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# annual report 2020











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# **CHAIRMAN'S REPORT**

Very much like the Houston Space Station's catchcry of 'we have lift off', the Bulls Masters have "we have synchronisation". Ours, is with Queensland Cricket, at last! We are now adding to the breadth of cricket coaching work being done and enhancing an already good structure in the State. It's been a stressful time for QC, reacting to Covid-19 inactivity and expected revenue declines, so we're pleased to be here, to assist in many of their programs. Together we can still provide classy clinics to the best regional juniors as well as maintain their focus of improving local competitions for the players who aren't involved in rep teams. For Qld Cricket, Qld Country Cricket and the Bulls Masters to be able to access passionate former and sometimes current Queensland players is very handy.

We are the perfect community vehicle for assistance of many types and we're getting stronger. We have now moved significantly into the Wide Bay region and specifically the regional city of Bundaberg. The community, volunteer and player engagement in the area is sensational and deserves recognition.

Thanks again to our staff of 4 for your creativity and leadership throughout Queensland's associations. We're slowly getting the locals to become more active in our visits, igniting the interest in cricket more widely again. To our very willing high profile playing groups, a big thank you for the quality you've provided throughout the year ensuring the playing enjoyment is obvious for all. The energy and willingness to help young players is fantastic.

Around the board table we have much expertise and I thank you all for your unwavering commitment.

The social relevance of regional mental health just can't be ignored, and we stay involved proudly with Outback Futures who work in grieving communities attempting to provide some solace and hope. For kids to visualise a future, from such remote hardship, requires a lot of attention these days. It's long term work and often a heartbreaking challenge.

Elite coaching is an area we feel is crucial in cricket, so with the assistance of Chemist Warehouse, we'll continue, a series of 3-day clinics with former players headlining and inspiring young players to achieve the high standards desired.

Providing many and varied opportunities for former players to take part in, is a priority for us. Attending a day of a selected Shield match together is fun, a test match day and other assorted gatherings as part of a fraternity, should always be valued.

Initiating new stuff to improve cricket, enabling our volunteers to enjoy some great times and encouraging sponsors to invest in the game are all important. So far, so good.

Once again, we're with the mighty Bulls, hubbing in Adelaide and the ever improving Fire, with members who absolutely love the state of Queensland, even though times are very different at present.

Thanks for 2020.

IAN HEALY

Chairman







# THE BULLS MASTERS' AIM

The Bulls Masters is an organisation of former QLD cricketers established in 2010 to develop and grow the game of cricket throughout the state. The aim of the Bulls Masters is to foster and develop cricket using retired QLD cricketers as well as providing community support and assisting charities along the way. The Bulls Masters was founded by a group of former state and national cricketers; Ian Healy, Martin Kent, Jimmy Maher, Andy Bichel and Michael Kasprowicz. The Foundation Members, with all except Martin Kent sitting on the Bulls Masters' Board. The Bulls Masters visits regional communities providing coaching and development to young cricketers and supporting local cricket clubs and charities. The organisation works closely with regional communities to providing opportunities for fundraising, and support the growth of the game. The Bulls Masters conducts regional Tours per year; conducting school and hospital visits, playing cricket matches and creating fundraising events in local areas. The Bulls Masters enjoys the generous support of its commercial partners and a well established membership base to fund operations. The Bulls Masters is a non profit organisation that aims to be a positive and beneficial influence on people's lives through interaction and education using our personnel as the vehicle to drive positive change. The Bulls Masters is extremely proud of its ability to visit a vast array of towns and have an impact on people's lives via hospital visits, fundraising for charity, encouraging children to get active and play sport, discovering and nurturing indigenous talent and helping to improve local facilities.



### MANAGING DIRECTOR'S REPORT



Over many years, sport prepares people for the unexpected. You learn to cope with days of great triumph and days of disappointment. That experience helped the Bulls Masters in 2019/20 as we joined other sports-based organisations in dealing with the impacts of COVID19. We were quite fortunate to have completed the most of our annual calendar when the pandemic began - we sympathise with other organisations who did not have that good fortune. Our changes included the postponement of our Gatton and Emerald tours and one of our fundraisers in Cairns. Of course, we also had to place on hold the 25year anniversary of the first ever Sheffield Shield win. We will make all of these up in time - that's not in doubt. And we are very conscious that many clubs, communities and grass roots organisations are going to need the Bulls Masters more than ever to help rebuild in tough times.

Prior to COVID, Bulls Masters once again had an extremely satisfying year across all levels. We continued our work throughout regional Queensland and we continued our role as the major sponsor of the Queensland Bulls, the Queensland Fire and the Brisbane Grade competition.

Our charter remains unchanged: to deliver opportunities, tournaments, events for fundraising, support causes outside of cricket, provide specialist coaching for both players and coaches and to engage the former Queensland players. We want to do this consistently and with quality. Those goals are not negotiable. We are so fortunate to have the enthusiasm and support of former Queensland players. Their commitment is incredible and we constantly hear from other states how they envy the network that has been created in Queensland.

#### COMMERCIAL PARTNERS:

Our charter cannot be delivered without the wonderful support of our commercial partners. This year, I am again grateful for the superb contributions of CNW Electrical and HP Legrand, Queensland Government, Sci Fleet Motors, BMD, XXXX, ACA, Chemist Warehouse, AQUIS Farms, Brisbane Markets and the Qld Cricketers Club.

This year we came up with an Innovation called the Border Group, named after the one and only Allan Border. This is a group of 14 companies that combine to be our major partner. They are a wonderful cohort of Queensland and, in some cases, national companies who give so much to support our program and benefit the lives of so many Queenslanders. Thank you to all of these companies for helping us to get to so many different areas throughout the state and make a difference.

The Bulls Masters Country Challenge moved to Bundaberg after five years of outstanding results in Mackay. It was always going to be a tough act to follow but the Bundaberg Cricket Association delivered an event to savour. It was a great success. The Gold Coast Thunder went through to the Gabba Final to play the North Queensland Monsoons in the Country Challenge final. It was another memorable decider at the home of cricket in Queensland. The Gold Coast were deserved winners of the Country Challenge for 2019/20. Congratulations to Nic Peterson and his team – they were clearly the best team in this year's Bulls Masters Country Challenge. Dirk Tazelaar medallist was Daniel Gartrell from the NQ Monsoons.



Mackay remained an important destination for the Bulls Masters as host of our Under 16 Youth Cup. Eight former players were engaged to mentor the teams. The successful team was the South East Queensland Stormers winning the Youth Cup. The Matthew Hayden Medallist was Finn Churchwood from the Far North Fusion.

The Country Challenge and the Youth Cup are very important parts of the Bulls Masters calendar and they will continue to grow each year, helping to develop more players along our pathway. Well done to all participants.

#### **REGIONAL TOURS AND EVENTS:**

The following areas were visited by the Bulls Masters in the last 12 months:

- Mount Isa
- Toowoomba
- Townsville
- Bundaberg
- Emerald
- Cairns

Thank you to all of the cricket associations for their hospitality and welcome. We are always excited to see the ways that our visits enhance cricket in the regions and provide boosts to local clubs. Many of our former players come from regional Queensland so they always look forward to returning. Thank you to Queensland Cricket's regional cricket managers for their on-ground support during our tours. These managers work tirelessly to get around to as many venues as possible and cover large areas. Thanks for your support. You're a vital part of the game.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

In a year of uncertainty, we relied more than ever on great support and advice at Bulls Masters. I would like to thank our Cornerstone members for another year of commitment to the Bulls Masters. Your support is unending. We can't thank you enough for the contribution you make to the organisation. We're a better organisation for your presence.

