

OFF THE SCOREBOARD

Editorial

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Newsletter Editor

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FIBA Oceania Youth Championship

The FIBA Oceania Youth Tournament was held the last week of November at Churchill in the lovely Latrobe Valley. It involved Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Tahiti, New Caledonia, Fiji, and Guam, Men's and Women's teams.

Each team brought along a referee. All were under 25 years.

It was a big learning curve for all players and referees who had never had to work with a Scoretable. Some referees had to be encouraged with their signals.

With 15 minutes to go to the start of the first game, there was a discussion about Technical Commissioners. The result was that position was left for Scoretable to fill.

I want to thank Avis Scullin, Ian Collings, Ian Hart, Daniel Nancarrow and others who stepped in to help in this position.

We had 22 Scorers and 2 Scoretable Coaches to fill 48 games or 240 positions over the very long, very hot week. Some travelled back and forth from their homes daily.

They came from all over Victoria, including Wangaratta, Bendigo, Morwell, Traralgon, Warragul, Pakenham, Frankston, Greensborough, Wantirna, Seaford, Templestowe, Moe, Edithvale, etc.

Being able to see the temperature in a basketball court is not always beneficial—no one liked seeing 39C on the display day after day.

They brought in large fans because some of the island teams complained about the heat—then Samoa complained it was too cool.

The Scoretable sat and worked in oppressive conditions and were a credit to the VBSA.

A big thank you, to Gayle Buhagier, Faye McLachlan and Jill Lay, for opening their homes to billet people for the week. It was very much appreciated.

Congratulations to our new Level 4 scorers: Glenis Waters, Joan O'Shea, Daniel Nanscarrow, Faye McLachlan, Jill Lay, Gabrielle Hore, Sue Dixon, Dianne Cavedon, Karen Carmody, Gayle Buhagier, David Booth and Sharon Baker.

Congratulations to Daryl Lynch, Megan Walther, Ian Hart and Melissa Duguid on becoming fully evaluated at Level 4.

A big thank you to Sandra Howorth, Mary Hutchins, Marilyn Benson, Leah Collings, Ian Collings and my favourite coach Avis Scullin for all their hard work and support during the week.

Everyone was friendly and I hope had a great time through the heat, laughter and lack of sleep.

I really appreciated the level of professionalism and dedication shown. Some went above and beyond to help me through the week and for that I thank you.

Well done VBSA scorers—you were magnificent!

Pat Collings

Big V Tournament—2013

Well, the Big V Tournament has been successfully run for another year!

It was great to see the tournament back at Frankston with games also being conducted at the three courts at Patterson River Secondary College in Seaford and two courts at Elisabeth Murdoch Secondary College in Langwarrin.

The format of the tournament changed this year with the introduction of the new Victorian Youth Championship Men and Women fixture. The first round of the VYC fixture was held at Frankston stadium across the Saturday and Sunday—eight games per day.

The number of scorers prepared to assist with at the tournament was less than hoped for and only 30 dedicated scorers were available to look after 63 Tournament games and eight fully timed and staffed (four per bench) Victorian Youth Championship games. Most of the scorers who made themselves available were certainly over-worked in somewhat oppressive conditions as the weekend was very warm (most would say damned hot!).

On Sunday, the overall number of games were less, but the number of scorers required was greater as each tournament semi-finals game had three scorers per bench. There were 28 scorers available for the Sunday so again, over-worked in oppressive conditions. There were also another eight VYC games to staff. An interesting turn of events was introduced with four additional games programmed at short notice (information received on Sunday morning) for the Langwarrin complex. The preparedness and flexibility of our scorers is truly amazing as all scorers that I asked to assist with the change in the fixture were happy to accommodate the request so that all games were successfully covered.

The same group of stalwarts fronted again on Monday for the tournament finals games.

It was quite an interesting learning experience for me personally and I am very thankful to all the scorers who volunteered their time and expertise to make sure the tournament ran smoothly from the scorebench point of view.

Douglas McRae

Test Your Rules Knowledge!

