

New Zealand Inline Hockey Association

# **OPS!** We did it again!

Oceania 2006 - Congratulations to all NZ Oceania players and officials, all the hard training and commitment paid off once again. New Zealand teams won 5 of the 8 grades contested.

The facility in Glenfield provided an action packed 5-day championship, enjoyed by all.

The accommodation split this year was widely accepted after a few initial concerns from junior parents. The junior teams were fortunate enough to have "home" cooked breakfasts and a big "thank you" goes out to Jenny Smith and Julia Craig for taking on this task ensuring these young athletes were well nourished before their first games each day. The RSA provided evening meals and reported their delight in meeting our younger athletes and were impressed with their behaviour and politeness.

Thank you to all coaches and officials, you did a great job, our teams looked great, played well and were well cared for.

The teams were very fortunate to have do-

nated transport from Albany Toyota in addition to the Australia of Oceania dates and venue for 2007. Keep hired vans.



June 2006

#### Special points of interest:

- ... Oceania 2006
- ... Oceania Coach & Selector Applications now open for Oceania 2007
- ... Referee & Coaching Seminars
- ... Tournament Round up

#### **Correction Notice**

The 2005 Nationals U20 grade results were incorrectly reported in the December HockeyLine. issue of The correct results North Blackhawks were Harbour placed 3rd and Mt Wellington Panthers were placed 4th.

Dion Bunt, Captain of the NZ Senior Men's Team accepts the Tasman Trophy on behalf of all the NZ Players, April 2006.

The NZIHA wish to acknowledge this very generous support organised by Graeme Lawrence.

We now look forward to confirmation from Skate

training and playing hard, we want the Tasman Trophy to permanently reside in New Zealand!

## National Championship Events

The Regional Championships are now well underway in each of the four regions around the country.

**Results and Regional Schedules** can be found on the www.nziha.com website under "Clubs & Regions"

Website information is updated regularly.

The first stage (Regional Championships) of NZIHA's major club events completes on August 27th with qualifying teams starting the final stage, National Championships, on September 23rd in New Plymouth.

NZ Nationals Grade Dates U12, U14, U20 Sept 23 to Sept 26 U16 & Open Sept 27 to Oct 1st Women Sept 28 to Oct 1st

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### **Referee & Coaching Info**

### **Referee Courses and Refresher Seminars**

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Allan Christie, Chief Referee on duty at Oceania 2006.

	2006 Baue	er Cup R	esults
U12	1 <sup>st</sup> Panthers	2 <sup>nd</sup> Devils	3 <sup>rd</sup> Miners
U14	1 <sup>st</sup> Ravens	2 <sup>nd</sup> Miners	3 <sup>rd</sup> Fury
U16	1 <sup>st</sup> Panthers	2 <sup>nd</sup> Devils	3 <sup>rd</sup> Ravens
U20	1 <sup>st</sup> Fury	2 <sup>nd</sup> Renegades	
Snr	1 <sup>st</sup> Panthers	2 <sup>nd</sup> Devils	3 <sup>rd</sup> Stingrays
Prem	1 <sup>st</sup> Blackhawks	2 <sup>nd</sup> Panthers	

### Tauranga Queens Birthday Tournament

This year was the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Queens Birthday Weekend Tournament for the Tauranga Ducks. We decided to take a gamble and include the U14 grade due to lack of numbers in the U10s. This paid off with a great success.

We had a total of 17 teams entered this year with 8 x U14s and 7 x U12s. We also included in Saturdays schedule, two friendly games for Mt Wellington Panthers U10s versus Waihi Miners U10s. It was great to see the little ones out there having a go and finding out what fun this sport really is.

We had teams from as far North as Auckland and as far South as Palmerston North. The weekend was full of awesome hockey, new and old friendships and some great results.

The finals for both grades saw some nail biting tiebreakers. Each of these games went into extra time.

In the U14 grade, for the second year in a row Auckland Fury took out the number one placing, with Waihi Miners coming in a close second, and in third place was Hamilton Devils Red.

Mt Wellington Panthers took home the cup in the U12 grade; with Hamilton Devils in second place, and close behind in third was Piako Pirates.

Info.

Referee & Coaching Seminars offered to all members. Contact the regional representative in your area to organise a course or to seek further information.

### NZIHA Coaching Level 1

Courses provide for greater participation, skill development and shows / explains many drills. Includes introduction to the basic rules, safety, coach and management responsibilities.

The course runs for approximately 4-5 hours. There is no cost to attend.

