

# ORIENTEERING SA INC.



State Association House  
105 King William St  
KENT TOWN SA 5067

website: [www.sa.orienteering.asn.au](http://www.sa.orienteering.asn.au)

President: Peter Mayer

Email: [president@sa.orienteering.asn.au](mailto:president@sa.orienteering.asn.au) 8331 7620

## 2012 ANNUAL REPORT

AGM Shepherds Hill 17<sup>th</sup> March 2013

### SPONSORSHIP AND SUPPORT



Government of South Australia  
Office for Recreation and Sport



SA Office for Recreation and Sport

*Statewide Enhancement Program Stream 1  
Statewide Enhancement Program Stream 2  
Active Club Program Grants*



SA Secondary Schols Sports Association & SA Primary Schools Sports Association for supporting  
*SA Schools Orienteering Championships*



Southern Orienteering Supplies  
*Summer Series 2011-2012*



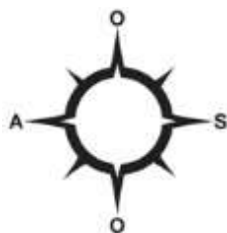
Joggers World  
*Summer Series 2011 - 2012*



Snap Printing (Hilton)  
*Southern Arrows & General Support*



Paddy Pallin  
*Summer Series 2011-2012 & Southern Arrows*



*Orienteering Service of Australia  
Junior Support*



Australian Government  
Australian Sports Commission

2012 Junior & Newcomer Series  
Controller Training for Remote Members

## ORIENTEERING SA INC 2012 COUNCIL

The Council, comprising the Management Committee and Club Delegates listed below, met on 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	Peter Mayer
Secretary	Ken Thompson
Treasurer	Jennie Bourne
Assistant Secretary	Craig Colwell
Technical Officer	Jenny Casanova
Technical Officer (Mapping)	Adrian Uppill
Coaching Coordinators	Adrian Craig
Deputy Coaching Coordinator	John Lyon
Schools Coordinator	David Tilbrook
Newsletter Editors	Robyn Dose & Erica Diment
Publicity and Promotion Officer	Position not filled
MTBO Coordinator	Bruce Greenhalgh

### Club Delegates

Lincoln Orienteers	John Lyon
Onkaparinga Hills Orienteering Club	Robin Uppill and Craig Colwell
Saltbush Orienteers	Ken Thompson
Tintookies Orienteers	John Nieuwenhoven and Jenny Kennedy
Top End Orienteers	Jennie Bourne
Tjuringa Orienteers	Adrian Craig and Greg Morcom
Warralinga Orienteers	Jenny Casanova and Fern Tomas
Yalanga Orienteers	Doug Fotheringham and Gerry Velaitis

### Other Orienteering SA positions:

<b>Web Coordinators:</b>	Robin Uppill, Garry Harris, Ken Thompson & Andrew Slattery	
<b>OA Councillor:</b>	Peter Mayer	<b>OA Delegate:</b> Jenny Casanova
<b>State Selection Panel:</b>	Bridget Anderson (Chair) Jeffa Lyon, Peter Mayer & Craig Colwell	
<b>Data Base :</b>	Fulvio Pastrello	<b>AO Editorial Contact:</b> Erica Diment
<b>School Team Manager:</b>	Jane Fuller	<b>Member Protection Information Officer:</b> Christine Franklin
<b>School Team Coach</b>	Bridget Anderson	<b>Junior Arrows Coach:</b> Bridget Anderson
<b>Southern Arrows Manager:</b>	Tyson Hillyard	<b>Southern Darts Coach:</b> Adrian Craig
<b>Junior Arrows Manager</b>	John Lyon	<b>Southern Darts Deputy Coach:</b> Erica Diment
<b>ENEWS Editor</b>	Robyn Dose	

## 2012 MEMBERSHIP & CASUAL REGISTRATION STATISTICS

Persons covered by full membership as at 31 Dec 2012.  
Previous Year's figures shown in brackets.

	Junior	Senior	Master	Total
Male	47	27	113	187
Female	38	19	88	145
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>332</b>

(14.5% increase 2011: 284)

Full Memberships

Family/Group	89
Individual adult 21 +	58
Individual junior <21	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>156</b>

(12.8% increase 2011: 136)

Casual Registrations

	Junior	Senior	Master	Age NA	Total
Male	162	45	180	2	389
Female	136	54	175	3	368
<b>Total</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>757</b>

(53% increase 2011: 355)

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2012

This has been an encouraging year for Orienteering SA. More people are enjoying the Summer Series and the Snap Printing Sprint Series has also grown in popularity. It shows us that events close to Adelaide will attract large numbers of newcomers as well as regular orienteers.

We have tended to consider street and park orienteering as fun, low key events. This is the attraction to newcomers but there is another side that we need to promote more. Park Orienteering has become a championship genre with international competition leading up to world championships. It is an opportunity for talented runners to get involved in world class competition where astute navigation plays an equal role with running talent and fitness.

We have changed the Schools Champs to a Park Orienteering format and this had been a big success. We need to consider how to increase the transition of the school competitors to park and sprint events, and attract more athletes to these events.

Our Junior and Newcomer Series funded by the Australian Sports Commission has boosted participation rates as well as membership. A major factor has been the introduction of registration of Casual Orienteers who receive our E-News. Regular communication with newcomers makes them feel welcome and encourages them to come to other events. It is great to see new family groups coming regularly after trying out at a local event.

It is great to see the growth in our junior squads the Junior Arrows and the Darts. This has strengthened our schools team and will lead to stronger competition among juniors for team selection this year. The larger squads are bonding well and rising to the challenge set by their coaches. They are the future of our sport and it is exciting to see their enthusiasm.

Meanwhile the Arrows continue to do well in the National Orienteering League despite their members being located in various states these days. It is a reality that our brightest orienteers will move interstate or overseas for new challenges but we are able to maintain the link with their home state through the Arrows.