Our Club 95 members continue to provide great service to Bulls Masters. Club 95 brings together a fantastic corporate group of people who have helped our organisation in so many ways. Many young Queenslanders continue to have access and learn from the Bulls Masters due to your support. We look forward to continuing to create business opportunities and we hope that you enjoy the social benefits of Club 95.

Thanks again to our Bulls Masters. Queensland has a legacy of pride and thanks to our former Queensland players. It's a wonderful history that our state has and it's great to see the pride Queenslanders have for Bulls Masters. Thank you for making it possible for us to deliver programs and events across Queensland. Your enthusiasm, professionalism and love of the game ensure our success. We are extremely lucky to have a committed group of former players who are passionate about the future success of cricket in Queensland.

Thank you to our extremely small team of Bulls Masters staff who do a sensational job at the day-to-day happenings and also the broader picture of continuing to grow the organisation.

We're looking forward to 2020/21 already with plenty of positive work to be done in our great state!

JIMMY MAHER Managing Director

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**



#### IAN HEALY CHAIRMAN

Ian Healy is a former QLD and Australian cricketer; a prolific member of the Australian cricket team from 1998 he was a specialist wicket keeper and an integral part of a dominant decade in Australian cricket.

Ian played 119 Tests for Australia and was named in the team of the 21st century. Ian had a long and proud career with QLD cricket; as captain from 1992 until 2000.

Ian began his career in the central QLD town of Biloea before moving to Brisbane to begin playing at Norths Cricket Club. Ian retains his involvement with Norths Cricket Club



#### MARK THOMPSON

Mark Thompson is a partner at accounting firm Thompson Partners, he has created a niche in his accounting career advising professional athletes across a number of sports including cricket. Mark has been involved in sport throughout his life from a participant to and administrator. His former board roles include Chairman of St Patrick's College Shorncliffe (3 years), Chairman / Treasurer of Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club (5 years), Director of QLD Rugby Union (6 years) and Director of Bulls Masters (from 2011 to current). Mark has a vision for the Bulls Masters, for it to be internationally regarded as the benchmark for past player organisations continuing their strong ties with sport through development of the game at a grass roots level.



#### JOHN MULLINS LLM

John Mullins is a well known sports lawyer and a senior partner of Mullins Lawyers. From 1980 to 2015 John was the Managing Partner of Mullins Lawyers. John has the leading sports law practice in Queensland, acting for numerous state and national sporting organisations and government entities. In addition to his directorship of the Bulls Masters, he is also a committee member of Tattersalls Club and a Board member of Q Sports, Queensland Federation of Sport.



#### CHRIS WHITE

Chris White is the Managing Director of International Quarterback. Chris has 25 years sports industry experience working originally in talent management and extending IQ's offering to provide strategic services on all aspects of sponsorship working with Brands, Talent, Events and National Rights Holders. Chris has negotiated naming rights sponsorship partnerships across – Rugby Union, NRL, Cricket, Netball and Surfing as an example. Chris is a previous director of the Qld Rugby Union, Qld Tourism and Events Qld. He is currently a Director of the Sony Foundation.





#### MICHAEL KASPROWICZ

Michael Kasprowicz is a former Australian international cricketer and represented Queensland for 19 years becoming the leading wicket taker of all time. Michael accepted the position of interim CEO of Queensland Cricket after 4 years as a Director on the Board of Cricket Australia. Prior to that position, Michael was the President of the Australian Cricketer's Association.

He is also the founder and Managing director of consultancy firm, Venture India, facilitating trade and business opportunities between India and Australia. Michael is currently a Board member of the Australian India Council appointed by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade. Michael holds an MBA from the University of Queensland.



#### JIMMY MAHER

Born and raised in Cairns Jimmy Maher is a proud Queenslander, representing Australia and QLD.

Making his debut for the Queensland Bulls in 1993/94, Jimmy has continued to be an integral part of a winning team. Named as Queensland Bulls Player of the Year (2001/02) Jimmy is one of only seven players to have played more than 100 'First Class Games' for the state and in 2002 stepped up as Captain.

Jimmy was part of the Australian side during the 2003 Wold Cup after making his ODI Australian debut in 1998.

He was a founding director of the Bulls Masters and has been the managing director since the organisation's beginning in 2010.



#### ANDY BICHEL

Andy Bichel, hails from the Laidley in the Lockyer Valley he started his playing career with QLD in 1992 and continued as a member of the QLD state team until 2008; a long term member of the QLD Bulls a medium fast bowler. Andy was a key member of the Australian World Cup winning team in 2003.

After retiring from cricket Andy moved into coaching and developing young bowlers; as a director of coaching in PNG, and bowling coach for Indian Premier League teams the Chennai Superkings and Kolkata Knightriders. Bichel was also an Australian Cricket Selector from 2012 – 2014.

He has been a member of the Bulls Masters board since the organisation's inception and continues to support the organisation by travelling with the Bulls Masters.



### PARTICIPATION

#### PLACES VISITED



# **CHARITIES & COMMUNITY GROUPS**

- Across the Waves Rugby
- Bargara State School
- Bundaberg Christian College
- Cancer Council
- Centenary Heights State High School
- Central Highlands Cricket
- Cricket Far North
- Forest Lake School
- Friendlies Hospital Foundation
- Gabbinbah State School
- Gold Coast Cricket
- Hilliard State School, Alexandra Hills
- Hip Pock Safety & Workwear & Adicare
- Healy State School
- Ignatius Park College Cricket
- Jimmy Bryants Outback Youth Support
- Lexus Rockhampton
- Liebke Tyres
- Mackay Mayors Charity Ball

- Moranbah State School
- Mount Isa State Special School
  - Norths Cricket
  - Norville State School, Bundaberg
  - Nudgee College
  - Outback Futures
  - Power FM Semi-Pros Talk Back Radio Sports Show
  - Relay for Life
  - Runcorn Heights State School
  - Suns Darling Downs Cricket
  - Spring Mountain State School
  - St Joseph's Primary School Mt Isa
  - St Kieran's Catholic School
  - St Luke's Anglican School
  - St Luke's Anglican School, Bundaberg
  - Townsville Flood Appeal
  - Wanderers Club
  - Wide Bay Cricket
  - Woongarra State School, Bundaberg



# **YEAR IN REVIEW**

### TOURS

Mt Isa Clermont Bundaberg August 2019 August 2019 September 2019 Toowoomba, Darling Downs South East Qld Warwick September 2019 October 2019 January 2020

### **EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

- Disengaged Students Program, Mt Isa, August 2019
- Cricket Coaching Clinics, Clermont, August 2019
- Country Challenge, Bundaberg, October 2019
- Youth Cup, Mackay December 2019
- Steak and Shiraz Wests Lunch, Brisbane, December 2019
- Maroon Cap Day, Brisbane, November 2019
- Country Challenge Final, Brisbane January 2020
- Warwick Tour, January 2020
- Warwick Coaching Clinic, January 2020

- Warwick BBQ Dinner, January 2020
- Nudgee, February 2020
- Bundaberg Tour, Feb/March 2020
- Golf Day, Coral Cove, February 2020
- School Clinics, Bundaberg February 2020
- Coaching Forum, Bundaberg, February 2020
- T20 Match Bulls Masters v Bundaberg Invitational XI, February 2020
- Gala Dinner, Bundaberg, February 2020
- T20 Match, Salt Oval, Bundaberg, March 2020

### **CORPORATE PARTNERS**

The Bulls Masters are very proud of the strong relationships and are thankful for the generous funding we receive from all our Corporate Partners. All funds received help towards providing cricket development opportunities across Queensland. We thank them all for all their support.













