

The diving portion of the **Vth World Masters Games** was held at the Melbourne Sports and Aquatics Center, Albert Park, Melbourne, Australia, October 8-12, 2002. **Wendy Pullar** (Head Referee), **Helen Wellins** and **Helen Hilliar** (Meet Managers), ably assisted by a wonderful staff from the Victoria Diving Federation. Without these three ladies' efforts, this diving event would not have occurred. Besides the regular FINA events that followed the Munich format, there was held a "B" event for newer and less talented divers. Tower events were held in 5 year age groups. Approximately 71 divers attended.

<u>MEN'S EVENTS</u>	<u>WF</u>	<u>1 Meter</u>	<u>3 Meter</u>	<u>Tower</u>
<u>25-29/25-29 TWR</u>	<u>(Format: 5+6 S.B.; 4+3 TWR, 5-10M)</u>			
Kevin Gregory	USA	1. 608.30	1. 629.35	1. 353.80
Dean Pullar	AUS	2. 495.10	2. 466.50	---
Andrew Creighton	AUS	3. 451.65	3. 426.90	2. 257.50
<u>30-34/30-34 TWR</u>	<u>(Format: 5+5 S.B.; 3+3 TWR, 5-10M)</u>			
Darren Humchitt	CAN	1. 439.05	1. 436.70	1. 266.80
Dean Murphy	AUS	2. 417.30	2. 431.25	2. 227.55
Gregory Cliffe	AUS	3. 383.25	3. 388.20	3. 204.30
Laith Barnouti	AUS	4. 316.80	---	---
<u>35-39/35-39 TWR</u>	<u>(Format: 5+5 S.B.; 3+3 TWR, 5-10M)</u>			
T.R. Keller	AUS	1. 494.65	1. 510.90	1. <b>283.15*</b>
Kevin Hall	AUS	2. 441.05	2. 441.60	3. 204.10
Alan Cheetham	AUS	3. 420.20	313.35#	---
Gabriel Martinez	USA	4. 405.90	3. 420.75	2. 217.15
<u>40-44/40-44 TWR</u>	<u>(Format: 5+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-10M)</u>			
Patrick Flood	USA	1. 384.35	1. 411.50	1. 113.50
<u>45-49/45-49 TWR</u>	<u>(Format: 5+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-10M)</u>			
David Cotton	USA	1. 386.95	1. 441.80	1. <b>282.45**</b>
Egidijus Matuzevicius	LIT	2. 379.35	2. 395.10	2. 205.80
Raymond Liddicoat	AUS	3. 287.40	3. 275.40	3. 141.40
<u>50-54/50-54 TWR</u>	<u>(Format:4+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)</u>			
Stephen Greymorning	USA	1. 351.30	1. 386.75	3. 175.85
Dennis Rowe	USA	2. 326.40	2. 346.40	1. 183.70vc
Alexander Ruhl	GER	3. 279.55	3. 295.95	2. 183.35vc
<u>55-59/55-59 TWR</u>	<u>(Format:4+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR,5-7.5,10M LTD)</u>			
Richard Blough	USA	1. 319.00	1. 337.85	2. 191.25
Leonid Pissarev	RUS	2. 295.45	3. 285.90	---
Vladimir Sapojnikov	RUS	3. 261.20	2. 320.15	1. 237.90
Holger Bremer	GER	4. 175.45		
<u>60-64/60-64 TWR</u>	<u>(Format:4+3 S.B.; 2+2 TWR,5-7.5,10M LTD)</u>			
John Deininger	USA	1. 295.35	1. 335.60	2. 169.90
Peter DiCroce	USA	2. 291.20	2. 277.50	1. 171.85
Frederick Fox	USA	3. 240.95	3. 266.60	4. 118.20
Johnny MacDonald	AUS	4. 166.70	5. 188.40	5. 78.60
Dieter Stracke	AUS	---	4. 219.05	3. 130.80