Contact Noel Wilson ( wilsonnc@ihug.co.nz)

**Regional Coaching Reps:** 

Northern	Moira Murray & Alan Peddie
Central	Noel Wilson & Willy Harvey
Lower	Malcolm Bremner & James Laursen
Southern	Greg Banks



Willy Harvey (left) and Noel Wilson (front) members of the NZ Coaching Committee take time out in the UK (November 2005) to attend the NZ AII Black "Grand Slam" tour.

We also awarded an MVP for each grade this year. These went to Cameron Mitchell from Auckland Fury U14s, and to Shaun Harrison from Mt Wellington Panthers U12s. (from Maxine Dines)



Tauranga Ducks and Mt Wellington Panthers( U14)

#### Hockeyline

June 2006

### Sport Drug Testing

Drug screening was carried out at national team trainings prior to Oceania; all NZ players attended

"Drug-Free Seminars"; NZSDA carried out random "in competition" drug testing at Oceania Champs on NZ and Australian players. NZIHA is committed to ongoing measures to ensure our sport is safe and drua-free.

### **Albany Toyota**

NZIHA acknowledge the generous support given by Albany Toyota for NZ team transport at Oceania 2006

### Coaching & Selector **Applications** for Oceania 2007

Application forms are now available from the NZIHA website or your club secretary. Closing date is

August 1st

Send your applications to NZIHA, P.O.Box 7014, New Plymouth



**ALAN PEDDIE** 

Current NZ rep for 20 & Under team and member of the Sabres Inline Hockey Club. Alan was awarded the 2006 Prime Minister Athlete Scholarship for his final year at university in Auckland.

ZACH BEARDMAN Current NZ rep for 18 & Under team and member of the Penguins Inline Hockey Club. Zach was awarded the 2006 Prime Minister Athlete Scholarship for his second year university at in Wellington.

PM Athlete Scholarships are applied for annually through NZIHA. Applications open towards the end of October each year.

### **Ravens Senior OBW Tournament**

The Raven's Senior Tournament took place in June. There was great support from the Lower & Northern Clubs and excellent competition on offer to all. With 9 teams entered in each of the 16 and Open grades and 5 teams entered in the Under 20 grade the competition schedule (65 games) meant some VERY early morning starts and midnight finishes. Players took this in their stride and from feedback received were pleased with the numbers of games scheduled for them over the long weekend. This year teams competed in pools and round robin games and then moved into a knockout round to determine the overall winners. Results were:

Under 16: Ravens (1st), Renegades (2nd) Canucks (3rd)

Under 20 Grade: Jackals (1st), Renegades (2nd), Fury (3rd)

Open Grade: Renegades (1st), Panthers (2nd), Titans (3rd)

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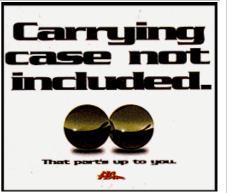
### DO YOU WEAR PELVIC PROTECTION WHEN PLAYING SPORT?

Did you know that a puck can move at a speed of up to 162km/ hr or 100mph?

Compulsory equipment for all inline hockey players includes pelvic protection. Both male and female players risk serious and possible permanent injury if not protected. Don't risk it! You could end up with ongoing medical problems including hospitalization and surgery.

WEAR YOUR BOX!

You" II be glad you did!





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Referee Jerseys, Rulebooks & Scorebooks Available for purchase; Contact NZIHA

### **OCEANIA GRADE RESULTS**

	14U	(5-6),(2-5),(5-6),(3-4),(6-5)	Wins 1 of 5, Silver
	16U	(9-3),(2-5),(3-2),(5-1),(5-3)	Wins 4 of 5, Gold
	18U	(6-2),(4-1),(6-2),(5-0),(6-1)	Wins 5 of 5, Gold
	20U	(2-4),(4-3),(3-4),(5-6),(6-4)	Wins 2 of 5, Silver
	Open	(4-3),(6-4),(9-0),(6-1),(4-0)	Wins 5 of 5, Gold
	Maste	rs (10-2),(6-1),(6-1),(9-3),(9-2)	Wins 5 of 5, Gold
	S-Women (6-1),(3-4),(5-3),(2-5),(2-3)		Wins 2 of 5, Silver
	J-Won	nen (4-2),(4-2),(5-2),(5-1),(5-2)	Wins 5 of 5, Gold

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# What's Happening?

July 1-3	Devils High School Tournament (Hamilton)
July 8–10	Ravens Junior & Junior Women Tournaments ( New Plymouth)
July 14/16	Auckland Storm 3 on 3 Tournament ( Papatoetoe)
August 1	Closing Date for 2007 Coach/ Selector Applications for NZ Teams
Sept 1	Closing date for national qualifiers to declare their entries
Sept 23–Oct 1	NZ National Championships ( New Plymouth)
October 20–23	NZ Inter Regional Championships ( New Plymouth)

