

SEPTEMBER DOCUMENT 2002

NEWS FROM THE COMMITTEE.

- ÿ There is a Health and PE Expo being organised by the Dunedin College of Education on Friday 18th & Saturday 19th October. Lindsay Smith is organising a display and holding a teachers practical session on the Saturday. If anyone is able to help, please contact Lindsay.
- ÿ Our trusty old 9' x 9' green top tent was very badly damaged at Seacliff and we need to replace it. All suggestions regarding the size, style or source of suitable replacements are welcome.
- ÿ We are going to consider a draft programme of events for next year at the September committee meeting. If anyone has suggestions or comments on this year's programme, they're most welcome to either tell a committee member, send them to the secretary or come along to the meeting and discuss them. We are particularly interested in any feedback regarding our Summer series, OY series, School series and club championships.
- ÿ There is always a need for someone to tow the caravan to events. We are compiling a list of people who are able to help. The more volunteers we have, the fewer times each person will be needed. If you are able to help, even in a limited way please contact the secretary.
- ÿ The next committee meeting is on Wednesday 17th September, at 7:30 p.m. in the Sport Otago Lounge. Remember that everyone is welcome to attend the committee meetings.
- ÿ Advertising in DOCument costs \$10 per page per issue.

THE SNOW REPORT

X-C-Ski-O - Allan Grant

Many thanks to Bruce McLeod, Ciaran, Myles, Pam Thayer, and Richard Thum for controlling, planning and helping to organise this event.

We had great weather (the sky was that clear you could see Mt. Cook!), a great turnout (all be it a few late comers), and a great event.

A 1 hour / 2 hour score event was a great idea as the event doesn't drag on all afternoon, it gives you time for prize giving, the chance for those who want to leave early for the long drive home, and for those still keen for another ski around the field and/or pick up controls.

Great to see pioneer Judy Wilson and her friend Sarah on snow shoes instead of skis - they may not be as quick as skis; but you don't fall over. Also great to see the wide variety of age groups - teenagers right through to a couple of super veterans who have not skied for 20 years! More importantly it was great to see everyone have a great time.

We had no complaints, but were advised that we should spread our advertising wing next year and advertise in all the local shops in Queenstown as there are many people there who would have loved to have come along had they known it was on. (We could include Dunedin, Invercargill and Christchurch here as well)

Many thanks to John and Mary Lee for the use of their excellent Snowfarm facilities.

Also many thanks to our sponsors who provided the icing on the cake namely:

- A.J. Hackett, Queenstown
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- Edgewaters Restaurant, Wanaka
- Puzzle World, Wanaka
- Radcliffe Electrical, Dunedin

TOWN BELT SOUTH - CONTROLLERS REPORT.

Bunny Rathbone.

What! No controls taken or tampered with - when so many are out in public view it was a pleasant surprise to find them still in the same place and with the same numbers on. Perhaps it was due to the Tony Stringer Memorial Walk whose route passed many of our controls that kept the tamperers away.

The fine day was appreciated after the previous weekend and the helpers only needed wind proof gear on.

It was great to see so many competitors doing the White Course. Jim Cotter had planned a very interesting course with plenty of changes in direction and the use of different features. This is due to the nature of the Town Belt terrain, so different from the fenced paddocks on farmland, yet full of those definite line features.

Thanks to all those willing helpers who came on the day. Special thanks to Janette and Graham Anderson the organisers, Barrie Foote for producing the maps and Jim Cotter for designing courses with interesting route choices. I am sure you were all sufficiently challenged.

Please note our attention to providing water on courses which as Controller I am insistent on doing. Does DOC policy in the Health and Safety section on water being provided at events mean water on courses or water just at the start and finish area - this needs to be defined.

SEACLIFF: PLANNERS REPORT

Donald Bruce.

Bruce asked me to write about the Seacliff event. "You don't have to write much, just a few words. Write about the weather." Well, I can only find one word to describe the weather: **ATROCIOUS**. After spending a freezing Saturday putting out controls it was hard to believe that it could get any worse. But it did.

I wanted to use an area away from the old Seacliff hospital. Judging by comments, this was appreciated. With all the work that Bruce has put into the map I hope that this side of the map gets more use in the future.

