



Singapore Cricket Club

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2017
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Singapore Cricket Club will be held at the Clubhouse on Tuesday, 24 April 2018 at 6.30pm for the purpose of conducting the following business:

1. To confirm the Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on Tuesday, 25 April 2017, and the Minutes of the Special General Meeting held on Tuesday, 23 January 2018.”
2. To receive and, if approved, adopt the Committee’s Report and Audited Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2017.
3. To elect a President, Deputy President, Chairman of Games Control Board, Finance Member and eight other Members of the Committee.
4. To elect Auditors and approve remuneration.
5. To transact any other business brought forward in accordance with the Rules of the Club.

The Notice of Annual General Meeting will be dispatched to the Members of the Singapore Cricket Club in accordance with the provisions of Club Rule 57(a).

By order of the Committee

ALAN JONES
GENERAL MANAGER / SECRETARY
SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB
1 APRIL 2018

Nominations for election to the Committee must be completed on the prescribed form (in accordance with Rule 35) and must be received by the General Manager/Secretary no later than 5.00pm on Tuesday, 17 April 2018.

Registration of Members will commence at 6.00pm on Tuesday, 24 April 2018.

Minutes of the 2017 Annual General Meeting and Minutes of the 2018 Special General Meeting will be made available to voting Members upon request by post and/or be available to attending Members at the Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, 24 April 2018.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT



“ On behalf of the General Committee, it is my privilege to present to you the Singapore Cricket Club’s Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ending 31 December 2017. ”

I would like to convey my sincere appreciation to the Members of the General Committee (GC) who have given their valuable time and effort in representing the best interests of the Membership of the Singapore Cricket Club (SCC), and providing their expertise and guidance to the Club’s management throughout their term of office in 2017/2018.

The importance of its role as the driver of the Club’s progress as well as the guardian of its history, culture and heritage is one that the GC has truly taken to heart and dedicated itself to, and this is commendable.

Members of the General Committee elected for 2017/2018 were:

President

Sher Baljit Singh

Deputy President

Zoher S. Motiwalla

Chairman, Games Control Board

Matthew C. Streeon

Finance Member

Hamish A. Christie

Committee Members

George V. Abraham

(Property Subcommittee – Chair)

Anwar Gaffoor

(Social Subcommittee – Chair)

Ananda Kumar

(Establishment Subcommittee – Chair)

Paul Lawlass

(Food & Beverage Subcommittee – Chair)

Jonathan Leow

(Marketing & Communications Subcommittee – Chair)

Martin Goerojo

(Rules & Membership Subcommittee – Chair)

Gilbert Ng Mui Soon

(Committee Member)

Rangachari Raghavan

(Committee Member)

In accordance with established practice, portfolio responsibilities detailing specific objectives were assigned to GC Members, after which member volunteer Subcommittees were formed to provide a platform for dialogue with the wider Membership. Standing Subcommittee Members were invited from multiple categories of Membership and across a diverse range of professional disciplines to work closely with the GC and Club Management to ensure the smooth and efficient operation of the Club.



The Subcommittees have worked hard this term to oversee the departments they are responsible for, consolidated feedback from the Membership, and guided and helped the management and staff in the implementation of initiatives developed with the betterment of the Club in mind. For volunteering their time and dedicating their energies, I am appreciative of the Subcommittee Members.

Without an active Membership that has a strong sense of ownership, the Club ceases to function. Member feedback and suggestions are vital in ensuring the Club remains relevant to the Members it exists to serve, and continues to be the reputable "Premier Sports and Social Club in Singapore and the Region". Maintaining open communication channels have enabled the GC and Subcommittees to keep abreast of Members' needs and develop strategies - be they for the enrichment of Club finances, operational efficiencies, quality service, or programs development. Additionally, the enthusiastic participation of Members in the Club's wide range of sporting activities and social events has been key in making the Club environment an even richer and more dynamic one. I would like to express my deep gratitude to the Membership for its support of the Club throughout this past year.

This term saw the setting up of a study group on cost control and review of purchasing policies. Additionally, with the transition to a new state-of-the-art Club Management System (CMS), the Club has been able to streamline operations and generate sustainable and greater efficiencies in production. For example, the integration of point-of-sales terminals at F&B outlets has enabled digitalised order-taking that reduce order processing time and enhance back-end accounting efficiencies. Manpower requirements at the Club were reviewed, resulting in the overall reduction of four headcount and outsourcing of IT Support, while also retaining a dedicated sales manager - a decision which has contributed to the growth of Membership Value to \$21,000 and an increase of Membership Transfer Fees by approximately S\$200,000.

The above highlighted improvements, amongst others, have resulted in a 2017 financial year with a 4% growth in operating revenue over the previous year to approximately S\$19.48 million. Although operating expenditure was 3.5% or almost S\$700,000 higher, the operating deficit still decreased by 5% or S\$57,000 compared to that of 2016. Overall, the Club achieved a net profit after tax of S\$0.53 million - an encouraging result that was 14% or \$67,000 higher than that of the previous year.

The Club has undergone refurbishment works to provide a clean and safe environment for the enjoyment of Members – this included makeovers for the Main Entrance and Gilmour Room; the replacement of the carpet and chairs in the Padang Restaurant; the installation of an upgraded CCTV system and cameras; and renovation of the carpark shelter area. Technological solutions aimed at enhancing Members' convenience were also implemented, including the generation of e-Statements and online payment of Member accounts; Members can now also view monthly statement of accounts and F&B charge chits online.

A Special General Meeting held on 23 January 2018 saw the passing of a resolution to renew the lease of Dempsey Field for a term of three years, commencing 1 March 2018. With greater usage and higher field rental revenue at both Padang and Dempsey fields, combined with other increases in membership income, the Sports & Recreation Department earned a 27% increase in revenue as well as yielded improvements in its bottom line with a 55% reduction in net deficit from the previous year.

Four major international tournaments were organised and hosted by the Club in 2017 with great success: Hockey Sixes, Soccer Sixes, Cricket Twenty20, and Rugby Sevens. I am pleased to report that all four tournaments recorded a surplus, and I congratulate the Organising Committees for their strategic planning and effective implementation of the events. Additionally, the Club also hosted the inaugural WTA-SCC Mixed Doubles Tournament, Inter-club Snooker 6 Red Invitation Tournament, the 16th Annual Triangular Bowls Meet & Interport Tournament, and many other competitions – all of which validate the Club's position as an esteemed and reputable Sports Club in the region and beyond.

I am pleased to highlight the strong participation of Members in the Sections, and their spectacular achievements in the national leagues as well as their representation of Singapore in National teams and the S.E.A. Games. Their dedication and commitment to promoting their sports have not only brought great pride to their families and the country, but have also raised the profile of the Singapore Cricket Club nationally, regionally and internationally – and I thank them for being such excellent ambassadors of the Club. Meanwhile, intersection events have helped strengthen the community spirit of the Club. The efforts of the Sports Sections in helping to guide and nurture the next generation of sportsmen and sportswomen through academies and the organisation of JSM activities are also admirable.

As a social Club, one of the key objectives this term had been to increase membership visitation to the Club through interesting social events and exquisite F&B experiences that cater to different Member audiences and interests. In addition to the exciting SCC Night Race, the Subcommittees and Club management worked hard to organise for Members popular events such as Wine & Cheese parties, Look Who's Cooking sessions, Quiz Nights, Bingo Nights, and festive celebratory parties, as well as specials including a lively Fashion Show, and Pick Up @ Padang. A Wine Section was also formed in November 2017 and Member registration boomed very quickly, taking the wine culture at the Club to a whole new level.

Additionally, the Food & Beverage Department regularly introduced enticing promotions and create new special dishes each month to consistently excite the palette, and its efforts have been rewarded with the increase of more than 49,000 covers in F&B outlets for 2017, in comparison to the previous year.

In closing, the mantra of “rather than doing the same things differently, we will try different things” has guided the GC and Subcommittees throughout this term, and I would again like to express my appreciation to them for working hard together to move the Club to exemplary status. My gratitude also goes to the Sports Convenors and SCC Tournaments Organising Committees for their dedication and for volunteering their time, and to the Club management and staff for their support, conscientiousness and industry. Lastly and most assuredly by no means least, my very sincere thanks to all SCC Members for your valued and continued patronage at the Club.

Sher Baljit Singh
President



THE GENERAL COMMITTEE



Back row, from left to right: Alan Jones, Gilbert Ng Mui Soon, Anwar Gaffoor, Ananda Kumar, Rangachari Raghavan, Jonathan Leow, Martin Goerojo, Paul Lawlass, George V. Abraham.
Front row, from left to right: Hamish A. Christie, Sher Baljit Singh, Zoher S. Motiwalla, Matthew C. Streeton.

President

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Deputy President

Zoher S. Motiwalla

Chairman, Games Control Board

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Finance Member

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Committee Members

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Gilbert Ng Mui Soon

Rangachari Raghavan

THE EXECUTIVE STAFF



Back row, from left to right: Judy Ting, Janet Ng.
Front row, from left to right: Gow Hui Yian, Alan Jones, Jill Woo, Chovin Blix Ong

General Manager / Secretary
Alan Jones

Executive Secretary / PA
Jill Woo

Financial Controller
Gow Hui Yian

Head, Sports & Recreation
Janet Ng

Head, Operations
Chovin Blix Ong

Head, Property & Housekeeping
Judy Ting

GAMES CONTROL BOARD



From left to right, sitting: Matthew C. Streeton, Penny Hands, Chioh Chye Hion, Savithri Bawajee, Patricia Jasudasen. From left to right, standing: Chan Rui Yang, Wendy Foo, Arjun Kakar, Janet Ng, Eunicia Tan, Jonathan Knapp, Alan Jones, Tony Fisher, Soenke Langhoff, Christian Huang, Mathavan Devadas, Mohiethen Fathima. Not in photo: Jonathan Leow, Victor Yeong Chee Wai, Hugh Darwell, Samuel Sharpe, Intekhab Khan, Sarat Chandran

Chairman

Matthew C. Streeton

Subcommittee Members

Jonathan Leow

Tony Fisher

Victor Yeong Chee Wai

Christian Huang

Patricia Jasudasen

Hugh Darwell

Mohiethen Fathima

Jonathan Knapp

Chioh Chye Hion

Intekhab Khan

Penny Hands

Samuel Sharpe

Sarat Chandran

Soenke Langhoff

What a busy year of sport for the Club. Building on the new initiatives introduced the year before, 2017 saw four major tournaments and many SCC Members representing Singapore in national teams and the S.E.A. games. In addition, we won many of the national leagues in which we participated. We should not forget that our sportsmen and women are all amateurs and that all the committees making things happen are all volunteers. I would like to thank and congratulate them all for their outstanding achievements.

The 23rd SCC International Hockey Sixes in March saw a total of 40 men's and 24 ladies' teams from Australia, United Kingdom, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Singapore. The ever popular and fun Sixes Night theme party "Lights, Camera, Action - Showdown by Day, Showtime by Night" was well attended by the teams to dance their way into the night before returning to the games

next day to battle for the top positions in Day 2 playoffs to the finals. The guest of honour Mr. Melvin Yong, Member of Parliament for Tanjong Pagar GRC, graced the occasion and presented the prizes to the winners.

SCC Men's and Ladies Teams won the Cup Competition for the first time in the Sixes history.

This was followed by the Soccer Sixes in June. An inspiring weekend of football for the Soccer Sixes where the charity aspect of the tournament has brought the Football Section together to see firsthand the happiness on the faces of those underprivileged young children from Indonesia, Thailand, Malaysia, Cambodia, and Singapore enjoying themselves on the Padang.

The main tournament was exciting and several top teams participated from around the region.

SCC Firsts defended their Open Cup title and SCC Tigers emerged as Open Plate runner up. SCC clinched the runner up position in the Masters tournament while in the Legends tournament, SCC came in third position.

Following a hiatus, August saw the 5th SCC Twenty20 tournament. This event saw eight teams from Singapore (SCC and Singapore Emerging Stars), Australia (Melbourne Cricket Club), Hong Kong (Kowloon Cricket Club), India (Madras Cricket Club), Sri Lanka (Sinhalese Sports Club) and South Africa (Rowlin National Cricket Academy) battle it out to decide the Bowl, Plate and Cup winners. Legendary Sri Lankan player Muttiah Muralitharan revisited SCC for the second time and played for the SCC team, as did former Australian test player Ed Cowan and former Sri Lankan Test player Farveez Maharooof. A high standard of cricket was played and enjoyed by all spectators. Sinhalese Sports Club emerged as Cup winners (for the third time) against the first timer Singapore Emerging Stars.

SCC International Rugby Sevens, held traditionally on the first weekend of November, invited teams from all over the world for the Tournament to compete for the coveted Ablitt Cup. The French Development Team, which first appeared in 2013, emerged as the Ablitt Cup winners for the first time with Daveta, the multiple past winners as runners up. This was the 70th Rugby Sevens at SCC.

The weekend spanned over three days and saw the Rugby Sevens Schools & Colleges Series Finals matches and Mini Rugby. Additionally for the first time, the Corporate Touch Rugby competition was introduced on Friday afternoon and that evening ended with the exciting and closely contested Wheelchair Rugby exhibition game on the hard court between Singapore and Indonesia teams. It was a great way to begin the weekend at the SCC Sevens and the finals was played in front of packed grandstands, giving the players a great experience in what is always one of the most memorable weekends of Sevens rugby in the Asia region.

Moving on to the sports achievements, I should like to express my appreciation to the dedication and commitment to the sections committees' efforts in bringing glory to SCC in winning various national league titles, local and overseas competitions, and interclub tournaments. There are too many to list here - there is a summary at the end of this report. Overall it has been a fantastic year for all the sports teams.

In addition, intersection annual events like the Lawn Bowls Giles Roche Tournament, Netball Intersection, Annual Inter-Section Bull's Eye Darts Tournament and the latest Golf Intersection were well supported and contested. Such events bring us closer as Members of SCC. My thanks to the Darts, Golf, Lawn Bowls and Netball Sections for organizing these activities.

Cricket, Hockey, Rugby, Soccer and Tennis academies introduced SCC Sports Camps simultaneously. Credit goes to the Sections and coaches from the respective Academies for getting involved and putting together this inaugural event to reach out to more Members' children.

The 10th Sports Awards Night was held on 8 April 2017 where the Club honoured the finest Sports Members and athletes from the 13 Sports Sections for their achievements and contributions to the Club. The Lawn Bowls Section won the honours for their outstanding performance and was named Section of the Year. Football 1st Team took the best Team of the Year for their many achievements, including having won the Cosmopolitan League for the fifth consecutive year. The Sports Man and Sports Woman of the Year went to Peter Gilchrist (Billiards & Snooker) and Shermeen Lim (Lawn Bowls) respectively. Dirk Paulsen was the worthy winner of the LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD and was given a standing ovation from the floor.

To summarize, 2017 sporting activities were bigger compared to previous years. The Club had a fully packed sports calendar with Padang and Dempsey fields running at full capacity.

Lastly, none of this would be possible without the dedication of the Sports Section Convenors and the Sports Department who make up the Games Control Board. My heartfelt thanks goes to them, the wider Club Management and the GC for all their support.

Matthew Streeton
Chairman
Games Control Board

SCC SPORTS SECTIONS ACHIEVEMENTS SUMMARY 2017**BALUT****33rd Interclub Balut Tournament 2017**

SCC defended the title with SCC Team 4, consisting of Jasmin Fisher, Renee Balagopal, Soma Devi and Anwar Gaffoor, who emerged Overall Winners of the 2017 Inter-Club Tournament.

10th Anniversary Balut Competition organized by British Club, Bangkok

It was a clean sweep for SCC at the 10th Anniversary Balut competition against the Bangkok British Club.

Results:

- Individual Highest Total - Ben Cunico
- Highest Partnership - Ben Cunico & Philip Ng
- Top Team - SCC 6 (Ben Cunico, Philip Ng, Robin Tessensohn, Mike Yeomans).

BILLIARDS**National Snooker Championship 2017**

Champion: Peter Gilchrist

Interclub Snooker 6 Red Invitation Tournament (hosted by SCC)

SCC Team emerged Third Place

SEA Games:

English Billiards Singles: Gold: Peter Gilchrist
 English Billiards Doubles: Bronze: Peter Gilchrist and Glenn Yeo
 Team Official (Men's Team): Victor Yeong

BRIDGE**1st SCC-GCF Bridge Open Tournament 2017:**

SCC Team consisting of Perumal Ramanathan and Firoz Khimji emerged as 1st Runners Up.

BOWLS**National Bowls Singles Competition**

Men's Singles: Joint Bronze: Christian Huang
 Ladies' Singles: Bronze: Shermeen Lim

National Bowls Pairs Competition

Women's Pairs: Gold: Chng Ming Li and Shermeen Lim
 Silver: Amira Goh, Mary Lim / Candy Lai

Men's Pairs: Silver: Edmund Lim and Ganesh S R
 Bronze: Wong Hui Kai and Melvin Tan

National Bowls Triples Competition

Women's Triples: Gold: SCC Team (Mary Lim, Amira Goh and Virginia Longfellow Silver: Shermeen, Chng Ming Li and Candy Lai/ Loh Huishan)

Men's Triples: Silver: SCC Team (Wong Hui Kai, Melvin Tan, Euan Kong Ming Wong)

National Bowls Fours Competition

Women's Fours: Gold: SCC Team (Mary Lim, Devi Hodgkinson, Rosemary Tessensohn & Amira Goh) Silver: SCC Team (Candy Lai, Loh Huishan, Chng Ming Li & Shermeen Lim)

Men's Fours: Gold: SCC Team (Wong Hui Kai, Melvin Tan, Matthew Ngui & Euan Wong)

National Singles League - 9-9-3

Men's Singles: Silver: Melvin Tan
 Ladies' Singles: Bronze: Amira Goh

Singapore Grand Prix

Men's Singles: Winner : Christina Huang & 3rd place: Melvin Tan
 Ladies' Singles: Winner : Shermeen Lim

Interport match & Triangular Meet (SCC-RBSC-KBGC)

SCC is the first club to achieve triple wins (Interport match versus Royal Bangkok Sports Club (RBSC) & Kowloon Bowling Green Club (KBGC) and Triangular Meet) last year for the first time, and won the back-to-back Triangular trophy.

Tanglin Club Pair League

SCC team of Christian Huang (Captain), Mary Lim, Amira Goh, Loh Hui Shan, Edmund Lin and Rosemary Tessensohn came in Third position

12th Asian Lawn Bowls Championship 2017

- SCC Players represented Singapore - Results:
- Men's Fours Gold - Melvin Tan
- Ladies' Singles Silver - Shermeen Lim
- Ladies' Pairs Silver - Shermeen Lim
- Ladies' Fours Bronze - Amira Goh

SEA Games

Team Singapore
 Lawn Bowls Men's Pairs: Christian Huang
 International Technical Officer: Wong Hui Kai

CRICKET**SCA National League 2017**

Division 1: 1st Place: SCC Cougars
 3rd Place: SCC Tigers

SCA Premier T20 Tournament 2017

Premier Division: 3rd Place: SCC Lions

SEA Games

T20 (Men's): Gold: Arun Vijayan, Varun Sivaram, Anish Edward Paraam, Abhiraj, Rajdeep Singh, Riaz Hussein, Lishaan Shekhar and Karthik Suresh

50 Overs (Men's) Silver: Arun Vijayan, Varun Sivaram, Anish Edward Paraam, Abhiraj, Rajdeep Singh and James Muruthi

Team Manager (Men's T20 & Men's 50 Overs): Altaff Hussien

Team Singapore Women's Cricket Captain: G K Diviya

FOOTBALL

Cosmo League Cup 2016/2017:

Champions: SCC Firsts (defended their title)

EFL Premiership 2017

Champions : SCC Tigers

HOCKEY

Singapore Hockey Federation National Leagues

National Hockey Division 1: Champions: SCC Men's 1st XI
National Women's Hockey Division 1: Champions: SCC Ladies' 1st XI
National Junior League Division 3: Boys Champions: SCC Junior Boys Team

- SCC Hockey both Men's & Ladies Teams won the title for the second time in 3 years. Last one was in 2015.
- They also scored a Double-Double that has not been done in 24 years history.

Hockey Liga 2017

Women's Competition Champion: SCC Ladies Team
Youth Boys Competition Champion: SCC Junior Boys Team
Youth Girls Competition Champion: SCC Junior Girls Team

Wooden Shoe Tournament 2017

Women's Competition Champion: SCC Ladies Team

SEA Games

Indoor Hockey (Men's): Bronze: Muhammad Fariz
Field Hockey (Men's): Men's Hockey Team Manager: Krishnasamy Rajaram

NETBALL

Annual Bangkok Southerners Tournament 2017

SCC Flamingos, emerged second in the Plate category.

RUGBY

Singapore Rugby Union Championship League 2016/2017

Champions: SCC Tankards

Singapore Rugby Union Men's Club 7s Round 2

Champions: SCC Gold & Plate Runner Up: SCC Black

Singapore Rugby Union U20 Men's Club 7s

SCC emerged Champions

Singapore Rugby Union U18 Men's Club 7s

Plate Runner Up: Team A

Junior Rugby Clubs Singapore (JRCS) Tournament

Overall Cup Winners: SCC Rugby Academy

Muddy Penny Cup 2017:

Champion: SCC Growlers

Touch Association Singapore League

SCC was Runner-Up

Manila 10s International Rugby Festival 2017

SCC Growlers emerged as Champions in the Veterans Competition.

Negri Sembilan Wanderers Royal 7s

SCC was Runner-Up

SEA Games

Rugby 7s (Men's): Silver: Xavier Ducourneau and Adam Vine
Rugby 7s Men's Coach: Yeo Siew Meng, Marcus

SQUASH

Singapore National Squash Championship 2017

Men's Premier Champion: Vivian Rhamanan
Women's Premier Champion: Mao Shi Hui
Men's B Grade Runner Up: Clement Hung
Ladies' Division 1 Champion: Genevieve Gay

Singapore Graded Tournament 2017

Men's Grade A Runner Up : Ander Ong
Men's Grade B Champion : Clement Huang
Men's F Grade Champion : Jovan Lee
Ladies' F Grade Champion : Joy Lim

Singapore National Squash League 2017

Grade B: SCC – 1st place
Grade A: SCC 2 – 2nd place & SCC 1 - 3rd place
Grade E: SCC – 3rd place

Comopolitan League:

SCC emerged as Runner Up.

