VICTORIAN RACE WALKING CLUB



ANNUAL REPORT

2008

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	LIFE MEMBERS		PRESIDENTS
1928	Frank O'Rourke *	1923-1925	Robert Croll *
1933	Alfred Robinson *	1925-1928	William Dickenson *
1933	Frank Byrne *	1928-1929	Rexx Merrick / Frank Byrne *
1933	William Billsborrow *	1929-1931	Frank Byrne *
1936	James McDonald *	1931-1937	Edward Drayton *
1938	Rupert Blackley *	1937-1941	Alfred Robinson *
1946	Edward Drayton *		
1948	Herbert Gardiner *	1946-1976	Alfred Robinson *
1948	Jack Larkin *	1976-1983	Raymond Smith
1955	James Gaylor *	1983 -	Harold Summers
1955	Norman Goble *		
1955	Fred O'Grady *		
1956	Frank McGuire		
1959	Charles Jacobson *		
1960	Jack Cummins *		
1961	Augustus Theobold *		
1964	Ralph Field *		
1964	George Knott *		
1971	Radcliffe Grace *		
1975	Elsie Jacobson *		
1978	Mabel Robinson *		
1983	Ray Smith		
1987	Robert Gardiner		
1987	Ronald Miller		
1990	Thomas Daintry *		
1990	Harold Summers		
1998	Alan Johnson		
2001	Mark Donahoo		
2005	Tim Erickson		
2007	Peter Vysma		

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	SECRETARIES		TREASURERS
1923-1924	Victor Dowling	1923-1926	Rex Merrick
1924-1925	Rex Merrick	1926-1928	Ern Fitzgerald
1925-1926	Frank O'Rourke	1928-1931	Jack Coffey
1926-1927	Rex Merrick / Fred O'Grady	1931-1936	Rupert Blackley
1927-1931	Alf Robinson	1936-1937	Rupert Blackley / Ian McDougall
1931-1932	Alf Robinson / Rupert Blackley	1937-1939	Ian McDougall
1932-1936	Rupert Blackley	1939-1940	Ben Blakey
1936-1937	Rupert Blackley / Ian McDougall	1940-1941	Clem Marshall / Rupert Blackley
1937-1940	Ian McDougall	1941	Douglas Murrell
1940-1941	Clem Marshall / Rupert Blackley		
1941	Douglas Murrell	1946-1947	Ben Blakey
		1947-1949	Alex Philpotts
1946-1947	Ben Blakey	1949-1950	Noel Bomford
1947-1949	Alex Philpotts	1950-1952	Vic Sharp
1949-1950	Noel Bomford	1952-1973	Norm Goble
1950-1952	Vic Sharp	1973-1982	Charles Jacobson
1952-1971	Norm Goble	1982-1983	Elsie Jacobson
1971-1974	Alan Lucas	1983-1990	Ray Smith
1974-1975	Bruce Thorne / Greg Ellis	1990-1994	Bob Gardiner
1975-1976	Greg Ellis	1994-1998	Tony Barrett
1976-1984	Alan Minter	1998-1999	Brian Glover
1984-1988	Doris Waters	1999-2007	Michael Bodey
1988-2000	Ron Miller	2008 -	Ralph Bennett
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This year has been a great year for walking and this club in particular. Our successes at the recent Olympic Games maintains our position as a leading country in racewalking and the most successful discipline in Australian Track and Field.

Our club continues to grow, with large fields of competitors and a healthy mix of supporters. We are fortunate to have great facilities available to us and have benefited from recent equipment grants from Parks Victoria.

I have been privileged to have been associated with Australian Teams over the years, having travelled with walking teams on 15 occasions and seen courses and facilities in many parts of the world, and I say with confidence that our facilities and courses are better than any I have seen.

We have a strong and active committee led by Tim, the epitome of secretaries, a team of world class qualified judges and the all important volunteers forming a recipe that guarantees success.

I thank you all for supporting our club and look forward to a bright future.

Harry Summers President, VRWC 1st November 2008

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Athletics in Victoria is alive and well. Like Athletics Victoria and the Victorian Little Athletics Association, our club has never been healthier. The trend of increasing club membership continued again this year as we hit an all time high of 187. Much of this increase is due to the work of the many coaches, both suburban and country, who bring new blood into our sport and who then point their aspiring walkers to our club. The following figures shows the upward membership trend over the last 8 years:

2001	120	2004	145	2007	179
2002	126	2005	138	2008	187
2003	146	2006	155		

This year, our membership was split between 172 competitive members and 15 non-competitive members who were in various categories – general supporters, officials and life members. A breakdown shows almost equal numbers of male and female walkers although we have more girls than boys in the younger age groups. This is balanced by a predominance of men over women in the masters age groups.

A number of these members are country based walkers who join us as a 'second claim' walking club and compete with us when they can. Luckily for us, not everyone races every week but, none the less, this year witnessed record weekly racing numbers, averaging around 70 and surged towards 100 on major championship days.

With the continuing strong income from large membership subscriptions and racing fees, the club was able to feed back significant amounts of money into its facilities and members. Amongst the many benefits delivered were

- \$250 grants to each of the three Junior club members (Jess Rothwell, Regan Lamble and Rhydian Cowley) who competed at the 2008 IAAF World Racewalking Cup
- \$776 distributed to members via the Club Teams Fund
- \$440 distributed to members via the Merrifield Award
- \$2838 in trophies and prizes (3 prize days were held during the winter season. On each day, the designated winners were able to choose from prize pools in the vicinity of \$200, sourced from donations and club funds.)

Apart from these big ticket items, other smaller matters were dealt with as required. Bob Gardiner remains the prime worker behind most of these small ticket initiatives and his expertise and generous donation of time and tools is much appreciated by us all.

Once again, our winter season was delayed due to the March scheduling of the Australian Motor Racing Grand Prix. This year we could not schedule our first races at Albert Park until Sunday 19 April and in 2009 we do not expect to start racing at our Albert Park headquarters until early May. We have learnt to live with this intrusion into our yearly calendar and consequently the winter season remains shorter than it used to be. This does have an impact on our finances.

I would like to acknowledge the Middle Park Bowling Club who are very supportive landlords. Their facilities are top knotch and give us a headquarters which is the envy of other clubs. I would also like to acknowledge Parks Victoria who allow us to use the service roads around Middle Park for our races. Like the Bowling Club, the Albert Park rangers are uniformly supportive and value us as park users.