For service above and beyond the call of duty, thanks to Ian and George for bringing in controls. They deserve medals. As does Jane Cloete and the team who helped out at the start/finish area.

SEACLIFF CONTROLLERS COMMENTS.

Bruce Collins

I hope everyone enjoyed the courses that Don planned. He didn't have an easy time of it with the area around the control sites being re-fieldworked and me finding all sorts of new interesting control sites that could be used.

If you thought Sunday was cold you should have been there on the Saturday. Don started putting controls out early in the morning while I lazed in bed and read the paper. By the time I got there around lunchtime the weather was packing up quickly and getting worse by the minute. About an hour later it was near horizontal icy rain interspersed with horizontal sleet and I met up with a rather blue looking Don who was racing back to his car (in shorts!!!!) to get some warmer clothes on. I had on polyprops, wet weather clothes and a warm woolly hat! Mind you Don has a lot more hair than I do!

Next time I met him he only had a couple of controls to go and I only had a few to check plus the ones he was carrying. By this time neither of us had any feeling in our hands! I chickened out then and checked the last two controls there and then. OK so he was still holding them in his hand but I had checked the sites, which were still marked! Back at the car it was a long job untying shoelaces and then full blast of the heater, race home and a long hot shower.

Sunday in comparison was a breeze as it was only snow showers and hail and strong winds!! And the sun even came out a few times. However when it came to collect controls the snow settled in and as I took the longest to collect my share of the controls I got the worst of the snow (What a hero!! In fact it was because I move so slowly). Actually it was quite fun because it warmed up when the snow started and while the snow only lasted 30 minutes it was very heavy at the tops of the hills and at one stage it was a complete whiteout where I was navigating by fencelines only. At one of the drinks controls the water bottles were completely buried under the snow and I only knew where they were because the tip of one was sticking out. Back at the car I had to clear the snow off the windscreen, which was a surprise as that was only at 150m above sea level.

Isn't it fun being a controller (or planner) in the winter in Otago!

Thanks Don, I really did enjoy it!

FINAL OY 2002 POINTS

20/August/2002 - best 6 of 7

	Event	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
Course 1									
MEN									
Tane Cambridge		631	847	727	663	0	803	1000	4672
Dave Browning		697	812	710	756	745	733	0	4453
Don Bruce		500	790	713	0	733	678	0	4176
George McLeod		801	0	0	825	0	759	830	4042
Aaron Searle		797	1000	955	0	100	910	0	3762
Michael Tagg		0	0	919	871	977	0	0	3716
Ciaran Thayer		100	957	865	709	0	957	100	3688
Matt Scott		1000	0	646	984	1000	0	0	3631
Rob Batt		0	630	924	885	0	807	0	3246
Jim Cotter		0	0	1000	962	0	1000	0	2962
Willy Flockton		0	896	733	0	622	610	0	2861
Bruce Collins		0	0	0	0	662	819	0	2222
Jamie Stewart		839	0	0	1000	0	0	0	1839
Todd Oates		0	0	915	818	0	0	0	1734
Richard Thum		0	0	737	0	729	0	0	1467
Lindsay Smith		100	840	0	0	0	0	0	1410
Ewen Cameron		635	0	710	0	0	0	0	1345
Alex Wearing		0	540	644	0	0	0	0	1184
Andrew Kelly		592	0	563	0	0	0	0	1155
Bob Cunninghame		0	0	569	482	0	0	0	1051
Dave Barr		100	0	651	0	0	0	0	751
Don Melville		0	0	587	0	0	0	0	587
Stuart Melville		0	0	580	0	0	0	0	580
Gavin Crow		0	577	0	0	0	0	0	577
Allan Grant		0	0	553	0	0	0	0	553
Paul Rogers		0	525	0	0	0	0	0	525
Bruce Spittle		100	374	0	0	0	0	0	474
Quenton Johnston		0	0	0	100	0	0	0	100
John McKinnel		0	0	0	0	100	0	0	100
WOMEN									
Penny Kane		1000	1000	0	100	0	0	0	2100
Fran Cunninghame		0	0	1000	0	0	1000	0	2000
Jane Mitchell		0	0	0	0	1000	870	0	1870
Julie Grant		0	907	0	0	915	0	0	1822