SEA Games:

Squash Doubles (Men's): Silver: Timothy Leong
Bronze: Chua Man Tong
Squash Jumbo Doubles (Men's): Gold: Vivian Rhamanan
Squash Team (Men's): Gold: Vivian Rhamanan
Squash Jumbo Doubles (Women's): Gold: Sherilyn Yang and Mao Shi Hui
Squash Team (Women's): Silver: Mao Shi Hui
Squash Mixed Doubles (Women's): Bronze: Mao Shi Hui

TENNIS

STA Interclub Singles League 2017:

Champion: SCC Ladies' A Team
Third Place: SCC Men's B Team

STA Interclub Doubles League 2017:

Champion: SCC Ladies' A Team
 Third Place: SCC Men's B Team

INTERSECTION TOURNAMENTS

Darts Intersection Bull's Eye Tournament, 19 August 2017

1st Place : Cricket Team 1
 2nd Place : Cricket Team 2
 3rd Place : Squash

Golf Intersection Tournament, 20 June 2017

1st Place : Billiards & Snooker Team 1
 2nd Place : Billiards & Snooker Team 2
 3rd Place : Football

Giles Roche Intersection Lawn Bowls Tournament, 28 October 2017

1st Place : Darts 2nd Place : General Committee Team

Netball Intersection Tournament, 28 October 2017

1st Place : Tennis 2nd Place : Netball

SCC INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

23rd SCC International Hockey 6s Tournament 2017, 4 & 5 March

SCC won both Men's & Ladies' Cup titles for the first time.

Men's Tournament
 Cup Winner: Singapore Cricket Club Oscars

Women's Tournament
 Cup Winner: Singapore Cricket Club Glamours

9th SCC International Soccer 6s Tournament 2017, 10 & 11 June

OPEN TOURNAMENT

Open Cup Winner
 SCC FIRSTS (Defending winner)

Open Plate Runner Up
 SCC TIGERS

MASTERS TOURNAMENT

Masters Cup Runner Up
 SCC

LEGENDS TOURNAMENT

Legends Cup Third Place
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5th SCC International Twenty20 Tournament 2017, 11 to 13 August

SCC Team player Aditya Mallik was awarded the Best Catch prize

70th SCC International Rugby 7s Tournament 2017, 3 to 5 November

Plate Runner-Up: SCC 7s Team

10th Sports Awards Night on 8 April 2017

Name of the Award	Winners
Spirit of Sport (Balut)	John Taylor
Spirit of Sport (Billiards & Snooker)	Jason Teo
Spirit of Sport (Lawn Bowls)	T. Q. Lim
Spirit of Sport (Bridge)	John Martens
Spirit of Sport (Cricket)	Dene Border
Spirit of Sport (Darts)	Soma Devi
Spirit of Sport (Golf)	Alvin Khoo
Spirit of Sport (Hockey)	K Rajaram
Spirit of Sport (Netball)	Carol Hartopp
Spirit of Sport (Rugby)	Samuel Sharpe
Spirit of Sports (Football)	Peter Schott
Spirit of Sport (Squash)	Mageswari Veluppillai
Spirit of Sport (Tennis)	Kevin Cumbers
Sports Initiative of the Year	Billiards & Snooker Section
Sports Feat of the Year	SCC Tankards (Rugby)
Sports Girl of the Year	Erin Ivory (Netball)
Sports Boy of the Year	Adam Vine (Rugby)
Sports Woman of the Year	Shermeen Lim (Lawn Bowls)
Sports Man of the Year	Peter Gilchrist (Billiards & Snooker)
Team of the Year	SCC First XI (Football)
Section of the Year	Lawn Bowls

Annual Pot Games: SCC vs Tanglin Club on Saturday, 30 September 2017

SCC emerged as the overall winner for the 40th time in the Pot Games against The Tanglin Club on 30 September 2017. 113 SCC members including the GC attended the dinner hosted by SCC at the Padang Restaurant that evening. Both clubs played social ten-pin bowling for the first time.

SPORTS	RESULTS
Tennis(Tennis Trophy)	SCC Won
Lawn Bowls (Lawn Bowls Trophy)	SCC Won
Golf (The President's Golf Challenge Trophy)	SCC Won
Ten-Pin Social Bowling (Friendly)	TC Won
Cricket (Cricket Trophy)	SCC Won
Billiards & Snooker (Tony Church Snooker Trophy)	SCC Won
Squash (Squash Trophy)	SCC Won
Bridge (Bridge Trophy)	TC Won
Balut (Balut Trophy)	SCC Won
Darts (Darts Trophy)	SCC Won

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE



From top, left to right: Matthew C Streeton, Rangachari Raghavan, Zoher Saleh Motiwalla, Nigel Stead, Hamish Alexander Christie, Alan Jones, Sher Baljit Singh, Thomas J Monahan, Jonathan M E Robinson. From bottom, left to right: Gow Hui Yian, Doris Ng, Rachel Koh. Not in photo: Ananda Kumar, Paul Lawlass, Jonathan Leow.

Chairman

Hamish Alexander Christie

Subcommittee Members

Zoher Saleh Motiwalla
Matthew C. Streeton
Ananda Kumar
Paul Lawlass
Jonathan Leow
Rangachari Raghavan
Jonathan M E Robinson
Thomas J Monahan
Nigel Stead

2 017 financial results showed improvements in operating revenue, a reduced operating deficit and a higher bottom line compared to 2016.

- Operating Revenue of S\$19.48 million was S\$0.75 million, or 4% above the prior year.
- Operating Deficit of S\$1.06 million was S\$ 57k, 5% lower than the prior year.
- After-tax bottom line of S\$0.53 million was S\$ 67k or 14% higher than the prior year.

Operating Financial Position

Operating Revenue

Increases in Sports & Recreation (+27%), F&B (+3%) and Other Income (+14%) were partially offset by slightly lower Subscription Fees (-3%).

Operating Expenditure

Operating Expenditure was S\$20.54 million, S\$0.69 million or 3.5% above the prior year.

While most categories of expenditure showed modest increases, more or less in line with inflationary pressure, the Operating Deficit as a percentage of Operating Revenue remained constant at roughly 5%.

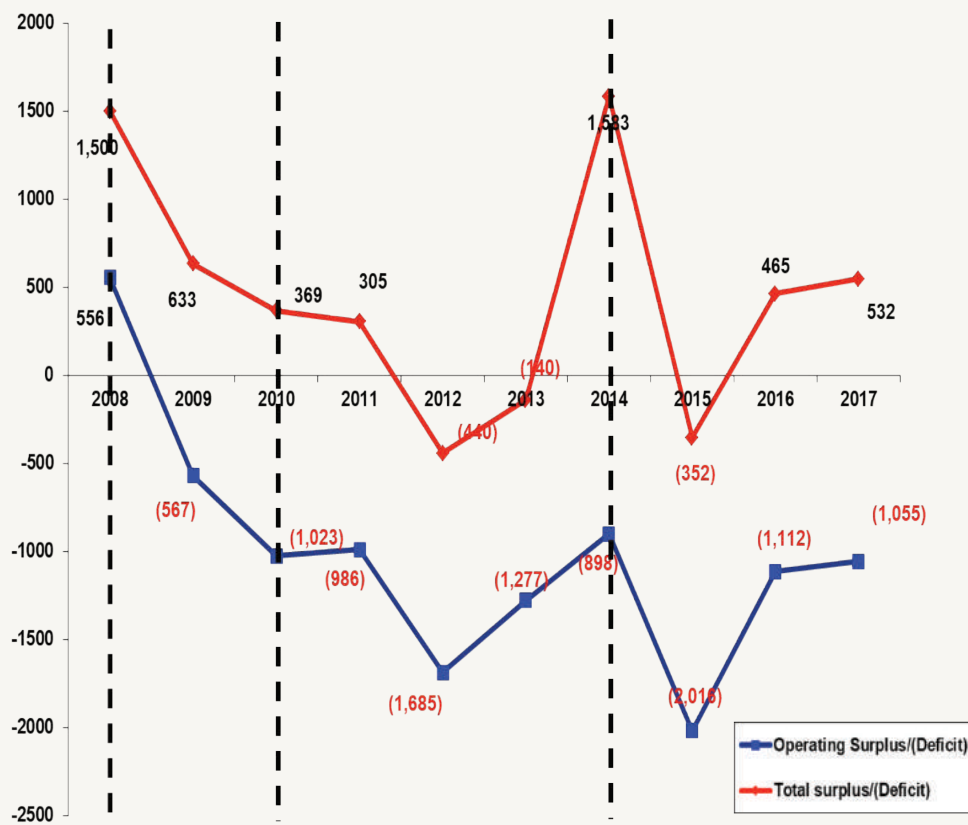
Operating Deficit

The Operating Deficit of S\$1.05 million was S\$ 57k or 5% lower than the prior year.

Net Surplus / (Deficit) (Profit After Tax)

The Club realised a surplus of S\$0.53 million, marginally higher than the prior year. Increases in transfer fees were partially offset by reductions in conversion fees.

**CLUB'S OPERATING AND NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)
YEAR 2008 TO 2017**



Highlights of the Financial Year

Subscription and Fees

Subscription and Fees accounted for 28% of Club revenues in 2017, down from 30.5% in the prior year. We are seeing the active membership base reduce slightly with members going onto the absent members' list.

Food and Beverage (F&B)

The F&B Department incurred a deficit of S\$0.57 million, an increase of S\$0.17 million over the prior year.

While revenue increased by 3%, we experienced several areas that contributed to a higher departmental deficit. A change in accounting policy had an influence on this result. However, the decision to maintain menu prices despite inflationary pressure was also a major contributing factor.

Sports & Recreation

S&R saw an increase in revenues of 27% and a major improvement on the bottom line.

The Club's main sports tournaments all recorded a surplus in 2017, namely rugby, cricket, soccer and hockey.

Part of the revenue increase related to the T20 Tournament which did not take place in 2016. We also saw increases attributable to higher field rental at Padang and Dempsey fields, plus higher membership income.

On a departmental level, S&R bottom line performance improved with the net deficit being reduced by 55% from the prior year to S\$0.47m.

Manpower Costs

The year-on-year increase was less than 2.5%. Despite not having a General Manager for half of 2016 and having lower wage credits of S\$0.18 million compared to the prior year, we are encouraged by the direction we are taking. Headcount management is a key focus of our management team.

Membership Transfer

The Membership Transfer Fees increased by roughly S\$0.18 million. We have a dedicated sales manager who took on this role in Sept 16 to focus on this area.

Cash Position

As at the end of 2017, the Club had cash resources of S\$21.96 million, versus S\$20.11 million in 2016.

The Sinking Fund was established in 2016 for the purpose of lease renewal for the Club (which includes the Padang field) and for capital expenditure specifically authorised by the general body of members. In 2017, the following amounts were transferred to the Sinking Fund:

	2017	2016
	\$'000	\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	21,962	20,114
Less:		
Sinking Fund		
At beginning of the year	12,342	-
Transfer, comprising of:		
- Initial transfer from Accumulated Fund	-	10,800
- Membership transfer and conversion fees received	1,395	1,372
- Interest received on fixed deposits attributed to the sinking fund	172	170
At end of the year	13,909	12,342
Cash and cash equivalents available for operations	8,053	7,772

The Club's cash reserves need to be increased each year so that sufficient funds are available for the renewal of the Club lease which includes the Padang field, and for capital projects.

The Year Ahead

As with any business, the Club faces cost pressure. This pressure includes manpower costs and operating costs. As such, there will need to be continued efforts to focus on improvement in productivity and cost controls. Moreover, we will need to seek opportunities to increase revenues. Our goal must be to reduce the Operating Deficit as far as possible.

For example, the last increase in members' subscriptions was in 2010 and whilst 2017 has been a better year for the Club from a financial standpoint, continued upward pressure on costs will at some point mean that the Club must again look at the level of members' subscriptions to more closely match operating revenues and expenditures.

Acknowledgement

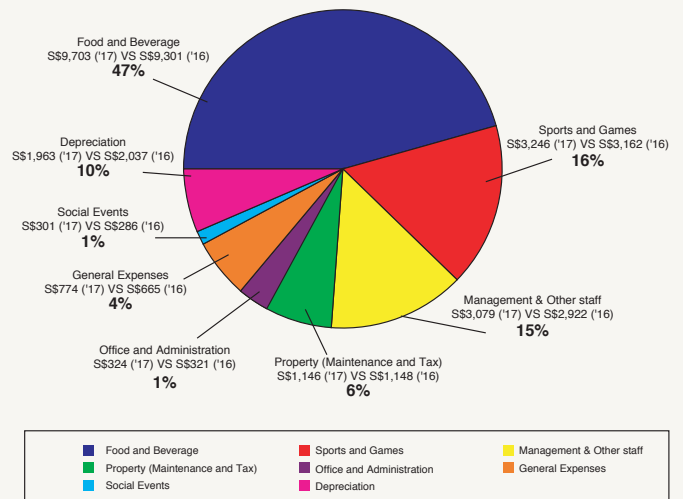
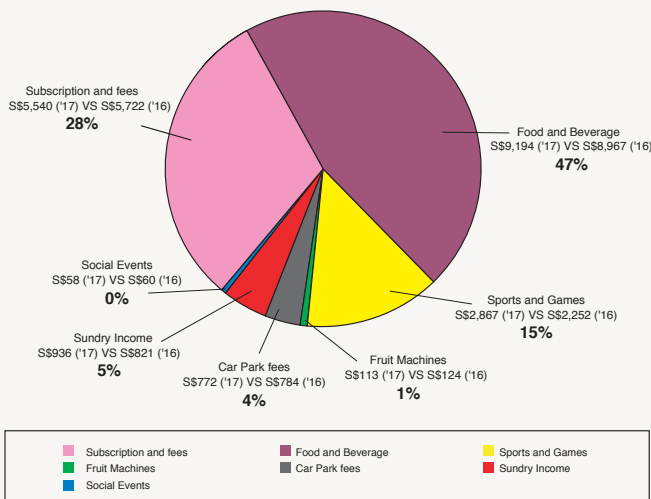
I would like to take this opportunity to thank all fellow members of the Finance Sub Committee who selflessly contributed their valuable time and expertise during the year.

I would also like to thank the Financial Controller and her team for their commitment and continued efforts.

Hamish Alexander Christie
Finance Member
Finance Subcommittee

2017 OPERATING INCOME (\$'000)
BASED ON TOTAL INCOME OF S\$19,480 ('17) VS S\$18,729 ('16)

2017 OPERATING EXPENDITURE (\$'000)
BASED ON TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF S\$20,536 ('17) VS S\$19,842 ('16)



ESTABLISHMENT SUBCOMMITTEE



From left to right: Timothy Wong, Alan Jones, V.P. Jothi, Rangachari Raghavan, Ananda Kumar. Insert: Rajan Menon.

Chairman
Ananda Kumar

Subcommittee Members
V.P. Jothi
Rajan Menon
Rangachari Raghavan

The Establishment Subcommittee (ESC) is the human resources committee of Singapore Cricket Club. The ESC meets monthly to review human resources policies and deliberate on issues brought to its attention by management or Club members and make recommendations for approval or consideration by the General Committee. It is tasked with the responsibility of ensuring that the Club achieves its vision to be the premier sports and social club in the region through better employee engagement and retention.



2017 Long Service Award Recipients

HEADCOUNT

In the year 2017, the Club's total manpower decreased by seven headcounts over the previous year 2016.

Department	2016	2017
General Manager's Office	2	2
Membership Admin	2	2
Membership Sales	1	1
Member Services	6	6
Marketing & Communications	3	2
Admin/IT/Purchasing	7	3
Finance	10	9
Fruit Machine	2	2
Human Resources	3	2
Food & Beverage	89	90
Housekeeping	13	14
Maintenance	8	8
Sports & Recreation	15	14
Total Headcount (Permanent Full-time)	161	154

The review of the manpower requirements in 2017 resulted in an overall reduction of four headcount from Finance and Administration Division. The IT support is outsourced to a vendor who provides highly skilled IT staff to manage the Club's IT needs. There is also a pending replacement of an Accounts Executive in the Finance Department.

The Marketing Communications closed one fewer headcount in 2017 compared to 2016 due to the pending replacement of a Graphic Designer; whilst the Human Resources has a reduction in one headcount after streamlining its processes and operation so as to improve efficiency. The Sports & Recreation Departments saw a decrease of one headcount each in 2017 against 2016 with a Groundsman pending to be hired.

The Food & Beverage and Housekeeping saw an increase of one headcount each in 2017 against 2016 due to the replacement of a Waitress and Housekeeping Assistant.

MANPOWER TURNOVER

The Club's average monthly staff turnover rate for the year 2017 has maintained at a healthy range of 2% which clearly demonstrates that the Club's Employee Retention Policy has made a positive impact on staff retention.

COMPENSATION , BENEFITS AND WELFARE

The Club constantly endeavours to maintain its competitiveness in terms of compensation and benefits that include both monetary and non-monetary rewards as well as recognitions in order to attract and retain employees.

On behalf of SCC employees, I wish to thank all SCC members who have contributed to the Staff Ang Pow which was distributed to SCC Staff as an appreciation of their hard work and dedication to the Club and its Members.

As part of our initiative to encourage staff to stay healthy, the Club awards a tied benefit called “Stay Fit incentive” to employees who have taken an aggregate of no more than seven days of sick leave or no pay leave in a calendar year, ranging from S\$100 to S\$500 for employees with zero of such leaves taken.

Following two memorable staff parties held outside the Club premises in 2015 and 2016, the Club organised yet another memorable Annual Staff Party at the Pan Pacific Hotel on 3 April 2017 themed ‘Back to 1852’ with Mr. Rod Murchison as the Emcee of the Party.

INTRODUCTION OF EMAIL PAYSリップ

As part of the Club’s initiative to improve productivity, the Club has introduced an electronic process for emailing payslips to employees. The payslip will be sent electronically to the staffs’ inbox with an encryption which requires a password to be opened. This will be more efficient and ensures everyone receives their payslip on time each month. Staff who does not have an email address will still receive a physical copy of their payslip.

EMPLOYEE REFERRAL SCHEME

The Club has launched an internal recruitment program to identify potential candidates from existing employees’ social networks. As a reward, the referring employee receives a referral cash incentive ranging from S\$300 to S\$500 for introducing someone to join the Club as a Full Time Employee. It is also a good way of building a sense of community and teamwork. It is in employees’ best interests to recommend potential colleagues that are skilled and responsible workers.

WORKPLACE VIOLENCE INTERVENTION POLICY

With an aim to promote a healthy and safe working environment, a new safety policy has been put in place for employees. All employees have the right to work in a workplace free of violence or harassment. This policy provides staff with effective guidelines to be used within the Club to prevent and respond to incidents of abuse and aggression in the workplace.

CONCLUSION

I would like to express my heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation to the General Committee, all Members of the Establishment Subcommittee and the Club’s Management team for their incredible support and relentless commitment and I congratulate you all on a job well done!

Thanks again and kudos to all!

Ananda Kumar
Chairman
Establishment Subcommittee



2017 Staff Party: Back to 1852

FOOD & BEVERAGE SUBCOMMITTEE



Paul A Lawlass



Rangachari Raghavan



Captain Raymond Ambrose



Margaret Cunico



Tracy Jones

Other Subcommittee Member: Nalini Willets. F&B Department: Chovin Blix Ong, Executive Chef Raymond Lee, Sally Heng, Audrey Wang.

Chairman

Paul A Lawlass

Subcommittee Members

Tracy Jones

Rangachari Raghavan

Margaret Cunico

Captain Raymond Ambrose

Nalini Willets

The SCC's Food & Beverage (F&B) Department has concluded a positive year of operations across all F&B outlets despite the challenges that were overcome with team effort and strategic leadership. The Subcommittee has been focusing on new initiatives to ensure continuous enhancement of the Food & Beverage department to match the market. We have seen an encouraging result of an increase of more than 49,000 covers in F&B outlets for the year 2017 compared to 2016.

The F&B Subcommittee and SCC Management aim to develop new directions and create new dining concepts to enhance Members' dining experience at the club. The main focuses are to improve food quality and consistency, and ensure it is value for money whilst maintaining cost efficiency throughout the Department.



NEW FOOD & BEVERAGE INITIATIVES

A wide variety of Food and Beverage promotions were introduced in 2017 and some had garnered very good responses from our Members and their guests. We have promoted the ‘Monday to Thursday’ Beverage specials, a wider range of Carvery Lunch at the Main Lounge and introduced new highlights for Hawker Fare at the Courtyard. The Oval Restaurant and Padang Restaurant Ala Carte menus were revamped and set at competitive prices. A cooking demonstration in the Padang Restaurant by Senior Sous Chef Vik was presented delightfully. The Wine Section was launched.

BARS

The F&B Subcommittee aims to introduce high quality wines and liquors at the most affordable ‘Can’t Get in Town’ prices. Promotion such as ‘Bucket & Tower of Beers’, ‘Monday Corkage free’, ‘Tuesday Whiskey 1-for-1’, ‘Wednesday Heineken 1-for-1’, ‘Thursday Ladies Cocktail 1-for-1’ and ‘Festive promotions’ were generously introduced to Members. The Club introduces a wide selection of fine wines from all over the world to cater to the preference of our Members – all offered by the glass.

RESTAURANTS

‘Bar Cart’ was bought in to provide ‘After Meal’ beverages and at the same time further lift up the service standard in the Padang Restaurant.

Portable Bars were bought to be placed at Stumps Terrace for better operations during peak hours or seasons.

Part of the Victoria Room will be converted to a dedicated Indian kitchen and this will improve the consistency of the Indian Menu. An enlarged Pizza and Pasta station at the Open Oval Kitchen will be installed.

Wine dinners offered during the year continue to be fully booked by Members and our chefs do an excellent job of pairing the wines with the food menu. The Oval & Verandah continues to offer a full range of SCC signature dishes as well as a wide variety of local and Western specials. Popular monthly specials are introduced to our menu and are well-received.

Our Friday fortnightly ‘Hawker Fare’ in the Courtyard has become a firm favourite for dining on balmy evenings for Members, their families and friends. Favourites include ‘Satay’, ‘Mee Goreng’, ‘Oyster Omelette’, ‘Chinese Rojak’ and ‘Chendol’ as well as Chef Arfin’s much sought-after specialty dishes of ‘Soup Kambing’, ‘Soto Ayam’, ‘Indian Mee Goreng’, ‘Rojak’, ‘Roti Prata’, ‘Thosai’, ‘Spicy Mutton Ribs’ and ‘Nasi Goreng - Kampong style’. On top of that, ‘Barbeque’ in the Courtyard on alternate Fridays was newly introduced with savoury highlights such as ‘Shirobuta Bara (Belly)’, ‘Angus Beef Striploin’ and ‘Crawfish and Shrimp’ which are perfect to pair up with a bucket of iced cold beers for a group.