We were lucky enough to be awarded an equipment grant this year from Parks Victoria and were able to invest in a new laser printer, 6 new equipment tables and a new equipment trolley. The total value of the grant was \$2770.

As usual, VRWC hosted a large number of championships at Albert Park. These included

- The 2007 Australian 50 km championships (Dec 2007)
- Three of the four days of the 2008 Athletics Victoria roadwalking championships (June-August 2008)
- The 2008 Athletics Victoria Schools roadwalking championships (June 2008)
- The 2008 Victorian Masters Association roadwalking championships (June and August 2008)
- Our own VRWC club championships (four sets in all)
- The 2008 Australian Roadwalking Championships and Second Federation Carnival (August 2008)

We also ran the 2008 Victorian Masters 5000m track championships for VMA in March 2008 and helped Athletics Australia run the Australian 20 km roadwalking championships at Fawkner Park in March 2008, providing equipment and manpower on both occasions.

This ongoing club support ensures that Victoria is the State of choice for major championships and gives our Victorian athletes ongoing access to major events.

We donated all takings from the RWA Interstate Challenge race day (12 July 2008) to Brain Tumour Research. What with race fees and donations and a top-up from the club, \$750 was forwarded to the Royal Melbourne Hospital Neuroscience Foundation. This fund raising initiative has now become a regular fixture item.

VRWC participated in all three Racewalking Australia Carnivals this year. In June, over 70 walkers travelled to Canberra for the biggest ever Lake Burley Griffin Carnival, with many of the walkers participatin in a second event to help the club in the teams competitions. Overall, we were the dominant club, taking a strong lead in the Brennen Shield and winning 5 individual golds and 6 team golds. We then backed up in July for the RWA Interstate Challenge and were once again the top point scoring club. Finally in August at the Second Federation event in Melbourne, we made the most of our home ground advantage, winning the Brennen Shield for the second year in a row and winning 7 of the 13 Teams events on offer. This reinforces our current status as the strongest walking club in Australia.

This Second Federation carnival was combined with the 2008 Australian Roadwalking Championships as a pilot and it proved a great success. Instead of two small events, each with less than 100 competitors, we had 230 entries and just over 200 walkers in attendance on the day. VRWC was the main organiser and it was no mean feat to put such a large carnival into place and execute it on the day. I am pleased to report that all went well.

Our Masters walkers led by example - we are privileged to have more than our fair share of champions in the club. A number of new World and Australian Masters Records were set during the year by Margaret, Andrew and Ralph.

Margaret Beaumont	W70	World Record	20 km	2:45:11
Andrew Jamieson	M60	World Record	30 km	2:29:46
		Australian Record	1500m	6:52.50
		Australian Record	20 km	1:35:38.9
Ralph Bennett	M65	Australian Record	1500m	7:30.84

We are also privileged to have as club members many of Australia's current top walkers, including open walkers Nathan Deakes, Jared Tallent, Chris Erickson, Tom Barnes, Duane Cousins, Kellie Wapshott and Megan Szirom and junior walkers Jess Rothwell, Regan Lamble and Rhydian Cowley.

Nine of the 17 walkers selected for the 1008 IAAF Racewalking World Cup were Victorians – Nathan, Jared, Duane, Chris, Kellie, Megan, Jess, Regan and Rhydian. Jess also competed in the World Junior Championships while Jared, Chris and Kellie competed in the Olympics. Nathan had also been selected in the Olympic team but was a late scratching. The valiant efforts of out top walkers is discussed later in the report.

These elite club members are backed up by a large pool of talented youngsters who will hopefully provide the next generation of champions. Our challenge is to provide a nurturing environment in which they can continue to develop and hone their walking skills until they are ready to take over the mantle.

And, of course, there are the many club members who race for the love of the sport and to maintain their health and well being in a constructive and enjoyable way. All are vitally important to the club.

Speaking of this last group of walkers, we experimented this winter with an additional way of judging – 'Club Rules'. This proved successful and is to be continued this summer. Our 2008/2009 Summer Fixture has the following

All VRWC championship races are conducted in accordance with International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF) Rules 230 and 240. Walkers competing in club non-championship races may choose to be judged in one of two ways – under full IAAF rules or under Club Rules. Club rules judge walkers on the very simple concept that the walker is walking to be best of his/her ability in a manner that does not give him/her an unfair advantage over other walkers.

Communication continues to be one of our strongest assets. This year, the Heel & Toe newsletter was published a record 52 times in 52 weeks! With Ray Smith and Stuart Cooper providing photographs and with a number of other people providing ongoing input, the newsletter was circulated to an ever growing distribution list of around 300 email addresses. Stuart Cooper also fed our results to the Press each week and it was great to see the Monday morning stats in the newspapers. Our website continues to grow and hosts more and more information each year.

It takes many people working together to run a successful club like ours. It is always difficult to single out particular people but I would like to mention

- Harry, Bob, Mark and Ron who shoulder much of the burden of race day coordination with me
- Barb, Joyce and Kate who provide for us all in the canteen and kitchen
- Paul, Lou, Ian, Stuart, Harry, Bob, Mark, Simon, Don, Susan, Ross, Michael and the many helpers and parents who look after the timekeeping and recording and equipment setup and pulldown
- Mark who does the handicapping and runs the coaching sessions
- Ray who mans the camera, shows the results after the race and forwards me photos for the newsletter
- Gordon, Peter, Lloyd, Fran, Elke, Brian, Kathleen and Michael who form the backbone of our judging panel with many of them on deck nearly every week

My apologies to anyone I have missed. There are so many people who make our club tick.

Finally, thank you to our VRWC committee who are all quiet achievers. We meet monthly to review and plan and guide the club forward. All the initiatives you take for granted are the results of committee review and deliberation and planning. Talking of our committee, we welcomed Ralph Bennett this year as our new Treasurer and he has done a fantastic job. We also created a new committee position, namely the Junior Club Captain. Natalie Laurie led by example in that role and is to be thanked for her leadership contribution to the club.

Thank you one and all for making this year such a successful one. I look forward to returning next year and helping us become an even bigger and better club.