The biggest growth in participation has been recorded by the Top End Orienteering Club who have used innovative promotions to boost numbers at their urban events which have led to growth at bush events. Their promotion to businesses with posters was a big success.

We continue to receive generous funding from the Office of Recreation and Sport which helps us with development and administrative costs. Most other sports receiving funding have salaried administrative staff. Orienteering continues to rely entirely on volunteers and still manages to acquit our reporting obligations in a professional manner. It has been a pleasure to work with such a dedicated group of volunteers within the management team of Orienteering SA who work tirelessly in the background to maintain the integrity of our sport.

I have not named individuals in this message as every member of the management team has played a significant role and our clubs each have very active volunteers who put on the events that we enjoy so much. We need to encourage younger members to become more involved in the running of our sport. Our older members are happy to help but we need innovation to ensure the future health of our sport. Top End is a great example of what can be achieved when younger members get more involved.

**Peter Mayer**, President

**ORIENTEERING SA Inc**  
**STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE**  
**period 1 January - 31 December 2012**

<b>2011</b>	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>2012</b>
10283	Subscriptions (incl. <i>The Australian Orienteer</i> )	12022
4921	Event Levies	6426
	Special Series event levies	1390
3310	<u>1610</u> less OA Levies	<u>2143</u> 5673
5778	Interest Received	5759
610	Advertising	638
	ASC: Junior & Newcomer Series (I)	8000
	ASC: Junior Arrows (I)	3000
3919	2010 Foot Carnival	0
1675	Sundry Events	724
1887	Sundry Sales	1847
1326	SA Representative Teams: Schools	488
1969	Southern Arrows	3530
800	OA: NOL payment	1100
2758	Australian Taxation Office (GST)	0
745	Sundries	401
<u>6557</u>	GST (collected)	<u>8698</u>
<u>41617</u>		<u>51880</u>
	<b>EXPENDITURE</b>	
1695	Programme	2086
1454	<i>S.A. Orienteer</i> Magazine	1745
3277	<i>The Australian Orienteer</i> Magazine	4095
6655	OA: State Registration ( <i>less</i> Conference travel)	6607
2329	Public Liability & Professional Indemnity Insurance	2097
	ASC: Controllers' W/shop (OA to reimburse) (I)	1267
489	ANSVAR eInsurance: <i>less</i> Club share	641
695	Controller's expenses	567
2730	Travel Grants to Juniors	1845
1020	Travel Grants to Elites	675
	P&P: Sprint Series Mapping	760
0	Schools Mapping Fund	101
678	AGM & Awards Night (incl. badges & trophies)	676
	Junior & Newcomer Series	8055
	ASC: Junior Arrows	3000
1542	Office Rent & Reception	1779
864	Postage, stationery, photocopying	862
600	Website	360
741	Equipment repairs & mtc.	1622
173	SI system: additional units	0
1300	Consumables: SI cards, plastic bags	843
455	Southern Arrows	3895
731	Schools Team Trip	0
0	Schools Team Officials	1901
495	2010 Carnival	0
60	Subscriptions & Affiliations	60
77	Australian Taxation Office (GST)	3069
200	Sundries	1922
<u>5233</u>	GST (to be claimed)	<u>5473</u>
<u>33493</u>		<u>56003</u>
<b>8124</b>	<b>SURPLUS / DEFICIT</b>	<b>-4123</b>

**ORIENTEERING SA Inc**  
**BALANCE SHEET**  
as at 31 DECEMBER 2012

<b>Last Year</b>	<b>MEMBERS' FUNDS</b>	<b>This Year</b>
125689	Balance forward	133813
8124	<i>Surplus : General Funds : Deficit</i>	4123
-----		-----
133813	TOTAL	129690
-----		-----
	<i>Represented by:</i>	
7631	Cash at bank	5573
137241	INVEST Account : Express Saver	140284
6	SPECIAL EVENT Account	55
-----		-----
144878		145912
-----		-----
	<i>less: (2)</i>	
11065	SRSP: Sport & Recreation Sustainability Program	11222
	SRDIP: Sport & Recreation Development and Inclusion Program	5000
-----		-----
133813		129690
-----		-----

**NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS**  
for the period ended 31 December 2012

**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 available in the past to individual orienteers, but none were taken up this year. In 2012 the Australian Sports Commission through *Orienteering Australia Inc.* funded several specific projects, viz. the Junior and Newcomer Series, the Controllers' Workshop particularly to facilitate the attendance of members of our country clubs, and uniform and travel expenses for the Junior Arrows competing at the Australian Championships in Tasmania.

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

Office for Recreation & Sport funding received is subject to conditions that it be spent for specific purposes, and so cannot be treated as funds of Orienteering SA Inc. in its own right. Transactions on these accounts are therefore shown separate from Orienteering SA Inc. transactions

**ORIENTEERING SA Inc**  
**OFFICE FOR RECREATION & SPORT FUNDING**  
**TRANSACTIONS for the period 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2012**

2011-2012 Six months to 30 June 2012		2012-2013 Six months to 31 Dec 2012
11065	Balance forward	0
0	Grants received: <i>SRSP</i>	22500
	<i>SRDIP</i>	<u>5000</u>
		<u>27500</u>
	<i>SRSP</i>	
	<b>TALENTED ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT</b>	
0	Talent ID programs	2003
1423	Southern Darts /Junior /Southern Arrows camps	2503
2178	I/S & O/S Training & Competition	0
0	Aust. Schools Carnival Team	0
5634	<u>2033</u> NOL & JNOL Travel	<u>915</u> 5421
	<b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b>	
0	Officials' education, accreditation	355
622	Courses/Workshops	<u>0</u> 0
	<b>MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT</b>	
1500	Conference	0
2122	<u>0</u> Strategic planning, policy up-date	<u>0</u> 355
	<b>PARTICIPATION PROGRAM ASSISTANCE</b>	
	<i>Schools:</i>	
224	In-school programs	890
0	Events: warm-up program	301
0	Championships: individual, relay	1706
1227	<u>1003</u> Area Mapping	<u>1453</u> 4350
	<i>Novice and development activities:</i>	
1034	Basic skills training	223
0	Coaching, special programs	581
22	Novice Programs	78
0	Summer Series: event costs	0
316	Promotional activities	270
<u>2082</u>	<u>710</u> Club Development & Management projects	<u>0</u> <u>1152</u>
<u>11065</u>		<u>11278</u>
<b>0</b>	<b>BALANCE</b>	<b>11222</b>
	<i>SRDIP: permanent courses</i>	0
	<b>BALANCE</b>	<b>5000</b>

## BUDGETED RESERVES

In addition to the Grants already identified in the Balance Sheet, Orienteering SA Inc. budgets to maintain cash reserves for specific future spending purposes (total: \$69424).

