships

46 RF + 34 RS = 80 remote memberships

Plus 9 schools

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

1. Highlights for 2007

The early highlight was our Orienteering contribution to the World Police and Fire Games in March. Great team spirit was shown by OHOC as a club to take on and organise such a world-class event by sharing the workload among its members.

Our Easter Burra to Barossa Carnival quickly followed. This National carnival took more than two years in the making, and only ten days to run. Clearly the exacting preparations paid dividends, from the positive feedback received and the high quality and trouble-free outcomes. It was an outstanding achievement, of which all organisers and helpers can feel justifiably proud. And great weather too... !

The 2-day "back to Burra" SA Championships weekend was simply wonderful, including a great social scene around the campfire on the Saturday night between the sprint and long distance events, including the landowners family as guests of honour. Well done to OHOC and Wallaringa clubs for a superb weekend.

There were two other superb weekends away. The June long weekend offered the tricky depression contours courtesy of Lincoln Orienteers, and the October weekend offered a triple treat (MTBO, night & day events) at Wirabarra largely courtesy of Tintookies.

I will not point out any particular individual organisers who contributed to the above highlights. You know who you are, and I trust you have all had time to bask in the rosy glow of praise by others.

Southern Arrows

In the National Orienteering League competition, our Southern Arrows team have produced our best results for many years. The Arrows have exhibited great team spirit by continuing to contribute to our local orienteering scene, through their coaching and mentoring of our younger members, and once again staging a great State Relay Championships. Over the last year, the Arrows have also displayed their talents (and eye-catching new tops) at other athletic events such as the City-Bay run, and are the best chance we have of attracting like-minded younger recruits to our activities. Our Southern Arrows are a credit to our sport.

Simon & Vanessa

The other outstanding highlights of the year were the achievements by our juniors Simon Uppill and Vanessa Round, both at the top of their rankings in Australia, by significant margins, through numerous winning performances during the year. Simon and Vanessa both excelled in JWOC held for the first time in Australia last year, gaining 4th and 6th places respectively against strong international competition in the classic long distance event. It has been a long time since OASA has seen performances of such high calibre from among our ranks. Simon and Vanessa deserve our congratulations.

2. Challenges for the future

Having reviewed the year just gone, where to for OASA this year ?

It will be back to a more "normal" year, without a local National carnival to organise, and with a more measured pace compared with the early peaking required for JWOC last year (esp. for the associated schools team preparations).

While it should be an easier year, there will be little time for complacency. We still face the challenges of declining membership, an ageing membership, and organisational requirements that generally fall into the same, few, reliable hands.

Our smaller clubs appear to be barely surviving, again by relying on the same, few, reliable hands.

I personally think that this year we will need to openly discuss options for restructuring our clubs and what we do, particularly to ease the burden on our smaller clubs. This year 2008 gives us the opportunity to discuss and plan for transition to more sustainable structures and activities, and potentially put agreed recommendations into place in 2009. As I see it, if we fail to restructure by 2009, then we face real trouble in 2010 which will be another high-pressure year just like 2007.

Preparations are now beginning for the 2010 Australian Championships carnival in SA, for which OASA will be responsible : ie like last years Easter effort all over again, probably with the same core group of organisers, attempting to juggle club and OASA responsibilities. The least we can do is ease the burden on the club side of things, by all of us thinking now and openly discussing what we believe the clubs should look like and be responsible for, and by when.

I personally feel that clubs spend too much time and resources being equipment and resource managers. Among the suburban clubs, I question the need to have 5 sets of equipment, 5 sets of maps, 5 sets of SI specialists, and 5 equipment officers. I see this as poor use use of limited resources. Furthermore, I would suggest that some of those resources could be freed up for more critical strategic roles such as attracting new members (and holding onto existing members), by for instance, focussing on the social side of clubs rather than the technical. I suspect that visitors are put off by the apparent high workloads requiring high skill levels, and the implied invitation that “you too will be expected to contribute to this”. If clubs instead focussed their limited resources on the social side of orienteering, visitors might be more inclined to join.

I would also suggest that we hold fewer events, and focus on quality instead of quantity. Many years ago, when OASA enjoyed an expanding membership base, it made sense to expand services and fill out the calendar. In recent times, we seem to have expanded the calendar even more, despite reduced attendance per event. I take a leaf from the Rogaining calendar, where there are significantly fewer events, and attendance is high. Having more events does not attract new members, it merely accelerates the burn-out of our existing skilled membership base. Fewer events means fewer choices, hence higher attendance, with lower overall workload.

From my position as OASA President over the past two years, I have seen the way the organisation works, and have had numerous discussions with a wide cross section of our members. The great majority of comments and feedback echo the common concerns of burnout, declining membership, and the ageing membership base, and hence concern about the future of what we are doing. Based on such feedback, I therefore feel entitled to pass comment and make recommendations (such as the above), as I have done from time to time via our magazine.

I offer these thoughts as I step aside to make way for a new President, with some regrets as I have been unable to initiate much in the way of beneficial change. But hopefully a seed has been planted. In my view, we do not have much time, as any significant change that we decide on and implement must be in place as 2010 commences. To do nothing, to go forward as we are, is (to my mind) the unacceptable alternative.

In this report I have focussed on the human aspects of our organisation. There is also the financial side, which adds to these pressures. Our StEP funding has been cut by \$5000 per annum for the next 3 years, compared against previous levels. Hence my usual reaction to “spend money, save sanity” is also not an option.

I am stepping aside from the Presidency due to work and time pressures. I am not alone in the need to step aside, and other officials may be under similar pressures. I also believe that it is also of great benefit to the organisation to have people rotate through the various roles, so that more become skilled and knowledgeable, and so that we have a greater talent pool to guide our activities.

So please consider, what you can contribute or put back into our sport, by stepping up to share the workload whether at the club or OASA level.

In stepping aside I record my appreciation for the help and advice of the OASA Executive and Management teams. I am in awe of the depth of talent, the efficiency, the capacity for hard work, and the dedication of its members. I have enjoyed working with you all. Finally I must also thank the family : Pat & Nadia, for their support over the last 2 years. I note that at most events, just as we are about to head home, there has always been “1 more person” that I need to talk to, and then another, and another... Hence I also thank Pat & Nadia for their patience !