	WF	1 Meter	3 Meter	Tower
<u>65-69/65-69 TWR</u>	(Format:4+3 S.B.; 2+2 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Felix Grossman	USA	1. 236.70	1. 266.25	---
<u>70-74/70-74 TWR</u>	(Format:3+3 S.B.; 2+2 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Tom Kough	USA	1. 181.55	1. 217.80	1. 120.10
Nelson Suarez	ECU	2. 166.95	2. 170.90	2. 84.95
<u>75-79/75-79 TWR</u>	(Format:3+3 S.B.; 4 Diff.Dives TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Tom Hairabedian	USA	1. 222.75	1. 235.00	1. 144.70
<u>WOMEN'S EVENTS</u>				
<u>25-29/25-29 TWR</u>	(Format:5+5 S.B.; 4+3 TWR, 5-10M)			
Skye McLean	AUS	1. 456.25	1. 454.80	1. 280.85
<u>30-34/30-34 TWR</u>	(Format: 5+5 S.B.; 3+3 TWR, 5-10M)			
Evita Strazdaite	LIT	1. 415.80	1. 413.90	1. <b>227.85*</b>
<u>35-39/35-39 TWR</u>	(Format: 5+5 S.B.; 3+3 TWR, 5-10M)			
Bonnie Wallace	USA	1. 422.80	1. 429.20	2. 196.00
Annie Haxby	USA	2. 295.10	2. 285.35	3. 61.60
Jolanta Railiene	LIT	---	---	1. 206.80
<u>40-44/40-44 TWR</u>	(Format: 5+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-10M)			
Elena Litvinova	RUS	1. <b>458.00**</b>	---	---
Asta Girdauskiene	LIT	2. 364.40	1. 362.20	1. 226.90
Debbie Albert	USA	3. 340.15	2. 340.85	2. 138.68
<u>45-49/45-49 TWR</u>	(Format: 5+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-10M)			
Catherine Maxwell	USA	1. 351.80	1. 302.05	1. 133.05
Margarita Radaviciene	LIT	2. 303.40	---	---
Carol Hobson	AUS	3. 225.05	2. 251.80	---
<u>50-54/50-54 TWR</u>	(Format: 4+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-7.5,10M Ltd)			
Regina Synoradzka	POL	1. 321.10	2. 337.30	---
Mary Bennett	USA	2. 295.70	1. 349.00	2. 144.35
Nola Linda Nendick	AUS	3. 178.80	3. 192.10	---
Elizabeth Wierniuk	POL	---	---	1. 160.90
<u>55-59/55-59 TWR</u>	(Format: 4+4 S.B.; 2+3 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Deborah Mynatt	USA	1. 232.35	1. 255.60	1. 128.85
<u>70-74/70-74 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B.; 2+2 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Ibone Bel'g'tia	MEX	1. 223.30	2. 238. <b>45</b> vc	2. 121.75
Raissa Gorokhovskaia	RUS	2. 214.45	1. 238. <b>95</b> vc	1. <b>138.15*</b>
<u>75-79/75-79 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B.; 2+2 TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Pearl Heenan	AUS	1. 172.20	---	---
<u>80-84/80-84 TWR</u>	(Format: 2+2 S.B.; 3 Diff.Dives TWR, 5-7.5,10M LTD)			
Theresa Adamson	NZL	1. 136.45	1. 142.90	---

\*= FINA Meet Record

\*\*= FINA World Record VC= very close

Note: From 2000 forward, the tower events were held in 5 year age groups throughout. Normally, according to the 1998-2000 Rule Book, 5 year tower groups did not begin until age 60 and up starting in **1996**. Therefore, there will have to be a new record category reflecting this change.

Further Note: As of March 2002, the FINA Masters dive format was completely changed, but not used for this meet. The 2000 Munich format was used.

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**Results of the "B" List Events.** These events had less dives and lower d.d. requirements as specified. There will be no new records for these events.

<b>MEN'S "B" Events.</b>	WF	1 Meter	3 Meter	Tower
<u>30-34/30-34 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B., 3@5.7 d.d.+2 TWR, 5,7,10M)			
Herman Law	AUS	1. 170.95	1. 187.55	---
Charles Zaffino	AUS	2. 153.00	---	---
<u>35-39/35-39 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B.; 3@5.7 d.d.+2 TWR, 5,7,10M)			
Stephen Shaw	AUS	1. 225.90	1. 250.05	1. 151.60
Steven McTaggart	AUS	2. 183.55	2. 176.10	---
<u>40-44/40-44 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+2 S.B., 2@3.8 d.d.+ 2 TWR, 5,7,10M)			
Robert Cotton	USA	1. 165.70	1. 172.65	1. 101.40
<u>45-45/45-49 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+2 S.B., 2@3.8 d.d.+2 TWR, 5,7,10M)			
Gary Jenkins	AUS	1. 161.65	1. 165.40	---
<u>55-59/55-59 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+1 S.B.; 2@3.8 d.d.+1 TWR, 5,7M)			
Jon Nicholls	AUS	1. 115.95	1. 106.70	
Kostas Karpavicius	LIT	---	---	1. 82.65
<u>70-74/70-74 TWR</u>	(Format: 3 Diff. Dives S.B.; 2 Diff. Dives, 5M)			
John Davey	AUS	1. 67.20	---	