Look up the answer and Article number to each of the following questions:

1. A foul is called on Red 6. This allows Blue 4 two free throws. As Blue 4 prepares to take his free throws he remonstrates with Red 6. A Technical foul is called on Blue 4. This is his fifth foul, what happens to his free throws?
2. Blue 4 is called for a 3 second violation. The throw in from the end line hits the trail official who is on the playing surface, then bounces on the playing surface. When does the clock start?
3. As the horn sounds to end the first period, Blue 4 commits an unsportsmanlike foul on Red 5. The possession arrow favours Team Blue. Shall the second period begin with a Team Blue throw in according to the alternating possession process?

New Uniform Requirements

A reminder that all VBSA members who commenced in 2012 or earlier have had over 18 months to replace their old uniform with the new uniform.

All scorebench personnel are required to be wearing the new uniform as from the commencement of the 2013 season—which is now!

All orders currently being received will still require up to 28 days to process—please do not put our volunteer Committee members under undue pressure to process late orders in an attempt to have a new uniform for the commencement of the 2013 season—they are doing their very best!

*G. Jamieson
Treasurer*

Scoretable History with Avis Scullin

SCORE SHEET FROM 1995

With thanks to Trevor Nanscawen, a look at the FIBA score sheet from 1995. The CVIBL was the Country Victoria Invitation Basketball League.

The middle column is used for the minute time of the score. The brackets are for free throws. We recorded the missed free throws.

The fouls were recorded with the minute it took place. 12 minute quarters, 11.36 on the clock, the time of the foul was 1'.

Notice the change of columns for each quarter.

If you want further info on this score sheet find someone who was around at that time. There are still a few of us!



MATCH DETAILS Nth MELBOURNE v ADELAIDE VENUE _____ DATE 11 AUG 95

TEAM A <u>Nth MELBOURNE</u>		TIME OUT	
TEAM FOULS	QTR 1	8	8
	QTR 2	4	7
	QTR 3	4	11
	QTR 4	4	7
TOTAL		20	37
NAMES OF PLAYERS		POINTS	FOULS
MARK LEACH	X	4	11
STEPHEN MORRIS		5	5
LARRY SPENCER	X	7	11
CHAS JONES	⊗	9	7
DANNY MORGAN	⊗	10	6
MARK SIMONIAN	X	13	9
ROD JENNISON	⊗	20	6
DANNY PEARCE	X	21	2
AVE REED	⊗	22	4
PAUL REED	⊗	53	11
Brett Brown			

TEAM B <u>ADELAIDE</u>		TIME OUT	
TEAM FOULS	QTR 1	3	3
	QTR 2	5	5
	QTR 3	4	4
	QTR 4	4	4
TOTAL		16	16
NAMES OF PLAYERS		POINTS	FOULS
CHAS BEAGMONT	X	0	8
JO JO ENGLISH	⊗	4	9
BILLY MATHIAS	⊗	5	11
SCOTT WILKINS	X	9	3
MICHAEL WILSON		10	
BRETT WILSON	⊗	13	1
TIM BILBOON	X	14	2
ROBERT ROSE	⊗	21	4
MARK DAVIS	⊗	33	3
MIKE DUNLAP			

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RUNNING SCORE												
FIRST QUARTER			SECOND QUARTER			THIRD QUARTER			FOURTH QUARTER			EXTRA PERIOD
A	M	B	A	M	B	B	M	A	B	M	A	M
53	2	1	35	2	2	56	X	25	57	X	24	
10	4	0	4	22	16	1	25	23	13	27	1	
52	6	2	35	21								
9	9	3	3	25	9	4	22	2				
22	11	4	12	37	3	5	23	3	23	21	3	
55	13	4	0			5	27	3				
7			9	40	4	31	29	4				
23	15	7	5			6	23	4	4	24	4	
20	17	5	20	45	6	7			21	24	5	
12	20	6	2	47	6	10	9	33	10	6		
48	22		7			11		4	10	7		
			13			12	23	5	5	10		
			53	31		5	25	6	7	53		
			8	47	13	7	24		8	54	22	
			53	53		4	4	22	22			
			15	4		11	7	7	5	10		
			12	25	15	9	51	4	4	23	9	
			9	7	25	53	4	21	21	15		
			20			58	22	20	10	28	53	
			26			20	55	4	5	9	53	
			9	55	11	4	25	53	4	17		
			7	22	16	57	13	4	27	9		
			22	4		58	9	27	24	18	12	
			4	30	24	15		20	11			
			37	33	11	60	21	22	21	9		
			10	30		5	20	12	5	10		
			5	21		59	X	20	57			
			22					20				
			12	25	13			57	X	24		
			7	25					5	20		
									11	9		
			35	X	30				11	9		