Gerry Velaitis, President

ORIENTEERING ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA Inc
STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE
FOR YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

INCOME

Last Year			This Year
10193		Subscriptions	11346
	5363	Event Levies	10120
4453	<u>910</u>	less OA Levies	<u>689</u>
3260		Interest Received	4392
3232		Sundry Events	1585
3455		Sundry Sales	3688
12946		Easter 2007	18126
-		Easter 2007: 2005-2006 OASA payments	3993
350		Advertising	390
-2448		2006 Schools Team Trip	2779
-		2007 Schools Team Trip	-176
4831		SA Representative Teams: Schools	2661
1580		Southern Arrows	673
768		OA NOL payment: balance	500
-		Donation: juniors in orienteering	3000
271		Sundries	1235
9706		GST (collected)	18474
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<u>\$52597</u>		TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$82097</u>

EXPENDITURE

Last Year			This Year
1863		Program	1768
2280		<i>S A Orienteer Magazine</i>	3212
4717		<i>The Australian Orienteer Magazine</i>	3838
6936		State Registration (less Conference travel)	6971
3415		Public Liability & Professional Indemnity Insurance	2650
0		Directors & Officers Liability Insurance	444
255		Ansvar Insurance: SPORTident system	988
335		Publicity & Promotion (including book)	419
309		Controllers' Expenses	192
7175		Travel Grants to Juniors	5334
375		Travel Grants to Elites	1147
638		2006 LI grant	0
3537		Easter 2007: promotion, travel expenses	0
537		AGM & Awards Night	267
948		Office Rent & Reception	962
841		Postage, stationery, photocopying, etc.	799
298		Website	209
533		Equipment & Repairs	825
100		Clothing (Easter 2007 promotion)	0
499		Consumables: cards, pens	921
0		Badges & Trophies	541
60		Subscriptions & Affiliations	60
3128		Australian Taxation Office (GST)	8616
1096		Sundries	545
6810		GST (claimed)	8614
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<u>\$46685</u>		TOTAL EXPENDITURE	<u>\$49322</u>

\$5912

DEFICIT / SURPLUS

\$32775

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BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2007

MEMBERS' FUNDS

Last Year		This Year
78534	Balance forward	84446
5912	General Funds : Surplus	32775
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\$84446	TOTAL	\$117221
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<i>Represented by:</i>		
1167	Cash at bank	14479
75129	INVEST Account : Express Saver	89446
14093	SPECIAL EVENT Account : Easter 2007	29553
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90389		133478
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	<i>less: (2)</i>	
4309	ORS Statewide Enhancement Program (StEP): <i>Stream 1</i>	15957
1634	ORS Statewide Enhancement Program (StEP): <i>Stream 2</i>	300
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\$84446		\$117221
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NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements are a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the requirements of the Constitution to prepare financial records. The Committee has determined that the Association is not a reporting entity as defined in Statement of Accounting Concepts 1 "Definition of the Reporting Entity" and therefore there is no requirement to apply accounting standards in preparation and presentation of these statements.

The statements are also prepared on a cash basis from the records of the Association.

These accounts are based on historical cost and do not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

NOTE (1): SPECIFIC GRANTS

On the recommendation of the Association various grants (monetary and in kind) have been made directly, or through the Association, to individual athletes:

Last Year		This Year
4	SASI Talent Scholarships	3
2	SASI High Performance Scholarships	2
1	ASC: Courses for Women	0

NOTE (2): Office for Recreation & Sport: MAJOR SPONSOR

Statewide Enhancement Program (StEP) funding is received subject to conditions that it be spent for specific purposes, and so cannot be treated as funds of OASA in its own right. Transactions on this account are therefore shown separate from OASA transactions.

**ORIENTEERING ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA Inc
StEP (Statewide Enhancement Program) FUNDING
TRANSACTIONS for the period 1 January to 31 December 2007**

2006-2007 Six months to 30 June 2007		2007-2008 Six months to 31 December 2007
5943	Balance forward	0
15000	Grants received: <i>Stream 1</i>	25000
0	<i>Stream 2</i>	300
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20943		25300
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	<i>Stream 1:</i>	
	TALENTED ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT	
989	Talent ID programs	1125
3972	S/Arrows & Junior camps	0
1200	I/S & O/S Training & Competition	0
3021	NOL & JNOL Travel	130
9182	<u>0</u> Schools Team Travel	<u>3000</u> 4255
	EDUCATION & TRAINING	
41	Officials' accreditation: coaches, controllers	14
900	Conference	0
1176	<u>235</u> Courses	<u>0</u> 14
	MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT	
0	Strategic Planning	0
35	<u>35</u> Review/Update Policies	<u>0</u> 0
	PARTICIPATION PROGRAM ASSISTANCE	
	<i>Schools:</i>	
1385	In-school programs	675
1442	Events: warm-up program	448
0	Championships: relay	440
3259	<u>432</u> Area Mapping	<u>899</u> 2462
808	<i>Summer Series: event costs</i>	981
	<i>Novice and development activities:</i>	
1689	Basic skills training	422
1049	Coaching, special programs	249
398	Novice programs	130
0	Promotional activities	253
<u>4849</u>	<u>1713</u> Club Development & Management projects	<u>276</u> <u>1331</u>
19309	9043	
	<i>Stream 2:</i>	
1634	Easter 2007: timing update / MTBO mapping	0
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20943		9043
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0	BALANCE (Stream 1: 15957; Stream 2: 300)	\$16257

BUDGETED RESERVES

In addition to the Grants already identified in the Balance Sheet, OASA budgets to maintain cash reserves for specific future spending purposes (total: \$45805).

These allocations are not held in any specific account. Actual cash available for normal yearly expenses (not including Easter 07/Burra to Barossa Carnival) amounts to \$40343.