Tim Erickson Secretary, VRWC 3rd November 2008

VRWC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Five separate VRWC club days were run during the year. These events covered a variety of distances and age groups and involved a number of perpetual trophies. There were 4 separate sets of Under 9 and Under 12 championships during the year and this ensured that our youngest club members were able to contest their own championships alongside the older walkers on Victorian championship days. Medallists are shown below.

ALBERT PARK, 25 NOVEMBER 2007

VRWC 20 km Open Men - Gus Th	neobold Mem.	VRWC 10 km Vet. Women - Stel	VRWC 10 km Vet. Women - Stella Murnane Mem.		
1. Tom Barnes	89:31	1. Pam Tindal	57:29		
2. Frank Bertei	89:05	2. Brenda Riley	58:12		
VRWC 5 km Under 20 Men		VRWC 5 km Under 20 Women			
1. Payne, Daniel	24:29	1. Lamble, Regan	25:09		
2. Elms, Jason	31:05	2. Laurie, Natalie	25:49		
		3. Attard, Tamara	28:06		
VRWC 3k Under 15 Boys		VRWC 3k Under 15 Girls			
1. Simpson, Bradley	15:35	1. Burren, Amy	15:06		
2. Felton, Matthew	16:21	2. Finnegan, Amelia	15:08		
		3. Collins, Ayla	16:15		
VRWC 1.5k Under 12 Boys		VRWC 1.5k Under 12 Girls			
1. Hogan, Andrew	08:15	1. Burren, Amy	07:56		
2. Taylor, Lucas	08:39	2. Attard, Bianca	08:07		
3. McNicol-Davidson, Cody	09:35	3. George, Stephanie	08:21		
VRWC 1.5k Under 9 Boys		VRWC 1.5k Under 9 Girls			
,		1. Collins, Kristina	12:38		
		2. Hayley George	15:05		

ALBERT PARK, 3 MAY 2008

		VRWC 15 km Open Women Elsie Jacobson Memorial Trophy	
		1. Lynnette Bannister	1:21:29
		2. Kylie Irshad	1:27:30
		3. Gayle McIntyre	1:29:07
15km Under 20 Men		15km Under 20 Women	
		1. Tamara Attard	1:40:21
5km Under 16 Boys		5km Under 16 Girls	
1. Robert Walsh	26:30	1. Beth Alexander	25:10
2. Filip Cosic	27:25		
3. Damiel Elms	33:16		
3km Under 14 Boys		3km Under 14 Girls	
1. Matthew Felton	15:47	E1 Hilary Brazel	16:09
2. Ryan Antidormi	16:11	E1 Caitlin Campbell	16:09
3. Jacob Wright	16:40	3. Jessica Callaway	17:16
Under 12 1 km Boys		Under 12 1 km Girls	
1. Billy Allamby	05:04	1. Bianca Attard	05:02
2. Reese Walmsley	05:08	2. Jemima Montag	05:29
3. Jack Allamby	08:05	3. Rebecca Campbell	05:33
Under 9 1 km Boys		Under 9 1 km Girls	
1. Kyle Swan	05:27	1. Paige DeLisen	05:57

2. Hayley George	06:42
3. Alannah Gloury	06:43

ALBERT PARK, 29 JUNE 2008

VRWC 20 km Open Men - Alf Ro	binson Trophy		
1. Tom Barnes	1:29:27		
2. Stuart Kollmorgen	1:46:55		
3. Ross Reid	1:55:10		
VRWC 1.5 km Under 12 Boys		VRWC 1.5 km Under 12 Girls	
1. Jeremiah Jones	08:44	1. Rebecca Guy	08:15
2. Connor McShanag	09:28	2. Cindy Collins	08:44
_		3. Amy Ventura	09:23
VRWC 1.5 km Under 9 Boys		VRWC 1.5 km Under 9 Girls	
1. Kyle Swan	10:07	1. Paige DeLisen	08:47
		2. Georgia Bertrand	08:50
		3. Rachel Guy	08:51

ALBERT PARK, 27 JULY 2008

VRWC 2 km Under 12 Boys		VRWC 2 km Under 12 Girls	
1. Walmsley, Reese	10:38	1. Bertrand, Carly	11:29
2. Jones, Jeremiah	10:41	2. Boldiston, Zoe	11:32
3. McShanag, Connor	11:32	3. Hamilton, Emily	12:27
VRWC 2 km Under 9 Boys		VRWC 2 km Under 9 Girls	
1. Swan, Kyle	11:53	1. De Lisen, Paige	11:52
2. Candotti, Sam	13:10	2. Guy, Rachael	12:01
		3. George, Hayley	13:06

ALBERT PARK, 10 AUGUST 2008

VRWC 20 km Open Women Mabel Robinson Trophy	
1. Rachel Tallent	52:06
2. Amy Burren	53:41
3. Natalie Laurie	54:17

The Ray Smith Trophy, contested over 35 km, will be held in conjunction with the Australian and Victorian 50 km championships on Sunday 14 December 2008 at Fawkner Park.

ATHLETICS VICTORIA CHAMPIONSHIPS

VRWC hosted 3 of the 4 A.V championship days during the winter season. Our officials and judges form an expert pool from which A.V. can draw and we provide a key service to A.V. in hosting these events.

The Open Championships saw starting fields in all events but our longer distance events continue to be poorly supported. Many of our men do not find the time to train for these longer distances and, like their National counterparts, these local events lack depth.

A.V. 50 KM TO BE HE	LD 14/12/2	008			
Not yet contested					
A.V. 30 KM OPEN ME	N, 27/07/20	08			
1. Barnes, Tom	MUA	2:17:00			
2. Jamieson, Andrew	OSC	2:29:46			
A.V. 20KM OPEN ME	N, 29/06/20	08	A.V. 20 KM OPEN WO	MEN, 29/06/2	008
1. Tom Barnes	MUU	1:29:27	1. Megan Szirom	FKN	1:38:10
Stuart Kollmorgen	COL	1:46:55	2. Heather Carr	EAG	1:55:50
3. Mark Donahoo	ATE	1:56:09	3. Justijana Roseman	ATE	1:58:59
A.V. 15 KM OPEN MI	EN, 18/05/20	008	A.V. 15KM OPEN WON	MEN, 18/05/20	008
1. Andrew Jamieson	OSC	1:16:33	1. Megan Szirom	FKN	1:19:50
Stuart Kollmorgen	COL	1:23:37	2. Justijana Roseman	ATE	1:31:54
3. Mark Donahoo	ATE	1:26:19	3. Erin Adamcewicz	ATE	1:35:44
A.V. 10 KM OPEN MI	EN, 10/08/20	008	A.V. 10 KM OPEN WO	MEN, 10/08/2	008
C.H. "BERT" GARDI	NER MEDA	A L	1. Rachel Tallent	BYC	52:06
1. Tom Barnes	MUU	43:01	2. Amy Burren	MAL	53:41
2. Daniel Payne	COR	46:54	3. Natalie Laurie	ANW	54:17
3. Andrew Jamieson	OSC	47:39			

The Victorian underage roadwalking championships were also keenly contested. The numbers were large, especially in the younger age groups, an indication of the healthy nature of our athletic discipline.

