



## ANZPGF Directors 2020

Dave Wilkins MLM (Chair)



Victoria Police service since 1979

Commissioned Officer Certificate 2010

National Medal (2nd Clasp)

National Police Service Medal (2nd Clasp – 35 years)

Victoria Police Service Medal (35 year clasp)

Master of Leadership & Management (Policing) MLM

Dip. Management (Policing) DipMgt

President, Victoria Police Amateur Sports & Welfare Society (VPASWS)

Vice President, Victoria Police Games Federation (VPGF)

Life Member of the Victoria Police Amateur Sports & Welfare Society (VPASWS)

Life member of the Victoria Police Games Federation (VPGF)

Life Member of the Australasian Police Basketball Association (APBA)

Life Member of the Victoria Police Amateur Basketball Association (VPABA)

David commenced his sporting pursuits as soon as he could run and has been actively involved in numerous sports since. In latter years, although still competing, he has held numerous Executive/Office-Bearer positions with different sporting associations and clubs. Since 2007, David has been part of the VPASWS Executive leadership team overseeing some 40 Victoria Police Sporting & Welfare clubs and is one of two Vice Presidents of the VPGF which is responsible for the Victoria Police & Emergency Services Games (VPESG). David has also committed time to the ANZPGF in the roles of Victoria Police Delegate to the ANZPGF (2008-2012 & 2016-2018) and Chairman (2012-2014)

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& 2018-present). David has also competed and medalled in every AP&ESG since 1984 (then known as the National Police Games and in 1986 the inaugural ANZ Police Games). Other achievements include:

- Victoria Police & Emergency Services Games (VPESG) multi-medallist & record holder from inception (1981) to date
- Australasian Police & Emergency Services Games (APESG) multi-medallist & record holder from inception (1984) to date
- International Law Enforcement Olympics (ILEO) medallist, 1981
- World Police & Fire Games (WPF) multi-medallist; 1995, 2007 & 2019
- Australian Masters Athletics (AMA) multi-medallist from 1988
- Victorian Masters Athletics (VMA) multi-medallist from 1988
- Athletics Victoria (AV) multi-medallist
- Victorian Country Athletics (VCA) multi-medallist
- Ballarat Regional Open High Jump Record Holder (2.05m) since 1978
- Eureka Amateur Athletic Club multi-record holder since 1976

#### Jim Prendergast APM retired Sergeant NSW Police



Involved with ANZ Games Federation since first Games in Sydney 1986. Served in a committee basis in various capacities during that time until retirement from the NSW Police Force in 2012. Duties included State Delegate, Treasurer and Director Finance. Have competed in and medalled in each and every Games since inception of the concept. Was the Games Director for the 2008 Coffs Harbour Australasian Police & Emergency Games. Awarded Life Membership of the organisation in 2012 and have remained an active member in the promotion of Police Sport both in NSW and the ANZ Games Federation since that time. In 2020 was offered and accepted a short term position of Director Operations ANZ Games Federation. In the year 2000 was awarded the Australian Sports Medal for service to sport in general in the Queens Honours list for that year.

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## Danny Bodycoat Retired Inspector Victoria Police



42 years' service.

Awarded:

- The Centenary Medal
- The Australia Police Medal
- The National Emergency Medal
- The National Police Service Medal
- The National Medal 2nd Clasp
- The Victoria Police Diligent and Ethical Service Medal. (35 years' service)

Foundation Member (1981) and Life Member of the Victoria Police Games Federation (VPGF).

Life Member and past President of the Victoria Police Amateur Sports & Welfare Society

Foundation Member (1985) and Life Member of the ANZPGF. Current Director of Marketing. Past Chairman of ANZPGF 1996-2012.

Games Manager – Melbourne 2014 Australasian Police & Emergency Services Games

Executive Director 1991-1995 of the World Police & Fire Games Melbourne 1995.

Member of Board Directors of the Governing Body - World Police & Fire Games Federation since 2005.

Senior Consultant to Preparatory Committee Chengdu 2019 World Police & Fire Games

Deputy-Chairman of the Board of the 2002 World Masters Games, Melbourne.

Awarded Churchill Fellowship to study, "Developments in Police Training and Health Maintenance Programmes of Overseas Departments."

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Bachelor of Social Science (Physical Education)

Dave Gallagher



Dave has a lifetime of being involved in sport. He has worked in education, high performance sport, sport science and sport management across several groups, including the University, Professional Sport and Services Industries. In addition to his role as an ANZPGF Director Dave has been appointed Games Director/CE for the 2022 APES Games and is very much looking forward to hosting you all in Rotorua and Tauranga.

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