MAJOR PROJECTS

Balance as at 31.12.2006	\$25002.59	Easter 07 timing update	445.18
Easter 07 2005-2006 payments	3993.00		
		Balance as at 31.12.2007	<u>\$28550.41</u>

MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT

Balance as at 31.12.2007 **\$4209.00**

INTERSTATE REPRESENTATION

Balance as at 31.12.2006	\$4436.26	2006 School Team Trip official	419.24
		2007 School Team Trip official	377.00
		Balance as at 31.12.2007	<u>\$3640.02</u>

SCHOOLS' MAPPING FUND

Balance as at 31.12.2007 **\$2539.67**

SAJOS

Balance as at 31.12.2006	\$3107.82	April Junior Camp subsidy	800.00
		Balance as at 31.12.2007	<u>\$2307.82</u>

SA REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS*SA Schools Team*

Balance as at 31.12.2006	\$1491.27		
Donations	2031.95	Team travel subsidy	3395.00
Sale of biscuits	509.09		
WPGF food vouchers	120.00		
		Balance as at 31.12.2007	<u>\$757.31</u>

Southern Arrows

Balance as at 31.12.2006	\$3395.89		
Sponsorships: new uniforms	2105.00	Shirts: new style	1811.70
Team members shirt payments	820.00	Pants: new style	1586.82
OA: 2007 NOL payment	500.00	OA: balance 2006 NOL payment	768.00
Donations	465.00	Shirt: old stock (reimb. OASA)	57.50
2007 SA Club Relay Champs	739.23		
		Balance as at 31.12.2007	<u>\$3801.10</u>

LIST OF ASSETS as at 31.12.2007

ACCOUNTS OUTSTANDING at 31 December 2007 **\$3115**

GOODS FOR RESALE: STOCK ON HAND - Maps, signs, cards, etc.

1000 Registration/Control cards (held by Treasurer: 15c ea. to Clubs)
500 Control cards, plastic-coated (held by Treasurer: 33c ea. to Clubs)

750 SI Registration cards (held by Treasurer: 12c ea. to Clubs)
 13 SPORTident cards (\$46.20 each) (held by R. Uppill)
 121 Pens-purple map-marking; Signs: 1x arrow O, 1x To Start (held by Treasurer)
 Clothing: 6 shirts, 3 singlets, 8 hats (held by J. Hembrow/OHOC)
 Maps (held by OHOC Map Curator): 1180 *Beachport*; 780 *Cantara* (1997 \$3.00); 568 *O'Keefe's Paddock* (1997 \$5.00); 200 *The Sculptures*; 196 *Living Desert*.

LIST OF ASSETS as at 31.12.2007 (cont'd)

EQUIPMENT	Year	C.P.
ACER Travel/Mate 212TX (SPORTident & related equipment: A&R Uppill)	2001	\$2625
MS Office Professional XP	2001	560
Network card - CNET PCMCIA 10/100 N/C	2001	95
Canon BJC-2100 Colour Printer	2001	145
MS Optical wheel mouse	2001	55
Surecom 5 Port N-Way Switch	2001	115
SODIMM 128 Mb 3.3V*s RAM	2001	115
112 Control stations BSF 6 units	2002/06	15830
3 Masterstation BSM 4 unit	2002	216
1 Station BSM 4-5 unit	2002	239
Therma printer set 2	2002	1676
5 Carrying belts	2002	350
92 SPORTident cards (for hire)	2002	2788
Roland D&Y 1200 Plotter	1989	2180
Electronic Timer custom built by D.Gamble W.A.	1989	400
Kodak 150 Printer	1992	400
Overhead Projector (held by Coaching Coord)		
CB Radio Hook-up (R.Larsson)		
Clocks: Rego, Start, Finish, custom made by N.Smith (held with TT equipment)		
Digital clocks (held by R.Larsson)/Blue Clocks (held by YA)		
4 Heart Rate Monitors Polar Accurex Plus, & interface (held T.Hillyard)1999/03	1325	
2 Heat Sealers (SAO Editor & Treas)		200
Controls: Lock-up (Schools Coord 13)		
Hanging (25 flags, 30 punches (Schools Coord);		
40 + 45 (MTBO Coord); 20 + 15 (Coaching Coord)		
Banners: Carnival banners (held by Uppills); old Start/Finish on loan to YA;		
Foundation SA(?) Start/Finish banners (held by TT)		
Shade canopy & bag: representative teams (H. Lee)	2005	263
2 Flags & stands (Park & Street, SA) (held by Uppills)	2004	920
Signs: 16 various -Toilets, Creche, Buses (held with TT equipment)	1997	289
'Welcome to Orienteering' sign (held with SS equipment)	2000	76
Coaching program equipment: table, first aid, 6 signs (Coaching Coord)	2006	240
Summer Series equipment (held by A. Uppill/OHOC)	2004	150
MTBO equipment: 6 signs, 4/6 map cases for hire, ties, etc. (MTBO Coord)		
Carnival equipment, e.g. stakes, fencing, hessian, water stands (held by TT)		
<i>Consumables:</i>		
Badges [State Team: 24, Orienteering bars: 45] (SAH Office)		
Trophies [110 OY glasses] (SAH Office)		
Trophies: Brian Wale Trophy, John Williams Trophy and four Schools' Relay Champs Trophies, named for SA clubs (held by winning schools at SA Schools Championships).		
FOR INFORMATION:		
OASA Club Information Manual (Tech Coord + each Club/Exec: updates from Secretary)		
OA Technical Regulations Folders (Tech Coord + one per Club)		
IOF Mapping Specification Books (2+Tech Coord + one per Club)		
Elementary 'O' Handbooks by D.Gale (Sch Coord/Treas)		
Sportident system including computer software (held by Uppills)		
<i>Publicity & Promotion:</i>		
Posters, leaflets, Foot & MTBO brochures, programs (SAH Office: Secretary)		
Video Master VM89 (Treasurer): <i>What A Crazy Way ...</i>		
Video: World Cup in Australia (2000: Schools Coord)		
OA Manual re Orienteering and Promotion (Tech Coord)		
<i>Orienteering Your First Event</i> (P&P Coord); <i>Orienteering</i> by K.Haarsma		n/c
Book: <i>50 GoldenYears</i> (editors) J.Lyon & J.Williams (held by Treasurer)	2005	20
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EASTER 2007: BURRA TO BAROSSA CARNIVAL