TRAINING

Staff training remains an important area of focus for continuous improvements in service standards and product knowledge. We will continue to invest in trainings to help develop our staff's skills, which in turn uplifts the overall service quality of the Club

A brand new point-of-sales system - Northstar - came on board in December 2017, and it has helped to improve the flow of service with less technical restrictions. In sync with the advanced technology, the Club is moving towards the new phase of taking F&B orders with mobile tablets to increase the efficiency of the service provided in all F&B outlets.

EVENTS

The SCC Night Race welcomed a diversity of Members and their guests from all around the world. The general feedback on our Food and Beverage was most inspiring. Our club-wide events such as the festive celebrations and the New Year's Eve countdown ball continued to generate and improve F&B revenues and definitely bring the club 'alive'!

BANQUET

With our wonderful selection of Food & Beverage and stunning views from the Padang restaurant, Gilmour Room & Terrace, our banquet services remained abuzz throughout the year with Members' social and corporate private events. The Victoria Room gives our Members as well as corporate clients a good alternative at a more affordable minimum spending to host small parties and seminar meetings. With the new Banquet manager on board, we aim to achieve better sales revenue and help create more memorable functions and events at SCC.

WINE SECTION

This newly formed Section was initiated with the aim of improving the standard of the wine selections in the Club and to allow Members to share their knowledge of wines with fellow enthusiasts. It was officially launched in November 2017 with more than 90 Members joining. Wine Section Members enjoy the privilege of attending wine appreciation events at a discounted rate and join overseas winery tours organised by the Wine Section committees.

GOOD HYGIENE PRACTICES

The Food & Beverage Department emphasizes on the highest standard of food and hygiene. Regular sanitation in our kitchen is essential and all of our Food and Beverage outlets are awarded an 'A' Grade by the National Environment Agency (nea). Ensuring good hygiene practice will continue to be the Food and Beverage SubCommittee and Management's utmost priority.



Wine & Cheese Night

FINANCIALS

In line with other clubs and hospitality industry-based businesses, the SCC is not immune from rising costs of raw food materials and new policies and levies implemented by the Ministry of Manpower on foreign F&B staff and S-Pass holders.

The F&B Department incurred a deficit of S\$569,000, which is higher than in the prior year.

While F&B revenue has increased by 3%, our departmental loss in percentage terms has worsened. By maintaining menu prices, despite inflationary cost increases, this result is not surprising. The Labour Cost and Cost of Sales percentage have increased by over 2% year-on-year. Also, the higher deficit is due to a one-time occurrence and accounting changes.

CONCLUSION

Last but not least, I will like to thank the Members of the F&B Subcommittee for their time and significant contribution to the success of 2017. I further express my sincere appreciation to all F&B Department Staff led by Executive Chef Raymond Lee and Ms. Chovin Blix Ong. The F&B Team will continue to work hand in hand to achieve 'Service Beyond Expectations' and 'Creating Memories since 1852'.

Finally, I thank Members for their support and kind words to our F&B Staff and Management. Your feedback and comments are important to us, and you can be assured that we will continue to strive to offer the best food, the best beverage and the best service quality possible as well as 'value-for-money' for Members to enjoy.

Paul A Lawlass
Chairman
F&B Subcommittee

MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE



From left to right: Jonathan Leow, Anjali Devan Anderson, Stafford Bagot. Not in photo: Daniel Fitzpatrick, Tushar Doshi.

Chairman
Jonathan Leow

Subcommittee Members
Stafford Bagot
Daniel Fitzpatrick
Anjali Devan Anderson
Tushar Doshi

It has been my absolute privilege and honor to have led the Marketing and Communications Subcommittee (MSC) this year, having some very large boots to fill from my predecessors in steering the strategic execution of the external and internal communications of the Singapore Cricket Club.

We as a MSC have sought to look at the wider challenges in communication and marketing the club, addressing key issues such as awareness among club members of key events and positioning our club externally. Working with the Marketing team at the club has been key to developing practical initiatives that we are pleased to note have met with encouraging success and overall positive response from the Membership.

The Padang

Our readership base of The Padang magazine has been expanding, and we intend to leverage on this positive development to increase advertising so the publication can become self-funded. With a larger budget, we will then be able to enhance the magazine's content with more informative articles for our Members' reading pleasure.

The staff are also looking to work with the various scribes and advertisers to make the magazine an informative and concise one that communicates a variety of messages. For example, a focus on key advertisers and their services has been included in an editorial format to give more value add for contributions to the magazine.

In line with the Club's aim to adopt cost-saving measures, a one-year printing contract with our current vendor Grenadier Press has been secured and the Club can expect continued cost savings of \$9,613 for the printing of the 2018 issues of The Padang as well as the publication of this Annual Report. I would like to extend much thanks and gratitude to Anjali Devan Anderson and Daniel Fitzpatrick from MSC in particular for their great input in continually refining the Padang offering as a key platform of engagement to external and internal audiences.

Digital Communications and Marketing

With technology becoming an increasingly integral part of our daily lives, the MSC recognizes the growing importance of digital communications. With this in view, towards the end of 2017, we moved to a new Contents Management System (CMS) equipped with the tools to enable us to develop a more interactive site with stronger content, better navigation, and mobile-responsiveness.

We have also shifted to an email solution that is integrated with the website for a more seamless digital communications system. We will be working on improving the look and feel of our email blasts for more effective marketing and navigation. Additionally, in 2017 we commissioned the production of a

SCC video that features the history of the Club and provides insight into the different member profiles at SCC – as depicted by the five members interviewed for the video. The video is key as a tool to reach out to potential members, and also to celebrate the rich heritage and community around the club

I would very much like to thank Daniel Fitzpatrick and Tushar Doshi for leading this effort on the MSC, with their inputs and on-ground feedback to sharpen this area for the club.

Souvenirs

We are pleased to report that gross souvenir sales for 2017 totaled \$60,358.70, with the top-performing month being November. Popular souvenir items included the SCC black cap and cufflinks.

Moving forward, we intend to streamline our inventory of souvenirs so we can better concentrate our marketing efforts to yield stronger sales. We will also be introducing seasonal sales promotions of special items which Members can consider purchasing to present as unique gifts.

I would like to thank Stafford Bagot in particular for leading this from an MSC perspective and constantly coming up with new ideas and new ways in which we can use these products to really brand our club.

All in all it has been a great year in review, one that could not have been achieved without collective support and feedback, and we will continue to work in harnessing the new while keeping our traditions alive and well.

Jonathan Leow
Chairman
Marketing & Communications Subcommittee



PROPERTY SUBCOMMITTEE



From left to right, sitting: Andrea Nicholas, Andrew Moore, George V. Abraham, Anwar Gaffoor.
From left to right, standing: Retna Sabapathy, Norliah Soyoeti, N. Thangavelu.
Not in photo: Ong Chin Leong, Alan Jones and Judy Ting.

Chairman

George V. Abraham

Subcommittee Members

Anwar Gaffoor

Ong Chin Leong

Retna Sabapathy

Andrew Moore

N. Thangavelu

Andrea Nicholas

The Property Sub-committee embarked on a significant program of refurbishment works throughout the Clubhouse in the year under review and will continue to upgrade facilities and infrastructure to provide a clean and safe environment for the enjoyment of Members. It is an ongoing challenge to maintain and upkeep the Club's ageing equipment and assets.

A Structural Engineer was engaged to carry out a structural investigation of the Clubhouse, and no defect of structural significance was identified by him during the visual inspection of the building. The building is structurally sound and is generally in good condition. There are no major rectification works required.



The Padang Restaurant

The tired-looking carpet in the Padang Restaurant was replaced with a new carpet that has an interesting motif with colour variations. The newly acquired dining chairs are a perfect complement to the new carpet while enhancing the traditional elegance of the Padang Restaurant.

The dull and drab concrete steps at the Main Entrance underwent an entire makeover. The installation of red carpet with brass nosing adds an elegant touch and helps transform the Main Entrance into one with a timeless style. The colour of the red carpet easily coordinates with the aesthetics of the Clubhouse and interior décor.

As part of our upgrading efforts, the Gilmour Room was given a makeover. The carpet was replaced with a new carpet of different design and colour scheme. New Bars which are contemporary in design with a modern touch were acquired. The entire Gilmour Room was given a fresh coat of paint and drapes for the windows were replaced.

Further improvements included the acquisition of coloured plastic chairs of better quality to replace the white plastic chairs which of a more inferior quality at the Courtyard, and some reconditioned antique furniture were placed at the staircase landing leading to the Padang Restaurant to function as “feature pieces”.

We are committed to creating and maintaining a safe and secure environment for our members and staff. In the course of the year, 38 new CCTV cameras were added at the Clubhouse premises and three for the Adelphi office. The

CCTV system was upgraded to provide better security and effective surveillance. The additional CCTV cameras help to enhance surveillance, security and safety, which in turn helps the Club meet the challenges of an ever-changing security landscape.

Following feedback from Members, the second level of the Clubhouse facing the Padang was repainted green to restore it to its original colour.

To cater to demand for the parking of motorised personal mobility devices, the carpark shelter area was renovated and a rack for parking was installed.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

The Property Subcommittee will continue in its efforts to conserve energy. The conventional flood lights on the side of the building facing the Padang were replaced with LED lights with the aim of conserving energy and increasing our contribution towards being “green”. About 90% of the lightings used in the Clubhouse are LEDs. Another “green” initiative is our recycling program of waste material generated by the Club. I am happy to report that we have managed to keep utilities costs the same despite the addition of more electrical kitchen equipment.

The trees around the carpark are very old and pose a certain degree of hazard and risk from breakage, failure or other causes and conditions. Hence, the Property Subcommittee commissioned a Tree Risk Assessment for the rain trees.

Following the inspection, the Arborist reported that the rain trees at the carpark had accumulated multiple defects and extensive decay. There were visible signs and evidence of fungal activity, and any corrective action was assessed to be insufficient. In view of the risks associated with the defective trees which can cause personal injury and property damage, and safety concerns, the four rain trees were removed; approval was obtained from NParks prior to removal.

Fire Safety inspections have been conducted within the Club premises on a monthly basis to ensure full compliance with fire safety regulations as well as function as a working tool to identify possible hazards. Two fire drills were conducted in 2017 to ensure that all staff is aware of evacuation procedures and capable of handling on-site fire-fighting equipment. Our automatic fire alarm system is tested and inspected on a monthly basis and defects immediately rectified.

Mosquito misting and larviciding treatment is carried out on a fortnightly basis to ensure the Clubhouse is free of pests. Inspections of the external perimeters of the Clubhouse have also been conducted regularly with the Pest control vendor to ensure the Clubhouse's surroundings are clean and free from stagnant water. Monthly general pest control treatment for the Club and night fumigation for kitchen areas were carried out as well.

Less apparent to members, the following projects have also been undertaken during the course of the year:

- Rectification works for AHU serving the Main Lounge
- Replacement of wicker chairs for Stumps and Gilmour Terrace
- Replacement of two faulty evaporative air coolers with higher capacity for the Courtyard
- Replaced PA system with 13 zones
- Installed handrail for Lawn Bowls Green
- Rebuilt Lawn Bowls cabinet for additional storage space
- Replaced sump pumps at the Courtyard
- Installed Chengal timber strips for hedges at the Lawn Bowls Green and installed coloured plants along the timber strips for enhancement and to prevent soil erosion.
- Repaired and levelled uneven carpark lots at both carpark
- Re-upholstery of bar stools at Stumps Bar
- General repainting and re-varnishing of various areas within the Clubhouse



Gilmour Bar

To better serve Members, lockers with combination locksets were installed in the Men's Changing Room for rental to Members, and more will be added. Lockers for rental in the Ladies' Changing Room is also in the pipeline.

At the time of writing, addition and alteration works to the Victoria Room will be carried out to construct an Indian Kitchen.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the Property Subcommittee Members for their commitment and contributions. I would also wish to extend my appreciation to the Property & Housekeeping Team for their dedication and efforts in making the Clubhouse an enjoyable place for members.

GEORGE V. ABRAHAM
Chairman
Property Sub-committee

RULES AND MEMBERSHIP SUBCOMMITTEE



From left to right, sitting: Matthew C. Streeton, Moiz H. Sithawalla, Martin Goerojo, Lim Khoon, Alan Jones.
From left to right, standing: Valerie Ong, Gow Hui Yian, Serene Chew, Jolene Yam. Not in photo: Jeny

Chairman

Martin Goerojo

Subcommittee Members

Matthew C. Streeton

Lim Khoon

Moiz H. Sithawalla

It has been a year of continuity for the Rules and Membership Subcommittee (RMSC). We were fortunate to have inherited a well-functioning Subcommittee which Members - the long standing, distinguished Club Members Lim Khoon and Moiz H. Sithawalla - agreed to serve another term. Their legal opinions and experience were invaluable.

Fellow GC Member and former RMSC Chairman Matthew C. Streeton made up the Committee.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP

309 new members were welcomed to the Club in 2017: 97 new Ordinary (Transferable) Members (OTM); 45 new Term Members (TM); 32 new Sports Members (SM); and 135 new Junior Sports Members (JSM).



New Members' Election Night, 13 November 2017



Annual General Meeting, 25 April 2017

At the end of 2017, the Active Membership stood at 3,963:

Corporate Members	8
Honorary Life Members	2
Honorary Members	59
Life Members	11
Ordinary Members	3,341
Term Members	111
Sports Members	134
Junior Sports Members	297

We understand that Members' needs or current situation change over time. The Membership Sales Department is readily available to match sellers with buyers to address such situations. In 2017, a total of 101 memberships changed hands (97 new and 4 upgrades), raising the average value of the Ordinary (Transferable) Membership to S\$20,000. At the time of writing, there is one buyer on the waiting list.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

Inevitably, we have had to deal with some disciplinary cases. The Club has a robust process in place to follow. On a positive note, the number of such cases decreased year on year.

CHANGES TO RULES AND BYE LAWS

RMSC reviewed the Club's Rules and Bye Laws to accurately reflect changes proposed by the management of the Club

or Members. The changes pertained to the use of motorized personal mobility devices, Members' attire, reciprocal rights, Club's hours of operation and the Jackpot Room.

Recommendations were made to the General Committee and Bye Laws amendments were posted on the Club's notice board as stipulated in the Rules. Proposed amendments to the Rules will be tabled for consideration at the next Annual General Meeting.

TEAM EFFORT

I should like to thank my fellow Subcommittee Members, the General Committee, the General Manager and Membership Department for all their support and hard work. All of us worked to achieve a common purpose. The best interest of the Club, its Members and staffs were at the forefront of everything we did.

Martin Goerojo
Chairman
Rules and Membership Subcommittee



Junior Sports Members' Election, 25 March 2017

SOCIAL SUBCOMMITTEE



From left to right: Jasmine Tan, Becky Xu, Anwar Gaffoor, Louis Neubronner, Vikraman Raman, George Abraham, Chovin Blix Ong.

Chairman
Anwar Gaffoor

Subcommittee Members
George V Abraham
Vikraman Raman
Soma Devi
Tracy Jones

2017 was an exciting year for the Social Subcommittee. The Subcommittee comprises of five Members who are very keen to bring in new ideas to make our events more exciting and entertaining. The 2017 Social Calendar ended with an estimate of 60 successful social events and band performances. We have also received good feedback and suggestions from the SCC Members.

The Social Subcommittee decided to continue the 'ONE NIGHT ONLY' Band Series, engaging a guest band every quarter. We had very good musicians such as Tokyo Square, Alemay Fernandez, and more. The Quiz Night on every first Tuesday of the month is still as popular as ever. A special thank-you to Mr. Nicholas Cochrane who volunteered to help out in the organization every month.

The "Wine and Cheese Party" which is held every April, August and November continued to be one of the most popular dining events in the Club.



Fashion Show

INTRODUCTION TO YOGA

18 January 2017

The first event of the year, Members spent a blissfully relaxed evening in a variety of yoga poses winding down after a day's work. The 'introduction to Yoga' class held on 18 January at the Gilmour Terrace was aimed at teaching proper and effective ways of strengthening the body through this age-old practice.

SCC CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

3 February 2017

Welcoming the Year of the Rooster, the Club celebrated Lunar New Year with a series of programs starting with the traditional blessing by the Lions around the Club. Back by popular demand, the Lion Dance performance atop poles at the Courtyard followed, leaving everyone on the edge of their seats with their amazing stunts. Other fringe activities included palm reading and rainbow calligraphy. The night continued with a mask-changing performance and music by the evergreen Tokyo Square.

FAULTY TOWERS: THE DINING EXPERIENCE

24 March 2017

Ripples of laughter bounced off the walls of The Padang Restaurant on 24 March as Members and guests surrendered to the rib-tickling, immersive comedy theater of the world renowned Faulty Towers. The highly entertaining 70's style three-course meal was packed with some of the best gags which made for a very memorable and unique dining experience

FASHION SHOW

20 May 2017

The heart of The Padang Restaurant served as a mini catwalk on which a bevy of fashionable beauties showcased trendy apparels, jewellery pieces, eyewear, premium handbags and skincare from renowned brands.

PICK UP @ PADANG

30 July 2017

The Club organized "Pick up @ Padang" at the iconic Padang to support the nationwide celebration of National Day 2017 through sports. With the theme of "Pick up @ Padang," both SCC Members and members of the public joined in and "picked up" various sports from 8am to 1pm. The activities included tennis, ultimate Frisbee and many more.



Introduction to Yoga

SCC CELEBRATES #OneNationTogether

9 August 2017

Celebrating the nation's 52th year of independence, the club was bursting with excitement. Children were treated to specially tailored sculptured balloons and face paintings and everyone was given Singapore flags, clappers and whistles.

The courtyard was sizzling with SCC's own Hawker Fare as Members awaited the aerial performance of the five RSAF F-15SG fighter aircrafts that provided a feast for the eyes.

Pride and spirit were at their highest as everyone watched the magnificent firework display that painted a spectrum of colours across the sky.

SCC NIGHT RACE FIESTA

15, 16 and 17 September 2017

A thrilling high-octane weekend at the Singapore Cricket Club during the annual Night Race Fiesta, Members and guests turned up early, all ready to watch the racing action on the Marina Bay Street Circuit. Within the club, extensive buffet spreads were laid out at various strategic locations.

Members were also entertained by the roaming LED Stilt Walker, human statue and juggler. The Kombi bar selling drinks and ice-cream was a hit with the kids who also had plenty of fun on the Race stimulator. Last but not least, we cannot forget the only place to "Drink and Drive"! The top three winners walked away with a trophy, SCC F1 T-shirt, Cap and a LED tall cup.

We hope you have enjoyed the three days with us and we expect to see you again this year!



2017 Chinese New Year Celebration



Wine & Cheese Night

INTERSECTION QUIZ NIGHT

13 October 2017

- 1st – Dice Men (Balut)
- 2nd – Sticky Wicket (Cricket)
- 3rd – Ammocrypta (Darts)

OKTOBERFEST

20 October 2017

The Club invited the Die Dorf Fest Kapelle from London to perform classic hits as well as traditional Oktoberfest songs. A month-long food and beer promotion was also held in conjunction with Oktoberfest.

DEEPAVALI NIGHT

27 November 2017

The night started with the lighting of the lamp by Mr. Sher Balijit Singh, Mr. Anwar Gaffoor, Mr. George Abraham, Mr. Retna Sabapathy and Mr. and Mrs. Balagopal. With the lighting of the lamp, the night kicked off with a series of performances - first by the LED Dhol Performance, then the dual of NIKKI & MUS for some smooth music, followed by a Bollywood dance performance. The Bhangra Group was the last event, and the group got everyone in the Main Lounge up on their feet to learn the steps and dance with them. The night ended with a DJ spinning Bollywood numbers which got everyone dancing the night away.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

11 November 2017

Remembrance Day is the day that we commemorate the sacrifices made by the military in defending the nation during World War I. Every year, the Club holds a simple tribute to honour the lives that were lost. In attendance were the Club’s General Committee, members, staff and guests.

We would like to thank the distinguished Defence Advisors from the United Kingdom, Australia, New Zealand and United States of America who were present at the commemoration.

CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PARTY

9 December 2017

SCC collaborated with Whizz Kidz Pte Ltd for a Christmas Cookie Decoration and Science Magic event which was held on 9 December at the Padang Restaurant and Gilmour Room. Children and parents also experienced a thrilling

open-top Bus Tour to the festively decorated and brightly lit-up Orchard Road area. We also cannot forget Santa Claus, who paid us a special visit to shower everyone with presents. Special thanks to Mr. Phil Cunningham for being our Santa!

CHRISTMAS LUCKY DRAW

23 December 2017

We had a change of the Christmas Eve Lucky Draw ticketing format to comply with new licensing regulations. This change was well received by Members who continued to show their support by spending a minimum of \$50 on F&B for one ticket to participate in the draw. We offered a total of 25 attractive prizes including the top two prizes of Breitling Men and Ladies Watches generously sponsored by C. Melchers GmbH & Co. Singapore. The afternoon got off to a good start with very melodious caroling and soon those present joined in the singing. Jive Talkin’ came next to keep Members and guests thoroughly entertained with their renditions of classic hits which resonated well with our Members.

SCC NEW YEAR EVE CELEBRATION - MAD HATTER'S COUNTDOWN BALL 2017

Singapore Cricket Club ushered in the New Year with a bang at the Mad Hatter’s Countdown Ball. Members and guests came to the party in their elegant dressed and stylish suits, with their fancy hats in keeping with the theme! As the clock struck midnight, the tune of Auld Lang Syne by the Gurkha Pipers resounded, coupled with thumps of fireworks in the background of the Civic District skyline, marking the start of 2018. With well wishes all around, everyone had a great time and danced to the powerhouse performance by “The Union Ball” band from Kuala Lumpur.

I would like to say a very appreciative thank you to my Social Subcommittee members who were very supportive and contributed many great ideas, and of course to the SCC management and ladies from the Events Team for doing an excellent job in making SCC a premium club with quality events!