A.V. 10 KM U20 MEN	27/07/2008		A.V. 10 KM U20 WOMI	E N, 27/07/2008	
1. Payne, Daniel	COR	47:15	1. Laurie, Natalie	ANW	53:29
2. Burgess, Shaun	CHI	56:00	2. Attard, Tamara	KNA	56:44
3. Elms, Jason	PTN	62:50			
A.V. 10 KM U18 MEN	27/07/2008		A.V. 5 KM U18 WOME	N, 27/07/2008	
1. Cowley, Rhydian	GHY	48:10	1. Lamble, Regan	ANW	24:18
2. Mirarchi, Nicholas	COR	50:29	2. Alexander, Beth	KNA	25:29
3. Cosic, Filip	INV	DNS	3. Shaw. Kirstin	WES	27:41
A.V. 5 KM U16 BOYS,	27/07/2008		A.V. 5 KM U16 GIRLS,	27/07/2008	
1. Simpson, Brad	KNA	26:12	1. Tallent Rachel	BYC	24:50
2. Clark, Lewis	CHI	26:47	2. Burren, Amy	MAL	24:55
3. Walsh, Robert	ANW	26:57	3. Brazel, Hilary	ANW	26:55
A.V. 3 KM U14 BOYS,	27/07/2008		A.V. 3 KM U14 GIRLS,	27/07/2008	
1. Heiden, Dane	BEU	16:14	1. Burren, Sarah	MAL	15:52
2. Jones, Jeremiah	EAG	16:15	2. George, Stephanie	SCA	15:57
3. Taylor, Lucas	SCA	16:52	3. Guy, Rebecca	SCA	16:11

The Victorian All Schools roadwalks were held on 29^{th} June 2008 good fields in nearly all age groups.

AV SCHOOLS 10KM U	20 MEN 29/06/2008	AV SCHOOLS 10KM U2	0 WOMEN 29/06/2008
1. Nicholas Mirarchi	51:20	1. Tamara Attard	57:36
		2. Talie Collins	
2. Jason Elms	65:03	2. Talle Collins	63:01
AV SCHOOLS 5KM U1	B MEN, 29/06/2008	AV SCHOOLS 5KM U18	3 GIRLS, 29/06/2008
1. Rhydian Cowley	24:02	1. Regan Lamble	24:15
2. Joshua Platt	27:04	2. Natalie Laurie	25:21
3. Filip Cosic	28:21	3. Beth Alexander	26:28
AV SCHOOLS 3KM U1	6 BOYS, 29/06/2008	AV SCHOOLS 3KM U16	GIRLS, 29/06/2008
1. Brad Simpson	14:52	1. Rachel Tallent	14:35
2. Lewis Clark	15:10	2. Amy Burren	14:43
3. Robert Walsh	15:50	3. Hilary Brazel	15:41
AV SCHOOLS 3KM U14	4 ROVS 20/06/2008	AV SCHOOLS 3KM U14	CIDI \$ 20/06/2008
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J	15:54	1. Ebony Whiley	15:50
2. Jeremiah Jones	15:55	2. Sarah Burren	16:04
3. Dane Heiden	16:06	3. Stephanie George	16:16

42nd AFRWC WALKING CHAMPS, WESTON PARK, CANBERRA, 8 JUNE 2008

The 42nd Canberra Carnival was the biggest ever with 335 entries overall. Weather conditions were mild and sunny for the second year in a row and walkers made the most of the occasion with lots of big performances. The presence of 4 of our 2008 Olympic walkers (Jared Tallent, Adam Rutter, Chris Erickson and Claire Woods) gave the event a high profile and these walkers all performed brilliantly, as expected. VRWC Results were outstanding with a whole host of individual and Teams medals – a quick summary follows:

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Individual Gold (5)	Open Men 20 Miles Jared Tallent Veteran Men 20 Miles Andrew Jamieson Veteran Men 10 Miles Mark Donahoo U10 Boys 1 km Reese Walmsley U16 Girls 3 km Rachel Tallent
Individual Silver (2)	Veteran Men 10 Miles Maurice Prendergast U14 Girls 2 km Caitlin Campbell
Individual Bronze (4)	Open Men 20 Miles Chris Erickson Open Women 10 Miles Regan Lamble U12 Boys 2 km Billy Allamby U18 Girls 5 km Natalie Laurie
Team Gold (6)	Open Men 20 Mile Jared Tallent, Chris Erickson, Tom Barnes Open Women 10 M Regan Lamble, Lynnette Bannister, Justijana Roseman U10 Boys 1 km Reese Walmsley, Ben Green, Ethan McShanag U12 Boys 2 km Billy Allamby, Reese Walmsley, Lucas Taylor U14 Girls 2 km Caitlin Campbell, Bianca Attard, Ebony Tallent U16 Girls 3 km Rachel Tallent, Hilary Brazel, Amy Callaway
Team Silver (4)	U10 Girls 1 km Georgia Bertrand, Rachael Guy, Hayley George U14 Boys 2 km Aaron Gardner, Michael Green, Cody McNicol-Davidson U16 Boys 3 km Bradley Simpson, Robert Walsh, Matthew Felton U18 Girls 5 km Natalie Laurie, Rachel Tallent, Caitlin Campbell
Team Bronze (4)	Open Men 20 Mile Andrew Jamieson, Stuart Kollmorgen, Duncan Knox U12 Girls 2 km Rebecca Guy, Carly Bertrand, Emily Hamilton