# **THE BORDER GROUP**

The Border Group was first established at the beginning of 2019 and consists of an exclusive Corporate Group of only 13 companies. The Bulls Masters are very grateful for their generous and ongoing support. All the members are partnered up with the Bulls Masters during tours and events throughout the year.

#### BORDER GROUP MEMBERS

**Corporate Members** 

- **BARTONS MOTORS**
- BMD

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- BUNDABERG TOYOTA
- HAULMARK TRAILERS
- LINDSAY'S AUSTRALIA

- QH & M BIRT
- ULTON
- WESSELS PETROLEUM
- DOUG BARTON
- IAN WEIGH TOYOTA
- TAKALVANS
- FUTURE PROOF FINANCIAL
- IONYX



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### **CORNERSTONE MEMBERS**

The Bulls Masters are grateful for the ongoing support they received from all the loyal Cornerstone Members:

- Mr Doug Barton Mr Peter Bell Mr Kevin Burns Mr Scott Cain Mr Peter Chisholm Mr Tony Coutts Mr Tom Forrester Mr John Glanville Mr Spencer Grammer Mr David Hillier Mr Tony Joseph Mr Simon Kirkpatrick Mr Geoff Maynard Mr John Mullins
- Mr John Pearce Mr John Piccone Mr Lenard Poulter Mr Mick Power Mr Tim Prest Mr Corey Scott Mr David Staines Mr Andrew Thomas Mr Mark Thompson Mr Donald Tritton Mr Bruce Wallace Dr Richard Williams

The 2019 Annual exclusive lunch for the Cornerstone Members was held at the Queensland Cricketers Club, Brisbane overlooking the Gabba in October 2019. The members were joined by Geoff Merrill who flew in from South Australia to join the members who enjoyed a three course fine dining meal accompanied by Geoff Merrill wines.













### **CLUB 95**

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Club 95 was developed to commemorate QLD'S inaugural Sheffield Shield victory in 1994/95; with the group limited to 95 members;

The Bulls Masters are delighted with the high level of membership retention and offers an opportunity to network whilst supporting the cricket development and contribution to various charities and community groups.

The Bulls Masters is grateful for the loyal and generous support of the Club 95 Members.

Club 95 members received the following exclusive benefits in 2019/20:

- Annual Club 95 Golf Day 15th November 2019 at Links Hope Island
- Various Social Functions throughout the year







Member Name	No.	Member Name
TONY COUTTS	1	JOHN MULLINS
DOUG BARTON	2	CHRIS WESSEL
GREG MAHER	3	CRAIG GREENHILL
CHRISTIAN MCGUIRE	4	ANGELO VENARDOS
JOHN PEARCE	5	STEVEN MARBELLI
JONATHAN PEARCE	6	DANIEL ELLIOTT
IAN HEALY	7	JON JEFFEREY
NICK GREGORSKI	8	FRANK CORRENTI
MICHAEL HATCHER	9	SCOTT CAIN
RICHARD WILLIAMS (DR)	10	SIMON KIRKPATRICK
GREG ERKILLA	11	MARK FERGUSON
RICHARD WELLS	12	NATHAN REARDON
BRETT BREEDING	13	MARK BIETZ
JOHN PASCOE	14	CHRIS COCHRANE
KEN HEALY	15	CRAIG NICHOLLS
ANDY SCIFLEET	16	KEVIN BURNS
PHIL EASTWOOD	17	SCOTT FORRESTER
COREY SCOTT	18	PATRICK PATULLO
GEOFF FOLEY	19	PAUL GAFFNEY
MICHAEL NESER	20	JOHN HOWARD
PHIL GAME	21	GREG ROWELL
MICK POWER	22	MARK CREEDON
ANDREW McSWEENEY	23	DAVE WESSELS
ADAM DALE	24	JACK BREEDING

No.	Member Name
25	CHRIS LYNN
26	SHANE VEEN
27	TIM PREST
28	CAMERON BOYCE
29	LIAM BIRCHLEY
30	BRUCE WALLACE
31	MARK COTTERELL
32	MARK MCLEAN
33	TRENT RYAN
34	LUKE FELDMAN
35	DAVID SHORT
36	ED HINSCHEN
37	CHRIS WHITE
38	PETER DANIEL
39	ANDREW SYMONDS
40	PETER BELL
41	ANDREW SYMONDS
42	BRAD CHISHOLM
43	BILL NEILSON
44	STUART COCKING
45	JOE DAWES
46	PETER CHISHOLM
47	LES McGUIRE

TONY FENLON

No.	Member Name	No.
49	JON DOOLEY	73
50	JOHN GOWDIE	74
51	STEVE MIOTTI	75
52	KAREN STANTON	76
53	IAN MITCHELL	77
54	MARK THOMPSON	78
55	STEPHEN CRESSWELL	79
56	CHRIS GANNON	80
57	TED JELICH	81
58	LACHLAN FURNELL	82
59	CHRIS SIMPSON	83
60	ALAN GRAHAM	84
61	KARL BROSNAN	85
62	KATHY SPENCER	86
63	ROB CARR	87
64	ANTHONY JOSEPH	88
65	MARK JACOBSEN	89
66	KEVIN NORREY	90
67	STEVE MCROBERTS	91
68	DALE RETHAMEL	92
69	RICHARD DEERY	93
70	ALEX KOWALCZUK	94
71	ALLAN TODD	95
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### **BULLS MASTERS** GOLF SERIES

The Bulls Masters golf days were held across two cities, with each day raising funds for charity and providing our guests with the chance to enjoy a day of great golf with cricketing greats.

- Brisbane Wynnum Golf Club 1st November 2019
- Bundaberg Coral Cove Golf Club 27th February 2020

The Bulls Masters partnered up with Vintage Reds at the Wynnum Golf Club where former Wallaby and Vintage Reds CEO Billy Ross MC'd for the day. The day was joined also by Wallaby great Elton Flatley and Cricket legend Andrew Symonds.

We thank our Event sponsors, Ulton, Bundaberg Toyota and Aquis for their help in organising such a successful golf day up in Bundaberg at the Coral Cove Golf Club. The guests were joined with the Bulls Masters and the greatest Test Bowler, Merv Hughes and the internationally renowned comedian Paul Martell. Each team were provided with a great day of golf followed by a superb lunch and ended with a medal presentation from the day's events plus prizes for the raffle and auctions.