Anwar Gaffoor
Chairman
Social Subcommittee



CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

3 February 2017



INTRODUCTION TO YOGA

18 January 2017



LOOK WHO'S COOKING WITH CHEF VIK
18 February 2017



FAULTY TOWERS THE DINING EXPERIENCE
24 March 2017



SOCIAL EVENTS



EASTER KIDS PARTY
16 April 2017



LOOK WHO'S COOKING WITH MS SUNITA KAPOOR
13 May 2017



BINGO NIGHTS



FASHION SHOW
20 May 2017



KAMPONG NIGHT
30 June 2017

SOCIAL EVENTS



NATIONAL DAY FAMILY PARADE
9 August 2017



WINE AND CHEESE
18 August 2017





SCC NIGHT RACE
15, 16, 17 September 2017



SOCIAL EVENTS



INTERSECTION QUIZ NIGHT
13 October 2017



OKTOBERFEST
20 October 2017

REMEMBRANCE DAY

11 November 2017



DEEPAVALI

27 October 2017





SANTA AT THE SCC - CHRISTMAS KIDS PARTY
9 December 2017





CHRISTMAS LUCKY DRAW
23 December 2017





**MAD
HATTER'S
COUNTDOWN
BALL**
31 December 2017



BALUT



Balut Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Raj Kumar, Sunita Kapoor, Tony Fisher (Convenor), Else Stokkmo, and John Taylor.
Insert: Yasmin Gaffoor

Elected 23 May 2017:

Convenor
Tony Fisher

Captain
Raj Kumar

Secretary
John Taylor

Treasurer
Else Stokkmo

Committee Members
Sunita Kapoor
Yasmin Gaffoor

SCC IN-HOUSE BALUT SESSIONS

The SCC Balut Section was a hive of activity in 2017. We had 14 well-attended in-house events that averaged 25-30 players. The third Tuesday of the month is our normal "Balut night", but due to increased demand from our members, we managed to add an extra four sessions on Saturday afternoons, giving a grand total of 14 in-house events in all.

Following registration, there is always a tasty buffet with a varied menu that pays homage to the tantalizing culinary diversity that reflects the cultural mix of our Baluteers. We typically play six rounds.



Top of the points leaderboard for 2017 was Captain Raj Kumar, who received the top prize of Chivas Scotch from Convenor Tony Fisher, accompanied by Sharon.



Overall winner of the 2017 Inter-Club League Tournament - SCC Team 4 (from left to right): Soma Devi, Anwar Gaffoor, Rene Balagopal, Jasmin Fisher and Rajan Menon.

Top of the points leaderboard for 2017 was the redoubtable Raj Kumar, our section Captain for many years. He was given a run for his money for 2nd and 3rd position by Renee Balagopal and Anwar Gaffoor respectively.

INTER-CLUB LEAGUE

There is a thriving six-club Balut league in Singapore which is comprised of the SCC, the Tanglin Club (TC), the Indian Association, the Singapore Recreation Club, the National University of Singapore Social Society, and the Eurasian Association.

During the period May-October, each Club takes turns hosting the other five, which means some 76 players have the opportunity to compete, socialize, imbibe, and sate appetites among old and new friends.

SCC's Team 4 - consisting of Jasmin Fisher, Renee Balagopal, Soma Devi and Anwar Gaffoor - emerged as the overall winner of the 2017 Inter-Club League Tournament. They amassed 14,077 points, followed by Indian Association 1 and SCC 1 with 13,997 and 13,950 points respectively.



Balut Section recipient for the 2017 "Spirit of Sport Award" John Taylor (right) with GC Member David Jones.

SPIRIT OF SPORT AWARD

On 8 April 2017, the SCC held a grand Sport Awards Ceremony in the Padang Restaurant, and the Balut Section recipient for the 2017 "Spirit of Sport Award" was none other than John Taylor.

John has played a prominent role in all aspects of Balut development both in the Southeast Asia region and the SCC for over 40 years. John has held every position in the SCC Balut Section on numerous occasions: Convenor, Secretary, and Treasurer. He is also one of the original authors of the STC (Singapore Town Club) Balut rules which govern how this game is played. Last but not least, John has initiated, organised and led SCC Balut teams on many successful overseas tours.

40th ANNUAL POT GAMES

This is an annual event where all sports sections of the SCC and the TC compete against each other on an annual basis. On Saturday, 30 September 2017, the SCC played host.



SCC Convenor Tony Fisher receiving the Pot Trophy from TC Balut Convenor David Goh.



Balut Section at the 40th Annual Pot Games.



Dayak tribe dancers performing at the 37th Annual Chivas Regal Balut Interport in Kuching.



Ben Cunico, SCC's "Victor Ludorum", flanked by (from left to right) Philip Ng, BCB's David Quine, Robin Tessensohn, and Mike Yeomans.

Our 18-strong team battled a resilient TC over eight rounds, and bested our opponents by gaining an overall total of 14,041 points to their 13,453. Fittingly, the TC's Balut Convenor David Goh was presented with a trophy for the top individual score of 879 points.

TOUR - BRITISH CLUB BANGKOK

Our first tour of the year was to the British Club Bangkok (BCB) to participate in the 10th Anniversary Balut Competition. Some 30 SCC Baluteers soaked up the hospitality of our hosts, particularly David Quine (inventor of TeamBalut) and Paul Cheesman. Being an unsentimental lot, the SCC made a 'clean sweep' in this event, with Ben Cunico playing a starring role thanks to his lucky scarf!

TOUR - KUCHING

SCC sent 24 players and 4 supporters to Kuching, Malaysia, on 18 November 2017 to participate in the 37th Annual Chivas Regal Balut Interport. Around 150 Baluteers from Singapore and Malaysia did battle over eight rounds in the superb Sarawak Club.

The hospitality was outstanding. We were all feted, fed, and Chivas Regal Scotch-watered to our hearts' content. There was local dancing by Dayak tribespeople, a great band, and an overall competition victory by our neighbor SRC.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Rounding off a highly successful year was our annual Christmas party, organized by the tireless Sunita Kapoor, which rocked to the theme of "60's Flower Power".

Tony Fisher
Balut Section Convenor



Balut Section's "60's Flower Power" Christmas Party 2017

BILLIARDS & SNOOKER



Billiards & Snooker Section Committee 2017-18 (from top, left to right): Jason Tan, Desmond Decker, Tan Bak Choon, (from bottom, left to right) Victor Yeong, David Yim, Peter Gilchrist. Not in photo: Jason Teo and Glenn Yeo.

Elected 22 December 2017:

Convenor
Victor Yeong

Captain
Tan Bak Choon

Secretary
Jason Tan

Treasurer
David Yim

Committee Members
Peter Gilchrist
Jason Teo
Glenn Yeo
Desmond Decker



It has been an eventful & blessed year for the Billiards & Snooker Section. At the end of the league season in March, we finished at the top half of the Division 1 table. This year we also have a team playing in Division 5 league games.

PENANG SPORTS CLUB'S INTERPORT GAMES

We had a visit from Penang Sports Club for their Interport Games with us in February 2017. At the same occasion, we combined our social evening with the Golf section and had a great party with a wonderful festive atmosphere, with both Sections' members enjoying themselves





6 REDS TOURNAMENT

The year 2017 saw us hosting the annual 6 Reds tournament, formerly known as the Tri-Nations. We hosted the 6 Reds tournament on 30 June 2017, which is the second cycle now in its ninth year since it first started. With tremendous support from the GC and the staff of the Club, we were able to organize a successful tournament. The visiting clubs from Thailand (Royal Bangkok Sports Club & Royal Bangkok Polo Club) and Malaysia (Penang Sports Club and Royal Selangor Club) were deeply impressed with the organization. Penang Sports Club won the tournament and took the trophy home.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my fellow committee members for their hard work and dedication in making this a successful tournament. Splendid effort from the team! My heartfelt gratitude & thanks to our sponsor Pernod Ricard & Mr. Rajan Menon for the kind sponsorship of Chivas 18 towards the tournament. We would also like to thank our very own SCC staff for their dedication and splendid effort in making our event a super success

2017 S.E.A GAMES

Last year’s S.E.A. games were another successful year for us - Peter Gilchrist took home the Men’s Singles Billiards Gold medal, and in the Men’s double, Peter Gilchrist & Glenn Yeo bagged the Bronze medal.

END-YEAR GAMES

Early November had us making our way to Penang where we played Interport games with Penang Sports Club & Penang



Club. They also hosted us to an excellent meal. It was a great bonding event that helped cement our relationship further. That same month, we played the Tanglin Pot Games hosted by the Tanglin Club. We won 5-1 and retained the trophy.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

On the 22 December 2017, we had our AGM. Everyone was pleased with the management of the Section and no issues were raised during the Meeting. We had a change in Convenorship with Desmond Decker handing over to Victor Yeong. Tan Bak Choon, a veteran of the Section, picked up the Captain’s Cap. We have the services of David Yim as our experienced and eagle-eyed Treasurer and Jason Tan as Secretary. We also have the services of Jason Teo, Peter Gilchrist, Desmond Decker and Glenn Yeo as Section Committee members. It was the shortest and friendliest AGM I have ever witnessed. Following the meeting, we had a well-attended Christmas Dinner; with the Christmas carollers and great food, we had indeed a true Christmas atmosphere.

With the blessings of the General Committee and management, our much-awaited Pools table arrived end of January 2018. We have seen great interest even amongst non-Section members in wanting to play pool. It is a delightful sight to see the pool table being well utilized.

We have started our JSM program rolling and got in two new undergraduates from NTU. They are very enthusiastic and have great talent. We intend to have more younger blood being involved actively in our Section’s games & competitions.

I must also report that the Section has grown. At the last count we had 242 members. We hope to work hard and continue to grow the Section so that we can organise more activities for our members. We intend to have more social games involving all the Section members.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my fellow Committee members for all the hard work & dedication.

Desmond Decker
 Billiards & Snooker Section Committee Member and former Convenor

BOWLS



Bowls Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Ganesh SR, Amira Goh, Chng Ming Li, Christian Huang, Melvin Tan, T Velu, and Shermeen Lim.

Elected 21 January 2017:

Convenor
Christian Huang

Captain
Melvin Tan

Secretary
Chng Ming Li

Treasurer
T Velu

JSM Representative
Shermeen Lim

Committee Members
Ganesh SR
Amira Goh

One of the goals set out by the Section Committee during the last AGM was to look into attracting more members and to increase the popularity of the sport in the Club. The Committee started a monthly Bowls Social Night that ran on the first Friday of every month (less August due to the Triangular) where introductory Bowls was taught to family, friends and non-section members who came down. This has proved a popular event. A JSM outreach program has also been initiated by some of the younger members of the Section. This plan would come into full swing in 2018.

GAMES - LOCAL SCENE

Our first event on our Green was the Opening Carnival on 18 February 2017. The event saw 36 bowlers donned in red and pink engaging in friendly battle on the Green followed by a makan kechil.

The SCC Men Singles (McKean Cup) saw Euan Wong successfully defend his title by defeating Melvin Tan in a repeat of the 2016 finals. Over on the Ladies side (WA Rose Cup), Shermeen Lim made it a hat-trick of titles after winning all her games.

The SCC team of Christian Huang (Captain), Mary Lim, Amira Goh, Loh Hui Shan, Edmund Lin and Rosemary Tessensohn came in third in the Tanglin Club Pairs league held from February to May 2017. The other SCC team comprising of Chng Ming Li, Shermeen Lim, Melvin Tan, Euan Wong and Wong Hui Kai came in fourth.

In the 10th SCC Sports Awards Night, Bowls Section won its first ever Section of the Year Award. Shermeen Lim also picked up the Sportswoman of the Year award, and TQ Lim took home the Spirit of the Sport award for Bowls.



SCC vs KGBC - Triangular



SCC vs RBSC- Interport

The second club competition on our green was the SCC Drawn Triples. It was decided by the Section Committee that we would hold the Triples first instead of the Pairs to prepare our bowlers for the Triangular and Interport tournament in August 2017. The tournament attracted 24 bowlers and was won by Rosemary Tessensohn, KU Menon and Ben Cunico. They beat Mary Lim, Yong Lew Foong and R Srinivasan in the finals.

Triangular and Interport with KBGC and RBSC

For the first time in history, SCC successfully defended the Triangular trophy on our own turf in August. A 3-3 draw with Royal Bangkok Sports Club (RBSC), followed by a convincing 5-1 win against Kowloon Bowling Green Club (KBGC) was enough for us to retain the trophy as KBGC and RBSC only managed a 3-3 draw. SCC also won the Interport with KBGC and RBSC by overall shots. Once again, well done and congratulations to all. The next edition of the Triangular would be held later this year at RBSC.

The annual Pot Games between SCC and Tanglin Club was held in September. The game was played at SCC and we beat TC 5-1 to retain the Bowls Trophy. SCC eventually won the overall Pot Games.

The annual Inter-Section bowls event, the Giles Roche Trophy, was held in October. Most Sections took part and the GC also fielded a team. Darts won the event, followed by GC which came in second.

The last Club tournament of the year was our Drawn Pairs tournament which was carried out in a knock-out format that involved 12 pairs. The Cup was won by Purush and Mary, who beat Srin and Melvin in the finals, while the Plate was won by Ming Li and Bob, who beat TQ and Amira in the finals.

The bowling season culminated with an enjoyable tour to Kuala Lumpur on the first weekend of December, where we played three matches in the Malaysian capital. We first played against KLLBA at the recently refurbished Bukit Kiara Bowls Complex, also the venue of the recent SEA Games. Matches were also arranged against Wargamas at Seremban, and against Jenggo Lawn Bowls Club at the Bayuemas Indoor Bowls Green. All 22 bowlers had an enjoyable time.



Triangular Closing Dinner



SCC vs KLLBA



SCC vs ELBC friendly



National Fours Men's Finals



SCC Members at the Asia Bowls

GAMES - NATIONAL SCENE

2017 was another stellar year for SCC bowlers. They represented the Club and our country with great distinction and brought great honour to SCC and most importantly, themselves.

SCC was well represented in the National Singles and four of our male bowlers made the quarterfinals. However, only Christian made the semi-finals and eventually lost his match to Terence Lee (ELBC) and walked away with a joint-bronze. Shermeen also suffered a similar fate in the semis but regrouped to win the bronze by defeating Margaret (STRC).

The National Pairs saw Edmund and Ganesh reaching the finals for the second year running. Despite not bowling at Kallang, they managed to oust many of the National team bowlers to reach the finals, succumbing only narrowly to Anthony and Thomas in the finals. SCC had a clean sweep in the women's event, with Shermeen and Ming Li beating Mary and Amira in the finals

In the National Men's Triples, a gruelling league format meant all teams had to play six games in the preliminary stages. Euan, Melvin and Hui Kai managed to edge themselves into the finals where they ran into a rampant Anthony, Chia and John in the finals. They walked away with a proud silver. It was again another clean sweep for the ladies, where Mary, Amira and Virginia beat Shermeen, Ming Li and Candy in an all-SCC final.

The National Fours was another triumphant event for all SCC team. Euan, Melvin, Matthew and Hui Kai won the men's event. Our ladies again showed their prowess when both

teams made the finals. Mary, Amira, Rosemary and Devi took home the gold after defeating their slightly younger counterparts, Shermeen, Ming Li, Hui Shan and Candy in the finals.

The last National event of the year was the National Singles League. Melvin made it to the finals but was unable to retain his title after he lost in a tie-break to Law KF. Amira came in joint-third after losing her semi-finals to eventual champion Li Li.

GAMES - INTERNATIONAL SCENE

Melvin represented Singapore at the World Cup in Warilla, Australia by virtue of his win in the National Singles League. He did well in his first international singles event.

Christian also represented Singapore at the 2017 Sea Games in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. He played Pairs with his then national team-mate, Chia TC. They came in fourth after losing an agonising extra-end match against Thailand.

Rodger Kimpton led the Singapore team to the Asia Lawn Bowls Championships in New Delhi, India, in October. In arguably Singapore's best showing at this event, Shermeen Lim came home with two silvers in the Women's Singles and Pairs. Amira also walked away with a bronze in the Women's Fours after a sixteen-year hiatus away from the national team. Singapore won its first ever Men's gold medal after Melvin's fours team, comprising also of Anthony, Pang and Bernard, all from ELBC, came from a 0-10 deficit to defeat home country India in the finals. The same team would be competing in the 2018 Commonwealth Games in Gold Coast, Australia.

Tattersalls

We continued our long-standing participation in this event at the 52nd edition at Tweed Heads, NSW, Australi, with nine players taking part.

CONCLUSION

2017 was a memorable year for the Bowls section, We held many competitions, participated in more, and hosted many social events. We were successful in growing our bowling fraternity and we managed to embark on a short but enjoyable section tour together.

Christian Huang
Bowls Section Convenor

National Triples



BRIDGE



Bridge Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Felix Gnagapragasam, Savithri Bawajee, Patricia Jasudasen, Richard Holloway, Olivia Law, and Chitra Varaprasad.

Elected 25 September 2017:

Convenor

Patricia Jasudasen

Captain

Olivia Law

Secretary

Chitra Varaprasad

Treasurer

Felix Gnagapragasam

Committee Members

Richard Holloway

Savithri Bawajee

REGULAR BRIDGE NIGHTS

The Bridge Section meets nearly every Monday night of the year for a game of duplicate bridge. It is well supported by its enthusiastic members, as well as by a few guest players who join us from time to time from other clubs.

In addition, a special dinner and bridge night is held several times throughout the year to celebrate our national festivals, such as Chinese New Year, Hari Raya Puasa, National Day, AGM, Deepavali and Christmas. These sessions are well attended, and there are prizes for the best pairs of the evening.

ANNUAL AWARDS

At the Christmas event, prizes and trophies are awarded to the Champion Pair of the Year and to the Individual Champion of the Year. In 2017, the award went to John Martens and Stephanie Hodges (Champion Pair), and to Stephanie Hodges (Individual Champion). Congratulations!

BRIDGE TOURNAMENTS

As usual, 2017 was an active year. Apart from our regular in-house activities, the Bridge Section participated in various inter-club tournaments, which provide a wonderful opportunity for members to participate in competitive bridge with other clubs. The rounds usually take place on Sunday afternoons.



Bridge players from SCC, SRC, KC and KBCC participating in the Quadrangle Games.

The Premier Bridge League (PBL) tournament was played over several rounds between March and June. In 2017, eight clubs participated -the Chinese Swimming Club (CSC) which was the main organiser, Singapore Cricket Club (SCC), Singapore Recreation Club (SRC), Keppel Club (KC), Geylang West Bridge Club (GWBC), Tanglin Club (TC), National University of Singapore Society (NUSS) and Singapore Island Country Club (SICC).

The Quadrangle Games (QG) 2017 - for which four rounds were played once a quarter between March and November - saw SCC, SRC, KC and Kembangan Community Club (KBCC) participating.

In May 2017, six of our members went to Kuching, Malaysia, to participate in the annual Kuching Bridge Congress, which was well organised, and an excellent opportunity to play with good players from several countries in the region, and Australia.

The Annual POT Games between the TC and the SCC were hosted by SCC in 2017, and the Bridge Section participated as usual.

SCC INAUGURAL OPEN PAIRS TOURNAMENT

In August 2017, for the very first time, the SCC held its inaugural Open Pairs Tournament, which proved to be a tremendous success, with 60 participants from nine clubs and bridge associations. The tournament was made possible by the very generous support of the Global Citizen Forum (GCF), and we hope that the GCF will continue to sponsor the tournament in the future. Two of our members, Mr. Perumal Ramanathan and Mr Firoz Khimji were the first runners up! Congratulations!

BEGINNERS' BRIDGE COURSE

The Beginners' Bridge Course, held between March and May, has become an annual fixture in the Bridge Section's calendar. The course is conducted by Mr. Carlton Parker, a bridge teacher who is certified by both the Singapore Contract Bridge Association (SCBA) and the American Contract Bridge League (ACBL). In 2017, 22 people participated in the course, generating some income for the Bridge Section. I am pleased to report that some of the course graduates now come to our regular Monday night sessions.

SPECIAL THANKS AND APPRECIATION

The Section would like to thank the cheerful, helpful and efficient staff of the Sports Department and the F&B Department, and many others, for their continued support of the Bridge Section. Thank you for helping to facilitate not only the regular bridge nights and festive celebrations, but also the inter-club tournaments that we host from time to time.

Thank you too to Mr. Carlton Parker, our ever-dependable Bridge Director! Bridge nights would not be the same without his authoritative expertise, calm demeanour and above all, his sense of humour!



Open Pairs Tournament Sunday's first runner up pair Perumal Ramanathan and Firoz Khimji from SCC, with past Convenor and present Captain Olivia Law and SCC President Sher Baljit Singh.

Special thanks are due to Olivia Law Jacob, past Convenor, who steered the Bridge Section for the past three years with her energy and wisdom! She continues to guide the present Section Committee. Thanks to my fellow Committee members who contribute their time and expertise, thanks to the Bridge Section members who give their time to represent the Club and participate in the inter-club tournaments on Sunday afternoons, and thanks to those who help in many other ways - such as purchasing and hand-carrying (from overseas) the much-needed bridge tables on behalf of the Bridge Section.

STATE OF PLAY

I am happy to report that the Bridge Section is thriving, thanks to the strong support and happy camaraderie of its members. The Calendar for 2018 is already packed with activities and tournaments, and I feel confident that the Section will continue to prosper.

Patricia Jasudasen
Bridge Section Convenor

CRICKET



Cricket Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Joe Windscheffel, Dene Border, Will Tipping (former committee member), Hugh Darwell, Arjun Kakar, Vijay Jeyaratnam. Not in photo: Andy Williams and Rohan Kapoor.

Elected 11 November 2017:

Convenor
Hugh Darwell

Captain
Dene Border

Secretary
Arjun Kakar

Treasurer
Rohan Kapoor

Social Secretary
Vijay Jeyaratnam

Tours & Fixtures
Joe Windscheffel

Cricket Youth Development
Andy Williams

The 2017 season was an action packed year for the Section - Our 1st team, Lions, did well to reach the play offs for the SCA T20 league and finished fourth in the 50 over format; both our teams in Div 1 did well and under the able captaincy of Peter Murray, Cougars emerged as premiership winners while our 2nd team, Tigers, finished on the podium as well as 2nd runners up. SCC Sphinxes, again showed that they are the best in the country by winning the Masters league once more and is still undefeated in the format since its inception 3 years ago.