Course 2

MEN

Ian Holden	477	0	0	939	1000	1000	808	5224
Nick Mortimer	531	0	974	0	0	760	1000	4253
Andrew Kelly	0	1000	0	916	0	744	0	3618
Don Melville	0	740	0	736	813	0	921	3211
Peter Wilson	586	794	1000	0	0	0	781	3162
Jesse Robertson	0	677	0	0	845	729	877	3127
Richard Thum	1000	0	0	1000	0	959	0	2959
Myles Thayer	0	0	0	752	922	925	0	2599
Geoff Allen	0	0	0	0	896	886	0	1781
Owen Cambridge	0	0	631	549	0	563	0	1743
Stuart Melville	0	868	0	673	0	0	0	1541
Allan Grant	0	0	0	745	688	0	0	1432
Alex Wearing	0	0	0	0	632	692	0	1324
Bruce Spittle	0	0	635	0	648	0	0	1283
Lindsay Smith	0	0	0	832	0	0	0	832
Grant Hudson	0	0	784	0	0	0	0	784
Graham Johnston	0	0	0	680	0	0	0	680
Ross Davies	0	0	0	657	0	0	0	657
Chris Petrich	0	0	0	0	0	574	0	574
Alan Carman	0	0	539	0	0	0	0	539
Geoff Capon	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	100

WOMEN

Bunny Rathbone	0	996	1000	1000	1000	806	0	5802
Jane Forsyth	852	1000	863	835	893	0	0	5390
Judy Browning	1000	848	702	743	755	0	0	4049
Maria Smith	624	663	727	873	0	0	0	2887
Eunice McLeod	981	0	0	952	852	0	0	2785
Annie Grant	0	715	600	956	0	0	0	2271
Melanie Stephen	0	0	0	0	979	1000	0	1979
Jennifer Hudson	0	948	858	0	0	0	0	1806
Margaret Tagg	538	0	545	100	551	0	0	1733
Pat Taylor	0	0	680	0	714	0	0	1394
Jane Cloete	0	0	100	0	667	0	0	767
Rhonda Thayer	0	0	0	605	100	0	0	705
Helen Carman	0	0	689	0	0	0	0	689

Course 3

MEN

Don Gordon	917	100	774	630	836	698	749	4602
Brendan Thayer	863	1000	917	703	0	1000	100	4583
Matt Radford	870	914	871	892	0	0	971	4519
Michael Davies	888	765	1000	569	1000	0	0	4222
Duana Pleace	0	0	0	455	555	0	490	1500
Andrew Pohl	0	0	0	521	0	0	607	1127
Jesse Robertson	1000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000
Alex Wearing	0	0	0	1000	0	0	0	1000
Riki Cambridge	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000	1000
Robin Kelly	0	0	800	0	100	0	0	900
Josh Craig	0	0	0	655	0	0	0	655
Lachlan McKenzie	0	0	0	471	0	0	0	471

WOMEN

Pat Taylor	947	973	0	1000	0	1000	0	3920
Kate Cotter	0	0	606	788	0	0	1000	2394
Shelley Cottle	1000	0	1000	0	0	0	0	2000
Eunice McLeod	0	1000	0	0	0	895	0	1895
Ev Smith	628	603	0	0	419	0	0	1651
Marjorie Spittle	100	523	0	0	453	0	0	1076
Annie Grant	0	0	0	0	1000	0	0	1000
Janette Anderson	0	0	0	0	0	889	0	889
Nadine Kuiper	0	0	875	0	0	0	0	875
Helen Carman	0	841	0	0	0	0	0	841
Genevieve Webb	0	0	0	0	730	0	100	830
Margaret Tagg	0	0	0	0	0	763	0	763
Megan Reilly	0	0	0	757	0	0	0	757
Alison Johnston	0	297	0	404	0	0	0	701
Jasmine Johnston	0	644	0	0	0	0	0	644
Rhonda Thayer	0	623	0	0	0	0	0	623
Darlene Thomson	0	0	0	0	0	0	588	588
Amanda Batt	0	0	0	580	0	0	0	580
Pam Thayer	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	100
Jane Cloete	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	100