## **EVENT AQUIS FARM**

#### FRIDAY 22ND NOVEMBER 2019

Being one of the Bulls Masters major sponsors, Aquis farm rolled out the red carpet for the Bulls Masters when they invited some of the Cornerstone, Club 95 and Border Group members onto their Canungra, Queensland stud farm to see how it all goes behind the scenes.

After meeting some of the stallions, mares and foals, everyone relaxed on the Aquis Farm 57 metre luxury yacht "Loretta", and listened to some tales from Allan Border and Ian Healy as well as legendary Melbourne racehorse trainer Ciaron Maher Racing.





## **EVENT ASHES DINNER**



#### THURSDAY 1ST AUGUST 2019

Guests were invited to the Cricketers Club, Woolloongabba to enjoy a 2-course dinner and to watch live on the screen "the first ball of the first test" between Australia v England at Lords. The guest speakers of the evening were the two Australian Test Legends, Rod Marsh and Doug Walters.



# **EVENT NORTHS DINNER**

#### WEDNESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2019

The Norths Cricket and the Bulls Masters joined together for a fun night at the Cricketers Club, Gabba with special guests for the evening, Nathan Hauritz and James Hopes whilst watching live on screen... the first ball of the fourth test from Old Trafford. Guests were also treated to interviews with current players, Jack Prestwidge and Queensland Bulls player Nathan McSweeney. All proceeds from the evening went towards helping grassroots cricket club Northern Suburbs District Cricket Club.

#### EDNESDAT 4TH SEPTEMBER 2019















### **EVENT WESTS LUNCH**



#### THURSDAY 17TH DECEMBER 2019

For the second year running, the Bulls Masters and the Western Suburbs District Cricket Club held their Annual Big Bash lunch. MC'd by Dean Tuckwell and joined by a host of cricketing greats, Darren Lehmann and former England Captain Michael Vaughan. This year the lunch was held at the Pineapple Hotel at Kangaroo point where guests enjoyed a 2 course steak and shiraz lunch.

All proceeds from the event went towards Western Suburbs Cricket Club.



# **TOUR MOUNT ISA / FAR NORTH QLD**



#### 7th - 9th August 2019

As CNW were the main sponsor of this tour, the Bulls Masters were happy to be visiting Mt Isa, Far North Old and to show their support in the local community and promote the game of cricket. With the schools visited over the 3 days, there were over 300 Children participated in the Cricket clinics which were conducted by our dedicated players. We thank them all for a very strong message that was relayed to the children during the visits.

#### TOUR EVENTS

- School visits St Kieran's Catholic School, Healy State School, St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Mt Isa Special School.
- Coaches Forum
- Mailman Express Race Day
- CNW Trade Show
- XXXX Appearances

#### BULLS MASTERS TOURING PARTY

- Jimmy Maher
- Ken Healy
- Carl Rackemann
- Gavin Fitness
- Nathan Hauritz
- Andrew Gee



# **TOUR – WARWICK QLD**

#### 24th January 2020

The Bulls Masters headed to Warwick for Kids Super Clinic with Nathan Hauritz and Luke Feldman at Slade Park followed by night of entertainment with great beer, BBQ dinner at the Warwick Golf Club with guest speakers Jimmy Maher, Jeff Thomson and Rugby League legend, Trevor Gilmeister. All funds raised for the evening were donated to the Junior Cricket in Warwick.

#### TOUR EVENTS

- **School Visits**
- Cricket Clinic Slade Park
- BBQ Dinner Warwick Golf Club .

#### **BULLS MASTERS TOURING PARTY**

- Jimmy Maher .
- Jeff Thomson .
- Nathan Hauritz
- Luke Feldman
- Ken Healy
- Trevor Gilmeister (Rugby League)

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### EK GOLF GLUB **JANUARY 24, 2020**

7.00pm for 7.30pm to 10.30pm our legends of Cricket & Rugby Leagu ht of en

**COST : \$60 Per Person** Includes Beer & BBQ for 3 Hours For Bookings : (07) 3257 4400 or email admin@bullsmasters.com.au

Join your MC, Channel 7's Ben Davis along with

JEFF THOMSON **FREVOR GILLMEISTER** JIMMY MAHER

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### TOUR TOOWOOMBA / DARLING DOWNS QLD

#### 13th - 15th September 2019

The Bulls Masters headed to Toowoomba for the Western Rivers Cup, a big thank you to the Australian Indigenous Cricket Team for helping out at the Captain Cook Recreational Reserve.

#### TOUR EVENTS

- School visits Gabbinbah State School, Centenary Heights State High School.
- CNW Sponsor BBQ Breakfast
- Western Rivers Cup Gala Day
- Sponsor Visits
- Hospital Visits St Vincent's Hospital
- DDBL Matches

#### **BULLS MASTERS TOURING PARTY**

- Jimmy Maher
- Carl Rackemann
- Gavin Fitness
- Nathan Hauritz
- Brendan Creevey
- Luke Feldman
- Chris Swan



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# **TOUR BUNDABERG QLD**

#### 27th February - 1st March 2020

For the 3rd year running, the Bulls Masters had the pleasure in returning back up to Bundaberg. Thanks to the joint effort of Ulton and Bundaberg Toyota who organised an outstanding Golf day again at the Coral Cove Golf Club. 17 teams joined in this event and all the fundraising on the day was donated to the Bundaberg Cricket Association. The following day the Bulls Masters visited the many schools in the local areas where children of different ages and abilities enjoyed learning new skills conducted by the players. A fantastic fundraising dinner was held again this year at the Multiplex Centre in Bundaberg with an outstanding attendance of just over 280 guests. Kimberly Busteed, the MC for the evening was joined by this years special guest speakers, Australian Cricket Icons Merv Hughes and Cricket Legend, Ian Healy. The guests were entertained by one of Australia's leading and most successful corporate comedy entertainers, Paul Martell. What a great ending to a another great tour and the help from Ben Laughlin and Charlie Hemphrey in the T20 Match at the Bundaberg Salter Oval. The match ended with the win to the The Bulls Masters.

#### TOUR EVENTS

- Golf Day at Coral Cove, Bundaberg, 17 teams participated.
- School visits Bundaberg Christian College, Norville State School, Woongarra State School, St Luke's Anglican College
- Sponsor Commitments
- Fundraising Dinner at the Multiplex Centre in Bundaberg
- Pre-match Super Clinic Salter Oval Bundaberg
- T20 Cricket Match Salter Oval Bundaberg,

#### **BULLS MASTERS TOURING PARTY**

- Jimmy Maher
- Ken Healy
- Andy Bichel
- Andrew Symonds
- Carl Rackemann
- Ian Healy
- Geoff Foley
- Nathan Reardon
- Michael Kasprowicz
- Luke Feldman
- Cameron Boyce

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### **EVENT COUNTRY CHALLENGE**

Another successful Bulls Masters Country Challenge. The eighth annual tournament was held up in Bundaberg for the first time at the Salter Oval on 4th to 6th October 2019 inclusive.

Over the 3 Day event, the 8 teams representing eight zones across Queensland competed in a T20 competition.

