

# BEAUMARIS SHARKS BASKETBALL CLUB



## President's Report 2022





After 2 years of restrictions and lockdowns caused by Covid – WE ARE BACK. We are back bigger and stronger.

Earth's population has just reached 8 billion and the Sharks population has reached 1000. That's a lot of Sharks to manage. Thank you to the Sharks Committee (Malcolm, Kathy, Fiona, Angie, Dallas and Mark) for your hard work. Special thanks to our Administration Manager Wendy Henderson. She does big part of day to day club's business and makes Committee life much easier.

130 teams couldn't be managed without our Age Group Coordinators volunteering their time and energy to keep the club ticking. Three of our AGC's have just stepped down. Sandy Pulling, Jenny Cameron and Simone Maciter - thank you for your hard work for all these years.

New AGCs have joined our team: Gillian Marshall, Caroline Dillistone, Kristelle Nowak, Kerry Dunse welcome to Sharks Family. And good luck in your new roles. Good news: Michelle, Dally, Kathy, Emily, Brad, Lorna, Angie, Dallas are staying on board. Thank you for your hard work.

Sandy Pulling has also stepped down as Uniform Coordinator and I want to thank her for looking after our uniforms all these years.

On the other side Sasha and Greg Pearson joined our team of volunteers and took care of uniforms, hoodies and other items from our online store. We threw them into the deep end at our last Family Day. They can do the job! Thank you Pearson's.

We have been fortunate to acquire the services of Cal Charge as our Director of Coaching and Player Development during 2022. Cal has a special skill of being able to translate his knowledge and experience of basketball to engage and guide our next generation of basketballers and support our volunteer coaches

There was also a change on Clash Singlets Coordinator position. Thank you Sharon for looking after them.

Welcome Adriana Griffiths. Adriana is doing fantastic job.

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And our latest addition to Sharks: Renee Kieseker the Social Media Coordinator. Welcome and good luck.

We are also very strong financially thanks to our members. Some of them refused to take refunds for last year, thus allowed us to keep registration fees at the same level which is important for our members at the time of rising leaving costs. We will also invest in players and coaches development.

We are very well set up for the next year.

## What has happened around the club since the last AGM?

Let's start with Finals. I can proudly say the Sharks decoration looked the best. Tulip St looked like our home ground. It's always the special time. Smiles, tears – pure sport's emotions. Thank you all volunteers for decorating and scoring the games. That lets all parent just watch and enjoy the game.

Our online store is up and running. Well done Angie!

We organised a Family Day. Oh what a day! Skills clinics, uniform stall, sausage sizzle, coffee van but most important – lots of fun for the whole community. Personally for myself, it was an incredible bonding experience (kids, parents, volunteers – all together). Pure Sharks spirit. Thanks everyone for organizing and I can't wait for the next one in January 2023.

Our Director of Coaching is not wasting his time. Cal has attended 119 Sharks trainings bringing players and coaches to another level. The feedback is very positive.

We also organised Coaching Clinics for our coaches. Two afternoons, good attendance (35 coaches), very productive meetings. No one wanted to leave after 2 hours. Big thanks to Cal, Kristelle and her 2 Sharks teams which helped Cal, and Greg for handing over coaching bags.

Yes, coaching bags. We prepared 20 coaching bags worth \$120 each with all the essentials for a professional coach.

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We also organised a 'This Girl Can' event for our young girls. That was fun day with some basketball activities run by Cal with help from Sophie and Natalia. Everyone had a good time including the parents who participated in all the activities. Thank you Angie and Wendy for organising.

In the last months, over 200 new designed hoodies were delivered to our players. Sharks army haven't looked better.

We also ordered a first batch of reversible singlets which will be handed over to 2-3 teams for testing. If the feedback will be positive, we will begin to switch to them.

We also organised a meeting for our Age Group Coordinators, a team bonding event where we met each other, welcomed new members, exchanged information. We will definitely do it again.

## Future.

The club will continue to invest into players and coaches development. We will start run Saturdays Skills Clinic for our younger players.

We have to secure more training courts. If anyone can help please let me know.

We are on the hunt for a new Treasurer. Please raise your hand if you can help.

GO SHARKS!

Richard Hordejuk – President of Beaumaris Sharks Basketball Club

19<sup>th</sup> of November 2022



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## **Our committee functions with these objects in mind at all times...**

1. The objectives of the Club shall be to:
  - a. represent the interests of basketball and all involved in basketball within the Club;
  - b. provide individuals with opportunities to maximise their potential by competing in the highest level of basketball possible, given their own ability; and
  - c. promote, develop and encourage participation in the sport of basketball.
  
2. In pursuit of these objectives, the Club will seek to:
  - a. provide support and assistance for teams in all areas of their operations;
  - b. encourage and support teams and foster their growth and development;
  - c. choose and manage teams to represent the Club;
  - d. enter teams in the competitions conducted by the Southern Basketball Association and any other Association considered beneficial;
  - e. seek sponsorship for various programs and events and endorse products that will be consistent with projecting the best image of the sport; and
  - f. deal with any other matters that the Club may deem to be in the interest of the sport of basketball.