INCOME		EXPENDITURE	
StEP Stream 2 funding		Preliminary project costs	
Area selection	650	Area Selection	650
Photogrammetry	3000	Photogrammetry (YA, OH, TT)	3229
Timing equipment (results)	5700	Timing equipment, software, etc.	6145 10024
OASA Major Project Fund	674 10024		
Other Sponsorship		Administration	
Burra Visitor Centre	68	Secretariat, etc.	1092
Nuriootpa Caravan Park	250	Bank fees (merchant facility)	1152
Maesbury Group	1818 2136	Personnel	2343
Merchandise		Publicity	1171
Tee	900	Publicity overseas	
Polo	1977	Entry forms	1812
Hat	368	Booklets	1101 8670
Clothing sales at events	695 3941	Merchandise (clothing)	1966
Social events		Event Centre: misc. supplies, etc.	92
Camping	5727	Security	200
Pasta Night	2323	Social Camping (accom. venue hire)	2864 3155
Dinner	2164 10214	Pasta Night	2530
		Dinner	2285 7970
Events		Event Costs: operational	
1 Australian Family Relays	1127	Landowners	3093
2 Elite Prologue sprint	1380	Mapping	708
3 Slologue sprint	875	Map costs	22590
4 Model event	1140	Printing (course overprinting)	693
5 Australian 3-Day Championships	59134	Chest numbers	1076
6 MTBO	844	Badges	2063
7 ASC Galaxy Sprint	1051	Consumables	1494
8 Public Sprint	1421	Assembly Area	186
9 Aust'n Middle Distance Champs	6311	St Johns Ambulance	793
10 National Badge Event	6016 79298	Satellite phone hire	
Enter on Day		Toilets	1209
5: Day One	155	Water	519
5: Day Two	132	Cups	510
5: misc	14	Rubbish disposal	190
9: Middle Distance Ch	64	Timing	349
10: Badge	136 500	Audio equipment hire less deposit	653
SportIdent stick (hire)	730	Equipment	828
Late entry fees	764	Truck & fuel	942
Administration fees collected	146	OA Event Levies 1-10	5697
		OASA Event Levies 1-10	4747 48341
Sundries		Sundries	
OA: Galaxy Prizes	350	OA: Galaxy Prizes	350
Overpaid	1958	Refunds	1958
SportIdent sticks (6) purchased	245	SportIdent sticks (6) purchased	245
University Challenge (3rd party)	370 2923	University Challenge (3rd party)	370 2923
Carnival Equipment, etc. purchased			
stakes, droppers	34		
map bags	141		
cups, 3x hazard tape	117 292		
Subtotal	110966	Subtotal	79894
GST (collected)	9847	GST (to be claimed)	2704
Total	120813	Total	82598

TECHNICAL REPORT

During 2007, the position of technical officer was held by Jenny Casanova, with Adrian Uppill as mapping coordinator, and supported by invaluable advice from Robin Uppill.

Because of the Burra to Barossa 2007 carnival there was a requirement for a lot more people than usual to control events during 2007. OASA is very appreciative of the efforts expended by these people in the pursuit of orienteering excellence.

Particular gratitude goes to Robin Uppill for being level 3 controller for the Australian 3-Days which was a mammoth task. Other level 3 controllers were Alison Radford for the Australian Middle Distance Championships and National Badge Event and Jenny Casanova for the ASC Galaxy Sprint.

Level 2 controllers were: Phil Davill, Peter Cutten and Gerry Velaitis for the Australian 3-Days, Phil Hazell for National Badge Event 1, John & Jeffa Lyon for the SA Middle Distance Championships and Badge Event 2, Jenny Casanova for the SA Club Relays, Gerry Velaitis for the SA Sprint Championships and Rob Hillyard for the SA Long Championships.

Thanks go to all these people for their efforts. Controllers are reminded that their reports should be submitted to the technical officer, so that future organisers, planners and controllers can learn from past events. Having said that, the only report received was Robin Uppill's comprehensive controllers' report on the Australian 3-Days which was forwarded to Orienteering Australia; even the technical officer did not produce a report for the event she controlled.

The major events schedule produced by OA allocates the Australian Championships carnival to SA in 2010.

A fledgling committee has been instituted but it lacks an overall coordinator as yet. In the meantime, investigative trips are being taken around Port Lincoln, Whyalla, Mt Gambier and the Southern Flinders Ranges, to ascertain the suitability of any of those areas for an Australian Long Distance Championship map, around which the second weekend of the carnival could be based.

This schedule is how the carnival will run (likely to be in first week of SA school holidays):

Sat 25 th Sep	Australian Middle Distance Championships (afternoon)
Sun 26 th Sep	SA Long Championships
Tue 28 th Sep	Australian Schools Championships NOL Event e.g. Mass start loop race
Wed 29 th Sep	Australian Schools Relay Championships Public event
Fri 1 st Oct	Australian Sprint Championships (am) Model event (pm)
Sat 2 nd Oct	Australian Long Championships
Sun 3 rd Oct	Australian Relay Championships
Mon 4 th Oct	Public holiday

Changes to Orienteering Australia Rules as of January 2008: Orienteering Australia has released the 2008 versions of the Competition Rules and National Orienteering League Guidelines. Both of these can be downloaded as PDF documents from the Orienteering Australia website www.orienteering.asn.au There are only minor changes taking effect in 2008.

Adrian Uppill's table of course-class relationships with appropriate distances for recommended winning times, has undergone further changes due to the change to age-class groupings as recommended by OA regulations. SA Championships in Sprint, Middle and Long, Badge Events and Orienteer of the Year events now all have 10-year senior age groupings. The overall response to this has been positive despite some initial reservations. This is reflected Australia-wide, where there has been variable uptake by the states, of age-class changes.

Jenny Casanova, Technical Officer

PUBLICITY AND PROMOTIONS REPORT

Maarten Nieuwenhoven, my predecessor, organised an OASA display at the Caravan and Camping Show in February. Participation in this display has been a motivator to develop our display materials and to promote the camping side of orienteering events. Adrian Uppill has been responsible for developing some excellent display material.

During 2007 there were a number of significant events for which I sought publicity in the media. The first of these was the orienteering event conducted as part of the World Police and Fire Games in March. *The Adelaide Hills Courier* ran an article on this event.