#### NORTHERN ZONES TEAMS:

- Far North Fusion
- Central Qld Seamers
- Mackay / Whitsunday Nitro's
- North Qld Monsoons

- SOUTHERN ZONES TEAMS:
- South East Qld
- Wide Bay Flames
- Darling Downs Suns
- Gold Coast Thunder

The Bulls Masters Country Challenge tournament is a unique opportunity for the development of regional cricket and the event is supported by QLD Country Cricket. The tournament provides players with the chance to compete against cricketers from across the state. The winner or Pool A and Pool B had the opportunity to play the final at the Gabba in Brisbane on 19th January 2020.

The winning teams from each pool for 2019 were Qld Monsoons v Gold Coast Thunder. Both teams were given the chance to play in the County Challenge Final as a curtain raiser to a Brisbane Heat BBL match. The Bulls Masters Cup was proudly won in January 2020 by the Gold Coast Thunder.

#### 2019 BULLS MASTERS COUNTRY CHALLENGE CUP WINNERS

#### **Gold Coast Thunder**

The Bulls Masters would like to acknowledge the support of the Country Challenge Sponsors and the Bulls Masters Partners-

- Bundaberg Regional Council
- The Waves Sports Club
- Bundaberg Toyota
- Triple M
- Bulls Masters Partners
- ACA

- AquisBMD
- Brisbane Markets
- Chemist Warehouse
- CNW
- Legrand

- Ladbrokes
- QLD Government

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- Sci-Fleet Motors
- YXXX
- QCC

Thanks also to the Bulls Masters players who participated as mentors, Brendan Creevey, Nathan Hauritz, Dirk Tazelaar, Mick Polzin, Gavin Fitness, Luke Feldman, Carl Rackemann and Jimmy Maher.













### **EVENT U/16'S YOUTH CUP**

Yet again the Bulls Masters are very proud to support the QLD Country Cricket which provide young cricketers with the opportunity to participate in this 5-day tournament. This was held from 8th to 12th December 2019 at Harrup Park, Mackay. The Bulls Masters provided each of the 8 x teams with a high profile mentor from start to the end of the tournament. Each team played 3 x 50 over matches and 2 x T20 matches. The finals played with 50 over matches. The tournament is run along the same lines as the Country Challenge.

#### 2019 U16'S YOUTH CUP WINNERS

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#### NORTHERN ZONES TEAMS:

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- Central Qld Seamers Ken Healy
- Mackay / Whitsunday Nitro's Peter George
- North Qld Monsoons Peter Drinnen
- SOUTHERN ZONES TEAMS:
- SEQ Seamers Brendan Creevey
- Wide Bay Flames Carl Rackemann
- Darling Downs Suns Gavin Fitness
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WHAT'S ON: Catch the local action **CRICKET at Salter Oval** 

The Bulls Masters Country Challenge continues today and tomorrow. Matches: All at 9.30am today - Central Queensland Ventra Fan North, North Queensland v Mackay Whitsundays, South East Qaeensland v Gold Coast. All at 2pm – Gold Coast v Mackay Whitsundays, North Queensland, V South East Qaeensland, Darling Downs v Central Queensland, Wide Bay v Central Fan North. At 6.3Cpm today – Wide Bay v Darling Downs. All at 9am tomorrow – North Queensland v Gold Coast. Central Far North v Darling Downs, South East v Central Far North, North



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Whitsundays, All finals will be held at 2pm tomorrow. MONSTER TRUCKS at Carlina Speedway. Six Monsters Trucks will be in action touch in action tonight when some of the best drivers in Australia put them through its limits. The action starts at 2pm and it runs until 10pm.

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CQ trio impresses at Bulls Masters Youth Cup

### **Border to** lead Bulls at Masters

FORMER Australian cricket captain Allan Border will headline a star-studded Bulls Masters outfit at the Great Barrier Reef Masters Games next month.

After a highly entertaining and successful tour to Cairns for the 2017 Masters Games, the Bulls Masters are planning for a bigger and better tour in 2019, and have named a side packed with some of the greats of Australia's cricket history.

Wicketkeeper of the century Ian Healy, dynamic all-rounder Andrew Symonds, former Queensland captain Jimmy Maher and former pace battery partners Andy Bichel and Michael Kasprowicz are among the talents.

Former Maroons and Broncos legend Andrew Gee will swing the willow, while re-cently retired Diamonds netball legend Laura Geitz will be a speaking guest.

The Bulls Masters visit will also include school and hospital appearances. The games run from May 23

to May 26.



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### Bulls Masters gives Bundy a tick of approval ahead of event The tournament continues today with a full draw on page 69 and entry free for spectators at Saltar Oval.

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CRICKET: Bulls Masters man-aging director and former Queensland Bull Jimmy Maher said he can't wait to see what Bundaberrg provides this weekend when it hosts the Bulls Masters Country Chal-

lenge. This year is the first year the tournament is being held after Mackay hosted it re-

cently. Bundaberrg will host it for the next three years, starting last night when Wide Bay hosted Central Queensland. Maher said the tournament is an important part of

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tros)who made it to the final at the Gabba for the past three years, it can bring a lot of

excitement and energy to the host town", Maher said. "This event means so much to the players, the associations. the towns and the mentors so we'd like to thank the Bundaberg Regional Council and all our sporsors for making the Country Challenge happen this year", Maher added.

Bundaberg mayor Jack Dempsey said the region was ready to host some of the best cricketers from regional areas. "Mackay has done a terrific

"Mackay has done a territic job of hosting this event over the last seven years but we're very excited that it is now the Bundaberg Region's time to help this event shine." "We look forward to host-

ing this event in Bundaberg for a number of years going for-ward". Mayor Dempsey added.





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### What a season of sport

#### The NewsMail looks at the year's top moments

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with the initiatives that the Bundaberg Crickes Associ-ation has put in place over the past, few years, such as the Bundy Big Bash, which has such a big following", Bulls Massers chairman and match-player Ian Heady said. "We're expecting a tough

game against some quality cricksters who we have a lot of respect for, especially after they beat us last season. "That's why we've brough in some more firepower, such as Cameron Boyce who plays for the Melbourne Renegades, and records restired one use use for the Melbourne Renegades, and recently redired puns such as Luke Feldman and Nathan Haurtu," There could be more names added, including Chris Lynn who was stated to return this year after playing in last year's Bulk Muser and surracing

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Warwick junior cricketers to learn skills from Aussie greats

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# **SOCIAL MEDIA**

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PLATFORM	FOLLOWERS
Facebook	45,015
Instagram	2,255
Twitter	966
YouTube	794
TOTAL	49,030

Bulls Masters social media presence has seen strong organic growth especially on Instagram where followers increased by more than 25% over the past financial year. We have plans to expand our media capabilities in the coming year which we hope will increase our relevance on social media to continue to increase our following and our appeal for stake-holders.





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RE: Bulls Masters Tour 2020

Dear Jimmy,

The BCA would like to past on their thanks to another successful tour and advise that the profits generated from the dinner, game day and other various raffles and promotions were \$34,769.21 which is a massive achievement after the huge success in 2019

Events like this are vital to region towns like Bundaberg and as always the feedback from everyone has been fantastic.

The Bulls Masters should be proud of the organization they run and the support they provide regional cricket in Queensland.

