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2020 Annual General Meeting President's Report

I would like to welcome you all to the 2020 Annual General Meeting for ACTISA. Another year has flown by so quickly, 2019 was an extremely busy year with competitions, training seminars, testing, skater development, Wintervention and was full of high and lows.

I would like to personally thank each member of the Committee (Susie Raymond, Julie Stalker, Michelle Bhaal, Tony Hilton, Emelia Ash, Maxine Gray and Aaron Duncan) for all their assistance this year it is never easy as a small committee, but we were able to come together as a team and with the assistance of our dedicated volunteers we were able to complete the tasks at hand. I would also like to thank Angelique Clyde-Smith and Greg Ash who continue to support ACTISA.

We held an IJS Data Operator and Accountant Seminar on 6 & 7 April and it was well attended. Attendees were given the opportunity to set-up the IJS system ready for a competition and running a mock competition. Thank you to Angelique Clyde-Smith, ACTISA Technical Advisor and Judging Convener, for running the seminar.

ACTISA Skaters were given the opportunity to perform at the Wintervention pop-up ice rink in the City, this gave our skaters of all levels a lot of exposure and helped promote the sport. I would like to thank Tanisha Jory and Callum Bradshaw for all their hard work with organising skaters, rehearsals and performances.

On a sad note in September 2019 we learnt of the passing of Reg Park. Reg was an integral part of the Canberra skating community as a skater and coach. A celebration of Reg's life was held on 13 October 2019 and was attended by his former students and families.

Congratulations to the following skaters who represented ACTISA and Australia internationally during 2019/2020:

- **Georgia Tongs** (Junior Ladies) skated at the Bavarian Open in Oberstdorf held 5-10 February 2019; **Monique Lawrence** (Advanced Novice Ladies) Singapore National Championships 30-31 March 2019; **Aleecia Byrne** (Basic Novice Ladies) skated at ISU Oceania 2019;
- **Alex Fladun-Dorling and Chris Fladun-Doring** (Advanced Novice Dance & Junior Dance) skated at the ISU Oceania 2019, attended the ISU Ice Dance Development training seminar in Seoul held August 2019 and ISU Junior Grand Prix Baltic Cup in Poland held September 2019.
- **Maxine Gray** (Adult Bronze Ladies) ISU Adult Competition in Oberstdorf held May 2019 and 2020 ANZAS Competition in Melbourne.
- **Lisa Nitschke** (Adult Bronze Ladies) 2020 World Winter Masters Games in Innsbruck, Austria and 2020 ANZAS Competition in Melbourne;

- **Lisa Nitschke and Tony Hilton** (Ice Dance Bronze) skated at 2020 World Winter Masters Games in Innsbruck, Austria and 2020 ANZAS Competition in Melbourne;
- **Lauren Ashman** skated at 2020 ANZAS Competition in Melbourne;
- **Freya Ashman** skated at 2020 ANZAS Competition in Melbourne.

There were 15 skaters selected for the 2019 Australian Figure Skating Championships held in Melbourne.

Ice Dance:

- **Junior** - Alex Fladun-Dorling and Chris Fladun-Dorling (placed 1st)

Singles:

- **Junior Ladies** – Shania Sime (placed 5th), Monique Lawrence (did not compete) and Georgia Tongs (did not compete)
- **Junior Men** – Callum Bradshaw (placed 2nd)
- **Advanced Novice Ladies** – Tanisha Jory (placed 15th)
- **Intermediate Ladies** – Millie Raymond (placed 18th) and Anastasia Bradshaw (placed 19th)
- **Intermediate Novice Ladies** – Leila Villegas (placed 20th)
- **Basic Novice Ladies** – Aleecia Byrne (placed 25th) and Isabella Van Den Bogaart (placed 27th)
- **Adult Ladies Gold** – Lauren Ashman (did not compete)
- **Adult Ladies Silver** – Freya Ashman (Group 1, placed 12th) and Sharon Straub (Group 2, placed 7th)

As with any year the Committee faced many challenges and were able to pull through working towards the common goal over the last 12-15 months and on that note I would like to thank the outgoing Committee for all their hard work and dedication during this time.

We acknowledge all our volunteers who assist ACTISA with competitions and testing sessions throughout the year whose time and dedication to the sport and the skaters is greatly appreciated.

I would like to wish the new committee and members all the best for the coming year.

Thank you again

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Rebecca Wells
ACTISA President