Course 4

MEN

Robin Kelly	1000	862	0	0	0	1000	0	2862
Jan Stockhofe	841	853	946	0	0	0	0	2639
David Grant	0	1000	0	0	0	0	0	1000
Stu Fleming	0	0	1000	0	0	0	0	1000
Angus Robertson	0	0	0	0	1000	0	0	1000
Gordon Wilson	889	0	0	0	0	0	0	889
Matthew Mortimer	850	0	0	0	0	0	0	850
William Sneyd-Marshall	0	0	670	0	0	0	0	670

WOMEN

Jane Cloete	1000	0	0	0	0	1000	0	2000
Rosemary Watson	0	0	0	426	0	709	0	1135
Amanda Batt	0	1000	0	0	0	0	0	1000
Tracey Pringle	0	0	1000	0	0	0	0	1000
Esther Radford	0	0	0	1000	0	0	0	1000
Jennie Pantano	0	0	0	0	1000	0	0	1000
Gaynor Sutherland	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000	1000
Pat Ehrhardt	0	0	430	450	0	0	0	880
Katherine Barker	0	0	549	0	0	0	0	549
Alison Pohl	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	100

Course 5**MEN**

Logan Mortimer	1000	0	1000	0	0	974	0	2974
Ryan Cambridge	0	1000	0	0	0	0	0	1000
Edwin Phease	0	0	0	1000	0	0	0	1000
Matthew Mortimer	0	0	0	0	0	1000	0	1000

WOMEN

Danielle Kelly	1000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000
Christina Johnston	0	1000	0	0	0	0	0	1000

NOTES

Points = (Winners time/competitors time) x
1000

Planners/Controllers get average of their best two
placings (shown thus)

DNF and DSQ get 100 points

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2002 SCHOOL SERIES - Points after 11 Aug, Town Belt South, Event 2

	Event	1	2	3	4	Total
Rhonda Thayer	OGHS	1000	1000	0	0	2000
Ciaran Thayer	Bayfield	1000	1000	0	0	2000
Matthew Radford	OBHS	1000	971	0	0	1971
Braden Doyle	Balmacewan	1000	769	0	0	1769
Brendan Thayer	Bayfield	617	1000	0	0	1617
Peter Wilson	Logan Pk	879	735	0	0	1613
Riki Cambridge	Kings	500	960	0	0	1460
Robin Kelly	Logan Pk	515	850	0	0	1365
Jesse Robertson	Kings	662	627	0	0	1289
Tane Cambridge	Kings	0	823	0	0	1235
Carina Doyle	Waikouaiti	500	500	0	0	1000
Ryan Cambridge	St Clair	1000	0	0	0	1000
Inge Whibley	OGHS	500	500	0	0	1000
Logan Mortimer	Mosgiel West	0	1000	0	0	1000
Matthew Mortimer	Mosgiel Int	0	1000	0	0	1000
Matthew Bailey	Kings	397	500	0	0	897
Natasha Tamepo	Waikouaiti	500	0	0	0	500
Eilis Doyle	Waikouaiti	0	500	0	0	500
Imogen Doyle	Waikouaiti	0	500	0	0	500
Rose Whibley	OGHS	0	500	0	0	500
Bede Robertson	Mosgiel Int	0	500	0	0	500
Andrew Pohl	Bayfield	491	0	0	0	491
Jacob Anderson	Kaikorai	0	438	0	0	438
Laura Davies	Sawyers Bay	0	400	0	0	400
Esther Radford	OGHS	0	333	0	0	333
Katherine Radford	OGHS	0	333	0	0	333
Edwin Phease	Maori Hill	100	0	0	0	100
Schools	Kings	1559	2610			4169
	Bayfield	2108	2000			4108
	OGHS	1500	2400			3900
	Logan Pk	1394	1585			2979
	Waikouaiti	1000	1500			2500
	OBHS	1000	971			1971
	Balmacewan	1000	769			1769
	Mosgiel Int	0	1500			1500
	Mosgiel West	0	1000			1000
	St Clair	1000	0			1000
	Kaikorai	0	438			438
	Sawyers Bay	0	400			400

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