Should you have any queries please don't hesitate to contact Treasurer Shaun Rose directly on 0414 538 391

Regards

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Shaun Rose Executive Bundaberg Cricket Association



## **Cricket Gold Coast**

This was my first experience with the Bulls Masters Country Challenge and I must

congratulate you and your entire team on a job well done.

Please accept our gratitude from the entire CGC Thunder Team.

Mr J Maher Managing Director **Bulls Masters** 

Dear Jimmy,

was excellent.

Yours Sincerely,

Graeme Madden

Team Manager CGC Thunder

8<sup>th</sup> October'19























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# ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

## NORTH QUEENSLAND CRICKET ASSOCIATION

PO Box 30 Aitkenvale Mail Centre QLD 4814 Email: <u>secretary@ngcricket.com.au</u>

#### Dear Jimmy,

On behalf of the North Queensland under 16 Representative Team and the North Queensland Opens Monsoon Team. We would like to extend our greatest appreciation for the Youth Cup and Country Challenge Competition coordinated by the Bulls Masters.

The Youth Cup held at Harrup Park, Mackay, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> 2019, provided a fitting end to the Junior Representative Level for our North Queensland Players. Peter Drinnen provided fantastic mentoring to the North Queensland Team during the competition.

Our Opens Monsoon Team played in a very even competition during the Bulls Masters Country Challenge held in Bunderberg October 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. The Finals result at the GABBA January 19 did not go our way, but the praise from the players to be given the opportunity to play on the GABBA Wicket was a moment in their cricket career they will always remember and talk about.

The North Queensland Cricket Association Committee thanks the Bulls Masters for their contribution to cricket in North Queensland, the Competitions you coordinate and the opportunity you have given players. We look forward to continually work in partnership with the Bulls Masters.

Thank You North Queensland Cricket Association Committee.



# Isolated Children's Parents' Association of Australia (Inc)

#### Dear Ken,

I cannot believe it's been over a month since the annual Clermont ICPA Sports Camp but on behalf of the committee I would like to say a massive THANK YOU to the Bulls Masters, for supporting our event and supplying us with a coach in 2019!!

We feel very fortunate to have had Peter Drinnen attend the camp again. He is, hands down, one of the best coaches we have ever had, and he did the most amazing job. We hope we can continue the importance of connecting our regional and remote children with great coaches. It is also important for our kids to participate in sporting weeks such as ours, to develop basic skills for those that are heading off to boarding school in their high school years. We cannot do this without the wonderful support of associations like Bulls Masters who deliver for us the most unreal coaches, so thank you again!

This year we were very fortunate to have the support of fellow organisations such as,

QLD Cricket, QLD Netball, QLD Tennis, QLD Hockey, QLD AFL, QLD Handball, QLD Volleyball and QLD NRL. Coaches from all over Queensland travelled to attend the camp as they have done in previous years.

Attending camp this year we were delighted to have **128** children from Distance Education schools along with the small and remote rural schools in Central Queensland. The ages of the children are 9 - 12 years old's, covering the grades 4-6 and a small number of grade 7 students.

State Schools attended, ALPHA, ARCADIA VALLEY, BAUHINIA, CAPRICORNIA School of Distance Education, CLARKE CREEK, COMET, COPPABELLA, CHARTERS TOWERS School of Distance Education, GINDIE, KILCUMMIN, LOCHINGTON, LONGREACH School of Distance Education, MARLBOROUGH, MISTAKE CREEK, ORION, ST LAWRENCE, VALKYRIE.

Just a quick 'SAVE THE DATE' for the 2020 the camp will be on Sunday 23 – Friday 29 August, we would love to have the support of Bulls Masters in 2020.

Thank you again and if you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me on the below number.

Warm Regards

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Megan Philp Coach Co-Ordinator 0428710040 0749835231

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February 17, 2020

Dear Jimmy, Ken and the Bulls Masters.

Northern Suburbs District Cricket Club send our thanks for the support the Bulls Masters have given us by organising the "Hauritz-Hopes" dinner at the Queensland Cricketers' Club. The \$3500 donation to our community cricket club raised at this event is appreciated more than we can articulate.

A great event supporting grass roots cricket in Brisbane is an fantastic initiative. Thank you all for your support

Yours sincerely,

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Paul Keller President Northern Suburbs District Cricket Club



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# The Wanderers (Q) Club Inc., Brisbane Established 1933 Patron: Major General The Honourable Peter Arnison AC CVO

ABN 22 585 520 385

All Correspondence to: Brad Murphy (President & Captain ) Wanderers (Q) Club Inc 10 Redgum Place, Calamvale Qld 4116.

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То

c/- Jimmy Maher **Bulls Masters** 

Date: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> of August 2019

Dear Jimmy,

On behalf of the Wanderers Club of Qld I would like to both receipt and thank you for the very kind donation of \$4,000 from the Bulls Masters to our club as a contribution assisting with staging this year's country tour of the western regions.

This tremendous gesture enables us to continue our work of promoting cricket in areas that may otherwise get limited exposure to the game.

Many thanks mate and please pass on our appreciation and be assured that we act in helping cricket in line with the Bulls Masters !

Yours sincerely, Brad Murphy M +61(0)414494123 Email - bradkatemurphy@hotmail.com = = = = = 44

## **FINANCIAL REPORTS**

#### BULLS MASTERS LIMITED ACN 140 534 890

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

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#### DIRECTORS' REPORT 30 JUNE 2020

Your directors present their report on the company for the financial year ended 30 June 2020.

#### Directors

The names of the directors in office at any time during, or since the end of, the year are:

Ian Healy Andrew Bichel Michael Kasprowicz James Maher John Mullins Mark Thompson Chris White

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

#### **Company Secretary**

The following person held the company secretary position at the end of the financial year: Mr James Maher

#### **Principal Activities**

We are a non-profit organisation that aims to be a positive and beneficial influence on people's lives through interaction and education using our personnel as the vehicle to drive positive change.

No significant changes in the nature of these activities occurred during the financial year.

#### Short and Long Term Objectives

The aims of Bulls Masters Limited are to utilise past Queensland cricketers to help foster and develop cricket throughout Queensland and more importantly provide community support and assistance to local charities plus support for indigenous communities that are often starved of the opportunity to interact with the greats of cricket.

#### Strategy for Achieving These Objectives

Visiting a vast array of Queensland towns to have an impact on people's lives via hospital visits, fund raising for charity, encouraging our children to get active and play sport, discovering and nurturing indigenous talent and helping to improve local facilities.

#### BULLS MASTERS LIMITED ACN 140 534 890

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT 30 JUNE 2020

#### Information on Directors

lan Healy

-Former Queensland and Australian Cricketer.

Andrew Bichel

-- Former Queensland and Australian Cricketer.

Michael Kasprowicz

- Former Queensland and Australian Cricketer.

James Maher

-Former Queensland and Australian Cricketer.

John Mullins

-Managing Partner at Mullins Lawyers.

Mark Thompson

-Partner at Thompson Partners.