U18 Boys 5 km Joshua Platt, Bradley Simpson, Filip Cosic

Open Women 5 km Lynnette Bannister, Belinda Platt, Natalie Laurie

VRWC individual results were as follows

Event 1: OPEN 20 MILES		15 ADAMCEWICZ, ERIN	1:37:48
1 TALLENT, JARED	2:20:31	16 MCINTYRE, GAYLE	1:40:13
3 ERICKSON, CHRIS	2:27:08	19 ELMS, DONNA MARIE	1:52:33
5 BARNES, TOM	2:32:32		
8 JAMIESON, ANDREW	2:54:04	Event 5: OPEN MENS 10 MILES	S
12 KOLLMORGEN, STUAR	T 3:18:09	2 DONAHOO, MARK	1:29:36
15 KNOX, DUNCAN	3:46:46	3 PRENDAGAST, MAURICE	1:39:00
		6 LUKE, PETER	1:48:02
Event 3: AACT WOMENS &	& MENS 30K C'SHIP	NUNN, PAUL	DQ
1 TALLENT, JARED	2:10:00	BLOOD, ANDREW	DQ
3 ERICKSON, CHRIS	2:16:28		
5 BARNES, TOM	2:21:30	Event 6: FITNESS 10 MILES	
8 JAMIESON, ANDREW	2:40:12	5 WOOD, ROBIN	1:51:2
Event 4: OPEN WOMENS 1	10 MILES	Event 7: FITNESS 5 MILES	
3 LAMBLE, REGAN	1:24:11	2 ELMS, DAMIEN	57:31
7 BANNISTER, LYNNETT	E 1:26:23		
9 ROSEMAN, JUSTIJANA	1:32:45	Event 8: BOYS U10 1,000 METR	RES
	1.0_1.0	•	
11 RUSSELL, YOLANDA	1:34:18	1 WALMSLEY, REECE	5:33
11 RUSSELL, YOLANDA 14 ATTARD, TAMARA		•	5:33 5:56

8 MCSHANAG, ETHEN	7:35	6 WALSH, ROBERT	15:31
9 MCNICOL-DAVIDSON,	9:42	10 FELTON, MATTHEW	17:23
		12 GARDENER, AARON	18:26
Event 9: GIRLS U10 1,000 METR	ES	MCSHANAG, CONNOR	DQ
2 BERTRAND, GEORGIA	5:37		
9 GUY, RACHAEL	5:56	Event 15: GIRLS U16 3,000 ME	TRES
11 GEORGE, HAYLEY	6:18	1 TALLENT, RACHEL	14:35
		5 BRAZEL, HILARY	16:22
Event 10: BOYS U12 2,000 METR	EES	6 CALLAWAY, AMY	16:31
3 ALLAMBY, BILLY	10:29	10 PAYNE, EMILY	17:04
5 WALMSLEY, REECE	10:48	14 ATTARD, BIANCA	18:23
6 TAYLOR, LUCAS	10:50	15 CAMPBELL, REBECCA	19:35
8 MCSHANAG, CONNOR	10:55	16 BERTRAND, CARLY	19:51
12 MCNICOL-DAVIDSON, CODY	13:32		
		Event 16: MENS U20 10,000 ME	
Event 11: GIRLS U12 2,000 MET		4 PAYNE, DANIEL	51:50
6 GUY, REBECCA	11:18	6 ELMS, JASON	63:53
11 BERTRAND, CARLY	11:37	BURGESS, SHAUN	DQ
13 HAMILTON, EMILY	11:43		
14 CAMPBELL, REBECCA	11:45	Event 19: BOYS U18 5,000 MET	
16 BARBOUR, BETH	12:02	8 PLATT, JOSHUA	26:07
17 MCNICOL-DAVIDSON,	12:26	9 SIMPSON, BRAD	26:24
18 MCLAREN, STACEY	13:08	11 COSIC, FILIP	26:31
19 OHLSEN, SHAE	13:09	12 WALSH, ROBERT	26:36
Event 12: BOYS U14 2,000 METR		Event 20: GIRLS U18 5,000 ME	
6 GARDENER, AARON	11:20	3 LAURIE, NATALIE	25:56
10 GREEN, MICHAEL	12:49	4 TALLENT, RACHEL	26:52
11 MCNICOL-DAVIDSON, CODY		5 CAMPBELL, CAITLIN	27:16
FELTON, MATTHEW	DQ	11 BRAZEL, HILARY	28:24
E . 40 CIDI CIII 0 000 MEET	D.E.C.	13 PAYNE, EMILY	30:19
Event 13: GIRLS U14 2,000 MET		19 GAGE, MYKAELA	35:13
2 CAMPBELL, CAITLIN	9:52	T 04 T-103-FT-10 T 000 3-FT-T	
6 ATTARD, BIANCA	10:14	Event 21: WOMENS 5,000 MET	
8 TALLENT, EBONY	10:22	4 BANNISTER, LYNNETTE	25:32
9 GEORGE, STEPHANIE	10:30	12 LAURIE, NATALIE	28:16
22 JONES, MADISON	12:31	20 PLATT, BELINDA	32:45
E	T.C.	26 ELMS, DONNA MARIE	34:45
Event 14: BOYS U16 3,000 METR		34 STEPHENS-JONES, JOY	42:11
5 SIMPSON, BRAD	15:09		

RWA WALKING CARNIVAL, MELBOURNE, SUNDAY 24 AUGUST 2008

VRWC hosted the Australian roadwalking championships in conjunction with the second of the two Racewalking Australia carnivals. With over 200 entries, the meet was always going to be a big one and expectations turned to reality with the combination of a good fast course, big fields and perfect racing weather ensuring that we saw some fantastic performances.