We are extremely pleased to report that the experience gained in 2017 will hold us in good stead for the 2018 season, for which we have attracted new members, some of whom are in the top bracket of the talent pool available on the island.

Across the leagues, our teams played 85 games with a winning percentage of 52%. This was the same as 2016. 110 players represented the Club in League cricket in 2017 with a further 47 players turning out for the Sat XI.

SCC INTERNATIONAL T20 TOURNAMENT

The SCC International Twenty20 returned, bigger than ever, at the Padang from 11 - 13 August. Cricket enthusiasts enjoyed the power-packed 5th edition of the tournament with some riveting world-class action. Teams from Australia, South Africa, India, Hong Kong, Sri Lanka and Singapore provided sensational entertainment; eight teams in all fought tooth and nail over a weekend where cricketing legends and enthusiasts graced the hallowed Padang turf.



SCC International T20 Tournament at the Padang.



Winner of the SCC International T20 Tournament – Sinhalese Sports Club.

Singapore Cricket Club’s (SCC) marquee player, the legendary Sri Lankan cricketer Muttiah Muralitharan, shared his valuable insights in a masterclass session with our junior cricketers. The next couple of days saw the spin wizard along with our other marquee players, Australian test cricketer Ed Cowan and Sri Lankan all-rounder Farveez Maharoo, donning the club colours to represent SCC.

After 3 weeks of virtually no rain in the lead up to the tournament, the heavens opened on the first day of the tournament. Despite the Padang being underwater at 3pm on Friday afternoon, we managed to finish all games that day, a credit to the drainage at the ground and the incredibly hard work of Rashed and his team of groundstaff.

The cricket was of an extremely high standard, with the surprise package of the tournament, the Singapore Emerging Stars making the final. Unfortunately, they ran into the juggernaut that was Sinhalese Sports Club and were well beaten in the final. Notably after the tournament, 2 of the Sinhalese team, player of the tournament Dasun Shanaka and Jeffrey Vandersay were selected in the Sri Lankan T20 squad to play against India.

A tournament of this scale cannot happen without an incredible amount of hard work. We are indebted to tournament Chairman Push Sharma and the organising team

JUNIOR CRICKET

Junior Cricket progressed in leaps and bounds during the year under the guidance of Andy Williams and our coaching team of Ricky Anderson and Arun Vijayan; the quality of youngsters coming through the system is testament to their work. Five of our JSMs were selected in the Singapore Under-19 team - congratulations to Bir Bikram Biswasray, Sean Aggarwal, Brigu Iyer, Rahul Bala and Utkarsh Dubey on the tremendous achievement. With an expanding CYD program, we will be looking to bring in more coaches in 2018.

INTERPORTS

In 2017, we travelled to both the Royal Bangkok Sports Club and the Royal Selangor Club. Both weekends were a



SCC International T20 Tournament Organising Committee (front, from left to right): Vikas Shenoy, Pushpendra Sharma, Sukanti Sen, (back, from left to right) Joe Windscheffel, Dave Wright, Matthew Boardman, and Ajay Aggrawal.

great opportunity to renew friendships with members of both Clubs and they were enjoyed thoroughly by all who participated. The hospitality shown to us was second to none.

TOURS TO INDIA, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE

Our tour managers Vikas Shenoy, Aditya Bhargava (India), Arjun Kakar (Sydney) and James Watson (Melbourne) did an exemplary job in arranging three major tours in 2017-18. First up, the section embarked on an eight- day tour to India, with six games being played. The team played on two test grounds in Chennai (at Madras Cricket Club, the site of the famous tied test) and in Mumbai. The hospitality shown to the team on tour was incredible.

To kickstart 2018, our pre-season preparations involved us being invited by SCG Trust for the Spirit of Cricket Club Global Challenge along with some of the other leading clubs HKCC, MCC, CCI etc. The team got to experience playing at some of the facilities including the historic SCG and The Bradman Oval. I am proud to report that SCC came back from the tour undefeated and the contributions of some of junior sports members was exemplary over the eight-day tour.

Our second tour for the year was the club tour to MCC where the squad put on a competitive show at the iconic MCG against a strong opposition, and again the hospitality of the hosts was par excellence. The section’s commitment to interprets remains strong and with a few clubs touring SCC this year we continue with our efforts to keep building stronger ties with our reciprocal clubs

S.E.A. GAMES

Singapore sent two teams to the S.E.A. games in August to play in the 50 over competition and the 20 over competition. It is with immense pride that we report that 12 SCC players represented Singapore in the two teams. Both of the mens teams were captained by Anish Paraam and they came away with a Silver medal in the 50 over competition and the Gold medal in the T20 competition.



We are also very proud of Diviya GK, who was selected to captain the Singapore women's team in the Sea Games

Those representing Singapore in the teams from SCC were Anish, Divya, Riaz Hussien, Arun Vijayan, Varun Sivaram, Abiraj Singh, Ishaan Shekhar, Karthick Suresh, Pramodh Raja, Navin Param, James Muruthi and Riaz Altaf Hussien.

VALE

During the year, we lost three members of the section who had made significant contributions over the years to SCC and cricket in Singapore. Clem Cull, a former Panthers captain lost his battle with cancer in July. Joe Grimberg, a long standing member of the Club and Past President of the Singapore Cricket Association passed away in August. Most recently Grant Stanley, a larger-than-life figure at SCC also lost a battle with cancer.

The Cricket Section's condolences go to the family and friends of these three men.

CONCLUSION

The Section had another successful year. A Division One title and some great signs that we will challenge strongly for both Premier league titles in 2018. The highlight of the year was of course the fabulously organised T20 tournament in August.

There are a number of people who work tirelessly for the Section who deserve our gratitude

- First, to the Section Committee members who were all fully committed to their roles in an extremely busy year, making the role of Convenor that much easier. Dene Border, in particular as Captain of Cricket, put in hours of work in ensuring that we put our best foot forward on the field. Also to Joe Windscheffel, who not only expertly managed tours and fixtures in 2017 but also was in charge of the huge task of making sure the entire infrastructure for the T20 tournament was in place.
- All six league captains who managed their sides this year, not to mention Ajay Aggarwal, the Sat XI captain.
- Thanks as always go to the Club Management, under the leadership of Alan Jones. The Sports Department is integral to the smooth running of the section and their work is greatly appreciated. Janet Ng, Wendy Foo and Thipa Mogan all deserve our gratitude for their continued assistance to the cricket section. Also, the ladies in F&B - Chovin Ong, Becky Xu and Audrey Wang - assist us with all our catering needs, a task that is vital to the smooth running of the Section, particularly for home matches.



Cricket Section Tours

Hugh Darwell
Cricket Section Convenor

DARTS



Darts Section Committee 2017-18 (from top, left to right): Genevieve Chase, Captain Jagdeep Singh, Helen Campos, (from bottom, left to right) Prof. Brian Farrell, Mohiethen Fathima, and Charles Shanmugaraj.

Elected 16 February 2017:

Convenor
Mohiethen Fathima

Captain
Charles Shanmugaraj

Treasurer
Helen Campos

Secretary
Genevieve Chase

Committee Members
Prof. Brian Farrell
Captain Jagdeep Singh

Co-Opted Members
Captain Raymond Ambrose
Cheryl Bailey



Friendly Game at British High Commission.

The Darts Section Committee has done a fantastic job in bringing the Section back to life with many events they organized.

We had our first Darts Night organized by bringing in coaches to train our newbies and for some to correct the techniques in their throws. Many of the darters who were present on that night took away with them most of the techniques which were shared with them and enjoyed the night.



Ladies Darts Night.

Our first Friendly Game was at the British High Commission (BHC). We would like to thank Raymond Ambrose who assisted by connecting us with the BHC in charge. We have fostered a great relationship with them and they invited us to their home ground to play friendlies with their staffs, friends and loved ones. It was truly a fun and great night out with the team. Thank you Genevieve Chase in coordinating the flow of games with the BHC Organizers. The game was well represented by a good number of SCC Darts Section members including our GCBC Mr. Matthew Streeton. Thank you for your support Matt! The team did very well and overall we won the games. We presented our SCC Darts to their top players. It was a fantastic night which was very well organized by both SCC and BHC.

Every year we have a very successful event of the year: Ladies Darts Night when for one night all the ladies, spouses, loved ones of the SCC Members are invited to come and throw darts at The Oval. We also invite our SCC Staff to participate in the event we are organizing for all the Ladies in the Club. Last year, we had eight teams represented by three ladies each. All the ladies in the Club and Section look forward not so much just to the attractive prizes but also the laughter, fun and lots of screaming. The male darters assist us with the chalking and it is always a great night that most ladies look forward to. We would also like to thank our sponsors for their prizes for these beautiful ladies.

INTER-SECTION

Intersection is an event where most Sections would want to show who has the best Darters in their Section and Darts Section will take this opportunity to recruit them to be part of the Section. With the great support from the GCBC Matthew Streeton and all the Sports Section Convenors who made this intersection possible, we had an awesome turnout from almost all the Sports Sections.



Pot Games with Tanglin Club.

It was also a very special event where we had 30 matches planned in the two main fixtures leading to the Top 3 Winner. We added two Group Tournaments for the "Knock Out Teams", leading to two teams winning the Late Winners Prizes. In total, we played 54 matches within four hours! Each team played at least played four matches each. It was an afternoon of flexible and fun matches.

Participating teams included: Golf (two teams), Balut (three teams), Bridge (one team), Cricket (one team), GC (two teams), Squash (one team), Bowls (one team), Hockey (two teams), Tennis (one team), Darts (one team)

This year the Cricket Section emerged 1st, while the Squash Section placed 2nd, and Golf Section in 3rd. The Late Winner Group A was Golf 2 and Late Winner Group B: Hockey B.

Thank you Section Convenors, for making this Intersection possible; your presence and all your support for Darts Section is truly appreciated. We look forward for next year's Bull's Eye Tournament!

POT GAMES

The 2017 Pot Games was hosted by SCC and we had a fantastic team well represented by: Lynn Wilson, Matt, Jonathan Knapp (Football Convenor), Shelia Nagiah, Genevieve Chase, Kelvin Teo, Andrew (Squash Convenor), Amos Boon, and Bryden.

We added extra matches so that there are more games for the ladies to compete in the competition. Team SCC did fantastically, winning nine of the 11 games and proving that training results in perfect play. The team had trained conscientiously at the Men's Bar in preparation for the games, most of them after work, to ensure they PLAY TO WIN. The team did it and they definitely deserved to win. Well done Team SCC Darters.

ANNUAL GILES ROCHE TOURNAMENT

We had so many hidden talents in our Darts Section; this year we emerged the champion and it would not have been possible without this lovely team who represented the Section: Fatema Sadik , Fahmy, Huned Sadik, and GC Member Mr. George Abraham played in the scorching hot sun to win every game they played at the SCC lawns. Thank you team for representing the Section, we do appreciate it most!

XIN CHAO (WELCOME TO VIETNAM)

A team of SCC Darters flew to Saigon to play friendly games with the Saigon International Darters. We had a great team on board and once again, the team proved that they play to win. Genevieve and her darts partner came in First, followed by 1st Runner up Soma Devi and her Darts partner. The team indeed played really well and went beyond in winning the games. To end the tour, we had a river cruise dinner along the Mekong River, during which time our Darts Section Captain Charles Shanmugaraj took over the microphone and entertained all the passengers on board. It was a great night to be remembered and we had a fantastic trip.

YEAR-END MASQUERADE PARTY

To end the year, the Darts Section Committee organized a year-end party with the Theme: Masquerade Party, the night was filled with great entertainment, lots of games and music.

The Darts Section has worked its way up to bring the Section to the next level up and with support of the Section Darters, President Mr. Sher Baljit Singh, Vice-President Mr. Zoher Motiwalla, GC Members, and the Sports Department’s Thipa and Janet who ensure our events run smoothly. The F& B Team is always there for us to ensure we have enough food and drinks and the members are well taken care of. All these would not have been



SCC Darts Section's Vietnam tour - River cruise dinner along the Mekong River.

possible without them; they make every effort in attending the events and also encourage the other Sections to participate in the events we organize. In sports we get united and in sports we create great camaraderie and sportsmanship.

Importantly, let me take this opportunity to thank the wonderful Committee members who worked beyond their time for the Section. The events would not have been possible without all these people who plan and dedicate their time for the section, Once again, thank you everyone: SCC Darts Committee Members: Charles, Helen Campos, Genevieve Chase, Brian Farrell, Jagdeep Singh, Raymond Ambrose and Cheryl Bailey.

**Mohietheen Fathima
Darts Section Convenor**



Darts Section representatives at Giles Roche Tournament.

FOOTBALL



Football Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Jack Cullinane, Glyn Vince, Amos Boon, Anthony Garreau, Jonathan Knapp, Christopher Day, David Shepherd

Elected 31 March 2017:

Convenor
Jonathan Knapp

Captain
Anthony Garreau

Vice-Captain
Glyn Vince

Secretary
Jack Cullinane

Treasurer
Christopher Day

NFL Team Manager and JSM Rep
Amos Boon

Committee Member
David Shepherd



The winners of the RBSC Soccer 7s Tournament: SCC Select.

SUCCESS FOR THE SCC SELECT AT THE RBSC SOCCER 7S *(January 2018)*

The SCC Select achieved the remarkable feat of winning the Royal Bangkok Sporting Club (RBSC) Annual Soccer 7's Tournament on 21 January 2018 - a tournament which carries no age restriction: Micky Drake, Adam Bowden, Amos Boon, Chris Day, Martin Goerjo, Owen Monaghan, PJ Roberts, Ong Kian Ann, Quek Sze Boon and Yossi Arzan.



SCC Tigers MVP and Captain Ben King

The SCC took 3 teams to the tournament, the Firsts, NFL and SCC 'Select'. All three teams entered the Open tournament and after two hard fought days, the least expected of these teams stood on the hallowed turf of the Bangkok Polo Club to lift the prestigious winners' trophy! With an average age of 43, the SCC Select was the oldest team ever to have won the tournament and did so without conceding a single goal!

SCC TIGERS WIN THE LEAGUE
(November 2017)

A fantastic achievement by the Tigers in becoming Champions of EFL Premiership in their very first season! The Tigers impressed in sprinting to the title with two games in hand! From 16 games, the Tigers amassed 43pts, 14 Wins, 1 draw and 1 loss, scored 66 goals - more than any other team in the league - and conceded just 13 - the lowest amount of any team!

The team was managed by Yossi and Etienne and was heavily built on the SCC youth academy players aged 14-17, with a few mature and experienced players such as Jahan Rezai, Yossi and Etienne making up an all-rounder balanced and experienced team with the speed and stamina of the young players.

The SCC Tigers are the "Barca B" of the SCC Firsts, functioning as a feeder team to nurture young players to join the first team as well as 1st Team players returning from injuries to prepare to participate in the prestigious Cosmo League.

This season have seen a few young players growing from the SCC Youth Academy for the past two seasons under Owen Monaghan and Sam Balls management; these players stood tall above the rest, showing great footballing skills as individuals and as team players and excelling in leadership



SCC Padantiques spending quality time with the children of the Youth Football Home in Phuket, Thailand.

on and off the field, these 4 are now regulars in the Firsts team calls for Saturday games and making an impact both for Tigers and Firsts, most notably Ben King (captain, 16), Ethan Pizano (16), Marcus Nagle (16) and Paul (16).

We see bright futures for these boys and full scholarships to an American University in couple of years!

MVP of the season: Ben King
MVP 1st runner up: Ethan Pizano

HENRIK LORENZ MEMORIAL CHAMPIONSHIP
(October 2017)

The 2017 Henrik Lorenz Memorial Championship has been a very special tour for the SCC PADANTIQUES for many reasons, but primarily for our immense commitment to the YFH (Youth Football Home) in Phuket, Thailand.

In 2005 Henrik Lorenz, whom represented both Singapore Cricket Club and Hong Kong Football Club, had a dream to build an orphanage in Phuket to take in local orphans and destitute children. The dream was to coach them in football and also provide them with the opportunity for a good education. Henrik is the founding trustee of the Foundation. Sadly, Henrik passed away in his sleep during a flight to Australia in December 2006.

Our aim is to establish a loving home for orphaned and destitute children. The children receive comprehensive education at good local schools. They also enjoy daily coaching and training from fully qualified coaches in the game of football.

The Youth Football Home is built on 8 rai of land in the town of Thalang (about 150 metres from Wat Muang Komaraphat) on Phuket Island. It originally constituted of a dormitory home for 32 boys, a residential building for staff and a full size football field plus training areas. Construction began in October 2005, and the dormitory and staff house were built and furnished by the beginning of May 2006; the football field and the training areas were completed four months later.

In April 2014 the construction was completed for a second twin dormitory home building next to the first building as the Youth Football Home expanded to include 32 girls. The first group of nine boys from Bangkok and the Northern provinces arrived at the Home on 11 May 2006, and were enrolled at the Thalangpranangsang Primary School in time to attend the first day of the new school year. Today we have two full houses of boys and girls attending Thalangpranangsang Primary School and Thalang Secondary School.

Youth Football Home has a full complement of qualified staff to look after the children. Under the supervision of a Thai Lady Guardian as Wardress, the staff includes two nannies, a cook and cleaning, security and ground personnel. We have a qualified football coach from Europe as sports manager to look after the children's training and development in football. In addition, British and German Ex-International footballers periodically visit the Youth Football Home and conduct coaching sessions with our children.

The SCC Padantiques (The PADS) have taken this charity to their hearts and continue the dream of the children achieving great heights both on and off the field. This dream has been developed by Peter Schott, driving the thoughts, dreams and ideas required by The PADS to give continuous support to this great cause. Various fund-raising concepts have been achieved over the years to pay for the children's equipment, English classes, IT classes and buses to and from games and classes. The recent Victorian Vodka event kindly supported by the SCC arranged by Peter Schott raised over S\$3000 towards the YFH - this will now become an annual event.

The PADS travel to Phuket every year to spend invaluable time with the kids, taking them to the beach, arranging sports days and trips to their favourite - KFC!! The experience is both wonderful and very humbling and certainly grounds us all when you spend this time with our beloved children. We also play our arch rivals Hong Kong Football Club for the Henrik Lorenz Memorial Trophy every year in front of the attending children. This year we are most happy to announce that Singapore won 2-0 against HKFC!!

On tour this year we took the children to KFC where we spent the evening having fun and sharing invaluable time with all the children. This is a special event that the children always look forward to and was shared with our friends from HKFC.

After the match on Saturday the children presented a special evening of entertainment with various traditional and modern dances which the children had great pleasure in performing to us. Later they served us a splendid local Thai dinner of chicken, fresh fish, crocodile and vegetables.

If anybody would like to further support his great charity, please contact the SCC PADS either Peter Scott or Glyn Vince (Captain) to learn more about this great cause.

Jonathan Knapp
Football Section Convenor

GOLF



Golf Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Richard Loo, Victor Olsen, Colin Khong, Bala Supramaniam, Alvin Khoo, Jagateesen Krishna, Chionh Chye Hion.

Elected 20 October 2017:

Convenor
Chionh Chye Hion

Captain
Alvin Khoo

Secretary
Bala Suprabraniam

Treasurer
Jagateesen Krishna

Committee Members
Richard Loo
Victor Olsen
Colin Khong

INTER-CLUB WITH CGC

(21 January 2017)

As always, the first event of the new year started with our 'friendly' inter-club match with Changi Golf Club. We were hoping that we would be able to pull off another fluke result as in 2016, but CGC was determined to return things to their right order, and we were soundly beaten this time. However, nothing can mar the good fun and camaraderie we share in both defeat and victory as we revelled over dinner and drinks.

LO-HEI GAME

(8 February 2017)

Considered to be one of the major events on the golfing calendar, the game was played over the SICC Old Course and the traditional lo-hei dinner held at the Silk Restaurant at the club.



The Ang Pow Golf game and dinner



The SCC Annual Championship at Seletar Country Club.

SOCIAL NIGHT

(24 February 2017)

This is an event, held quarterly at The Gilmour, when members of the section are expected to be more civil with each other, rather than trying to take money off one another on the golf course.

MINOR OVERSEAS TOUR

(22-25 March 2017)

A total of 16 section members took part in the tour to Pattaya. Three rounds of golf were played, ending with the usual nightly wining and dining.

RSC INTERPORT & SOCIAL NIGHT

(21 April 2017)

The section hosted Royal Selangor Club (RSC) for the inter-port game at Seletar Country Club. Having travelled such a long way by bus, RSC just could not muster their 'A' game that day, and we emerged victorious by a big margin. Dinner was hosted at The Gilmour, when we also held a social-night event for all the Section members who could not make it for the game. The band, Hearts & Soul, was in attendance.

SOCIAL GAME

(5 May 2017)

The date was slated for an inter-port match with Kluang Country Club (KCC), but due to an EOGM, KCC had to cancel the meet. We took the opportunity to have a social game among the members instead, at the same venue - NSRCC Kranji. Dinner was held at a nearby rustic resort restaurant.

OVERSEAS SOCIAL AT BATAM

(12-14 May 2017)

Our secretary, Bala S, led a small contingent to the nearby Batam Island for three days of social golfing and good fun over the May weekend.



The RSC Interport Game at Seletar Country Club.

INTER-SECTION GAME

(20 June 2017)

The game, again played at the SICC Sime Course, attracted a good turn-out, with the Football and Cricket Sections well represented. The Football Section was the eventual winner of this inter-sectional match.

SOCIAL GAME & NIGHT

(28 July 2017)

The third of this quarterly event was again held at The Gilmour with a social game played at the Marina Bay Golf Club.

SCC ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP

(6 September 2017)

This marquee event was once again held at Seletar Country Club, and this time, the weather co-operated to allow us a full game for everyone. Mr. Allan Muir was the champion golfer of the year and deservedly took home the Charlie Phua Trophy.



The Inter-Section Game, with representatives from the Squash and Cricket Sections.



Pot Game - Alvin Khoo receiving the trophy from Tanglin Club.

MAJOR OVERSEAS TOUR

(10-16 September 2017)

Though it was initially planned for Melbourne in August, the destination was switched to Perth once it was known that the MCC Tour to Melbourne would be held by the Club in early 2018. Four rounds of golf were played in the Mandurah area, south of Perth.

POT GAMES

(28 September 2017)

We hosted Tanglin Club in this annual series at the Warren Golf & Country Club, and it was a pleasure to wrest the President's Cup back from them.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

(20 October 2017)

The AGM was held at the Gilmour, and the above committee was elected to plan and organise the 2018 golfing calendar.