The Easter Carnival at Burra was our main focus during the early part of the year. *The Northern Argus* ran a couple of articles based on information provided for them and the Advertiser had a small segment in its Statewide coverage.

Following on from Easter, the *Senior's Newspaper* ran a story on octogenarian orienteers and also published a couple of coloured photos of two of our senior members.

National O Day was on Sunday 6 May with an event near the Victoria Park Racecourse. The Messenger Newspaper was given material for a story and their photographer took photos of some of our juniors but, alas, they did not run it. However, on the positive side, Rex Jory gave O Day a plug in his *Sunday Mail* column while Ashley Walsh on ABC Radio did a great job of promoting the day.

A press release announcing Reuben Smith's selection in the WOC team was ignored by local media, however Pulteney Grammar School picked up on it to include a mention of Reuben, an old scholar, in its School Magazine.

In June, David Tilbrook organised a display at Marden for an ABC Radio outside broadcast, while John Williams was interviewed on air at the same event.

As JWOC approached, material was supplied to the media on Simon Uppill and Vanessa Round. The *Eastern Courier* ran an article on Vanessa based on material from Kay Haarsma and that was that. Bob Mouatt, President of OA at the time, also provided press releases for local media which were ignored.

After JWOC, the *Adelaide Hills Courier* published a story on Simon's achievements and the *Eastern Courier* ran one on Vanessa but that was it as far as local media coverage of our elite orienteers was concerned.

In September, OASA, along with other sporting groups, had a display at the Royal Adelaide Hospital to promote healthy activity to the staff who work there. While the concept was a good one the support from the staff was poor.

In October, David Tilbrook and I spoke to the Overland 4WD Club about orienteering. We had some positive responses, particularly with regard to Summer Series and Mountain Bike Orienteering.

Based on their JWOC achievements, I nominated Simon and Vanessa for Australian Government Sports Achievement Awards. Both Simon and Vanessa were granted an award.

John Such Publicity Officer

NEWSLETTER EDITORS REPORT

The editor would like to especially thank those members, about 36 in all, who contributed in some way to the newsletter, stories, photos and ideas for 'Here and There'. Also thanks to Bob Smith for allowing me to do last minute corrections at Hilton SNAP Printing. The main purpose of the newsletter is to help keep members informed, to be a bit inspirational and thus encourage good attendance at events and provide some sort of record of events.

SAO does not take the place of club newsletters but clubs are encouraged to send electronic copies of their newsletter and photos used in them to the editor so that articles or snippets of wider interest might appear in the state newsletter.

By law, and apparently because OASA receives state Government funding, a copy of each issue of S.A. Orienteer must be lodged with the State Library of South Australia.

Mike Round, Editor

COACHING REPORT

2007 was a busy day for coaches, managers and organisers and we would like to thank them. Activities included:

- A Junior Training Day on 24 Jan 07, the Junior Camp 17-21 Apr 07 and the Junior Girls Weekend 3-4 Nov 07.
- Three OASA Training Days (4 Feb, 26 May and 11 Nov 07 with a fourth planned for 18 Feb 07 cancelled due to a total fire ban) and a Women's Coaching Weekend 31 Mar-1 Apr 07) plus some after event training on a Sunday.
- Coaching support to the Talent ID Days on 23 and 24 Apr 07 and the Schools Team.
- The Southern Arrows Camp.
- 15 Wednesday Training Half Days and Duty Coaches on 13 Sundays.
- Coaching support to the Schools' Warm-up Program.

Over 150 individuals received coaching in and around the Adelaide area alone. This figure does not include the many schools students whom received coaching in schools and at schools' warm up events.

In addition thanks must be given to the many 'shadowers', mentors, course setters and those who prepared maps on OCAD or gave talks to groups.

We would like to single out John and Jeffa Lyon for their continued outstanding support with Talent Spotting, the conduct of the Talent ID Camp and support to the Junior Girls Weekend.

With regards the future:

- We plan to get the Sub-junior Group going as a formed training body with a social side to build on group spirit before they members move on to the Junior Squad.
- Conduct more Talent ID activities in 2008 to build up our junior numbers. In this area we are willing to train the new junior and sub-juniors but as an association we need to find a pool of young people.

Finally we have again found that the two of us working together has worked well with less stress on us and our discussions leading to new and better ideas.

Adrian Craig/Susanne Casanova, Coaching Coordinators

SCHOOLS REPORT

In 2007 all activity with schools was limited to the Primary area. Teachers react to the information page in the Sports Shorts Magazine, and email or phone me to negotiate an experience for their children. Usually this is within their own school yard but on some occasions I arrange for the use of a nearby colour map. An attempt is then made to interest teachers in taking groups to Mid-Week Events with a view to future involvement in the Schools Championships. Information is also often distributed direct to the children in the hope that family groups will attend Friday night or week end events.

On a number of occasions I have visited teachers to talk about the process which might occur when getting children started in Orienteering. Visits and assistance are provided to both public and private schools within the metropolitan area.

Education to teachers included a session at the annual ACHPER Conference at Westminster School in April and with Adrian Uppill providing 6 two hour sessions to trainee teachers at Flinders Uni in October.

My thanks to Jeffa Lyon, Adrian Craig/John Such and Frank Tomas in assisting me to provide the Mid-Week Events. These are the essential low key events which provide learning for children prior to the two Championship Events. Most of the children attending these are Primary age as it seems there are huge difficulties with Time tables etc..when extracting an interest group of various year levels from a Secondary School.

Yalanga Orienteers ran the Schools Championships in August supported in the usual way by a large number of helpers from other clubs. Belair National Park was again the venue and it is pleasing that numbers have been consistent in recent years. It is essential that those taking part have a good experience in the hope that they continue in the sport and with good organization, an interesting area and beautiful weather I believe all the boxes were ticked.

Thanks again go to Jeffa Lyon for organizing the Schools Relay Event. Although the venue had to be changed the Thorndon Park map provided an excellent alternative area and is certainly a spot worth visiting! Attendance was down this year because of a clash with a day which many schools chose as their closure day for the Royal Show.

Finally thanks to those who have assisted during the last twelve months, and in particular Barry Wheeler who has worked with several schools in the northern area, and Adrian Craig, who over the last six years has been the major provider of the Mid-Week Programme.