VRWC dominated, as was expected. The combination of home ground advantage and sheer numbers meant that the club won 7 of the 13 perpetual Teams shields on offer and took the Brennen Shield (for the top RWA club) for the second year in a row. Winning VRWC teams were as follows

Open Men 20 km	1	Tom Barnes, Stuart Kollmorgen, Andrew Jamieson
U20 Men 10 km	1	Daniel Payne, Shaun Burgess, Jason Elms
U12 Girls 2 km	1	Jemima Montag, Jade Sanders, Rachael Guy
U12 Boys 2 km	1	Reese Walmsley, Kyle Swan, Ben Green
U14 Boys 3 km	1	Lucas Taylor, Harry Coleman, Aaron Gardner
U16 Girls 5 km	1	Amy Burren, Rachel Tallent, Hilary Brazel
U16 Boys 5 km	1	Brad Simpson, Lucas Clark, Matthew Felton

Me	en Open & Masters 20k		Boys Under 12 2k	
1.	Barnes, Thomas	1:26:40	2. Walmsley, Reese	10:55
3.	Jamieson, Andrew	1:35:38	4. Swan, Kyle	11:10
5.	Kollmorgen, Stuart	1:45:31	5. Green, Ben	12:46
6	Bennett, Ralph	1:55:01	6. McNicol-Davidson, Cody	13:05
8.	Reid, Ross	1:57:26	·	
9.	McDonough, Aaron	1:57:43	Girls Under 14 3k	
			6. Albert, Ashley	15:56
Μe	en Under 20 10k		8. Burren, Sarah	16:00
3.	Payne, Daniel	46:59	9. Finnegan, Amelia	16:01
6.	Burgess, Shaun	55:31	11. George, Stephanie	16:30
7.	Elms, Jason	62:49	12. Guy, Rebecca	16:47
			26. Gelov, Lauren	19:56
Bo	ys Under 18 10k		27. McLaren, Stacey	21:21
3.	Cowley, Rhydian	48:50	28. Ohlsen, Shae	22:00
6.	Mirarchi, Nicholas	50:23		
9.	Cosic, Filip	55:29	Boys Under 14 3k	
11.	Platt, Joshua	58:04	6. Taylor, Lucas	16:37
	Elms, Damien	DQ	8. Coleman, Harry	17:30
			9. Gardner, Aaron	18:07
Wo	omen 20k Open		10. McShanag, Connor	18:40
2.	Szirom, Megan	1:39:49		
3.	Bannister, Lynette	1:48:26	Girls Under 16 5k	
	Roseman, Justijana	DNF	3. Burren, Amy	25:06
	Taylor, Erin	DNF	4. Tallent, Rachel	26:03
			6. Brazel, Hilary	27:16
Wo	omen 10k Open & Masters		9. Campbell, Caitlin	28:02
2.	Szirom, Megan	48:31	10. Tallent ,Ebony	28:05
9.	Bannister, Lynette	53:02	15. McDonald, Sarah	36:44
12.	Irshad, Kylie	53:31		
13.	Carr, Heather	54:29	Boys Under 16 5k	
15.	McIntyre, Gayle	55:32	3. Simpson, Brad	24:53
	Taylor Erin	56:22	5. Clark, Lewis	26:04
18.	Adamcewicz, Erin	57:49	7. Felton, Matthew	26:51
21.	Elms, Donna	64:59		
	Roseman, Justijana	DNF	Girls Under 18 5k	
			 Alexander, Beth 	24:36
Wo	omen Under 20 10k		6. Shaw, Kirstin	27:59
3.	Laurie, Natalie	53:51	12. Boddy, Lana	33:02
Gir	rls 2k Under 12			
3.	Montag, Jemima	11:09		
4.	Sanders, Jade	11:13		
5.	Guy Rachel	11:26		
10.	Campbell, Rebecca	12:04		
	Ventura, Amy	12:11		
12.	Antidormi, Sophie	12:31		
	Hamilton, Emily	DQ		

INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIONS

VWRC was proud to have so many walkers competing with distinction on the international stage during 2008. The major events on offer all saw Victorian walkers in attendance.

IAAF WORLD RACEWALKING CUP, CHEBOKSARY, RUSSIA, 10-11 MAY 2008

Congratulations to our VRWC club members in the team - Jared Tallent, Chris Erickson, Duane Cousins, Megan Szirom, Rhydian Cowley, Jess Rothwell and Regan Lamble – who spearheaded a top Australian result which included 4 top-ten finishes, a teams bronze medal in the men's 20 km event and a whole swag of PBs.

Men 20km Walk	Jared Tallent 1	O^{th}	1:19.48
Men 20km Walk	Chris Erickson	31 st	1:22.55
Women 20km Walk	Megan Szirom	DNF	
Men 50km Walk	Duane Cousins	$53^{\rm rd}$	4:15.34
Men Junior 10km Walk	Rhydian Cowley	39^{th}	45.24
Women Junior 10km Walk	Jess Rothwell	$5^{ ext{th}}$	46.44
Women Junior 10km Walk	Regan Lambie	26^{th}	49.38



Victorians in action in Cheboksary - Rhydian, Chris, Jared, Simone (Assistant Manager), Regan, Duane, Jess and Megan

IAAF WORLD JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS, BYDGOSZCZ, POLAND, 8-13 JULY 2008

The Women's 10,000m championship was a sensational event, especially from an Australian perspective, with team captain **Jess Rothwell** slashing over a minute and a half off her previous personal best in finishing fourth in **44:44.22**. The performance bettered her own Australian junior record which she set in winning the Australian Under 20 title in March. Jess followed her race plan to perfection, placing herself in the leading group and passing halfway in 22:03. From then on, it was a tough job but she held on magnificently to finish just 20 seconds outside the bronze medal position.

OLYMPIC GAMES, BEIJING, CHINA, 8-14 AUGUST 2008

Jared Tallent's two medals in the roadwalks in Beijing made him an instant household name in Australia and confirmed his status as one of the top walkers in the world. Jared was one of three VRWC walkers competing at their first Olympics. We salute their efforts in making the ultimate sporting event.