These allocations are not held in any specific account. Actual cash available for normal yearly expenses amounts to \$60266.

### **MAJOR PROJECTS**

Balance as at 01.01.2012	53658	EMIT Digital Clock	1469
		Snap Sprint Series map grants	760
		School Team Officials	2000
		<i>Balance as at 31.12.2012</i>	<b>51429</b>

### **MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT**

*Balance as at 31.12.2012* **4209**

### **INTERSTATE REPRESENTATION**

Balance as at 01.01.2012	711		
School Team Officials	2000	School Team Officials	1901
E07: 2009 Southern Arrows travel	2000		
		<i>Balance as at 31.12.2012</i>	<b>2810</b>

### **SCHOOLS' MAPPING FUND**

Update School Champs map 101  
*Balance as at 31.12.2012* **1804**

### **SAJOS**

*Balance as at 31.12.2012* **2432**

### **SA REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS**

#### *SA Schools Team*

Balance as at 01.01.2012	278		
O_SA Team Travel Grant	1035	Travel fund distribution	1103
Misc donations	488		
		<i>Balance as at 31.12.2012</i>	<b>698</b>

#### *Southern Arrows*

Balance as at 01.01.2012	3753	9x 2013 Oceania Champs entries	2111
OA: 2011/2012 NOL distribution	1900	NZ accommodation	1761
2012 Calendars	1220	2012 Calendars	678
Snap Sprint Series	1233	Snap Sprint Series	414
J&NC events (2)	715	J&NC events	118
SA Club Relays	991	SA Club Relays	179
Drink sales	126		
O_SA Elites Travel Grant	355		
		<i>Balance as at 31.12.2012</i>	<b>5032</b>

#### *Sue Millard Memorial Fund*

*Balance as at 31.12.2012* **1010**

## **LISTS OF ASSETS as at 31 December 2012**

**ACCOUNTS OUTSTANDING** at 31 December 2012 **\$5,848**

**LIST OF ASSETS** as at 31.12.2012 (*cont'd*)

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

10 Registration/Control cards (held by Treasurer: 13c ea. to Clubs)  
 1100 Control cards, plastic-coated (held by Treasurer: 35c ea. to Clubs)  
 100 SI Registration cards (held by Treasurer: 12c ea. to Clubs)  
 11 SPORTident cards (8 SI card 9 @\$55 each; 3 SI card 5 @\$45 each) (held by R. Uppill)  
 60 Pens-purple map-marking (held by Treasurer)  
 Clothing: 5 hats (held by Treasurer)  
 Maps (held by OHOC Map Curator): Broken Hill various & Nuriootpa Sprint  
 Book: *50 GoldenYears* (editors) J.Lyon & J.Williams (\$19.80 or \$25 incl P/H; held by Treasurer)

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
Wireless Router - D-Link 802.11g/2.4 Ghz	2007	100
HP Deskjet D2460 Printer	2008	115
MS Optical wheel mouse	2001	55
Surecom 5 Port N-Way Switch	2001	115
SODIMM 128 Mb 3.3V*s RAM	2001	115
Control stations: 107 BSF7 units	2002/08	20987
Master stations: 3 USB units	2002/04	450
Therma printer set 2	2002	1676
Digital results printer	2010	590
5 Carrying belts	2002	350
89 SPORTident cards (for hire)	2002	2788
Digital Projector ACER X1260 (Secretary)	2009	1099
MIPRO MA707 Portable PA System (6 pcs maintained by Treasurer)	2010	1967
HP Laserjet P1005 Printer (Secretary)	2008	143
CB Radio Hook-up (R.Larsson)		
Clocks custom made by N.Smith (held by TT)/Blue Clocks (held by YA)		
Digital clocks (held by R.Larsson)/EMIT digital clock (held by Adrian Uppill)		
4 Heart Rate Monitors Polar Accurex Plus, & interface (T.Hillyard)	1999/03	1325
2x 320 gb pocket HDD for electronic document storage (Secretary)	2010	135
3 Heat Sealers (SAO Editor, (SAH), A Uppill)	?/07/2010	230
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;		
Shade canopy & bag: representative teams (J Fuller)	2008	948
2 Flags & stands (Park & Street, SA) (held by Uppills)	2004	920
Signs:20 various -Toilets, Creche, Buses (held with TT/metro. clubs' equipment)	1997	289
Coaching program equipment: table, first aid, signs (Coaching Coord)	2006	240
'Welcome to Orienteering' sign (held with Coaching equipment)	2000	76
Summer Series equipment (held by A.Uppill/OHOC)	2004	150
Southern Arrows equipment: mini-controls (John Nicuwenhoven)	2011	134
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)		
Badges [Participation: 20, State Team: 24, Orienteering bars: 45] (SAH Office)		
Trophies [24 OY glasses] (SAH Office); 10 <i>Sue Millard</i> individual (Treasurer)		
Trophies: <i>Brian Wale, John Williams</i> , 4x Schools' Relay (SA Schools Champs winners).		

**FOR INFORMATION**

OASA Policies & Guidelines (Tech Coord + each Club/Exec: updates from Secretary)  
 Posters, leaflets, brochures, programs (SAH Office: Secretary), videos (Schools Coord).