Chris White

-Bachelor of Laws

#### Meetings of Directors

During the financial year 6 meetings of directors were held. Attendances by each director during the year were as follows:

	Directors' Meetings	
	Number	Number
Directors	eligible to	attended
	attend	
lan Healy	5	5
Andrew Bichel	5	2
Michael Kasprowicz	5	4
James Maher	5	5
John Mullins	5	5
Mark Thompson	5	4
Chris White	5	5

#### Auditors' Independence Declaration

A copy of the auditors' independence declaration as required under section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* is set out at page 3.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors:

Director:... ..... ..... **James Maher** 

Dated this 19November 2020

Director: ..... Ian Healy



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DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BY GREG MITCHELL TO THE DIRECTORS OF BULLS MASTERS LIMITED

As lead auditor of Bulls Masters Limited for the year ended 30 June 2020, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- 1. No contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act* 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- 2. No contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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Greg Mitchell Director

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#### STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

	Note	2020	2019
	Note	\$	\$
Revenue and other income	3	1,269,122	1,326,983
Employee Expense Cricket Development Promotional and Event Expense Administration Expense Depreciation Expense		(421,955) (263,568) (381,397) (111,359) (26,533)	(392,521) (279,649) (370,823) (135,963) 
Profit before Donations		64,310	148,027
Donations		(55,176)	(96,976)
Profit/(Loss) Before Income Tax Expense		9,134	51,051
Income Tax Expense	2(b)		<u> </u>
Net Profit/(Loss) After Income Tax Expense		9,134	51,051
Other Comprehensive Income		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Total Comprehensive Income/(Loss)		9,134	51,051

The above Statement of Profit or Loss and other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2020

		2020	2019
	Note	\$	\$
Current Assets			
Cash and Cash Equivalents		641,758	669,478
Trade Receivables		231,096	119,636
Inventories	5	4,095	4,892
Total Current Assets		876,949	794,006
Non-current Assets			
Right-of-use assets	6	37,600	-
Total non-current assets		37,600	-
TOTAL ASSETS		914,549	794,006
Current Liabilities			
Trade and Other Payables	7	29,045	28,461
Unearned Income		72,917	-
Employee Provisions		46,074	45,766
Total Current Liabilities		148,036	74,227
Non-current Liabilities			
Trade and Other Payables	7	37,600	-
Total non-current Liabilities		37,600	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES		185,636	74,227
NET ASSETS		728,913	719,779
EQUITY			
Retained Earnings		728,913	719,779
TOTAL EQUITY		728,913	719,779

The above Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

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#### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

	Note	2020 \$	2019 \$
Cash from Operating Activities:			
Receipts from Customers		1,352,462	1,331,575
Payments to Suppliers and Employees		(1,384,762)	(1,499,009)
Interest Received		4,580	10,062
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Operating Activities	8	(27,720)	(157,372)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:			
Payments to Acquire Property, Plant and Equipment			
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Investing Activities			<u> </u>
Net Increase (Decreases) in Cash Held		(27,720	<b>))</b> (157,372)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year		669,47	<b>8</b> 826,850
Cash at End of Financial Year		641,75	<b>8</b> 669,478

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

At 1 July 2018	668,728
Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the Year	
Profit/(Loss) for the Year	51,051
Other Comprehensive Income	-
Total Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the Year	51,051
At 30 June 2019	719,779
Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the Year	
Profit/(Loss) for the Year	9,134
Other Comprehensive Income	
Total Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the Year	9,134
At 30 June 2020	728,913

The above Statement of Cash Flows and Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

#### 1 Corporate Information

The financial statements of Bulls Masters Limited for the year ended 30 June 2020 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on the date the director's declaration was signed and covers Bulls Masters Limited as an individual entity as required by the *Corporations Act 2001*.

The financial statements are presented in the Australian currency.

Bulls Masters Limited is a company limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. It is a not-for-profit entity.

The address of the registered office is: 336 Sandgate Road ALBION Q 4010

The address of the principal place of business is: 12 Ross Street Newstead QLD 4006

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Basis of Preparation

These financial statements are special purpose financial statements prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. The directors have determined that the company is not a reporting entity.

The report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the following Australian Accounting Standards:

- · AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements
- $\cdot$  AASB 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors
- · AASB 107 Statement of Cash Flows
- · AASB 110 Events after the End of the Reporting Period
- · AASB 1048 Interpretation and Application of Standards
- . AASB 1054 Australian Additional Disclosures
- . AASB 16 Recognition of leases

No other Australian Accounting Standards and authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board have been applied.

The financial statements have also been prepared on a historical cost basis.

The concept of accruals accounting has been adopted in preparation of the financial statements. The following accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

#### BULLS MASTERS LIMITED ACN 140 534 890

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

The following significant accounting policies have been adopted in the preparation and presentation of the financial statements.

#### (b) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the company is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*.

#### (c) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of expense.

Receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included. The net amount recoverable from, or payable to the Australian Taxation Office is included as part of receivables and payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from or payable to the Australian Taxation Office are classified as operating cash flows.

#### (d) Accounting Estimates and Judgements

The directors evaluate estimates and judgements incorporated into the financial report based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the company. Details of critical accounting estimates and assumptions about the future made by management at the end of the reporting period are set out below:

Sponsorship revenue is recognised as performance obligations are satisfied. Judgement is applied in determining the timing of performance obligations being satisfied.

#### (e) New, Revised or Amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations Adopted

The following new accounting standards and became mandatory for adoption in the 2020 financial year:

#### AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

The standard contains a single model that applies to contracts with customers and two approaches to recognising revenue: at a point in time or over time. The model features a contract-based five-step analysis of transactions to determine whether, how much and when revenue is recognised. The standard became effective for the year ended 30 June 2020 for not-for-profit entities.

This adoption has not caused a material impact on the company.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

#### (e) New, Revised or Amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations Adopted (continued)

#### AASB 16 Leases

AASB 16 became mandatory for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019 and in essence requires a lessee to:

• Recognise all lease assets and liabilities (including those previously classed as operating leases) on the statement of financial position, initially measured at the present value of unavoidable lease payments;

• Recognise amortisation of lease assets and interest on lease liabilities as expenses over the lease term; and

• Separate the total amount of cash paid into a principal portion (presented within financing activities) and interest (presented within operating activities consistent with presentation of other interest paid) in the statement of cash flows.

The Company has adopted AASB 16. On transition on 1 July 2019, the Group recognised right-of-use assets and corresponding lease liabilities of \$37,600.

3 Revenue and Other Income	2020 \$	2019 \$
Sponsorship	876,674	885,665
Membership	107,137	100,319
Promotional Services	199,238	330,937
Jobkeeper subsidy	24,000	-
Cash Flow Boost	57,493	-
Interest received	4,580	10,062
	1.269.122	1,326,983

Revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, the entity: identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

#### 4 Expenses

Profit/(loss) before income tax includes the following specific expenses:

Auditors' remuneration Audit of financial statements

**7,000** 6,400

#### BULLS MASTERS LIMITED ACN 140 534 890

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

		2020 \$	2019 \$
5	Inventories Memorabilia	3,870	4,667
	Alcohol	225	225
		4,095	4,892

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Right of Use Asset		
Right of use asset	80,800	-
Less: Accumulated amortisation	(43,200)	-
	37,600	-

The company leases property at Newstead. The building lease period finishes in October 2021.