SOCIAL GAME

(15 November 2017)

Knowing that Raffles Country Club would soon be taken back by the SLA, a social game was held there for the members, together with dinner at the club's Fukuya Japanese Restaurant.

CHRISTMAS GAME/DINNER & DANCE

(8 December 2017)

For a change, the game was played at the nearby Marina Bay GC, with a dinner and dance held at the Padang Restaurant and Gilmour. Section member, Mr. Terry Mortimer and his bandmates, entertained the attendees for the evening.

Chionh Chye Hion
Golf Section Convenor

HOCKEY



Elected 25 November 2017:

Convenor
Intekhab Khan

Men's Club Captain
Chris Jones

Ladies Club Captain
Katherine Mountain

Secretary
Martijn de Blauwe

Treasurer
Mathavan Devadas

Social Secretary
Subhas Nathan & Amanda Bird

Committee Members
Nick Warner
Sean Chen
Liu Shiyong
Jamal Siddique

JSM Representative
Janice Tan

2017 was a year of celebrations and unprecedented success for the SCC Hockey Section both on the playing field and off it. Our teams ended the year off in a spectacular fashion, winning a grand total of 11 medals, nine of which were Gold medals. To top it all off, our 1st XI players, Ben Rogers and Rhian Frizler also walked away with two individual top scorer awards.

The Section also achieved its first historic double by winning the Men's and Ladies' Cup Titles in the 23rd SCC International Hockey 6s in early March 2017, and continued with its winning streak in the National League where both the Men's and Ladies' teams clinched their respective Division 1 titles.

It wasn't just our skills and this remarkable feat that impressed the spectators – during the Men's and Ladies' Cup (once again featuring 64 teams), His Excellency the Australian High Commissioner congratulated the SCC on its hosting credentials.

The carnivals of 2017 also worth a special mention include the fun-filled Dutch Wooden Shoe Carnival where our Ladies' Team emerged victorious once again, and the National Indoor Carnival, where the men's team secured three wins and went on to win the bronze medal.

In a year of doubles, our Junior Future Stars Programme bore fruit as our junior boys won the Boys National Junior League 3 title and then also went on to win the Youth Liga. Notably, our boys have remained unbeaten throughout their campaign.



Mens 1s

The Ladies of the Section deserve a shout out this year, after putting nine lovely cherries on top of what was already a hugely successful year for SCC Hockey, going on to win the Women's Liga title with a perfect 12-game winning run and then even going on to take home the ActiveSG Indoor championships.

These nine titles came in a year that SCC truly took stock of the disappointing 2016 where only one title was won and proceeded to invest heavily in bringing in exciting young talent. This recruitment drive led to the Hockey Section bringing in 32 new Junior Sporting Members which brought the total number of JSMs to 38% of all hockey section members.

We are also pleased to note that 31% of all female hockey members are ordinary members of the club - this is a 6% increase from 2016. In terms of other relevant statistics, 17% of the section members are Sports Members and 45% are Ordinary transferrable members. 27% of all section members are female. The 73% of male members are made up of 31% JSM, 16% Sports members and 53% Ordinary members.

In terms of social events, the Section's monthly socials at the Padang have been a real hit. Each event sees a good mix of players taking in an exciting hockey game at the Padang, before settling down together to enjoy local delights and drinks. The full year launch of the monthly socials have undoubtedly brought the Hockey Section closer together.

Alongside this initiative, the Masters of the Sections' monthly friendly matches have also been one of the highlights of this year, for the Hockey Section. Some non-competitive members have decided to play competitively after trying out the Seniors' hockey on the hallowed Padang lawns. These activities have exhibited that the section is determined to breathe energetic life into the scheme of things and take SCC Hockey forward.

We are also extremely pleased with the new kit from Australia which was designed in 2017 and with the sneak preview of the On-The-Go high quality and comfortable jerseys at the Section AGM and Awards dinner. We would like to thank BlackGold Natural Resources Limited, as a considerable part of the cost of the new kit has been defrayed by their sponsorship.



Girls Juniors





Monthly Socials

In fact, this sponsorship deal truly has an aura of “meant to be” surrounding it and SCC hockey teams will proudly wear their new kit with BlackGold written in the front as they prepare to make an assault on the titles in 2018. With that said, the focus is not just on winning. We will be sure to continue emphasizing and cherishing sound sporting etiquette and ensure that our young players continue to behave in an exemplary fashion whilst donning the SCC colours in all competitions.

Finally, our plans to attract and recruit national players have been largely successful, with three current national players joining our men’s team. We are proud to welcome Supranee Mathiprechakul who has been recalled to the National team following an eight year hiatus, and Fariz Mohd Bashir, who was selected to be part of the SEA Games, and who was part of the Bronze medal winning team in 2017. We also congratulate Fariz on his recent selection as part of the senior national team.

We believe that the growing popularity of joining the SCC team and the individual successes of its present players is not something that has happened by chance. The collective effort by the entire Section under the guidance of the Section Committee has led to a growing admiration by the public of our teams, and the SCC itself.

As always, we wrapped up the year with an elegant dinner, which was a fabulous and fun-filled affair, with laughter and happiness all around.

Ladies 1s



Socials

The Section prides itself on delivering a meaningful experience to all and it believes the recent upturn in title wins is testament to the sound management of the section by the Section Committee and genuine efforts of its members alike.

SCC Hockey hopes to continue its efforts in this regard, as a cherry on top of what appears to be a renaissance of sorts. We believe that the time has come for all of us to paint the hockey skies Black and Gold.

**Intekhab Khan
Hockey Section Convenor**

NETBALL



Netball Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Penny Hands, Carol Hartopp, Rebecca Gabriel, Nanthini Visvalingam, Sadaf Whiskin, and Jacqueline-Ann Phua. Not in photo: Zara Wingfield Digby.

Elected 2 August 2017:

Convenor
Penny Hands

Captain
Carol Hartopp

Secretary
Rebecca Gabriel

Treasurer
Sadaf Whiskin

JSM Liaison
Nanthini Visvalingam

Committee Member (Social Secretary)
Zara Wingfield Digby

Committee Member (Tours and Fixtures)
Jacqueline-Ann Phua

Following a degree of turnover in our membership, 2017 was a year of consolidation for the Netball Section. While this did involve some very sad goodbyes, we have welcomed to the Section a number of highly enthusiastic and skilled new joiners which is great to see!

The Committee this year, benefitting from the stability of some “regular” faces as well as energy and fresh ideas from new Committee members, has worked hard to develop the Section dynamics this year. We have boosted membership numbers, achieved a more balanced split of adult/JSMs, and are enjoying more time together as a Section, both on and off the court. High membership costs can act as a hurdle to attracting new members. We are therefore delighted to see these new members joining and becoming such active participants in the Section.



At the Pesta Sukan Carnival.

After an incredibly strong 2016, our performance in 2017 was always going to have a lot to live up to. A formidable Division 1 line-up in the SCC league proved insurmountable for the Hawks this year, having to hand off the trophy and settle for bronze medal position. Hardly a poor showing! It did, however, provide the opportunity for the squad to build on strategy and team play in preparation for our first National League in Division 2. Having cinched the title in Division 3 last year, the first post-promotion season was inevitably going to be a challenge. The Hawks grew in strength throughout the league, taking home some very impressive wins and holding outstanding teams to very close results. Finishing just outside of the podium here is certainly something to be proud of. As time goes on and this team repositions itself around its existing and new members, we are confident of more success in the future.



The Eagles also showed great progress this year. With a few of our stalwarts embracing their new journeys into motherhood, we were lucky enough to have some great new joiners bringing strength and patience to our match play. Indeed, Coach Eric described the Eagles as a team “in a totally different class” at the start of the National League – and when this comes on the back of such good results the previous year, this is a real compliment!



Bringing the boys into the mix – the Falcons continue to deliver consistent results against varied standards of opposition in both the Mixed Social League and the National League. With more male players in the Section than ever before, and with the standard of play improving each week, we very much hope to boost the profile of this team in the coming year. A special mention here for our own Paul Foster who brought home a Bronze Medal for Team Singapore from the Asian Men’s Netball Championship in Malaysia. Hopefully the SCC Netball section will be able to produce more international players in the future!

We would like to take this opportunity to highlight the success of the aforementioned SCC league. It is a home-grown initiative that was set up by the Netball Section to supplement a short Netball Singapore-organised playing season for club teams. Starting with a humble ten teams in two divisions six years ago, we now host 23 teams across four divisions! The overwhelming popularity of this iconic and well-reputed competition can be attributed solely to our long-standing section member, Nan. She works tirelessly to ensure that this event runs smoothly, liaising with players, captains and umpires, whilst simultaneously handling the logistics of court hire, fixtures and the somewhat unpredictable rainy season! We truly appreciate all the effort that she puts in, and are delighted that this event has become such an integral part of the Singapore Netball calendar.

At the Annual Bangkok Southerners Tournament – both on and off the court.

“Friendly” competition in 2017 started with the annual Mission Foods Beach Netball tournament in March. This is an enormously challenging tournament, both physically and mentally, and the team fought hard under blazing sunshine but sadly couldn’t hold onto our silver medal from 2016. In May, we took part in what is now a regular fixture in our netball calendar, the Annual Bangkok Southerners Tournament. Our touring team, the SCC Flamingos, emerged second in the Plate category, just pipped at the post after an incredibly hard-fought final. Another staple – the Pesta Sukan Carnival in August – was unfortunately rained out, but the brief playing time was victorious and the girls certainly made the most of the dry time! In addition to all of the



Friendly with a touring side from Kuala Lumpur.



Friendly with the Thai National Team.

above, we have also hosted friendly games with the Thai National Team, a touring side from KL and a floating team from HMAS Adelaide. These types of activities are some of our favourite – they mix abilities, ages, backgrounds and nationalities within a sporting environment with teamwork and gamesmanship at the very centre of play.

November saw youngsters from 14 schools descend on the SCC for the Annual JSM Carnival (up from just ten the previous year). Organised entirely by Section members and established some five years ago, this competition allows these players to enjoy the SCC facilities and to raise the profile of the section itself within the schools’ netball community. As with the SCC League, this is a feat of extraordinary organisation (40 matches of 15 minutes played on two courts over 6 hours with 168 players!) and another great example of the enthusiasm and commitment shown by our members to promote the game in various channels.

After many hours organising and umpiring the JSM Carnival, the section then donned their playing gear to participate in one of the most successful netball intersections that we have had. A higher standard than ever, the enthusiasm, competitiveness and overall atmosphere of the event was one we hope to replicate each year. Reigning champions, Cricket, were dismayed to have had to hand over the trophy to the victorious Tennis section at the end of the day – I believe the gauntlet has been laid!

From a social perspective – we have been busier than ever this year! The annual End of League party was as eventful as always (the mystery of the missing trophy continues...) and we’ve made the most of “alternative” training sessions when our courts were otherwise occupied (rock climbing anyone?). Socials continue to be a strong focus in the coming year with curry nights and karaoke set to gel the “newbies” of the section.

We approach 2018 with two very strong squads that are really starting to work well together. With such a range of abilities, we look forward to challenging competition and another great year both on and off the court. A small, but diverse and inclusive Section, we continue to go from strength to strength in terms of membership and commitment. In this context, we recognise the enormous contribution made by the SCC Sports Department – particularly Thipa and Janet – and we express our sincere gratitude to them and to the GC for their ongoing support.

**Penny Hands
Netball Section Convenor**



Intersection 2017 – the victorious Tennis Section.

RUGBY



Rugby Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Bryan Lim, Rishi Chandiook, Leo Shaw, Samuel Sharpe, Jeremy Bird, and Brian Varley.

Elected 20 March 2017:

Convenor
Samuel Sharpe

Captain
Rishi Chandiook

Secretary
Jeremy Bird

Treasurer
Brian Varley

Social Secretary
Leo Shaw

JSM Rep
Bryan Lim

It has been an unprecedented year for the Rugby Section, with a great deal of progress having been made in all three areas of the SCC's rugby programme (namely the Section, the Sevens and the Academy).

But the one event that must define this year is the Prem's' (1st XV) victory in the 2018 Grand Final under the captain Mikey Oliver. It's been 21 years since SCC won the Grand Final, so long that some of the guys playing in that team weren't even born the last time we won. Although it may seem a little disproportionate to define a year through the result of one game, the lift that this victory gives the whole of the SCC rugby community cannot be underestimated.

With that in mind, we'll summarise the achievements of the Section first.

One of the big decisions that we faced at the beginning of the 2017/2018 season was the coaching structure. Will Skinner, the previous head coach, unfortunately had to step down due to work and family commitments and so we were looking for a replacement. The question was this: do we look to employ a professional coach externally or do we look to our own guys to step up? We went for the latter option, appointing long-time Section players Matthew Head and Suhaimi Amran. To say that was the right call would be quite an understatement. These guys did what no other coach had done since 1997. For the Section, their achievement and the achievement of that Prem's squad was also important as



SCCV Growlers post semi-final win against the Gaulois in June 2017.

it demonstrates that we have the depth of talent in players as well as coaches to hopefully maintain the SCC's position as the best rugby team in Singapore.

The Tankards (2nd XV) and Lions (3rd XV) have had a more mixed season. The Tankards (skipped by Shane Dewar), which has dominated the Championship league (2nd division) for over 10 years, have had that dominance tested this year through decent opposition with the likes of Wanderers 2nds, Bucks 2nds as well as Bedok 2nds all upping their game. The Lions (under Captain Jack Whiskin) has continued to improve following a rocky 2016/2017 season, maintaining a place near the top of the Championship table, just behind the Tankards.

One of the more disappointing aspects of the 2017/2018 season has been the lack of rugby for the Growlers (the veterans team). The SRU's decision to dispense with the Conference League (3rd Division) last year led to the Growlers having to play friendlies and wait until the end of the season to resume the Muddy Penny Cup competition. The wizened world champions will need to make a call next season about whether to enter a team in the Championship league. That said, there has been some good rugby under the captaincy of Stafford Bagot, the highlight being winning the Manila 10s trophy again in 2017.

The Tankards at play - Howard de Podesta reaching for the high ball.



The 2017 sevens season went very well indeed under the guidance of 7s coach Suhaimi Amran. The squad saw a number of strong performances, including winning the 2017 National Club Sevens tournament convincingly, and performing exceptionally well in the 2017 SCC 7s tournament.

A new development in for the Section in 2017 was the establishment of the SCC Untouchables - the new mixed touch rugby team founded and skipped by Terry Noe. The Untouchables are composed of a mixture of JSMs from the Academy touch rugby and contact rugby programmes, long time SCC rugby stalwarts (including the likes of Axe Rawlinson, Bill McCormack, Alex Hambly among others), as well as the Section's first female playing member, Rachel Dalgleish. The 2017 Touch season went well, with the Untouchables narrowly missing winning the Touch Association of Singapore's E grade. 2018 sees them moving up to D grade, with some tougher opposition. As touch rugby is a non-contact sport open to both men and women of all ages, the Section continues to encourage other Members from across the club to come and join the Untouchables.

The SCC Rugby Academy (under the guidance of President Richard Cook and Manager Sarah Finley) went from strength to strength in 2017, with 510 boys and girls between the ages of 4 and 17 being members (including 80 girls SCC Academy Girls' Touch programme). 2017 was another milestone for the Academy and the Section as we began to see the first group of our senior Academy members join the Section as JSMs, providing a strong base of largely Singaporean talent to fill the senior teams.

The quality of coaching at the SCC Academy also took a great step forward in 2017, with the addition of former England international, John Brake as head coach, and former National Women's 7s player Angel Liu as the girls' U15 touch rugby coach.

The Academy and Section's social outreach programmes continued in 2017 under the leadership of Clare Ferguson. Of particular note are the continuing partnerships with Beyond Social Services, Sportcares SG, East Spring Secondary School and Gracehaven Children's home, where weekly and monthly coaching sessions (with the support of Bryan Lim, Mikey Oliver and the SCC 7s squad) are given to the children (some of whom are now playing for the Academy) together with donations from the Academy itself. The SCC Rugby Academy (a not-for-profit organisation) has also been featured in a Channel News Asia documentary on the importance of community-focused not-for-profit organisations in Singapore.

Last but not least, 2017 saw the 70th anniversary of the SCC 7s, the world's second oldest Rugby Sevens tournament and the oldest rugby tournament in Asia. The Section-run tournament saw over 3,000 people down at the Padang to watch two days of world class 7s rugby, bringing some of the best international club, schools, as well as junior rugby club sides in the region together in this unique sporting event. The tournament also proudly hosted a thrilling international wheelchair rugby encounter between Singapore and



SCC Academy U10s

Indonesia, a first for the SCC. Another first-time feature for the tournament was the Corporate Touch Rugby. The Section is also pleased to report that the tournament remains in good shape financially with 2017 seeing another healthy surplus.

**Samuel Sharpe
Rugby Section Convenor**

SCC 7s Squad



SQUASH



Squash Section Committee 2017-18 (from left to right): Mageswari Velupillai, Andrea Nicholas, Sarat Chandran, Eleanor Tan, Robbie Lyons.
Not in photo: Genevieve Gay and Bryden Yong.

Elected 6 October 2017:

Convenor
Sarat Chandran

Men's Captain
Robbie Lyons

Ladies Captain
Eleanor Tan

Secretary
Andrea Nicholas

Treasurer
Vacant

Committee Members
Genevieve Gay
Bryden Yong
Mageswari Velupillai



Team photo from Kuching tour.

NATIONAL SQUASH LEAGUES

We entered 10 teams in the National Squash League (NSL), the same number as the previous year. A new initiative by the Singapore Squash Rackets Association (SSRA) was to introduce a Veteran's division 1 and Vets 2 competition in which we duly entered teams. There was no Ladies Division 1 competition, so our eligible ladies had to play Men's F grade instead.



Cosmo League dinner, post-match.



End of League dinner (from left to right): Rizal, Joannah and Nick.

We only won the B grade title this year and were 2nd and 3rd placed in the Men's A grade and 3rd in the Men's E grade.

Timothy Leong – Silver Men's Doubles and Bronze Mixed International Doubles.

SINGAPORE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

COSMOPOLITAN LEAGUE 2017

Men's and Women's Champion – Vivian Rhamanan & Mao Shi Hui
 Runner Up in B grade – Clement Hung
 Ladies Division 1 Champion – Genevieve Gay

The competition was very close this year and our last match was a decider as to whether we would come second; unfortunately we lost to Hollandse Club and finished 3rd equal with only 3 points separating the 1st and 3rd place getters.

SINGAPORE GRADED TOURNAMENT 2017

Runner Up Men's A – Anders Ong
 Winner B Grade – Clement Hung
 Winner Men's F Grade – Jovan Lee
 Winner Ladies F Grade – Joy Lim

NATIONAL HONOURS - S.E.A. GAMES 2017

Vivian Rhamanan – Gold Men's Jumbo Doubles, Gold Men's Team event
 Mao Shi Hui – Gold Ladies Jumbo Doubles, Silver Teams event, Bronze Mixed Doubles
 Sherilyn Yang – Gold Ladies Jumbo doubles



S.E.A. Games Gold Medalist (second from left): Vivian, Sherilyn, and Shi Hui.



Members of the Champion B Grade League Team



Men's Open Team at HKFC 3's, from left to right: Rayden Tan, Chua Man Tong and Tim Leong.

Thanks to all the players and to Rahul Khare for captaining.

INTER CLUB MATCHES

- Hong Kong Cricket Club (HKCC)
- Hong Kong Football Club (HKFC)
- Hollandse Club
- American Club
- British Club
- Interport vs Royal Selangor Club

Over the past half dozen years we have had Nick Cochrane to organise and run the local matches between Hollandse, American and British clubs. He has done a sterling job and we thank him for all his hard work and dedication.

INTER SECTION EVENTS

The Squash section is a strong supporter of these events. We entered teams for the Giles Roche Lawn Bowls, Netball Inter-section, Darts, Quiz Nite ,Cricket match v the Cricket Saturday XI. We also played Pot Games versus Tanglin Club, winning handsomely 7-0.

SPIRIT OF SPORTS

Mahes Velupillai – 30 years and counting of service to the Section and Club.



Joy Lim - winner of Ladies F Grade at Graded Tournament 2017

THE COURTS

In January 2017, the floors were sanded down and the walls were cleaned and patched where necessary. But the thing that has made a huge difference to us is our new LED lights that bring us up to international standards for court lighting.

TOURS

- In March 2017, we were off to Chennai for the 23rd edition of the Triangular against Madras Cricket Club (MCC) and Calcutta Racket Club (CRC). As usual the hospitality was amazing and all enjoyed their visit. We did not win the trophy; as was expected, MCC won that leg.

We will be hosting the two clubs in 2018.

- In July 2017, a group of 13 players enjoyed a first-rate weekend in Kuching hosted by the squash members of the Sarawak Club. It was the first ever squash tour to Kuching.
- At HKFC 3's Tournament in September 2017, three teams entered with one men's team reaching the semis in a very tough competition.

AGM 2017

A new committee was elected during the AGM.

1. Convener – Sarat Chandran
2. Secretary – Andrea Nicholas
3. Men's Captain – Robbie Lyons
4. Ladies' Captain – Eleanor Tan
5. Treasurer – Rahul Khare
6. Committee members – Genevieve Gay, Bryden, Yong, Mahes Velupillai

The Section's finances are in decent shape. We agreed to work on recruiting more sports members and increase overall Section membership.



RSC Interport: Robbie and Francis

After the AGM, we held our End of League dinner, which was well attended.

The Squash Section Committee would like to thank the Sports department - especially Janet and Thipa - the Chairman of the Games Control Board and the General Committee who have been very supportive of us throughout the course of the last 12 months

Sarat Chandran
Squash Section Convener

TENNIS



Tennis Section Committee 2017/2018 (from left to right): Rehmat Johal, Giacomo Poggi, Sophie Mougel, Soenke Langhoff, Andrew Hill, Darren Wilson, Vishal Vijay

Elected 23 November 2017:

Convenor
Soenke Langhoff

Men's Captain
Vishal Vijay

Ladies Captain
Rehmat Johal (co-opted)

Treasurer
Darren Wilson

JSM Representative
Andrew Hill

Committee Members
Sophie Mougel
Poggi Giacomo Giovanni

The SCC tennis section had a great year in 2017 winning medals on and off the tennis court. The newly-elected Tennis committee would like to start by saying a big "Thank you" to the previous committee for their extraordinary efforts, in particular the previous Tennis Convenor Wilfred Lim and longest running Ladies A Captain Nilma Missar-Boissacare. A job well done.