*For further information consult the website:*

[www.sa.orienteering.asn.au](http://www.sa.orienteering.asn.au)



## TECHNICAL REPORT 2011

During 2012, the position of technical officer was held by Jenny Casanova, with Adrian Uppill as mapping coordinator, and IT support from Robin Uppill and Ken Thompson, particularly with event pre-entry.

Robin and Ken are to be commended for their hard work in keeping the Orienteering SA website up to date and more recently with implementing Eventor, the system which Orienteering Australia has bought from Sweden and which is to be used for pre-entry events and online membership from 2013 onwards.

Thanks to all South Australians who controlled events during 2012 on behalf of Orienteering SA and Orienteering Australia. Orienteering SA is very appreciative of the efforts expended by these people in the pursuit of orienteering excellence. There were a number of remote races requiring extensive controller commitment and some particularly challenging circumstances with the National Orienteering League races in the Top End.

- **Orienteering SA controllers who controlled events in 2012 – thanks ☺**
  - Lady Alice badge event (TT) May 20<sup>th</sup> – Rob Hillyard
  - SA sprint championships (TJ) Tangari May 27<sup>th</sup> – Jenny Casanova
    - Manawarra badge event (OH) June 10<sup>th</sup> – Bob Smith
  - SA middle distance champs (WA) Manawarra June 11<sup>th</sup> - Peter Mayer
  - SA Schools Championships (TJ) Wilfred Taylor Reserve Aug 6<sup>th</sup> – Fi Pahor
  - NT NOL sprint Charles Darwin University Aug 10<sup>th</sup> – Jenny Casanova
    - NT NOL night Lok Cabay Aug 11<sup>th</sup> – Adrian Uppill
    - NT NOL long Lok Cabay Aug 12<sup>th</sup> – Adrian Uppill
  - Club relays (Arrows) Rocky Paddock Aug 26<sup>th</sup> – Phil Hazell
  - SA long championships (YA) Barossa Range Sept 9<sup>th</sup> – John Lyon

Top End Orienteers are to be commended for their hard work in hosting the August series of National Orienteering League races, including an inaugural night NOL race. Feedback from competitors was overwhelmingly positive and reflects the effort put in, particularly by Lachlan Hallett, Susanne Casanova and Zoe Radford.

Nearly all of Orienteering SA's registered level 2 and 3 controllers have controlled at least one event in the last 2 years, and most of them are also planning and/or otherwise involved in organising events for their clubs throughout the year, so their dedication is much appreciated. Good communication and teamwork between controllers, course planners, organisers and all members of individual task teams contributed to the success of these events. All 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, and that they can seek advice from the technical officer at any time.

The number of currently accredited Orienteering SA controllers has not changed from 2010.

A level 1 controllers' workshop was held in November to make use of the Rural and Remote Scholarship funding available from the Australian Sports Commission. 11 people attended including two from Saltbush Orienteers (Whyalla), one from Lincoln Orienteers and two from Top End Orienteers (Darwin). These will be accredited once they have submitted evidence of having completed their Officiating General Principles online and completed relevant assessment tasks.

A level 2 workshop may be held in 2013 if there is enough interest, and could potentially include controllers from other states.

SA MTBO championships will be an Orienteer of the Year event from 2013 onwards, with the same age classes and requirements as the Night Championships.

The 2012 SA Schools' Championships successfully used a simpler park-course format and Sport Ident electronic timing (with P-cards).

The course-class proformas downloadable from the OSA website should be used as guidance by all course planners for all orienteering events, and course planners for Orienteer of the Year, Championship and Badge events are reminded to follow these specifications as closely as possible. A course planning workshop is unlikely to be held before late 2013/early 2014.

Orienteering Australia has now released the 2013 version of the Competition Rules. Changes made in 2012 include that minimum size of control numbering has been reduced to 3cm. This makes it imperative that all traces of past different numbering are removed from the SI unit and control stand to avoid confusion.

A new Technical Officer for Orienteering SA will be required at the 2013 AGM, since Jenny Casanova is standing down after 8 years in order to fill the position of OA Technical Director, from which Robin Uppill is standing down after 3 years on the Orienteering Australia Board.

Robin will in turn be taking on Technical Coordinator of the Easter 2015 Carnival, to be held in the Southern Flinders Ranges and for which Rob Tucker is Carnival Coordinator and Jan Hillyard Carnival Secretary.

**Jenny Casanova** Technical Officer

## **NEWSLETTER REPORT 2011**

2012 is over. Four editions produced (mostly on time with the odd scramble to get sent out). A total of 191 pages. Approximately 47, 750 words. Perhaps 160 photos. 12 pizzas, uncountable cups of tea (and the odd other beverage to add variety), hours in front of a computer screen, one bottle of eye drops (for the tired eyes)

None of this could be accomplished without your contributions which have combined with our editorial talents to produce the SA Orienteer four time this year.

Thank you for the opportunity to produce this magazine. We hope you have enjoyed the read as much as we have putting it together.

**Robyn Dose & Erica Diment** Editors

## **COACHING REPORT 2012**

### **Structure**

During 2012 the structure of coaching in Orienteering SA was:

1. Coaching Coordinator and Deputy Coaching Coordinator; Adrian Craig and John Lyon respectively.
2. Southern Darts nee Sub-junior Squad.
3. Junior Arrows nee Junior Squad.
4. Schools' Team.
5. Midweek Training.

### **Coaching Coordinator**

During the year the normal tasks were performed with the variations of:

1. The Deputy Coaching Coordinator deputizing for the Coaching Coordinator as required.
2. The conduct of a Coaches' Workshop after the AGM where the coaches had a good exchange of views which were later implemented in training.

The Coaching Coordinator coordinated the conduct of Training Days at Kupto and Para Wirra in Feb, Chalks in Jun and Para Wirra in Sep 2012.