SCORE 1ST QUARTER A <u>35</u> B <u>30</u>	SCORE 3RD QUARTER A <u>35</u> B <u>27</u>	SCORE EXTRA PERIOD A _____ B _____	WINNING TEAM
SCORE 2ND QUARTER A <u>24</u> B <u>30</u>	SCORE 4TH QUARTER A _____ B _____	FINAL SCORE A _____ B _____	
SCOREKEEPER	BENCH CHAIRMAN	To be signed by Captain in case of protest	
TIMEKEEPER	REFEREE		
30' OPERATOR	LAMPRE		

Diary Dates ...

SEABL Season Opens
15 March 2013

NBL Finals
28—31 March
4—7 April
11—14 April
18—21 April

Australian U18 Championship
20—27 April 2013
Brisbane, QLD

VBSA Committee

Convenor: **Ian Collings**
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Note: Contact numbers for committee members are available on the *Members Only* area of the *VBSA website* at:

<http://www.vicscoretable.org.au>

Scorer of the Year—2012



Answers to last issue's questions

1. With 1:28 remaining in the last period Red 4 scores a field goal. The ball, after passing through the net strikes a player's foot and rolls to the opposite end of the court. The official sounds his whistle and goes to retrieve the ball. Red team requests a time-out. Shall the request be granted?
Yes—article 18.2.8
2. Blue 4 is assessed a second unsportsmanlike foul in the game. Is Blue 4 allowed to remain on the players' bench?
Yes—article 36.2.4
3. During a fight, substitutes Blue 10 and Blue 11 leave the team bench area to help restore order. Is this legal?
No—article 39.2.2

Uniform Reminder

All members are reminded that it is compulsory to wearing the new uniform as from the 1st January, 2013.

There is still plenty of time to order new uniform apparel before the Labour Day tournament which is only a few months away.

So don't forget to place an order if you haven't done so already!

We have plenty of uniform items in stock.

Raelene Dorning
Property Officer

The Committee had two nominations for this prestigious award and the submissions were of such a high standard that they were unable to separate them.

The outcome was to present two awards to:

David Booth (pictured left), and

Karen Carmody (unable to attend the AGM)

Congratulations to both these deserving award winners.

Uniform/Name Badge Order Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Mobile: _____

Association: _____ Registration No: _____

The garment measurements are for Half Chest. This measurement is done by laying the garment on a flat surface and measuring horizontally directly under the arm. To achieve the best fit, it is recommended that you measure an existing top and/or jacket (as required) to determine the best size for you. **The Committee will not accept responsibility for members ordering the incorrect size.**

Polo – Black, Short Sleeve, Orange Panel and Piping - \$35.00									
Size	S	M	L	XL	XXL	3XL	4XL	5XL	6XL
cm	51	55	57	59	61	63	65	67	69
Order Quantity									
Lined Jacket – Black Micro-Fibre, Orange Panel and Piping - \$110.00									
Allow extra size to go over uniform	S	M	L	XL	XXL	3XL	4XL	5XL	6XL
cm	53	56	61	66	71	76	80	84	88
Order Quantity									
Postage and Handling									
Polo:	\$7.20		Jacket:	\$11.40		Polo and Jacket:	\$11.40		

Name Badges – Standard \$8.50 / Deluxe \$18.80																			
Christian Name:																			
Surname:																			

This order form should be posted to: The Secretary, VBSA, P.O. Box 247, Blackburn, 3130
 All cheques should be made payable to: VBRA Scoretable Account. **Please allow 28 days for delivery.**
 Orders cannot be dispatched until cheques are cleared.
All prices correct as at 1 June 2012. All prices, including postage, are GST inclusive.