David Tilbrook, Schools Coordinator

MOUNTAIN BIKE ORIENTEERING REPORT

The 2007 MTBO series consisted of two training days and four regular events. A further two events were planned but had to be cancelled due to hot weather. Unfortunately one of these events was again the State Championships (also cancelled due to hot weather in 2006). In 2008 we will be running the Championships earlier in the year to try to avoid this problem.

While entries to events were not high and it would be difficult to assess the season as successful in that regard a couple of innovations were initiated and proved successful. At Wirrabara the MTBO formed part of the Tintookies' orienteering carnival and benefited from some foot O competitors trying their hand (legs?) at the cycle version of the sport. And both disciplines were successfully combined in the DuO event at Mount Crawford.

2007 also saw the advent of the MTBO Committee, being an informal committee of MTBO diehards. It provided a useful forum for working through various MTBO tasks and issues. Amongst its achievements were the establishment of an email list/newsletter and the completion of some preliminary work for the 2009 Australian Championships. The MTBO committee also undertook promotional activities with Bicycle SA through their "Track and Trail" series. The results from this were, however, disappointing.

A number of SA MTBOers travelled interstate for events and all performed creditably, with the following riders winning championships:

- Lee Merchant, M50 Australian Champion, sprint and long distance
- Brett Merchant, M17-20 Australian Champion, sprint, middle and long distance
- Steve Sulliavn, M40 Oceania Champion, middle distance.

My thanks go to all those who participated in MTBO in 2007 and especially to the dedicated band of volunteers who organised and ran events or provided the organisational back up for those events and the sport.

Bruce Greenhalgh SA MTBO Coordinator

2007 EASTER BURRA TO BAROSSA ORIENTEERING CARNIVAL REPORT

Burra to Barossa 2007 Carnival Report



The Burra to Barossa 2007; Australian 3-Days and Australian Middle Distance Championships Carnival has come and gone and already we are planning for the 2010 Nationals. OASA should, however, reflect on just how successful this carnival really was.

Comments heard from local and interstate orienteers were nothing but positive. At least one person declared it the best Easter they had been to!

South Australia prides itself on organising good carnivals and this was no exception. The approach whereby different clubs have responsibility for a certain task throughout, rather than a particular day's event, has worked well for OASA previously and our events seem to run more smoothly than interstate carnivals do. The importance of having the same procedures for each part of each event cannot be underestimated. Some of the smaller clubs struggled to provide numbers for their task; but some of the bigger clubs had a number of members involved in course planning and organising individual events so were otherwise heavily committed.

Everyone donated incredible amounts of their time. It's important to recognise that orienteers are volunteers and have other commitments, but if you can pick the right person for the task, who has enthusiasm for it and is methodical, and who has experience or can gain advice from others who have done it before, then all will go well. The input of Robin and Adrian Uppill, who coordinated the 2002 Outback Carnival, was crucial. Hopefully the planners, organisers and controllers of each event, and coordinators of each task, have made notes and recommendations which will assist the next people who have to organise such a carnival.

There really were few hiccups in either behind-the-scenes planning or on-the-day running of events, and almost no complaints from competitors. There were certainly no protests which necessitated the use of a jury. Any minor problems were resolved on the spot with resourcefulness. Possibly the biggest issue occurred during the ASC Galaxy sprint race, which was contentious because a previously uncrossable creek was physically crossable due to the drought, though it was mapped as uncrossable.

Although the Burra area had been in drought, rains in February greened things up enough so that the areas weren't a dustbowl, and the hot weather held off with a maximum of 30 degrees on the last day of Easter.

Despite initial concerns about the availability of accommodation, nearly 800 orienteers were eventually squeezed into Burra and the surrounding towns. Most Burra businesses, while initially lukewarm and disinclined to advertise in the start book, extended their trading hours, and the tourist office was very helpful. Camping on the school and sports ground oval was a popular option (out of necessity) and the social functions were well attended. Thanks to Julie Crebbin for all her efforts in coordinating the Event Centre and each day's catering.

Exact attendance numbers at each event have not been published here because they are included in the list of attendances at all OASA events in 2007. Ken Fisher's expertise in setting up a spreadsheet and coordinating data entry was valuable.

Financial reports are being finalised by the tireless treasurer, Jennie Bourne, who has performed this task for a number of previous carnivals, for which we are very grateful. Although numbers were slightly less than hoped for over the Easter weekend, closer to 700 than 800, this was offset by the nearly 400 people who stayed on for the next weekend's races. It is anticipated that the profit will provide a comfortable buffer when putting funds towards future OASA projects.

No results book was published, saving on costs, though badges/certificates were posted out. Widespread internet access meant having to print and post very few start books and start lists. As always, Bob Smith's assistance in printing of maps and documents at Snap Printing was greatly appreciated.

There are too many people to mention individually, though I tried to name the key players in last year's AGM report, and some have been thanked publicly before, but all OASA members (plus family and friends) who were involved in any way, small or large, in facilitating the success of the Burra to Barossa carnival, can consider themselves officially acknowledged.

Jenny Casanova, Burra to Barossa Carnival Coordinator

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN AWARDS

John Hall Memorial service Award

The 2007 John Hall Memorial Service Award for services to orienteering in South Australia was awarded to Ron Laarson.

Orienteer of the Year

Awarded on the basis of a person's 6 best performances in designated OY events throughout the year, for orienteers aged over 14 years. Our thanks to Michelle Chamalaun for calculating the results.