A Women's Coaching Day was conducted at Rocky Paddock on 21 Jul 2012.

This year saw the delegation of the provision of Duty Coaches passing to the clubs who had sufficient coaches to do so.

### **Southern Darts**

The squad's coaches were Coach Adrian Craig and Deputy Coach Erica Diment.

The squad trained throughout the year plus conducted the following Introduction to Orienteering Days/Camps with the assistance of other coaches:

1. Very Easy Courses Half Day on 5 Feb 2012.
2. Very Easy & Easy Courses Days during the school holidays on 18 Apr, 4 Jul & 4 Oct 2012.
3. Moderate Courses Camp the weekend 3 & 4 Nov 2012. These were all very valuable sources of recruits for our sport.

The squad conducted its inaugural camp at Mt Crawford on Sat 2 Jun 2012.

### **Junior Arrows**

The squad's Coach was Bridget Anderson and Manager was John Lyon.

The squad trained through to mid-year and then conducted its annual camp in the Burra area in July with the assistance of other coaches. At the end of the camp those selected moved on to the Schools' Team.

### **Schools' Team**

The Team's Coach was Bridget Anderson, Deputy Coach was Simon Uppill and Manager was Jane Fuller.

The Team trained before the Nationals and then competed as a team.

### **Midweek Training**

The coordinating coach for the Midweek Training continued to be Adrian Craig and he was greatly assisted by other coaches, trainee coaches and a coach undergoing renewal of accreditation. Training was conducted throughout the year on an essentially four weekly basis to benefit of many older orienteers.

### **Coaches**

This year we had the tragic death of one of our most experienced and popular coaches; John Williams. His loss is still being deeply felt.

We have a small number of coaches undergoing training for their accreditation but we need more young orienteers to volunteer to become a coach to replace our retiring coaches.

### **Thank You**

I would like to thank all the coaches who assisted Orienteering SA in 2012. Without their help we could not have conducted the coaching and training described above.

I will be stepping down as Coaching Coordinator at the 2013 AGM. I was first elected to that position in March 2000 and have continued in that role since then except for a few breaks. I would like to thank all those members of OASA and Orienteering SA who have assisted me over those years; I am a great believer in team organization and cooperation. I am willing to continue in a lesser role as Training Coordinator if Orienteering SA should wish me to do so.

**Adrian Craig** Coaching Coordinator

## SCHOOLS REPORT 2012

In my reports to Council and recent annual reports I have noted the difficulty of getting school groups to the Mid-Week Training Events. The reasons for this include the crowded curriculum, and priority given to core academic areas, and also the practical one of the cost to hire buses. Those competitors who are involved in orienteering at weekends with their parents or at least with access to these events dominate the Schools Championships and some others plainly find the navigation hard! It is therefore with a great deal of satisfaction that Orienteering SA Council endorsed my recommendation that from 2012 Courses for the respective age groups will be made easier, and the mapped areas used less navigationally challenging. SPORT Ident cards will be used for the first time which will enable pairs events to be included after an absence of many years (but not as a Championship Event).

The 2011 Schools Championships were run by Wallaringa at Shepherd's Hill Reserve and in the usual way were supported by many of the Orienteering Community from other Clubs. Jeffa Lyon again did all the key work with the Relays despite my best intentions to assist. A very successful day at Bonython Park, despite various site works and a contractor delivering a BBQ which was the common last control site only a short time before the event commenced!

Our extremely hard working Secretary, Ken Thompson has compiled a computer data base towards the end of 2011 which will assist communication to schools in the future. Our thanks to John and Jeffa Lyon, Adrian Craig and John Such who ran the School Warm Up Programme. Adrian together with Peter Mayer also assisted me to provide the annual ACHPER Sports Expos at Park 25 in November.

Finally thanks to the School Sport Unit, SSSSA and SAPSASA, for again generously providing the gold, silver and bronze medallions which are presented to the place getters in the A classes of the Schools Championships and which are so keenly sort by the competitors.

**David Tilbrook**, Schools Coordinator

## SOUTHERN ARROWS REPORT 2011

### *Sponsorship/Fundraising*

- Thanks to:
  - SNAP Printing Hilton – Continued support with all our events. Thanks Bob and the team.
  - Paddy Pallin – Support in particular with the 2012 SA Club Relay Championship, Thanks Dave, Luke and the team.
  - Southern Orienteering Supplies – Support in particular with the 2012 SA Club Relay Championship, thanks Robyn Stephen and family.
- Calendar: The 2012 Orienteering SA Calendar was an initiative primarily by Bridget Anderson. It was well received and monies raised have been used to support our NZ trip.

### *SNAP Sprint Series*

- This new series organised by the Southern Arrows included 5 consecutive weekly events set in complex urban terrain as sprint format races.
- The Series was held on Wednesday evenings towards the end of February and into March. This new concept of orienteering on a Wednesday evening was relatively well received but left some wishing it was still on a Friday night
- We had multiple contributors to prizes for the SNAP Sprint Series including Champs Sports in Blackwood.
- With lower numbers than expected we had a total of 180 entrants for the 5 events.

- Special thanks to Bridget Anderson for conceiving this series and making it happen.

## 2012 Club Relays

- 49 teams took part in the relay from all 5 metro clubs at Rocky Paddock
- Jenny Casanova was our course setter with Phil Hazell finding some level of control of the event.
- Thanks to Wallaringa for the use of the map, and to all the club secretaries for putting together the teams
- OH took the trophy just scraping in front of the ever competitive TT.
- Prizes this year were supplied by Paddy Pallin and Southern Orienteering Supplies.
- SNAP Printing were gracious enough to print the maps for us.

## Competition

- In 2012 we fielded teams at the following events:
  - NOL Round 1 Ballarat, VIC, March 10-11
  - NOL Round 2 Easter, QLD, April 6-9
  - NOL Round 3, Newcastle, NSW, May 12-13
  - NOL Round 5, Aust. Champs. TAS, September 22-30

NOTE: The 2012 NOL Results were not available at time of print.