Men 20km Walk	Jared Tallent	$3^{\rm rd}$	1:19.42
	Chris Erickson	DQ	

Men 50 km WalkJared Tallent2nd3:39:27Women 20 km WalkKellie Wapshott40th1:37:59

2008 WINTER SEASON AWARD WINNERS

2008 ATHLETICS VICTORIA TROPHY WINNERS

NORM GOBLE TROPHY
Most points earned in Mens AV Championships
BETTY NEWMAN TROPHY
Womens Walking Team Champions
AVIS REDMAN TROPHY
Under 16 Most Improved Girl
Rachel Tallent
TOM DAINTRY TROPHY
Best Under 14 Walker
Ebony Whiley

2008 VRWC TROPHY WINNERS

FASTEST TIMES POINTS & HANDICAP POINTS COMPETITIONS

Open Women **Fastest Times Points** Kylie Irshad Open Women Handicap Points Maryanne Harrison Open Men **Fastest Times Points** Stuart Kollmorgan Open Men Handicap Points Aaron McDonough Under 20 Women **Fastest Times Points** Natalie Laurie Under 20 Women Handicap Points Kirstin Shaw Under 20 Men **Fastest Times Points** Daniel Payne Under 20 Men Handicap Points Jason Elms Under 15 Girls **Fastest Times Points** Lauren Gelov Under 15 Girls Handicap Points Lauren Gelov Matthew Felton **Fastest Times Points** Under 15 Boys Under 15 Boys Handicap Points Aaron Gardner Under 12 Girls **Fastest Times Points** Bianca Attard Under 12 Girls Handicap Points Stacey McLaren Under 12 Boys **Fastest Times Points** Reece Walmsley Under 12 Boys **Handicap Points** Reece Walmsley **Under 9 Girls Fastest Times Points** Paige De Lisen **Under 9 Girls Handicap Points** Charlee Harrison **Under 9 Boys Fastest Times Points** Kvle Swan Kyle Swan **Under 9 Boys** Handicap Points Heather Carr Masters Women **Fastest Times Points** Handicap Points Donna Elms Masters Women **Fastest Times Points** Masters Men Ralph Bennett Masters Men Handicap Points Harold Boddy

2008 VRWC JACK LARKIN TROPHY HIGHEST POINT SCORING COUNTRY ATHLETES

Men Harold Boddy Women Heather Carr

2008 VRWC MERRIFIELD AWARDS

COMBINED FASTEST TIMES AND HANDICAP POINTS

Masters Men Ralph Bennett Donna Elms Masters Women Open Men Aaron McDonough Open Women Kylie Irshad Jason Elms Under 20 Men Under 20 Women Natalie Laurie Under 15 Men Aaron Gardner Under 15 Women Lauren Gelov

2008 STYLE AWARDS

Men Russ Dickenson
Women Kylie Irshad
Boys Kyle Swan
Girls Bianca Attard

2008 CLUB TEAM FUND PRESENTATIONS

37 walkers competed in the Canberra Carnival in age groups from Under 18 down and were recipients of the Club Teams Fund presentations.

Bianca ATTARD, Beth BARBOUR, Carly BERTRAND, Georgia BERTRAND, Hilary BRAZEL, Amy CALLAWAY, Caitlin CAMPBELL, Rebecca CAMPBELL, Mykaela GAGE, Hayley GEORGE, Stephanie GEORGE, Rachael GUY, Rebecca GUY, Emily HAMILTON, Madison JONES, Natalie LAURIE, Stacey MCLAREN, Chloe MCNICOL-DAVIDSON, Shae OHLSEN, Emily PAYNE, Ebony TALLENT, Rachael TALLENT

Billy ALLAMBY, Filip COSIC, Matthew FELTON, Aaron GARDNER, Ben GREEN, Michael GREEN, Cody MCNICOL-DAVIDSON, Harley MCNICOL-DAVIDSON, Connor MCSHANAG, Ethan MCSHANAG, Joshua PLATT, Brad SIMPSON, Lucas TAYLOR, Reese WALMSLEY, Robert WALSH

Handicap Points - Women			Fastest Time Points – Wom	en	
Donna Elms	Masters	54.5	Heather Carr	Masters	32.0
Gwen Steed	Masters	47.0	Pam Tindal	Masters	18.0
Alison Thompson	Masters	39.5	Donna Elms	Masters	17.0
Maryanne Harrison	Open	56.0	Kylie Irshad	Open	46.0
Gayle McIntyre	Open	52.0	Gayle McIntyre	Open	32.0
Kylie Irshad	Open	51.0	Maryanne Harrison	Open	20.0
Charlee Harrison	Un 9	69.0	Paige DeLisen	Un 9	43.0
Paige De Lisen	Un 9	40.5	Charlee Harrison	Un 9	24.0
Hayley George	Un 9	30.0	Alannah Gloury	Un 9	18.0
Stacey McLaren	Un12	60.5	Bianca Attard	Un12	35.0
Beth Barbour	Un12	43.0	Emily Hamilton	Un12	19.0
Emily Hamilton	Un12	35.5	Stephanie George	Un12	16.0
Jade Sanders	Un12	35.5	Rebecca Guy	Un12	16.0
			Jade Sanders	Un12	16.0
			Beth Barbour	Un12	16.0
Lauren Gelov	Un15	61.5	Caitlin Campbell	Un15	28.0
Hilary Brazel	Un15	31.0	Hilary Brazel	Un15	27.5
Caitlin Campbell	Un15	29.0	Lauren Gelov	Un15	27.0
Kirstin Shaw	Un20	48.0	Natalie Laurie	Un20	44.5
Natalie Laurie	Un20	45.0	Kirstin Shaw	Un20	22.0
Lana Boddy	Un20	35.0	Adrianna Crea	Un20	20.0
Handicap Points - Men			Fastest Time Points – Men		
Harold Boddy	Masters	51.0	Ralph Bennett	Masters	30.0
Russ Dickenson	Masters	44.0	Mark Donahoo	Masters	23.0
Ralph Bennett	Masters	42.0	Russ Dickenson	Masters	23.0
Aaron McDonough	Open	46.0	Stuart Kollmorgan	Open	25.0
Lindsay Harrison	Open	45.0	Aaron McDonough	Open	17.0
Stuart Kollmorgan	Open	16.0	Lindsay Harrison	Open	15.0
Kyle Swan	Un 9	40.0	Kyle Swan	Un 9	32.0
Ethan McShanag	Un 9	29.0	Ethan McShanag	Un 9	20.0
Harry Hockley Samon	Un 9	16.0	Harley McNicol-Davidson	Un 9	13.0
Harley McNicol-Davidson	Un 9	16.0			
Reese Walmsley	Un12	55.0	Reese Walmsley	Un12	38.0
Connor McShanag	Un12	47.0	Connor McShanag	Un12	30.0
Cody McNicol-Davidson	Un12	31.0	Cody McNicol-Davidson	Un12	22.0
Aaron Gardner	Un15	53.0	Matthew Felton	Un15	32.0
Ryan Antidormi	Un15	37.5	Ryan Antidormi	Un15	24.0
Matthew Felton	Un15	33.0	Robert Walsh	Un15	22.0

Damien Elms	Un20	46.5	Nicholas Mirarchi	Un20	29.0	
Filip Cosic	Un20	39.0	Jason Elms	Un20	23.0	
			Filip Cosic	Un20	23.0	

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1st October 2007 – 30th September 2008

As the new treasurer, and on behalf of the VRWC members, I would like to express my appreciation for the sound practices that are evident in the maintenance of the Club's financial accounts over recent years. This is due, primarily, to the steady hand of Michael Bodey over some eight years and, for the first six months of this year, to the efforts of the ever reliable Bob Gardiner.