W16	Nadia Velaitis YA	M16	Rory McComb OH
W18	Lauren Gilles OH	M18	Tom Dose TT
W20	Mallory Hughes OH	M20	Brett Merchant TJ
W21	Susanne Casanova WA	M21	Simon Uppill OH
W21AS	Claire Davill TJ	M21AS	Tyson Hillyard TJ
W35	Michelle Chamalaun OH	M35	Paul Hoopmann TJ
W45	Robin Uppill OH	M45	Stephen Dose TT
W55	Alison Radford TT	M55	Adrian Uppill OH
W65	Jeffa Lyon TT	M65	John Lyon TT
W75	Rae Harris WA	M75	Ron Larsson TT

Sue Millard Perpetual Trophy

This inaugural award is presented to the juniors judged by selectors to have shown the greatest improvement:

Junior Female: Maddie Wardleworth TT

Junior Male: Brett Fisk YA

Junior Consistency Badges

The following juniors aged up to 14 years were awarded Consistency Badges :

Outstanding:

Talia Colwell OH

Brodie Dobson-Keefe YA

Luke Hazell TT

Christopher Mason-Fyfe TT

Bryn McComb OH

Encouragement:

Daniel Bell OH

Hannah Bourne TT

Trent Crebbin YA

Ruby Genborg

Rachel Loye OH

Brady Stead YA

Justin Valladares YA

Eleanor Wardleworth TT

Kelly Bertei TE

Emily Brougham SB

Sam Ennis TT

Brittany Haste TE

Brittany Overall SE

Aaron Sullivan TE

Anna Vaughan

Bree Yeomans OH

Cameron Birrane YA

Liana Crebbin YA

Rachel Fisk YA

Joseph Kneebone

Bryn Soden OH

Aidan Sullivan YA

Tom Vaughan

SASI Scholarships (2007/2008)

Talent: Talent Scholarships funded by the South Australian Sports Institute (SASI) were awarded to Lauren Gilles, Tristen Lee, Simon Uppill & Vanessa Round.

High Performance: Awarded to Susanne Casanova & Kerrin Rattray

Australian Government Sports Achievement Awards.

Simon Uppill and Vanessa Round

State Selectors

This year's state selectors were Peter Clark, Lachlan Hallett and Claire Davill.

SA INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATION

Australian Team for Junior World Orienteering Championships in Dubbo.

Congratulations on selection to Simon Uppill and Vanessa Round.

Australian Team for World Orienteering Championships in Ukraine.

No South Australian was selected for this team in 2007

Australian Bushrangers Team in New Zealand.

Congratulations on selection to Simon Uppill Ben Rattray and Vanessa Round.

Australian New Zealand Challenge Team at Oceania Championships in ACT.

Congratulations on selection to:

W16A Nadia Velaitis

M18A Tristen Lee

W21E Vanessa Round (Bushrangers Team)

M21E Simon Uppill, Kerrin Rattray, Reuben Smith (all Bushrangers Team)

W50A Robin Uppill

M55A Adrian Uppill

W70A Jeffa Lyon

M70A John Lyon

SA ORIENTEERS RESULTS

South Australian Events

South Australian Long Distance Championships

This year's state championships were held at Twigham. Resident Champions in brackets.

W10		M10	Trent Crebbin YA
W12A	Liana Crebbin YA	M12A	Brodie Dobson-Keefe YA
W12B		M12B	
W14A	Rachel Loye OH	M14A	Bryn McComb OH
W14B	Christina Vaughan	M14B	
W16A	Nadia Velaitis YA	M16A	Rory McComb OH
W16B		M16B	
W17-20A	Lauren Gillis OH	M17-20A	Tristen Lee TJ
W21A	Susanne Casanova WA	M21A	Simon Uppill OH
W21AS	Rebecca Hatcher TJ	M21AS	Catherine Loye OH
W21B	Lisa Clark WA	M21B	Henry Hazell TT
W35A	Zara Soden OH	M35A	Paul Hoopmann TJ
W45A	Robin Uppill OH	M45A	Stephen Dose TT

W45AS	Janet Davill TJ	M45AS	Douglas Lee TJ
W45+B	Robyn Dose TT	M45+B	
W55A	Alison Radford TT	M55A	Adrian Uppill OH
W55+AS	Jeanette Paterson TT	M55+AS	Al Sankauskas OH
W65A	Helen Smith TT	M65A	John Lyon TT
W75A	Rae Harris WA	M75A	Ron Larsson TT

South Australian MTBO Championships

Cancelled due to Fire Ban

National Events

National O League

Southern Arrows Women 2nd

Southern Arrows Men 3rd

Australian 3-Days South Australia Burra & Environs

The following SA orienteers won places :

W16A	1 st	Nadia Velaitis YA	M12A	1 st	Brodie Dobson-Keefe YA
W21A	1 st	Catherine Loye OH	M21A	1 st	Jason Nicolson YA
W21B	1 st	Amy Ide LI	M55AS	1 st	Clive Arthur TT
W35-44B	1 st	Kirsten Moller TT	M70A	1 st	John Lyon TT
W45AS	1 st	Teri McComb OH	M16A	2 nd	Rory McComb OH
W80A	1 st	Rae Harris WA	M45AS	2 nd	Steve Hicks TT
W14B	1 st	Rachel Loye OH	M60A	2 nd	Rob Tucker YA
W17-20A	2 nd	Lauren Gilles OH	M70A	2 nd	John Lyon TT
W55A	2 nd	Alison Radford TT		3 rd	George Reeves TT
W70A	2 nd	Jeffa Lyon TT	M80A	3 rd	Lance Fairclough OH
W12A	3 rd	Rachel Fisk YA			
W16A	3 rd	Stephanie Mason-Fyfe TT			
W65A	3 rd	Helen Smith TT			

Australian Schools Championships at Dubbo

The were no South Australian place getters in the individual Championships.

Relays: Junior Boys 3rd Riordan Dose, Bryn McComb, Brett Fisk

Australian Long Distance Championships

The following SA orienteers won places in Dubbo:

M70A	1 st	John Lyon TT
W50A	1 st	Robin Uppill TT
W45AS	1 st	Teri McComb OH
M17-20A	2 nd	Thomas Diment TT
M21A	2 nd	Tyson Hillyard TJ
M45AS	2 nd	Trevor Diment TT
W16A	2 nd	Nadia Velaitis YA
M55AS	2 nd	Al Sankauskas OH
W70A	3 rd	Jeffa Lyon TT
M18B	1 st	Henry Hazel TT
W18B	1 st	Madeline Wardleworth TT
W45B	3 rd	Carol Such OH