- National Representation:
  - Simon Uppill – World Orienteering Championships, National Senior Squad, High Performance Group, World Cup
  - Vanessa Round – World Orienteering Championships, National Senior Squad, High Performance Group, World Cup
  - Olivia Sprod – National Junior Squad
  - Susanne Casanova – World Orienteering Championships, National Senior Squad, World Cup
  - Bridget Anderson – World Orienteering Championships, World University Games, World Cup
  - Lauren Gillis – World University Games, World Cup

## Thanks

- Thank you to all those athletes that have given their time to train and compete, even when they didn't desire the idea. The athletes that contributed to the Squad in 2012, by competing in either Senior or Junior Elites were: Simon Uppill, Lauren Gillis, Kerrin Rattray, Ben Rattray, Lachlan Hallett, Greg Morcom, John Nieuwenhoven, Andrew Mogridge, Tyson Hillyard, Fern Tomas, Susanne Casanova, Jenny Casanova, Olivia Sprod, Sally Young and Mel Fuller. Some of these people don't even know they contributed.
- Thanks go to everyone who supported the Southern Arrows in 2012.

Tyson Hillyard  
Manager



Tyson Hillyard  
Manager, Southern Arrows

## MOUNTAIN BIKE ORIENTEERING REPORT 2012

Annual reports (of all hues) generally present a more positive and optimistic view than is fully supported by facts. However, it's not a strategy I feel like employing for the 2012 MTBO report. Instead I am going to err on the side of pessimism and declare that the 2012 season was not a good one for MTBO in SA.

Part of the problem was that we didn't really have a 'season' or not a coherent one. The first event was held in mid March and then there was a break of a month and a half before the next event in May. Unfortunately the May event clashed with the Australian Rogaining Championships which were held here in SA and as a good number of regular MTBOers chose the Rogaine the entry for the MTBO meant it was pretty much a non-event. Another wait followed until the 23rd of June when the not-strictly-speaking-an-MTBO Cyclogaine was run. In turn there was another lengthy wait before the Kersbrook MTBO. The season finished some two months after this with events on consecutive weekends.

Apart from accommodating other events (O and otherwise) the schedule was lacking in any reason or regularity. In part this probably explains the poor entries at MTBOs. The best entry was for the State Champs (37) and average over the 5 MTBOs was a rather dispiriting 22.

This is a pity because the MTBOs were all well run with good course setting etc and those who did ride enjoyed their MTBOing. However, there is no denying that as a sport we are currently barely viable and that we need to either get lucky or change something. The 2013 calendar suggests that we are relying on getting lucky - and perhaps we will - but if 2013 replicates the 2012 experience then we really do need to think hard about changing what we are doing.

I'm probably being overly dramatic and pessimistic in making such a declaration. We do have genuine enthusiasm for the sport and a great deal of experience running MTBOs successfully and that provides some sunshine for this otherwise gloomy report.

My thanks for all those involved in MTBO in 2012 - organisers, helpers, participants and hangers on.

**Bruce Greenhalgh**  
MTBO Coordinator

## SOUTH AUSTRALIAN AWARDS

### John Hall Memorial service Award

The 2012 John Hall Memorial Service Award for services to orienteering in South Australia was awarded to Paul Hoopmann

### Orienteer of the Year

Awarded on the basis of a club members' 6 best performances in designated OY events throughout the year, for orienteers aged over 14 years. A minimum of four events are needed to be eligible. Our thanks to Regina Rueter for calculating the results.

M16A	Will Kennedy	W16A	Sally Young
M20A		W20A	Melanie Fuller
M21A	Simon Uppill	W21A	Jenny Casanova
M21AS	Jason Nicolson	W21AS	Shannon Nicolson
MOB		WOB	Carol Such
M35A		W35A	
M45A	Steve Cooper	W45A	Robin Uppill
M45AS	Trevor Diment	W45AS	Teri McComb

M55A	Adrian Uppill	W55A	Ruth Nicolson
M65A	Bob Smith	W65A	Jennie Bourne
M75A	George Reeves	W75A	Jeffa Lyon

## Sue Millard Perpetual Trophy

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

Junior Female: Mel Fuller

Junior Male: William Kennedy

## Junior Participation Badges

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

Dante Afnan (YA)  
 Remi Afnan (YA)  
 Oscar Bertei (TE)  
 Jasmine Bevelander (TJ)  
 Olivia Bevelander (TJ)  
 Charlotte Brader (TT)  
 Zoe Carter (TJ)  
 Toby Casalotto (TJ)  
 Molly Egerton (OH)  
 Cameron Forbes (LI)  
 Jack Haritos (TE)  
 Lachlan McArthy (OH)  
 Zali Munday (SB)  
 Zoe Pastrello (TJ)  
 Ana Penck (YA)  
 Ethan Penck (YA)  
 Justin Shao (WA)  
 Leith Soden (OH)  
 Nicholas Tremblay (TE)  
 Leilani Wilton-Harding (WA)

Recommended: Nicolas Congedi, Fred Klein, Mares family, Seb Baker, Alexander Vandelloo, Sarah Lim, Lucas Woodrow, Emily Sorenson.

## SASI Scholarships

These scholarships were funded by the South Australian Sports Institute (SASI)

**Talented Athlete Award:** 2011/2012 none awarded  
 2012/2013 none awarded

**High Performance:** 2011/2012 none awarded  
 2012/2013 none awarded

Please note: There were no applications. Please consider applying if eligible.

## State Selectors

Chair: Bridget Anderson Selectors: Peter Mayer, Jeffa Lyon & Craig Colwell

## SA INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATION

### Australian Team for Junior World Orienteering Championships in Slovakia

No Orienteering SA orienteers were selected for the squad.

## **World University Championships in Spain**

Congratulations to Lauren Gilles and Bridget Anderson who were part of the Australian team. Lauren came outright 13<sup>th</sup> in the sprint. Bridget Anderson came 30<sup>th</sup> in the same race.