The Friday Social Tennis night was a hot spot and we hosted plenty of visiting clubs for social and competitive matches. Highlights were the inaugural WTA-SCC Mixed Doubles invitational tournament which also gave players the opportunity to see current and former WTA stars. The inter-section Wimbledon Tennis Social that was held in early July to celebrate the 140th anniversary of Wimbledon tennis tournament, complete with Pimm's cocktail and fresh strawberries, is still fresh in the minds of SCC members.

TENNIS SECTION STATISTICS AT A GLANCE

- **539 Tennis section members**
- 7% more section members compared to end 2016
- 6 tennis titles won in 2017

FRIENDLY MATCHES

It is always a pleasure playing clubs from Singapore or ones visiting from overseas. It is a great opportunity to measure your tennis skills, and make new or meet old friends. In 2016, the SCC Tennis Section visited the Royal Bangkok Sports Club (RBSC) at their beautiful downtown location. We have a long running and prosperous relationship with RBSC, so it



Wimbledon Tennis Social

was no surprise for them to visit us in 2017 in Singapore. We had a great Sunday morning, swinging the rackets on the court, and chatting and drinking off the courts. RBSC also took the opportunity to attend the WTA Finals.

The Floreat Tennis Club from Perth also paid us a visit. Unfortunately, we were barely able to warm up before being interrupted by one of heaviest downpour and loudest thunder I can remember for years. We took it all in our stride and shared the great wine which they had brought along and paired it perfectly with the great food served from SCC F&B.

Lastly, the Men's team arranged some doubles matches at the American Club; we drank more water as the matches were quite competitive, but we all equally had a good time.

JUNIOR ACTIVITIES

The Junior Sports Members (JSM) are the backbone for today and tomorrow's success of our tennis teams. In 2017, we onboarded 13 new JSMs to our Club. All of them represent their respective schools in competitions and take part in national and international tournaments. We want to make SCC a place where they can further hone their fitness and tennis skills through match play sessions and interacting with other players at the Club who also played tennis at a professional level. Our JSM representative Andrew Hill is rolling out new concepts to meet these objectives.

COMPETITIONS

The interclub singles, doubles and doubles knock-out tournaments organised by the Singapore Tennis Association (STA) are a regular fixture on our tennis schedule. Once again, the Ladies A team led by the previous Ladies Captain Nilma Missar-Boissacare was the star of the local tennis scene, being crowned Champion in the singles league in March and Doubles league in October. The Men's B team increased their training efforts in 2017 and were rewarded with a 3rd place interclub singles and doubles league competition as well.

Furthermore, SCC Tennis Section participated in the inaugural WTA-SCC Mixed Doubles invitational in September. Another big "Thank you" to Gilbert Ng and Melissa Pine in securing WTA sponsoring a local tournament and choosing SCC as partner and playing location. Next to SCC, SICC, Tanglin Club and Chinese Swimming Club participated in the tournament and the group phase was played out on the SCC tennis courts. SCC made it to the finals and had the amazing opportunity to play at the WTA Finals practice courts at the OCBC arena. Participating players were also invited to watch Simona Halep's private practice session and had selfie opportunities with Lindsay Davenport. A "great event" was the feedback from the participating clubs.

The annual Tanglin Pot Games were hosted at SCC. The SCC Tennis Section had a hard earned 3 : 2 win over the Tanglin Tennis Club and contributed towards securing the overall win for SCC at the 2017 Pot Games.



SCC friendlies and celebration with RBSC.



SCC friendlies and celebration with RBSC.



SCC friendlies and celebration with RBSC.



SCC friendlies with Floreat Tennis Club



Ladies A STA Singles League Champion

Lastly, the STA organised the Singapore Tennis Festival in October and SCC tennis section sent a team led by Kevin Cumbers.

INTER-SECTION ACTIVITIES

In November, we participated in the Inter Section Netball Carnival. The tennis team led by Martin Goerjo gave everything and was rewarded with our 1st "off the tennis court" netball title. Special thanks to our 1.97m goal attacker Guillermo Medina Moralejo which made scoring hoops look so easy. On another occasion, we participated in the Quiz night. Outcome wasn't as successful but we had a great time and can only promise to buckle down and redouble our efforts in 2018!



Players of the WTA-SCC Mixed Doubles.

SOCIAL TENNIS FRIDAY

The Social Tennis Friday has become a standard fixture on our tennis schedule as well. On Friday evenings, the courts are open for all kind of level of tennis; it is not about competitiveness but the fun and social side of the game. Throughout the year, we have a good and steady crowd coming out, enjoying some games and finishing it with some ice-cold beverages. The Tennis Committee would like to thank those "repeat" attendees, you know who you are! If you are keen to join, just reach out to the Tennis committee and we will add you to our chat group.

COACHING AND TENNIS FITNESS ACTIVITIES

Apart from private coaching sessions, Coach Lukas is running cardio tennis session - the latest hype in the tennis world, where participants are put through rigorous fitness drills interspersed with tennis drills and trance beats in the background. This takes place every Monday evening and Thursday morning. Guests are welcome to this session and this has attracted some to take up membership at the SCC.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all players and supporters for their commitment, passion, efforts and time on and off court. SCC has always been a premium sports club and been an active member on the Singapore tennis scene. We all play a vital role in keeping it this way. I am looking forward to seeing you on or off the courts again in 2018.

Soenke Langhoff
Tennis Section Convenor



23rd SCC
INTERNATIONAL
HOCKEY SIXES
4-5 March 2017



10th SCC
SPORTS AWARDS
8 April 2017





**RUGBY TEAMS
AUSTRALIA, NEW
ZEALAND AND
SOUTH AFRICA @
THE PADANG**
12-14 April 2017



**SUPER
RUGBY
TEAM
BRUMBIES
@ SCC**
19-20 June 2017

ULTIMATE FRISBEE
19 July 2017





9TH SCC INTERNATIONAL SOCCER SIXES 9-11 June 2017





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FC BAYERN MUNCHEN INTERNATIONAL FANCLUB TOURNAMENT 26 July 2017



PICK UP @ PADANG 30 July 2017





SPORTS CAMP
31 July to 4 August 2017



**5th SCC
INTERNATIONAL
TWENTY20**
11-13 August 2017





ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT 6 September 2017



WTA-SCC MIXED DOUBLES INVITATIONAL 1-2 September 21 October 2017



40TH POT GAMES

30 September 2017





**70TH SCC
INTERNATIONAL
RUGBY SEVENS**
3-5 November 2017



FINANCIAL --- STATEMENTS



SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB
REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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STATEMENT BY THE GENERAL COMMITTEE TO THE MEMBERS OF SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

In accordance with a resolution of the General Committee and in the opinion of the General Committee, the financial statements set out on pages FS5 to FS31 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Club as at December 31, 2017, and the financial performance, changes in funds and cash flows of the Club for the financial year then ended, and at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Club will be able to pay its debts when they fall due.

ON BEHALF OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE



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SHER BALJIT SINGH
President



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HAMISH ALEXANDER CHRISTIE
Finance Member

March 16, 2018

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

Report on the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Singapore Cricket Club (the "Club") which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2017, and the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in funds and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages FS5 to FS31.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements are properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Societies Act, Chapter 311 (the "Act") and Financial Reporting Standards in Singapore ("FRSs") so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Club as at December 31, 2017 and of the financial performance, changes in funds and cash flows of the Club for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing ("SSAs"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Club in accordance with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority ("ACRA") Code of Professional Conduct and Ethics for Public Accountants and Accounting Entities ("ACRA Code") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Singapore, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ACRA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Other than the Statement by the General Committee, which we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, the other sections included in the Annual report are expected to be made available to us after that date.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

Responsibilities of Management and the General Committee for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provisions of the Act and FRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Club's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Club or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The General Committee's responsibilities include overseeing the Club's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SSAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Club's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Club's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Club to cease to continue as a going concern.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the General Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Societies Regulations enacted under the Societies Act to be kept by the Club have been properly kept in accordance with those Regulations.



Public Accountants and
Chartered Accountants
Singapore

March 16, 2018

SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2017

	Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Cash and bank balances	5	21,962,144	20,114,358
Members' accounts	6	1,870,014	1,977,211
Other receivables	7	584,156	577,604
Inventories	8	271,172	433,872
Total current assets		<u>24,687,486</u>	<u>23,103,045</u>
Non-current asset			
Property, plant and equipment	9	20,934,714	22,240,210
Total assets		<u>45,622,200</u>	<u>45,343,255</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	10	4,092,663	4,363,434
Members' deposits	11	1,285,310	1,268,899
Income tax payable		18,357	14,437
Deferred tax liability	12	17,878	20,070
Total current liabilities		<u>5,414,208</u>	<u>5,666,840</u>
Funds			
Accumulated fund	13	26,298,940	27,334,368
Sinking fund	14	13,909,052	12,342,047
Total funds		40,207,992	39,676,415
Total liabilities and fund		<u>45,622,200</u>	<u>45,343,255</u>



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SHER BALJIT SINGH
President



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HAMISH ALEXANDER CHRISTIE
Finance Member

March 16, 2018

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME Year ended December 31, 2017

	Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
Operating revenue			
Subscriptions fees		5,539,563	5,721,608
Food and beverage	15	9,194,226	8,966,649
Social events	16	58,054	60,017
Sports and recreation	17	2,867,418	2,252,063
Fruit machines		113,371	124,350
Carpark		771,505	783,612
Other income	18	936,210	821,060
Total operating revenue		<u>19,480,347</u>	<u>18,729,359</u>
Less: Operating expenditure			
Food and beverage			
- Cost of sales	15	(4,193,184)	(3,877,983)
- Staff costs and other operating costs	15	(5,510,194)	(5,423,009)
Social events	16	(300,700)	(286,350)
Sports and recreation	17	(3,246,396)	(3,161,829)
Management and other staff costs	19	(3,078,695)	(2,922,226)
Depreciation	9	(1,963,195)	(2,036,640)
Property maintenance	20	(904,546)	(902,287)
Property tax expense	21	(241,100)	(245,600)
Office and administration	22	(323,967)	(321,134)
General expenses	23	(773,605)	(664,535)
Total operating expenditure		<u>(20,535,582)</u>	<u>(19,841,593)</u>
Operating deficit		(1,055,235)	(1,112,234)
Add: Non-operating income			
Membership transfer fees		1,040,000	843,000
Conversion fees		354,909	529,029
Interest from deposits		208,068	225,484
		<u>1,602,977</u>	<u>1,597,513</u>
Profit for the year before income tax		547,742	485,279
Less: Income tax expense	24	(16,165)	(20,219)
Profit for the year representing total comprehensive income for the year		<u>531,577</u>	<u>465,060</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

SINGAPORE CRICKET CLUB

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS

Year ended December 31, 2017

	Accumulated fund	Sinking fund	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Balance at January 1, 2016	39,211,355	-	39,211,355
Transfer from Accumulated fund to Sinking fund	(12,342,047)	12,342,047	-
Profit for the year, representing total comprehensive income for the year	465,060	-	465,060
Balance at December 31, 2016	<u>27,334,368</u>	<u>12,342,047</u>	<u>39,676,415</u>
Balance at January 1, 2017	27,334,368	12,342,047	39,676,415
Transfer from Accumulated fund to Sinking fund	(1,567,005)	1,567,005	-
Profit for the year, representing total comprehensive income for the year	531,577	-	531,577
Balance at December 31, 2017	<u>26,298,940</u>	<u>13,909,052</u>	<u>40,207,992</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
Year ended December 31, 2017

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Operating activities		
Operating deficit	(1,055,235)	(1,112,234)
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,963,195	2,036,640
Allowance for doubtful debts	10,345	2,488
Write off of property, plant and equipment	(4,613)	21,181
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital	913,692	948,075
Members' accounts	97,941	(58,632)
Inventories	162,700	36,358
Other receivables	(20,533)	1,785,222
Trade and other payables	(270,771)	(1,093,169)
Cash generated from operations	883,029	1,617,854
Income tax paid	(14,437)	(13,888)
Net cash from operating activities	868,592	1,603,966
Investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(661,740)	(365,741)
Restricted cash	(134,595)	(4,422,460)
Interest received	220,960	174,842
Net cash used in investing activities	(575,375)	(4,613,359)
Financing activities		
Members' deposits received	16,411	11,959
Membership transfer fees	1,040,000	843,000
Conversion fees	354,909	529,029
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	8,654	30,500
Net cash from financing activities	1,419,974	1,414,488
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1,713,191	(1,594,905)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	10,212,543	11,807,448
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	11,925,734	10,212,543

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise of the following:

Cash and bank balances (Note 5)	21,962,144	20,114,358
Less: Fixed deposits with maturities exceeding three months classified as restricted cash	(10,036,410)	(9,901,815)
Cash and cash equivalents	11,925,734	10,212,543

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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1 GENERAL

Singapore Cricket Club (the “Club”) is registered under the Societies Act with its principal place of business and registered office at Connaught Drive, Singapore 179681. The financial statements are expressed in Singapore dollars.

The principal activities of the Club are to promote and carry on a sports and social club for its members.

The financial statements of the Club for the year ended December 31, 2017 were authorised for issue by the General Committee on March 16, 2018.

2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING - The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost basis except as disclosed in the accounting policies below, and are drawn up in accordance with the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (“FRS”) and the Societies Act.

Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Club takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability which market participants would take into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in the financial statements is determined on such a basis, except for leasing transactions that are within the scope of FRS 17 Leases, and measurements that have some similarities to fair value but are not fair value, such as net realisable value in FRS 2 Inventories, or value in use in FRS 36 Impairment of Assets.

In addition, for financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorised into Level 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

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ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS - On January 1, 2017, the Club has adopted all the new and revised FRSs and Interpretations of FRS ("INT FRS") that are effective from that date and are relevant to its operations. The adoption of these new/revised FRSs and INT FRSs does not result in changes to the Club's accounting policies and has no material effect on the amounts reported for the current or prior years.

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements, the following FRSs are relevant to the Club were issued but not effective:

- FRS 109 *Financial Instruments* ¹
- FRS 115 *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (with clarifications issued)* ¹
- FRS 116 *Leases* ²
- Improvements to FRSs (December 2016) ¹

1 Applies to annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018, with early application permitted.

2 Applies to annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019, with early application permitted if FRS 115 is adopted.

Consequential amendments were also made to various standards as a result of these new/revised standards.

FRS 109 *Financial Instruments*

FRS 109 was issued in December 2014 to replace FRS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* and introduced new requirements for (i) the classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities (ii) general hedge accounting (iii) impairment requirements for financial assets.

Key requirements of FRS 109 that are likely to affect the Club are:

- In relation to the impairment of financial assets, FRS 109 requires an expected credit loss model, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under FRS 39. The expected credit loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.

Based on an analysis of the Club's financial assets as at December 31, 2017 on the basis of the facts and circumstances that exist at that date, the Club has performed an assessment of the impact of FRS 109 on the Club's financial statements.

The Club does not anticipate the application of these amendments will have a material impact on its financial statements.

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FRS 115 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

In November 2014, FRS 115 was issued which establishes a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers. FRS 115 will supersede the current revenue recognition guidance including FRS 18 *Revenue*, FRS 11 *Construction Contracts* and the related interpretations when it becomes effective. Further clarifications to FRS 115 were also issued in June 2016.

The core principle of FRS 115 is that an entity should recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Specifically, the Standard introduces a 5-step approach to revenue recognition:

- (a) Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer.
- (b) Step 2: Identify the separate performance obligations in the contract.
- (c) Step 3: Determine the transaction price.
- (d) Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract.
- (e) Step 5: Recognise the revenue when (or as) the entity satisfies each performance obligation.

Under FRS 115, an entity recognises revenue when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, i.e. when 'control' of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer. More prescriptive guidance has been added in FRS 115 to deal with specific scenarios. Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by FRS 115.

The Club is still in process of assessing the full impact of the application of FRS 115 on its financial statements and it is not practical to provide a reasonable financial estimate of the effect until it completes the detailed review.

FRS 116 Leases

FRS 116 was issued in July 2016 and will supersede FRS 17 *Leases* and its associated interpretative guidance.

The Standard provides a comprehensive model for the identification of lease arrangements and their treatment in the financial statements of both lessees and lessors. The identification of leases, distinguishing between leases and service contracts, are determined on the basis of whether there is an identified asset controlled by the customer.

Significant changes to lessee accounting are introduced, with the distinction between operating and finance leases removed and assets and liabilities recognised in respect of all leases (subject to limited exceptions for short-term leases and leases of low value assets). The Standard maintains substantially the lessor accounting approach under the predecessor FRS 17.

The Club may have to recognise right-of-use assets and a corresponding liability from its operating lease arrangements, the commitments of which are disclosed in Note 25.

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FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS - Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised on the Club's statement of financial position when the Club becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial instrument and of allocating interest income or expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts or payments through the expected life of the financial instrument, or where appropriate, a shorter period. Income and expense is recognised on an effective interest rate basis for debt instruments other than those financial instruments "at fair value through profit or loss".

Financial assets

All financial assets are recognised and de-recognised on a trade date where the purchase or sale of an investment is under a contract whose terms require delivery of the investment within the timeframe established by the market concerned, and are initially measured at fair value, plus transaction costs except for those financial assets classified at fair value through profit or loss which are initially measured at fair value.

Loans and receivables

Members' accounts and other receivables which have fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market are classified as "loans and receivables". Loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method less impairment. Interest is recognised by applying the effective interest method, except for short-term receivables when the recognition of interest would be immaterial.

Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those at fair value through profit or loss, are assessed for indicators of impairment at the end of each reporting period. Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been impacted.

For all financial assets, objective evidence of impairment could include:

- significant financial difficulty of the issuer or counterparty; or
- default or delinquency in interest or principal payments; or
- it becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or financial re-organisation

For certain categories of financial assets, such as members' account receivables and other receivables, assets that are assessed not to be impaired individually are, in addition, assessed for impairment on a collective basis. Objective evidence of impairment for a portfolio of receivables could include the Club's past experience of collecting payments, an increase in the number of delayed payments in the portfolio past the average credit period of 30 days, as well as observable changes in national or local economic conditions that correlate with default on receivables.

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For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the amount of the impairment is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the financial asset is reduced by the impairment loss directly for all financial assets with the exception of members' account and other receivables where the carrying amount is reduced through the use of an allowance account. When a member's account or other receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against the allowance account. Changes in the carrying amount of the allowance account are recognised in profit or loss.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and at bank and deposits with financial institutions that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

Derecognition of financial assets

The Club derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. If the Club neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Club recognises its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Club retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Club continues to recognise the financial asset and also recognises a collateralised borrowing for the proceeds received.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are recognised when the Club becomes a party to the contractual agreements of the instrument.

The Club's financial liabilities include members' deposits and trade and other payables.

Trade and other payables, which represent the fair value of consideration for goods and services to be paid in the future, whether or not billed to the Club, are recognised initially at their fair value, net of transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method, except for short-term payables, where the recognition of interest would be immaterial.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

The Club derecognises financial liabilities when, and only when, the Club's obligations are discharged, cancelled or they expire.

INVENTORIES - Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is calculated using the weighted average cost basis. Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price less all estimated costs of completion and costs to be incurred in marketing, selling and distribution.

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LEASES - Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

The Club as lessee

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged to profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease unless another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed. Contingent rentals arising under operating leases are recognised as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

In the event that lease incentives are received to enter into operating leases, such incentives are recognised as a liability. The aggregate benefit of incentives is recognised as a reduction of rental expense on a straight-line basis, except where another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed.

The Club as lessor

Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease unless another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which use benefit derived from the leased asset is diminished. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised as an expense over the lease term on same basis as the lease income.

PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT - Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

The initial cost of property, plant and equipment comprises its purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location for its intended use. Any trade discounts and rebates are deducted in arriving at the purchase price.

Depreciation is computed utilising the straight-line method to write-off the cost of these assets over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Leasehold land - Clubhouse	30 years
Leasehold office properties	27 to 36 years
Clubhouse	Over the period of the lease (Until 2026)
Kitchen, restaurant and bar equipment	1 to 5 years
Clubhouse renovations	5 years
Air-conditioning systems	5 years
Sports and ground equipment	5 years
Furniture and fittings	5 years
Fruit machines and accessories	4 years
Computer equipment	3 years
Integrated system (software)	6 years (till end of maintenance contract)
Other office equipment	5 years
Motor vehicle	10 years

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The cost of leasehold office properties include a land component which has a useful life of 999 years and is treated as a freehold land and not depreciated.

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at each year end to ensure that the method and period of depreciation are consistent with the expected pattern of economic benefits from fixed assets. The effect of any changes in estimate is accounted for on a prospective basis.

Construction-in-progress is stated at cost. The accumulated costs will be reclassified to the appropriate property, plant and equipment account when the construction is substantially completed. Depreciation of the asset commences when the asset is ready for its intended use.

For acquisitions and disposals during the financial year, depreciation is provided from the month of acquisition to the month before disposal respectively. Fully depreciated assets still in use are retained in the financial statements. An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an asset is determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amounts of the asset and is recognised in profit or loss.

IMPAIRMENT OF TANGIBLE ASSETS - At the end of each reporting period, the Club reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Club estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

SINKING FUND - The Club has created a sinking fund which shall only be used for the lease renewal for the Club in 2026 and for capital expenditure specifically authorised by the general body of members. An initial sum of \$10.8 million from retained earnings and subsequent payments received as transfer fees and conversion fees are paid to the sinking fund. The sinking fund is placed with fixed deposits and earns interest income on the fixed deposit placement.

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PROVISIONS - Provisions are recognised when the Club has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that the Club will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. Where a provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation, its carrying amount is the present value of those cash flows.

When some or all of the economic benefits required to settle a provision are expected to be recovered from a third party, the receivable is recognised as an asset if it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received and the amount of the receivable can be measured reliably.

REVENUE RECOGNITION - Revenue includes subscription fees, food and beverage revenue, sports and recreation, revenue from fruit machines and other revenue.

Revenue is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the members and the amount of revenue and the costs of the transaction can be measured reliably. Revenue excludes goods and services taxes and is arrived at after deduction of trade discounts. No revenue is recognised if there are significant uncertainties regarding recovery of the consideration due, associated costs or the possible returns of subscription fees.