Australian Middle Distance Championships

The following SA & TE orienteers won places at Pewsey Vale

M10A	2 nd	Trent Crebbin YA
M12A	2 nd	Christopher Mason-Fyfe TT
M14A	1 st	Kelly Bertei TE
M14A	2 nd	Bryn McComb OH
M16A	1 st	Rory McComb OH
M17-20E	2 nd	Tristan Lee TJ
M17-20A	1 st	Brett Merchant TJ
	2 nd	Kris Colwell OH
	3 rd	Thomas Diment TT
M21E	2 nd	Simon Uppill OH
	3 rd	Kerrin Rattray OH
M21A	1 st	Jason Nicolson YA
	2 nd	Andrew Slattery TT
MO B	2 nd	Margaret Bourne OH
	3 rd	Dean Fyfe TT
M40A	1 st	Nigel Dobson-Keefe YA
	3 rd	Darryl Crebbin YA
M45A	2 nd	Andrew McComb OH
M60A	1 st	Robert Smith TT
M70A	1 st	John Lyon TT
M75A	2 nd	Ron Larsson TT
W12A	2 nd	Georgia Hicks TT
	3 rd	Jemma Hicks TT
W14A	1 st	Rachel Loye OH
W16A	1 st	Rachel Dunnage WA
	2 nd	Nadia Velaitis YA
	3 rd	Helen Mason-Fyfe TT
W17-20A	1 st	Shannon Nicolson YA
	2 nd	Lauren Gilles OH
W21A	1 st	Claire Davill TJ
	2 nd	Michelle Chamalaun OH
	3 rd	Nicole Such OH
WO B	1 st	Christine Marron TE
	2 nd	Amy Ide LI
	3 rd	Pat Velaitis YA
W40A	3 rd	Susi Bertei TE
W45A	2 nd	Evelyn Colwell OH
W50A	3 rd	Robin Uppill OH
W60A	3 rd	Jennie Bourne OH
W65A	2 nd	Helen Smith TT
W70A	2 nd	Jeffa Lyon TT

Australian Sprint Distance Championships

The following SA orienteers won places:

W16A	Helen Mason-Fyfe TT 1 st	M16A	Ben Diment TT 1 st
	Stephanie Mason-Fyfe TT 2 nd		
W17-20E		M17-20E	Tristen Lee TJ 2 nd
W21E		M21E	Simon Uppill OH 3 rd
W17-34A	Rachel Upton WA 1 st	M17-34A	Tom Dose TT 1 st
			Brett Mason Fyfe TT 2 nd
W65A		M65A	John Lyon TT 3 rd

Australian Relay Championships at Dubbo

W21E	1 st	Zoe Radford, Susanne Casanova, Vanessa Round
M21E	2 nd	Ben Rattray, Lachlan Hallett, Simon Uppill
M21AS	2 nd	Max Sankauskas, Brett Mason-Fyfe, Thomas Diment
W35A	2 nd	Erica Diment, Teri McComb, Robin Uppill
Mixed	2 nd	Anna Hazell, Dean Fyfe, Christopher Mason-Fyfe
Mixed	3 rd	Madeline Wardlewoth, Kelly Bertei, Rebecca Hatcher

Australian MTBO Championships in NSW

M50-59	2 nd	Middle	Lee Merchant TJ
M Open B	2 nd	Middle	Troy Merchant TJ
M17-20	1 st	Long	Brett Merchant TJ
M50-59	1 st	Long	Lee Merchant TJ
M17-20	1 st	Middle	Brett Merchant TJ
M17-20	1 st	Sprint	Brett Merchant TJ

EVENTS AND PARTICIPATION

The main event programme and participation:

Date	Event	Location	No of entries
5-Jan	<i>be active</i> Summer Series	SE Parklands	75
12-Jan		Hawthorndene	117
19-Jan		Felixtow South	67
2-Feb		Marino	69
9-Feb		Mawson Lakes	95
16-Feb		Craigburn Parks	49
23-Feb		Paradise on Torrens	75
4-Mar		Wilfred Taylor Reserve	50
10-Mar	Sat pm	Panorama	18
17-Mar	WPGF	Belair	82
24-Mar		Merridee	66
25-Mar		BriGlen	89
1-Apr	OY & SST	Para Wirra	123
6-Apr	Elite Prologue Sprint	Worlds End	112
6-Apr	Slologue Sprint		68
6-Apr	Australian Family Relays		112
7-9 Apr	Easter Three days	Twigham/Worlds End	627
12-Apr	MTBO	Mt Crawford	41
13-Apr	ASC Galaxy Sprint	Nuriootpa	74
13-Apr	Public Sprint		93
14-Apr	Australian Middle Distance	Pewsey Vale	297
15-Apr	Badge OY2 & SST	Ngaralta Country	331
29-Apr	SST	Gumeracha Goldfields	94
6-May	National	SE Parklands	68
12-May	Sat pm	Hawthorndene	74
20-May		Kersbrook Glades	83
27-May	OY3	Mt Crawford Forest	130
2-Jun	Sat pm	North Adelaide	57
10-Jun	Badge & OY4	The Sandmine	85
11-Jun	SA Middle Distance Ch	Broccoli Hill	89
24-Jun		Para Wirra	102
1-Jul	OY5	Narrinyeri Hills	112
22-Jul		Craigburn	90
28-Jul	Sat pm	Wadmore Park	45
5-Aug	OY6	Moon Rocks	103
12-Aug	OY7	Kuitpo Forest	104
13-Aug	SA Schools' Champs	Belair	406
19-Aug	SA Club Relay Champs	Flinders Uni	96
1-Sep	MTBO	Kuitpo	22
2-Sep		Marne Rocks	96
9-Sep		Pymton	81
14-Sep	SA Schools' Relay Champ	Athelstone	120
15-Sep	Sat pm	Springfield	52
22-Sep	SA Sprint Champs	Twigham	76
23-Sep	SA Champs	Twigham	129
13-Oct	MTBO	Wirrabara	23
13-Oct	Night Champs	Wirrabara	42
14-Oct	OY9	Walnut Gate	73
21-Oct	MTBO	CANCELLED	0
11-Nov	Foot/MTBO	Mt Crawford	46
18-Nov	SA MTBO Champs	CANCELLED	0
30-Nov	<i>be active</i> Summer Series	NE Parklands	77
7-Dec		SE Parklands	79
14-Dec		Thorndon Park	57
		TOTAL	5441