## **Australian Team for World MTBO Championships in Hungary**

No South Australians were selected for the team.

## **Participation in World Masters Games in Germany**

No South Australians participated.

## **Australian Team for World Orienteering Championships in Switzerland**

Congratulations to Vanessa Round, Simon Uppill, Bridget Anderson and Susanne Casanova who was selected to be in the Australian Orienteering Team. Vanessa came 31<sup>st</sup> in the middle distance race.

## **SA ORIENTEERS RESULTS**

### ***South Australian Long Distance Championships: Barossa Range***

W10	Talari Frances	M10	Ethan Penck
W12A	Zoe Cartwe	M12A	Dante Afnan
W12B		M12B	
W14A	Molly Egerton	M14A	Nicolas Congedi
W14B		M14B	
W16A	Sally Young	M16A	
W16B		M16B	
W17-20A	Olivia Sprod	M17-20A	
W21A	Lauren Gilles	M21A	Simon Uppill
W21AS	Shannon Nicolson	M21AS	Jason Nicolson
WOpenB	Carol Such	MOpenB	Rob Hillyard
W35A	Zara Soden	M35A	Greg Morcom
W45A	Robin Uppill	M45A	Stephen Dose
W45AS	Teri McComb	M45AS	Trevor Diment
W45B	Sue Bament	M45B	
W55A	Alison Radford	M55A	Adrian Uppill
W55+AS	Marian Arthur	M55+AS	Clive Arthur
W65A	Libby Meeking	M65A	Robert Tucker
W75A	Robyn Cutten	M75A	Peter Cutten

### ***South Australian Middle Distance Championships: Manawarra***

W10	Sophie Arthur	M10	Torren Arthur
W12A		M12A	Dante Afnan
W12B		M12B	
W14A		M14A	
W14B		M14B	
W16A	Sally Young	M16A	Will Kennedy
W16B		M16B	
W17-20A		M17-20A	Bryn McComb
W21A	Jenny Casanova	M21A	Simon Uppill
WOpenB	Paula Ashforth	MOpenB	Andrew Kennedy
W35A	Anne Arthurl	M35A	Steve Cooper
W45A	Robin Uppill	M45A	Steve Cooper
W55A	Julie Flynn	M55A	Adrian Uppill
W65A	Jennie Bourne	M65A	Rob Tucker
W75A	Robyn Cutten	M75A	John Lyon



### ***South Australian Sprint Championships: Shepherds Hill***

W10		M10	
W12A		M12A	Dante Afnan
W14A		M14A	
W16A	Mel Fuller	M16A	Will Kennedy
W17-20A	Melanie Fuller	M17-20A	Luke Hazell
W21A	Bridget Anderson	M21A	Simon Uppill
W35A	Robin Uppill	M35A	Lee Merchant
W45A	Erica Diment	M45A	Ruhi Afnan
W55A	Ruth Nicolson	M55A	Adrian Uppill
W65A	Jennie Bourne	M65A	Robert Smith

### ***South Australian Night Championships: Rawnsley Park***

W10		M10	
W12A		M12A	Alexander van de Loo
W14A		M14A	
W16A	Sally Young	M16A	Will Kennedy
W17-20A		M17-20A	Bryn McComb
W21A	Bridget Anderson	M21A	Simon Uppill
W21AS	Fern Tomas	M21AS	Andrew Slattery
W35A		M35A	
W45AS	Wendy Deegan	M45AS	Trevor Diment
W45A	Robin Uppill	M45A	Craig Colwell
W55A	Julie Flynn	M55A	Paul Hoopmann
W65A	Jennie Bourne	M65A	Peter Mayer
WOB		MOB	

### ***South Australian MTBO Long Distance Championships: Mt Crawford Goldfields***

W-14A		M-14A	
W-16A		M-16A	Thomas Jacquier
W21A		M21A	Tom Goddard
W40A	Monique Blason	M40A	Paul Master
W50A	Anthea Williams	M50A	Lee Merchant
W60A	Sue Merchant	M60A	Paul Hoopmann
WOB	Jenny Casanova	MOB	Andrew Kennedy

### **National Events**

#### **National Senior Squad**

Men: Simon Uppill

Women: Bridget Anderson, Susanne Casanova and Vanessa Round

#### **High Performance Group**

Men: Simon Uppill

Women: Vanessa Round

#### **National Junior Squad**

Boys: nil

Girls: Olivia Sprod

#### **National O League: Southern Arrows**

##### **Seniors**

Women 3<sup>rd</sup>

Men 4<sup>th</sup> (not confirmed at time of printing)

Individual Men's Series within top 10: Data not available at time of printing

**Australian 3-Days :**

W21E	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Susanne Casanova	M21E	1 <sup>st</sup>	Simon Uppill
W21E	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Vanessa Round	W35AS	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Susi Bertei
W55A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Robin Uppill	M60A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Adrian Uppill
M75A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Lyon	WOB	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Julianne Giffard

**Australian Schools Championships :**

Senior Girls Relay                      1<sup>st</sup>                      Mel Fuller, Sally Young, Olivia Sprod

**Australian Long Distance Championships:**

M21A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Rory McComb
M40A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Greg Morcom
M21AS	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tyson Hillyard
M60A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Paul Hoopmann
W55A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Robin Uppill
M75A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	John Lyon
W45AS	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Teri McComb
WOMod	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jane Fuller

**Australian Middle Distance Championships :**

M21A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rory McComb
M20A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bryn McComb
M40A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Greg Morcom
W21A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Fern Tomas
M60A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Adrian Uppill
W55A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Robin Uppill
W70A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Helen Smith
WOMod	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jane Fuller

**Australian Sprint Distance Championships:**

M40A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Greg Morcom
M21A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rory McComb
M16A	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Will Kennedy
W55A	1 <sup>st</sup>	Robin Uppill
M75A	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Lyon
MOpen	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Rob Hillyard
WOpen	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jane Fuller