<b>WOMEN'S "B" Events</b>	WF	1 Meter	3 Meter	TOWER
<u>25-29/25-29 TWR</u>	(Format: 4+3 S.B.; 3@5.7 d.d.+2, 5,7,10M)			
Stacy Daniel	AUS	1. 236.80	1. 231.30	1. 150.95
Anna Valetta	AUS	2. 192.45	---	---
<u>30-34/30-34 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B.; 3@5.7 d.d.+2, 5,7,10M)			
Janine Ortenburg	AUS	1. 150.70	---	---
<u>35-39/35/39 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+3 S.B.; 3@5.7 d.d.+2, 5,7,10M)			
Barbi Donnet Carver	AUS	1. 233.50	1. 247.10	1. 153.70
Suzanne Orchard	AUS	2. 211.00	---	---
Monica Fly	AUS	3. 149.70	2. 159.25	2. 122.65
Angela Stevenson	AUS	4. 137.05	---	
<u>40-44/40-44 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+2 S.B.; 2@3.8 d.d.+2 5,7,10M)			
Elizabeth Howard	AUS	1.187.95	1. 192.80	1. 117.45
<u>50-54/50-54 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+1 S.B.; 2@3.8 d.d.+1, 5, 7M)			
Robina Cummins	NZL	1. 89.25	1. 86.70	---
<u>55-59/55-59 TWR</u>	(Format: 3+1 S.B.; 2@3.8 d.d.+1, 5, 7M)			
Marguerita Green	AUS	1. 120.75	1. 92.35	---
Pamela Downing	AUS	2. 110.10	100.00#	---

#= These two divers did not dive in their scheduled events and therefore dived exhibition only. Their scores did not count toward a medal.

**TEAM SYNCHRONIZED DIVING.** Held in cumulative age groups: 100-119, 120-159, 160-199, 200-239, 240-279, etc. 4 divers per team, 6 dives. One dive, both fwd take-offs; one dive, both back/inward take-offs, (2.0 d.d. for both); one dive fwd and back take-offs, plus three dives of choice (no repeats). Any board or tower. Each diver did one dive with the 3 other team members. Only one event per diver.

<u>AGE 120-159</u>	<u>WF</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
Kevin Hall	AUS	
Dean Murphy	AUS	1. 297.39
Skye McLean	AUS	
TK Keller	AUS	

<u>AGE 160-199</u>		
Egidijus Matuzevicius	LIT	
Evita Strazdaite	LIT	1. 248.07
Asta Girdauskiene	LIT	
Jolanta Railiene	LIT	

Bonnie Wallace	USA	
Annie Haxby	USA	2. 240.57
Catherine Maxwell	USA	
Elizabeth Howard	AUS	

Monica Fly	AUS	
Herman Law	AUS	3. 208.83
Alex Ruhl	GER	
Jon Nicholls	AUS	

<u>AGE 200-239</u>		
Frederick Fox	USA	"The Eagles Have Landed"
Patrick Flood	USA	1. 270.84
Peter DiCroce	USA	
John Deininger	USA	

Robina Cummings	NZL	
Johnny McDonald	AUS	2. 185.82
Gary Jenkins	AUS	
Greg Cliffe	AUS	

Stephen Shaw	AUS	
Marguerita Green	AUS	3. 154.89
Pam Downing	AUS	
John Davey	AUS	

<u>AGE 240-279</u>		
Raissa Gorokhovskaia	RUS	
Leonid Pissarev	RUS	1. 218.04
Tom Kough	USA	
Ibone Belausteguigoitia	MEX	

<u>Team Medal Count</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Gold</u>	<u>Silver</u>	<u>Bronze</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>#Divers</u>
Team Australia	83	32	22	22	5	2	32
Team USA	70	42	17	9	2	--	20
Team Lithuania	15	10	5	-	-	-	5
Team Russia	11	6	3	2	-	-	4
Team New Zealand	5	4	1	-	-	-	2
Team Germany	4	-	1	3	1	-	2
Team Mexico	4	2	2	-	-	-	1
Team Poland	3	2	1	-	-	-	2
Team Canada	3	3	-	-	-	-	1
Team Ecuador	3	-	3	-	-	-	1

Note: The next World Masters Games will be held in Edmonton, Canada, July 15-24, 2005. This is being scheduled in an odd year, so as not to conflict with the FINA World Masters Aquatics, scheduled every two years in even years.

