



## From the President

### Vale Peter St John Kennedy (1/4/20 -29/8/17)

It is with great sadness we note the passing of one of our greatest members this week. A lot of you may not have met Peter, but if you had you couldn't help but be impressed by his irrepressible enthusiasm – not just hockey but all walks of life.

This issue is a tribute to the man who has contributed enormously to the fabric of our club.

### Women's Premier League Playoffs

The Womens 1s play the 1<sup>st</sup> of 3 playoffs this Thursday at 8:30pm at PHS1. We all need to support them to get the job done in these important playoff games.

Please get along, wear club colours and bring your voices to let the team know the Reds Army is behind them.

### Jamie Cook



Peter St John Kennedy

### Synopsis:

Born 1/4/20 (*that's 1920*)

First year in hockey 1936 in B1 our third team (*so aged 16, no junior games or Minkey*).

Played for 59 seasons for a total of 863 games club highest until passed by Peter Willett (*this excluded 4 years on War Service*)

Last year 2001 in the over 50's (*went on to play at Subs, no over 60's then*)

Wife's name Dulcie (dec)

Peter was the 23<sup>rd</sup> member to play first division for the club.

Played 175 first division games for the club.

Played first division from 1938 till 1958 (*from ages 18 to 38*)

Missed years 1941 till 1945 during the war (*WW2*)

106<sup>th</sup> player for Australia when he played against New Zealand in 1948

Played many games of hockey in the war years in Queensland and North Africa with his brothers.

President of OAHC 1954 to 1956 and 1961 till 1966 (*a total of 9 years*)

Life member 1962

Passed away 28/8/2017

Aged 97



The Kennedy Clan – all played for the Reds.



## 1938 A1 Grade



Back Row: Peter Kennedy, George Cooper, John Quigley, Kevin Hickey, Ken Kennedy, Jerry McNamara, Tom Lalor  
Front Row: Mike Cogan, Ted McNamara, David Kennedy(Mascot), Jos O'Hara, Dick Kennedy

Played 175 games in the top grade – note his 3 brothers were in the 1938 team also.



Grant Halvorson, Mike Kinsella, Jack Evans, Peter Kennedy, Ted Pitts, John Quigley, Tony O'Hara, Neil Kennedy  
Old Aquinians Club Rooms 9/12/2006

Enjoying a beer with fellow life members

A personal reflection from Peter Crowe:

“He really was one of the true flamboyant characters of Australian hockey, not only playing for State & Country but I wasn't aware till a few years ago that he was the instigator of the Masters National Championships we now all enjoy. He took up competitive swimming, guitar playing and windsurfing well into his 70's and beyond, always pushing the boundaries.

Have a look at the WA athletics record holders and you will see his name appear in all age brackets as he came through. His final goal was to set a world record at age 100 in the 100m sprint, guess he will have to arrange that upstairs with St Peter now.”

## Womens Premier League Playoffs

Lock these dates in your diaries and get the word out to the Reds members to get down and support the women in these critical games. They have done a huge amount of work this year and with a bit of luck would be playing finals, not these playoffs. Anyways, we all need to attend to support them to get over the line in the first game on Thursday night.

Games:

31 Aug; Thursday night, 8:30pm vs Southern River at PHS 1

3rd Sept; Sunday evening, 6:00pm vs Lions at PHS 1

7th Sept; Thursday night, 7:00pm vs Fremantle at PHS 1

## Coming Events

### Annual Reds Golf Day – 13<sup>th</sup> October


Calendar Note. Early reminder for you to note lucky Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October. Usual spot – The Cut. Great day is guaranteed – in fact some players get more hits on this day than in a game of hockey. Prizes galore.

### Wind Up End of Season Dinner

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October. Venue Royal Perth Golf Club. Come along and collect your silverware. See the Flyer later in this edition.



Home Team	Away Team	Competition	Round	Date	Time	Venue
OAHC	Hale Southern	Rae Blunt Pennant 2017	SF	2017-08-30	8:45PM	Hale Turf - T
OAHC	River	Prom/Relegation Women 2017	1	2017-08-31	8:30PM	PHS 1 - T
AW Reds	UWA	J 11/12 A Girls 2017	SF	2017-09-01	6PM	UWA Superturf 1 - T
Wolves	AW Reds 2	J 11/12 A Reserve Boys 2017	SF	2017-09-01	6PM	Hale Turf - T
Wolves	AW Reds 2	J 5/6 B (Gold) Girls 2017	14	2017-09-02	8AM	Cresswell Park - 2
Melville	AW Reds	J 5/6 A Girls 2017	14	2017-09-02	8:30AM	Duracraft Stadium - T
UWA	AW Reds	J 5/6 B (Gold) Boys 2017	14	2017-09-02	10AM	UWA Sport Park - G 1
AW Reds 2	YMCC	J 5/6 B (Gold) Boys 2017	14	2017-09-02	10AM	Richardson Park - 2
AW Reds	WASPS	J 5/6 B (Sand) Boys 2017	14	2017-09-02	10AM	Richardson Park - 1
AW Reds	Melville	J 7/8 B (Black) Boys 2017	SF	2017-09-02	10:46AM	Perry Lakes - 3
Kalamunda	AW Reds	J 5/6 A Promotion Boys 2017	14	2017-09-02	11:30AM	Guildford Turf - T
Hale 4	OAHC	Provisional 1 Men 2017	Prelim	2017-09-02	MIDDAY	PHS 2 - T
AW Reds	Rockingham	J 9/10 A Promotion Boys 2017	SF	2017-09-03	9:30AM	Lark Hill Turf - T
YMCC 3	OAHC	Provisional 1 Women 2017	Prelim	2017-09-03	MIDDAY	PHS 2 - T
OAHC	Wolves	Premier Alliance Women 2017	Prelim	2017-09-03	12:30PM	PHS 1 - T
OAHC	UWA 8	Provisional 3 (Gold) Men 2017 Provisional 4 (Gold) Women	Prelim	2017-09-03	1PM	Lark Hill Turf - T
OAHC	Kalamunda	2017	Prelim	2017-09-03	1:45PM	PHS 2 - T
Wolves	OAHC	Provisional 2 (Black) Men 2017	Prelim	2017-09-03	2:15PM	Shenton - T
Lions	OAHC	Prom/Relegation Women 2017	2	2017-09-03	7:30PM	PHS 1 - T
OAHC	Fremantle	Prom/Relegation Women 2017	3	2017-09-07	7PM	PHS 1 - T



Welcome to the 85th  
Old Aquinians Hockey Club

## ANNUAL DINNER

ROYAL PERTH GOLF CLUB  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH 7:00 PM FOR 7:30 PM START  
DRESS: FORMAL (STRICTLY NO DENIM)

TICKETS: \$75 - PLEASE TRANSFER TO OLD AQUINIANS HOCKEY CLUB  
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*Managing Director Rick Purslowe*



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