Financially, this has been another solid year for the Club. Subscriptions have again shown a modest increase which has balanced a marginal decrease in race fees. I would like to acknowledge the valuable and reliable service provided by Ron Miller in recording race entries and collecting payments.

This year, as there were sufficient funds in our trading accounts to cover operating costs, and we have a predictable cash flow, the Committee decided to reinvest all interest earned on our three term deposits in order to take advantage of prevailing high term-deposit interest rates.

Although the surplus of receipts over expenditure in our operating accounts (\$1,825) is significantly less than last year (\$5,230), this reflects our decision to reinvest the interest from our term deposits rather than bring it into our operating accounts. In fact, the Club has improved its financial position this year by \$9,075.

A significant factor in this very favourable result is the timely effort of our secretary, Tim Erickson, to ensure submissions for potential grants and reimbursements are initiated and vigorously followed through.

The unstinting efforts of our canteen ladies, Joyce, Barbara and Kate, have helped us to provide: a very valued service to our race day participants; to return a good profit on canteen and catering operations (\$640, plus \$800 yet to be transferred from the General Account to cover expenditure on RWA Carnival catering); and, to enhance our reputation as a welcoming and supportive club.

Ralph Bennett VRWC Treasurer 4th November 2008

VICTORIAN RACE WALKING CLUB INC - ACCOUNTS

Statement of Financial Position

As at 30th September 2008

PREVIOUS YEAR 2006-07			CURRENT YEAR 2007-08
2000	ASSETS		
5 378.14 360.00 5 018.14 2 933.31 0.00 2 933.31	Cash: General Account Bank Balance less Unpresented Cheques General Account Cash Book Balance Canteen Account Bank Balance less Unpresented Cheques Canteen Cash Book Balance	6 173.33 146.00 3 573.35 0.00	6 027.33 3 573.35
	Merchandise (incl Uniforms, Books) Canteen Stock Equipment Trophies, Honour Boards		TBA¹ TBA¹ TBA¹ TBA¹
13 766.74 28 154.37 66 058.77 107 979.88	Investments: Merrifield Aw ard Term Deposit Club Teams Aw ard Term Deposit Investment No 1 Term Deposit Total Investments	14 614.57 29 888.28 70 502.93	115 005.78
600.00	Bond with Parks Victoria		1 000.00 2
116 531.33	TOTAL ASSETS		125 606.46
	LIABILITIES		
0.00 0.00	Balance of Loans Other Liabilities		0.00 0.00
_0.00	TOTAL LIABILITIES		0.00
###	NET ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)		###
	EQUITY		
	Accumulated Funds Profit/(Loss) for year		116 531.33 9 075.13
<u>###</u>	TOTAL EQUITY		<u>###</u>

- Note: 1 TBA To be advised when inventory and stocktake completed in early 2009.
 - 2 Includes additional Security Deposit (+ \$400) for sportsground licence.

VICTORIAN RACE WALKING CLUB INC

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended - 30th September 2008

INCOME	PREVIOUS YEAR 2006-07	CURRENT YEAR 2007-08	EXPENDITURE	PREVIOUS YEAR 2006-07	CURRENT YEAR 2007-08
S ubscriptions	3 820.00	4 018.00	Utilities	622.59	492.44
Race Fees	6 980.00	6 777.50	Postage	423.90	253.40
Donations	253.00	27.70	Admin/Office Exp	298.15	1 011.15
Uniforms	1 142.00	944.00	Photocopier	337.00	398.48
Merchandise	152.00	248.00	Merchandis e		6.00
Club History	40.00	40.00	Publications		
Function Hosting	620.00	1 900.00 ^A	Functions	759.00	
AFORWC		6.00	Affliations	385.00	369.00
Extnl Entry Fees	2 397.00	1 621.00	Extnl Entry Fees	2 424.50	1 617.00
Trophies		1 464.00	Uniforms	1 749.79	1 326.22
Charity Fund	531.00	270.00	Trophies/Prizes	1 377.74	2 838.96
Equipment Grant	3 770.00	2 903.40	E quipment	6 303.05	3 141.09
Club Team Fund Int	1 104.08	1 733.91 <i>1</i>	Club Teams Fund	743.00	1 691.00
Merrifield Interest	604.39	847.83 <i>2</i>	Merrifield Award	400.00	440.00
Investment 1 Int	3 002.52	4 444.16	Charity Donation	600.00	750.00
Bank Interest	48.97	27.83	Bank Charges	15.00	
Invest Redemption			Investments		7 025.90 <i>4</i>
			Rental/Track Hire	3 846.30	4 640.51 5
Canteen	2 765.00	3 515.26 <i>3</i>	Canteen	1 639.84	2 875.22 <i>3</i>
S undries	133.00	70.51	S undries	207.50	157.50
				22 132.36	29 033.87
		Sum	llus Receipts over		
			enditure	5 230.60	1 825.23
TOTALS	27 362.96	30 859.10		27 362.96	<u>30 859.10</u>

Notes:

- 1 On Maturity in Jun 09, \$925 to be paid into the General Account to cover Club Team Fund awards for 2007-08.
- 2 On Maturity in Jun 09, \$440 to be paid into the General Account to cover Merrifield awards for 2007-08.
- 3 Excludes payments of \$1,086 made on behalf of the General Account and subsequently reimbursed.
- 4 Interest from each of: the Club Team Fund, Merrifield Award and General Investment term deposits, was reinvested.
- 5 Includes additional Security Deposit (\$400) for Sportsground Licence for Albert Park, plus associated Legal Costs (\$473).
- A Includes \$800 yet to be transferred to the Canteen Account to cover Catering costs for the RWA Carnival.