**Australian Relay Championships**

There were no Orienteering SA placegetters

**Australian MTBO Long Distance Championships :**

There were no Orienteering SA placegetters

**Australian MTBO Middle Distance Championships:**

There were no Orienteering SA placegetters

**Australian MTBO Sprint Distance Championships:**

There were no Orienteering SA placegetters

Date	Event name	Location	Entries	Date	Event name	Location	Entries
<i>Metropolitan Clubs' Programmes</i>				<i>Metropolitan Clubs' Programmes</i>			
<i>be active Summer Series</i>				<b>Main 'Sunday am' Programme</b>			
06-Jan-12	Friday evening	Craigburn Parks	78	26-Aug-12	SA Club Relays	Rocky Paddock	101
13-Jan-12		Henley	87	01-Sep-12		J&NC Springfield	58
20-Jan-12		Beaumont	87	09-Sep-12	SA Long Distance Champs	Barossa Range	98
27-Jan-12		West Lakes	64	17-Sep-12	SA Schools Relays	Athelstone	143
03-Feb-12		Panorama	81	13-Oct-12		Night Mt Pleasant	28
10-Feb-12		Dry Creek	61	14-Oct-12		Foot/MTBO Mt Pleasant	52
17-Feb-12		Belair-Glenalta	83	21-Oct-12	SA Long MTBO Champs	Three Chain Break	37
30-Nov-12		SE Parklands	58	<i>Country Clubs' Programmes</i>			
07-Dec-12		Hackney West	49	02-Feb-12		LI Marina	21
14-Dec-12		Hawthornedene	66	24-Feb-12		Kirton Point	20
<b>Snap Sprint Series</b>				16-Mar-12		Lincoln West	26
15-Feb-12	Wednesday evening	Adelaide University	46	30-Mar-12		Lincoln South	22
22-Feb-12		Waite Arboretum	63	29-Apr-12		Boston Island	61
29-Feb-12		Mawson Lakes	25	19-May-12		Pt Lincoln Golf Club	44
07-Mar-12		Lochiel Park	35	03-Jun-12		Pinjetta	25
14-Mar-12		Belair National Park	36	24-Jun-12		Sandmine	46
<b>Main 'Sunday am' Programme</b>				22-Jul-12		Mena View	43
17-Mar-12		mtbo Mt Pleasant	13	05-Aug-12		Wanna	23
18-Mar-12	ASC Junior & Newcomer Seri	Flinders Uni	65	19-Aug-12		Louth Bay	30
25-Mar-12		OY Pewsey Vale	68	25-Aug-12		EP Relays Donington	36
31-Mar-12		J&NC North Adelaide Parklan	15	26-Aug-12		EP Champs Donington	33
01-Apr-12		OY Blood n Thunder	89	09-Sep-12		Puckridge Park	20
22-Apr-12		score Blackwood Hills	108			SB	
28-Apr-12		J&NC Felixtow	20	18-Mar-12		Whyalla	16
29-Apr-12		J&NC Belair National Park	127	01-Apr-12		Cheeseboard Hill	22
05-May-12		J&NC Wadmore Park	30	22-Apr-12		Cooyerdoo	24
06-May-12		J&NC O'Halloran Hill	29	13-May-12		Cook North	22
		mtbo	3	03-Jun-12		Cockatoo Creek	23
12-May-12		J&NC Frank Smith Park	29	24-Jun-12		Roopena Hills	19
13-May-12		J&NC Athelstone North	31	15-Jul-12		Moonahie Ridge	29
19-May-12		J&NC Blackwood Park	32	05-Aug-12		Pichi Richi	22
20-May-12	Badge	Lady Alice Goldfields	119	16-Sep-12		Tank Hill	24
26-May-12		J&NC R Torrens at Athelstone	21	14-Oct-12		Whyalla East	15
27-May-12	SA Sprint Champs	Little Shepherd	74			TE	
02-Jun-12		J&NC Flagstaff Hill	36	26-Jan-12		Botanic Gardens	-
09-Jun-12	SA Night Champs	Rawnsley Park	69	12-Feb-12		Jingili	72
10-Jun-12	Badge	Mannawara	100	04-Mar-12		Cullen Bay	86
11-Jun-12	SA Middle Distance Champs	Mannawara	103	25-Mar-12		Nightcliff	66
16-Jun-12		J&NC St Peters River Park	26	22-Apr-12		Durack	56
17-Jun-12		J&NC Shepherds Hill	97	06-May-12		East Point	65
23-Jun-12		J&NC Laratinga Mt Barker	29	27-May-12		Charles Darwin NP	78
24-Jun-12		J&NC North Adelaide	38	17-Jun-12		Casuarina Beach	57
30-Jun-02		J&NC SE Parklands	31	08-Jul-12		Coomalie	20
01-Jul-12		Kuitpo	69	10-Aug-12	NT Sprint Champs	East Point	65
14-Jul-12		Twigham	70	11-Aug-12		Score Batchelor	19
15-Jul-12		OY Twigham	74	11-Aug-12	NT Night Champs	Batchelor	67
22-Jul-12		OY Mack Creek	109	12-Aug-12	NT Long Champs	Batchelor	76
05-Aug-12		Marne Rocks	74	16-Sep-12		Mindil Beach	52
06-Aug-12	SA Schools Individual Champs	S Parklands	357	14-Oct-12		Holmes Jungle	57
10-Aug-12	NOL Round 4: NOL Sprint	Darwin	44	08-Nov-12	Wet Season Special Series	urban/park	52
11-Aug-12	NOL Night	Batchelor	43	15-Nov-12		ditto	48
12-Aug-12	NOL Long Distance	Batchelor	40	22-Nov-12		ditto	45
12-Aug-12		mtbo Kersbrook	26	29-Nov-12		ditto	39
19-Aug-12		OY Rock Oyster	87	06-Dec-12		ditto	43