Trade and Other Payables CURRENT		
Trade payables	5,121	3,093
GST Payable	20,797	16,242
PAYG payable	-	6,676
Accrued superannuation	3,127	2,450
Revenue in advance	-	-
	29,045	28,461
NON CURRENT		
Lease liability	37,600	-
	37,600	-

#### **Trade Payables**

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Trade and other payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the entity prior to the year end and which are unpaid. These amounts are unsecured and have 30-60 day payment terms.

#### **Revenue** in Advance

Sponsorship received in advance for specific events is recognised as income in the financial year to which the sponsorship relates.

#### Wages and Salaries and Leave Entitlements

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and long service leave to be settled within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are recognised in other liabilities in respect of employees' services rendered up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised when leave is taken and measured at the actual rates paid or payable.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

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	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Cash Flow Information		
Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash flow from operating activities		
Profit/(Loss) for the year	9,134	51,051
Depreciation and amortisation	-	-
Changes in assets and liabilities,		
(Increase)/decrease in trade & other receivables	(111,460)	(107,285)
Increase/(decrease) in assets	(37,600)	-
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	797	1,488
Increase/(decrease) in employee provisions	72,917	-
Increase/(decrease) in employee provisions	308	3,578
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	38,184	(106,204)
	(27,720)	(157,372)

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#### BULLS MASTERS LIMITED ACN 140 534 890

#### DECLARATION BY DIRECTORS 30 JUNE 2020

The directors have determined that the company is not a reporting entity and that these special purpose financial statements should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 2 to the financial statements.

The directors of the company declare that:

- 1. The financial statements, comprising the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of financial position, statement of cash flows, statement of changes in equity and accompanying notes, are in accordance with *the Corporations Act 2001* and:
  - a) Comply with Accounting Policies as described in Note 2 to the financial statements and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and
  - b) Give a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2020 and of its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- In the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors and is signed for and on behalf of the directors by:

Director ...... Jam Maher Brisbane

Dated this 19 November 2020

Director:	Pl	foale	
	lan Healy		



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of Bulls Masters Limited

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Bulls Masters Limited (the Company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2020, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial report, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion the accompanying financial report of Bulls Masters Limited, is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- Giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2020 and of its financial performance for the year ended on that date; and
- Complying with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 2, and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

#### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Emphasis of matter - Basis of accounting

We draw attention to Note 2 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the directors' financial reporting responsibilities under the *Corporations Act 2001*. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

#### Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information in the Directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2020, but does not include the financial report and the auditor's report thereon.

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Our opinion on the financial report 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 report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

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

#### Responsibilities of the directors for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and have determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 2 to the financial report is appropriate to meet the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The directors' responsibility also includes such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is 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 the Australian Auditing Standards 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 this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at:

http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf

This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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Greg Mitchell Director Cairns, 19 November 2020

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#### Private and Confidential

Managing Director Bulls Masters Limited PO Box 247 ALBION QLD 4010

19 November 2020 Our Ref: 100229:GJM:tea

Dear Jimmy

#### RE: BULLS MASTERS LIMITED - ISSUES ARISING FROM OUR AUDIT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

During the course of our audit of Bulls Masters Limited for the year ended 30 June 2020, we identified matters that may be of interest to the Directors.

Appendix 1 to this letter sets out general issues relating to the audit.

Appendix 2 to this letter discusses weaknesses identified in the accounting and internal controls, recommendations for improvements and your comments.

We remind you that the objective of an audit is to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free of any material misstatement and it is not designed to identify matters that may be of interest to the Director's in discharging its responsibilities. Accordingly, our audit would not usually identify all such matters.

This letter is prepared solely for the information of the Directors and is not intended for any other purposes. We accept no responsibility to a third party who uses this communication.

We would like to express our appreciation for the cooperation and assistance that we received during the course of our audit from all the staff at Bulls Masters Limited.

We shall be pleased to discuss with you further any matters mentioned in this report at your convenience.

Yours sincerely

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#### Appendix 1 - General Issues Relating to the Audit

#### Our Audit Approach

Our audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and was designed to obtain reasonable assurance that your financial report is free of material misstatement. This involved us making an assessment of the risk of material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and then applying audit procedures, using our professional judgment, to mitigate that risk. Whilst we considered internal control relevant to the preparation of your financial report, our audit procedures mainly comprised substantive tests.

#### Independence Matters

We did not note any matters that would impact on our independence.

#### Non-Compliance With Laws And Regulations

During the course of our audit, no matters came to our attention that would indicate noncompliance with laws and regulations.

#### Fraud

During the course of our audit, no matters came to our attention that would indicate fraud.

#### Significant Issues in the Financial Statements

During the course of our audit, no matters came to our attention that would indicate any significant issues in the financial statements

#### Audit adjustments

All audit adjustments requested to be made to the financial statements have been accepted by management.

#### **Going Concern**

We did not identify any issues in relation to the entity's ability to continue as a going concern.

#### **Related Party Transactions**

Related party transactions have not been disclosed in the financial statements as they are all operational in nature and are not required to be disclosed in special purpose financial statements.

#### Audit Report

The audit report issued is unmodified other than an emphasis of matter explaining that the financial statements are prepared as a special purpose report.

#### **New Accounting Standards**

New accounting standards AASB 15 *Revenue from Contracts with Customers* and AASB 16 *Leases* are first time effective 1 July 2019. These new accounting standards were adopted in the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2020.

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#### Appendix 2 - Weaknesses Identified In Management Information Systems

This appendix sets out details of weaknesses in accounting systems and internal controls, as well as comments on the adequacy of management information systems.

Our communication only includes matters that have come to our attention as a result of the performance of the audit and our audit of the financial report is not designed to identify all matters that may be relevant to management. Accordingly, the audit does not ordinarily identify **all** such matters.

The responsibility for producing the financial statements and ensuring adequate internal controls and sound business practices is the responsibility of management, and is a part of management's overall responsibility for the ongoing activities of the entity. Policies and procedures developed by the entity to safeguard its assets and to provide reasonable assurance that errors and irregularities or illegal acts are promptly identified, must be properly monitored to ensure that all staff are complying with the guidelines provided. Where we determined, from our testing, that there exists a need for improvement in existing systems of internal control, or if we detected that the entity's staff are not complying with the critical accounting policies and procedures provided by management, we increased our year-end testing of account balances to ensure that audit risk was kept to an appropriate low level.

The comments and concerns expressed herein did not have a material effect on the entity's financial report and, as such, our opinion thereon was without reservation. However, in order for the entity to ensure the safeguarding of its assets and the accuracy of its records, we believe our comments and concerns should be taken into consideration by management and those charged with governance. Our comments are not intended to reflect upon the honesty or competence of the entity's employees.

#### 1. Leave Entitlements

We noted that annual leave accrual and long service leave provision did not include oncosts (superannuation, work cover). Annual leave accrual and long service leave provisions are understated at 30 June.

#### Recommendation

We recommend that oncosts are applied to annual leave accrual and long service leave provision.

#### 2. MYOB Access

We noted from review of the User Access screen in MYOB, the current External Accountants (Thompson Partners), old External Accountants (Whytes), current Auditors and ex-auditors (Sasha) have an active Administrator user access role. Furthermore, the Administration Manager at Bulls Masters has an active Sales user access role.

#### Recommendation

We recommend deactivating the roles for Whytes and Sasha.