The basis of recognition of revenue is as follows:

(i) Subscription fees

Subscription fees are billed one month in advance and recognised as revenue in the following month.

(ii) Food and beverage

Food and beverage are recognised as revenue when the food and beverage are consumed or services performed.

(iii) Sports and recreation

Sports and recreation are recognised as revenue when events are organised or services are rendered.

(iv) Member transfer fees

Member transfer fees are recognised as revenue in the year in which the transfer of membership is effected upon approval of the member by the General Committee.

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(v) Revenue from fruit machines

Revenue from fruit machines is recognised based on gross receipts less the relevant government taxes, payment of winnings, hopper refills and expenses.

(vi) Entrance fees and conversion fees

Entrance fees and conversion fees are recognised as revenue when the new membership is effective upon approval of the member by the General Committee.

(vii) Interest income from fixed deposits is accounted for on a time-apportioned basis.

(viii) All other items of income are recognised as revenue when the services are performed.

RETIREMENT BENEFIT COSTS - Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit plans are charged as an expense as they fall due. Payments made to state-managed retirement benefit schemes, such as the Singapore Central Provident Fund, are dealt with as payments to defined contribution plans where the Club's obligations under the plans are equivalent to those arising in a defined contribution retirement benefit plan.

EMPLOYEE LEAVE ENTITLEMENT - Employee entitlements to annual leave are recognised when they accrue to employees. A provision is made for the estimated liability for annual leave as a result of services rendered by employees up to the end of the reporting period.

INCOME TAX - Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from surplus as reported in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are not taxable or tax deductible. The Club's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Current taxes are recognised as an expense or income in profit or loss.

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3 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Club's accounting policies, which are described in Note 2, the General Committee is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

(a) Critical judgements in applying the Club's accounting policies

There are no critical judgements, apart from those involving estimations (see below), that the General Committee has made in the process of applying the Club's accounting policies.

(b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are discussed below.

Useful lives of property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. The General Committee estimates the useful lives of these property, plant and equipment to be within 1 to 36 years. The carrying amount of the Club's property, plant and equipment at December 31, 2017 was \$20,934,714 (2016: \$22,240,210). Changes in the expected level of usage could impact the economic useful lives and the residual values of these assets and therefore future depreciation charges could be revised.

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Allowance for doubtful debts

Allowance for doubtful debts is made in the financial statements based on management's best estimate of the carrying amount of receivables that are doubtful of collection after evaluation of collectability. The General Committee's judgement is required in assessing the ultimate realisation of these receivables including the current creditworthiness and the past collection history of each member. Where the expectation is different from the original estimate, such difference will impact the carrying value of the members' account and other receivables and doubtful debts expense in the period in which such estimate has been changed. The carrying amounts of the members' account and other receivables at December 31, 2017 were \$1,870,014 and \$584,156 (2016 : \$1,977,211 and \$577,604) respectively.

4 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT

(a) Categories of financial instruments

The following table sets out the financial instruments as at the end of the reporting period:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Financial asset		
Loan and receivables	24,301,769	22,603,944
Financial liabilities		
Amortised costs:		
Trade and other payables	4,092,663	4,363,434
Members' deposits	1,285,310	1,268,899

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(b) Financial risk management policies and objectives

The Club's overall financial risk management programme seeks to minimise potential adverse effects of the financial performance of the Club.

There has been no significant change to the manner in which it manages and measures the risk.

(i) Interest rate risk management

The Club's exposure to changes in interest risk relates primarily to the short-term fixed deposits with financial institutions. The interest rates for fixed deposits are disclosed in Note 5 to the financial statements.

No sensitivity analysis is prepared as the Club does not expect any material effect on the Club's profit or loss arising from the effects of reasonably possible changes to interest rates on fixed deposits with financial institutions at the end of the reporting period.

(ii) Credit risk management

The Club's principal financial assets are cash and bank balances, members' accounts and other receivables.

The carrying amount of financial assets recorded in the financial statements represents the Club's maximum exposure to credit risk.

Further details of credit risks on members' accounts are disclosed in Note 6.

Cash and fixed deposits are placed with creditworthy banks and financial institutions which are regulated.

(iii) Liquidity risk management

The Club maintains sufficient cash and cash equivalents and internally generated cash flows to finance its activities.

The Club ensures that there are adequate funds to meet all its obligations in a timely and cost-effective manner.

(iv) Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities

The carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, amount due from members and other current receivables and payables, provisions and other liabilities approximate their respective fair values due to the relatively short-term maturity of these financial instruments.

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(c) Capital risk management policies and objectives

The Club reviews its capital structure at least annually to ensure that the Club will be able to continue as a going concern. The capital structure of the Club comprises only of accumulated fund. The Club's overall strategy remains unchanged from 2016.

5 CASH AND BANK BALANCES

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Cash at bank	5,835,117	4,365,098
Fixed deposits	15,918,080	15,495,210
Cash on hand	208,947	254,050
	<u>21,962,144</u>	<u>20,114,358</u>

Bank balances and cash comprise cash held by the Club and short-term bank deposits with an original maturity of 1 year or less. The carrying amounts of these assets approximate their fair values.

Fixed deposits bear effective interest rate range from 0.35% to 1.5% (2016 : range from 0.35% to 1.9%) per annum and for a tenure of approximately 30 to 365 days (2016 : 30 to 365 days).

The fixed deposits include \$13,909,052 (2016 : \$12,342,047) which is being held for the sinking fund (Note 14).

6 MEMBERS' ACCOUNTS

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Members' accounts	1,879,270	1,988,400
Allowance for doubtful debts	(9,256)	(11,189)
	<u>1,870,014</u>	<u>1,977,211</u>

The average credit period is 30 days (2016 : 30 days).

The table below is an analysis of members' accounts during the year:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Not past due and not impaired	1,619,819	1,739,680
Past due but not impaired ⁽ⁱ⁾	191,107	194,223
Impaired receivables - collectively assessed ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	68,344	54,497
Less: Allowance for impairment	(9,256)	(11,189)
	<u>1,870,014</u>	<u>1,977,211</u>

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(i) Aging of members' accounts that are past due but not impaired:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
< 3 months	191,107	194,223

(ii) These amounts are stated before any deduction for impairment losses.

Movement in the allowance for doubtful debts:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Balance at beginning of the year	11,189	30,434
Utilised in current year	(11,189)	(21,733)
Increase in allowance recognised in profit or loss	9,256	2,488
Balance at end of the year	9,256	11,189

7 OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Advertising and sponsorship receivables ⁽ⁱ⁾	232,218	330,123
Prepayments	114,545	65,229
Deposits	129,323	50,191
Interest receivable	105,167	118,059
Other	2,903	14,002
	584,156	577,604

The average credit period for advertising and sponsorship receivables is 30 days (2016 : 30 days).

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The table below is an analysis of advertising and sponsorship receivables during the year:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Not past due and not impaired	104,202	248,495
Past due but not impaired ⁽ⁱ⁾	60,530	68,708
Impaired receivables - collectively assessed ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	73,456	17,801
Less: Allowance for impairment	(5,970)	(4,881)
	<u>232,218</u>	<u>330,123</u>

⁽ⁱ⁾ Aging of advertising and sponsorship receivables that are past due but not impaired:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
< 3 months	<u>60,530</u>	<u>68,708</u>

⁽ⁱⁱ⁾ These amounts are stated before any deduction for impairment losses.

8 INVENTORIES

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Kitchen stock	-	85,104
Bar stocks	163,826	219,980
Sports goods and accessories	107,346	128,788
	<u>271,172</u>	<u>433,872</u>

An amount of \$61,111 pertaining to year end food inventory was expensed to cost of sales in line with the new policy of accounting for food purchases immediately as cost of sales.

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9 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Leasehold Land	Leasehold office properties ^(a)	Kitchen, restaurant and bar equipment	Clubhouse renovations	Air-conditioning systems	Sports and ground equipment	Furniture and fittings	Fruit machines and accessories	Computer equipment	Other office equipment	Motor vehicle	Construction-in-progress	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cost:													
At January 1, 2016	15,330,219	7,530,284	17,436,831	877,783	181,333	443,410	1,361,606	413,500	1,027,399	419,961	52,500	172,136	47,182,057
Additions	-	-	18,919	15,350	65,750	481,410	108,869	-	24,470	13,380	-	70,863	365,741
Transfers	-	-	-	19,750	58,900	19,560	15,455	-	-	-	-	(113,665)	-
Written off	-	-	(28,058)	-	-	-	(7,902)	(1,600)	-	(4,428)	(52,500)	(31,606)	(126,094)
At December 31, 2016	15,330,219	7,530,284	17,436,831	868,644	568,060	2,002,795	1,478,028	411,900	1,051,869	428,913	-	97,728	47,421,704
Additions	-	-	65,544	26,510	31,100	64,400	113,296	1,000	180,896	47,834	-	131,160	661,740
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	10,220	-	35,000	2,700	-	-	(47,920)	-
Written off	-	-	(3,154)	(4,100)	(1,900)	(224,259)	(121,694)	(42,300)	(2,500)	(2,170)	-	-	(402,077)
At December 31, 2017	15,330,219	7,530,284	17,433,677	930,088	597,260	1,853,156	1,469,630	405,600	1,232,965	474,577	-	180,968	47,681,367
Accumulated depreciation:													
At January 1, 2016	9,809,420	397,396	7,518,914	677,387	137,678	1,709,422	1,083,178	343,328	876,132	282,278	33,688	-	23,219,267
Charge for the year	515,486	411,917	927,130	59,736	17,067	125,896	108,958	50,113	97,573	42,295	4,374	-	2,036,640
Written off	-	-	-	(27,278)	-	-	(3,248)	(1,600)	-	(4,225)	(38,062)	-	(74,413)
At December 31, 2016	10,324,906	438,593	8,446,044	709,845	154,745	1,835,318	1,188,888	391,841	973,705	320,348	-	-	25,181,494
Charge for the year	515,485	411,917	930,307	59,448	18,052	90,926	113,984	29,059	69,550	42,347	-	-	1,963,195
Written off	-	-	(1,386)	(4,100)	-	(1,900)	(120,324)	(42,300)	(1,597)	(2,170)	-	-	(398,036)
At December 31, 2017	10,840,391	479,790	9,374,965	765,193	172,797	1,701,985	1,182,548	378,600	1,041,658	360,525	-	-	26,746,653
Carrying amount:													
At December 31, 2017	4,489,828	7,050,494	8,058,712	164,895	70,146	149,059	287,082	27,000	191,307	114,052	-	180,968	20,934,714
At December 31, 2016	5,005,313	7,091,691	8,990,787	158,799	61,688	170,799	289,140	20,059	78,164	108,565	-	97,728	22,240,210

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(a) The cost of the leasehold office properties relates to the 2 units at #09-06 and #09-07 (2016 : 2 units at #09-06 and #09-07) at The Adelphi Office Complex and has been allocated to the cost of land and buildings at \$6.1 million and \$1.4 million (2016 : \$6.1 million and \$1.4 million) respectively. As disclosed in Note 2 to the financial statements, the cost of the land is treated as freehold land and not depreciated.

10 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Trade payables	1,476,742	1,448,588
Accrued operating expenses	1,957,206	2,100,575
Advanced billings for subscriptions fee	529,325	610,408
Other payables	129,390	203,863
	<u>4,092,663</u>	<u>4,363,434</u>

11 MEMBERS' DEPOSITS

These represent non-interest bearing deposits received from members. These deposits are refundable upon sale of membership or resignation.

12 DEFERRED TAX LIABILITY

This represents timing differences in respect of interest receivable.

The movement for the year in the deferred tax liability was as follows:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
At beginning of the year	20,070	11,461
Charge to profit or loss (Note 24)	(2,192)	8,609
At end of the year	<u>17,878</u>	<u>20,070</u>

13 ACCUMULATED FUND

In accordance with Club Rule 62(b), in the event of the Club being dissolved, all debts and liabilities shall be fully discharged and the remaining funds divided equally among the Ordinary and Life Members except those portions of such remaining funds which are monies earned or identified as income or profits from the use of fruit machines and/or from any other approved private lottery as defined under the Private Lotteries Act, Chapter 250, 1985 Ed, which shall be donated to approved charities in Singapore.

Based on available records, it has been ascertained that as at December 31, 2017, the cumulative surplus derived from the operation of fruit machines and other approved private lotteries is \$15.991 million (2016 : \$15.878 million) before taking into account cumulative capital expenditure of \$1.588 million (2016 : \$1.559 million) incurred in generating this surplus, and the allocation of the Club's general overheads.

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14 SINKING FUND

In 2016, the following resolutions were passed by the members:

- (a) To create a sinking fund which shall only be used for the lease renewal for the Club and for capital expenditure specifically authorised by the general body of members;
- (b) To pay into the sinking fund all payments received as transfer or conversion fees; and
- (c) To immediately transfer the sum of \$10,800,000 into such sinking fund.

In compliance with the above resolutions, a Sinking Fund was established in the Club's accounting records and the following amounts were credited to the Fund.

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
At beginning of the year	12,342,047	-
Transfer, comprising of:		
- Initial transfer from Accumulated Fund	-	10,800,000
- Membership transfer and conversion fees received	1,394,909	1,372,029
- Interest received on fixed deposits attributed to the sinking fund	172,096	170,018
At end of the year	<u>13,909,052</u>	<u>12,342,047</u>

15 FOOD AND BEVERAGE

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Sales	9,194,226	8,966,649
Cost of sales	<u>(4,193,184)</u>	<u>(3,877,983)</u>
Gross profit	5,001,042	5,088,666
Less:		
Staff costs		
- Salaries, wages, allowances and CPF contributions	4,229,997	4,295,783
- Other staff costs	287,647	258,872
- Government grants - Wage Credit and Special Employment Credit Scheme, offset against staff costs	<u>(55,398)</u>	<u>(146,147)</u>
	4,462,246	4,408,508
Utilities, maintenance and expenses	1,047,948	1,014,501
Depreciation of kitchen, restaurant and bar equipment	59,446	59,736
Operating deficit for the year	<u>(568,598)</u>	<u>(394,079)</u>

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16 SOCIAL EVENTS

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Ticket sales/Participation Fees	58,054	60,017
Less:		
Staff costs		
- Salaries, wages, allowances and CPF contributions	93,209	81,708
- Other staff costs	8,593	4,916
- Government grants - Wage Credit and Special Employment Credit Scheme, offset against staff costs	(4,168)	(4,076)
	97,634	82,548
Operating expenses	203,066	203,802
Operating deficit for the year	<u>(242,646)</u>	<u>(226,333)</u>

17 SPORTS AND RECREATION

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Tournament income	701,866	507,163
Sports sections income	794,945	716,935
Sports membership fees	434,850	360,500
Booking fees	17,351	16,032
Rental of facilities and other income	918,406	651,433
Total income	2,867,418	2,252,063
Less:		
Tournament expenditure	836,067	578,073
Sports sections expenditure	755,671	819,259
Games expenditure	308,466	419,188
Rental of facility - Dempsey field	207,952	203,827
Staff costs		
- Salaries, wages, allowances and CPF contributions	783,178	817,916
- Other staff costs	39,572	43,339
- Government grants - Wage Credit and Special Employment Credit Scheme, offset against staff costs	(21,488)	(33,720)
	801,262	827,535
Utilities, maintenance and expenses	336,978	313,947
Depreciation of sports and ground equipment	90,928	125,896
Operating deficit for the year	<u>(469,906)</u>	<u>(1,035,662)</u>

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18 OTHER INCOME

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
SCC Night Race Fiesta Event	724,485	656,226
Office rental income	42,000	42,000
Others	169,725	122,834
	<u>936,210</u>	<u>821,060</u>

The majority portion of unit #09-06 is used for the Club's daily operations and only a small portion of the unit is rented out to an external tenant from March 2015 to December 2017.

19 MANAGEMENT AND OTHER STAFF COSTS

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Salaries, wages, allowances and CPF contributions	2,952,256	2,889,157
Other staff costs	186,852	168,182
Government grants - Wage Credit and Special Employment Credit Scheme, offset against staff costs	(60,413)	(135,113)
	<u>3,078,695</u>	<u>2,922,226</u>

Total staff costs included in Notes 15, 16, 17 and 19 comprise:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Salaries, wages, allowances and CPF contributions	8,058,640	8,084,564
Other staff costs	522,664	475,309
Government grants - Wage Credit and Special Employment Credit Scheme, offset against staff costs	(141,467)	(319,056)
	<u>8,439,837</u>	<u>8,240,817</u>

The number of employees as at December 31, 2017 of 157 (2016 : 167) includes full time staff whose costs of \$61,910 (2016 : \$60,063) were included under the fruit machine expenses.

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20 PROPERTY MAINTENANCE

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Facilities maintenance and equipment rental	17,731	29,450
Repairs and replacements	301,260	264,060
Utilities and related expenses	393,103	431,099
Security expenses	155,061	140,534
Maintenance fees and sinking fund	37,391	37,144
	<u>904,546</u>	<u>902,287</u>

21 PROPERTY TAX EXPENSE

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
The Clubhouse and Padang Field at Connaught Drive	213,000	215,600
Office Unit #09-07 at The Adelphi Office Complex	16,400	17,500
Office Unit #09-06 at The Adelphi Office Complex	11,700	12,500
	<u>241,100</u>	<u>245,600</u>

22 OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATION

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Telephone and postage	48,772	43,631
Printing and stationery	39,355	38,554
Computer expenses and lease rental of office equipment	192,014	173,745
Allowance for doubtful debts	10,345	2,488
Bad debts written-off	60	-
Professional fees	33,421	62,716
	<u>323,967</u>	<u>321,134</u>

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23 GENERAL EXPENSES

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Audit fees	24,000	23,004
Annual report	24,000	24,000
Insurance	75,732	82,471
Newspaper and periodicals	13,343	13,597
Padang magazine publication	64,426	32,285
Bank charges	62,994	68,375
Meeting and election nights	72,053	26,635
SCC night race fiesta event costs	329,600	294,470
Minor items of capital expenditure expensed	54,625	49,888
Write off of property, plant and equipment	-	21,181
Other expenses	52,832	28,629
	<u>773,605</u>	<u>664,535</u>

24 INCOME TAX EXPENSE

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Current taxation	18,357	14,437
Overprovision in prior year	-	(2,827)
Deferred tax (Note 12)	(2,192)	8,609
	<u>16,165</u>	<u>20,219</u>

Domestic income tax is calculated at 17% (2016 : 17%) of the estimated assessable income for the year.

The total charge for the year can be reconciled to the accounting deficit as follows:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Surplus for the year before income tax	<u>547,742</u>	<u>485,279</u>
Tax expense at income tax rate	93,116	82,497
Non-taxable items	(102,876)	(85,376)
Exempt income	25,925	25,925
Overprovision in prior year	-	(2,827)
	<u>16,165</u>	<u>20,219</u>

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The Club is exempted from income tax in accordance with Section 11(1) of the Income Tax Act Chapter 134 as more than 50% of the Club's gross takings are from its voting members. The income tax expense in 2017 and 2016 relate to income tax payable on income received by the Club which is not related to the operating activities of the Club.

25 OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Minimum lease payments under operating leases recognised as an expense during the year	<u>236,404</u>	<u>232,980</u>

At the end of the reporting period, the Club was committed to making the following lease rental payments as follows:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Within one year	64,252	164,804
In the second to fifth years inclusive	55,853	84,305
	<u>120,105</u>	<u>249,109</u>

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable for the Dempsey Field and Office Equipment and are negotiated for an average term of 3 to 5 years (2016 : 3 to 5 years).

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Although the Singapore Cricket Club was founded in 1852, until 1880 the principal office was that of Captain.

1880 - 1881	Louis J R Glass	1947 - 1948	Andrew Gilmour
1882	Charles Stringer	1949	Andrew Gilmour, CMG
1883	Sir Cecil Clementi Smith, CMG	1950	Robert Donald Stewart
1884 - 1887	Sir John Anderson	1951	Peter M B C Frend
1888	A P Talbot	1952 - 1953	H F Clements
1889 - 1891	Charles Stringer	1954 - 1955	L A Williams
1892	A P Talbot	1956	L L Cooper
1893 - 1895	Major Sir Henry E McCallum, CMG	1957	John S Kirkham
1896	J J H Orman	1958	John S Kirkham / H K Franklin
1897 - 1898	Justice Andrew John Leach	1959	Joseph W Cashin
1899 - 1900	Charles Stringer	1960	David I Price
1901	Sir Hugh Fort	1961	O H R Beadles, OBE
1902 - 1903	Sir Frank Athelstane Swettenham, KCMG	1962 - 1967	Andrew Gilmour, CMG
1904	Sir Hugh Fort	1968	Derek R Reid, MC
1905	Lieutenant-Colonel E G Broadrick	1969	Derek R Reid, MC / Alistair B McPherson
1906	Sir Hugh Fort	1970 - 1972	Alistair B McPherson
1907 - 1908	Sir John Anderson	1973 - 1975	Tom Eames Hughes, CBE
1909 - 1910	Sir Arthur Henderson Young, KCMG	1976 - 1977	Justice T S Sinnathuray
1911	Lieutenant-Colonel E G Broadrick	1978	Justice T S Sinnathuray / Neill B Aitken
1912 - 1914	Cedric I Carver	1979 - 1980	Neill B Aitken
1915	Charles William Darbishire	1981 - 1985	Haider M Sithawalla
1916 - 1918	Cedric I Carver	1986 - 1990	Len F Foster
1919	D Y Perkins	1991 - 2000	Charlie K P Phua
1920	William Langham-Carter	2001 - 2008	Anwarul Haque
1921 - 1922	Sir William Murison, KTB	2008	Abu Omar
1923 - 1929	Ron John Farrer, CMG	2008 - 2010	Teh Leong
1930	Oswald Phillips Griffith-Jones	2011	Mohan J Bhojwani
1931 - 1932	Charles Salter	2012 - 2013	Col (Retd) Gurcharan Singh
1933 - 1934	Oswald Phillips Griffith-Jones	Apr - Aug 2014	A. Michael Grice
1935 - 1937	John Middleton Sime	Sep 2014 - Apr 2015	Mohan J Bhojwani
1938 - 1939	Bernard E Ablitt	2015 - 2016	Captain Baldev Singh
1940 - 1941	John Athelstan Dean	2016 - 2017	Mohan J Bhojwani
1942 / 1945	Club Closed (Pacific War)	2017 - 2018	Sher Baljit Singh
1946	Oswald W Gilmour		



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