

#### The University of Melbourne Archives Records Description List

#### 1963.0023 RECORDS OF WARRNAMBOOL RACING CLUB 1873-1950

Creator	Warrnambool Racing Club
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Clubs, sporting

#### **Biography**:

The 100 acres of land for a racecourse at Warrnambool was granted by the Government of Victoria in 1855. Constructed in the mid 1850s it has served as a major centre for racing in the Western District, with the first race meeting being held on the new course in March 1858. The Warrnambool Racing Club was founded in June 1873 although there are indications of a meeting to establish the club in 1867.

Reference Number	1963.0023				
Collection/Series Title	itle RECORDS OF WARRNAMBOOL RACING CLUB				
Date Range of Collection/Series	1873-1950				
Size/Extent	5 boxes, 2 volumes (1m)				
Access Conditions	Access: Open				

## Scope and Content of Series

Minutes 1873-1911; letter books 1879-1909; membership subscriptions books 1904-1922; ledgers 1879-1913, 1923-1950; cash books 1880-1906, 1921-1946; pay sheet book 1896-1920; acceptances book 1874- 1880; scales books 1887-1909 (include results and stewards' comments); newspaper cuttings 1879-1886.

## **Archival History**

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Sources: Guide to Collections

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Unit/Box	Item number	Title	Date range	Description
1963.0023 Unit 6	1963.0023.00001		1923-1925	Item 3/2/3, Ledger 1923-1925
1963.0023 Unit 7	1963.0023.00002		1899-1909	Item 3/4/4, Scales Book, December 1899 - January 1909
1963.0023	1963.0023.00003	Management:	1873-1897	April 1873 - May 1897, with two typed
Unit 1	1505.0025.00005	Minute Books	1073-1007	sheets about early history of Warrnambool Racing Club, contains news cuttings of races. Previous Control Number: 1/1/1
1963.0023 Unit 1	1963.0023.00004	Management: Minute Books	1897-1911	June 1897 - May 1911. Previous Control Number: 1/1/2
1963.0023 Unit 3	1963.0023.00005	Management: Membership List	1904-1911	1904 - 1910, also contains Committee's Report, Financial Statement and List of Members for 1911. Previous Control Number: 1/2/1
1963.0023 Unit 3	1963.0023.00006	Management: Membership List	1910-1919	1910 - 1919, Committee members also listed. Previous Control Number: 1/2/2
1963.0023	1963.0023.00007	Management:	1920-1922	1920 - 1922, Committee members also
Unit 3		Membership List		listed. Previous Control Number: 1/2/3
1963.0023 Unit 2	1963.0023.00008	Correspondence: Letter Book	1879-1898	August 1879 - July 1898. Previous Control Number: 2/1/1
1963.0023 Unit 2	1963.0023.00009	Correspondence: Letter Book	1898-1909	July 1898 - January 1909. Previous Control Number: 2/1/2
1963.0023 Unit 3	1963.0023.00010	Accounts: Cash Book	1880-1891	December 1880 - 1891. Previous Control Number: 3/1/1
1963.0023 Unit 3	1963.0023.00011	Accounts: Cash Book	1891-1906	December 1891 - December 1906. Previous Control Number: 3/1/2
1963.0023 Unit 4	1963.0023.00012	Accounts: Ledger	1879-1913	1879 - 1913, contains list of members, Financial Statement 1902. Previous Control Number: 3/2/1
1963.0023 Unit 4	1963.0023.00013	Accounts: Ledger	1923-1949	1923 - 1949, contains War Loans Account 1923 - 1949; Fixed Deposits Account 1923 - 1943; Surplus Account 1924 - 1946; Admissions Account 1924 - 1949; lists subscriptions, donations, race meetings, etc. Previous Control Number: 3/2/2
1963.0023 Unit 4	1963.0023.00014	Accounts: Pay sheets	1896-1920	February 1896 - December 1920. Previous Control Number: 3/3/1
1963.0023 Unit 4	1963.0023.00015	Accounts: Pay sheets	1921-1946	February 1921 - August 1946. Previous Control Number: 3/3/2
1963.0023 Unit 5	1963.0023.00016	Accounts: Scales book	1874-1885	1874 - 1880, mainly scales information; also accounts 1876 - 1879; news cuttings of local races; reports of meetings 1874 - 1885. Previous Control Number: 3/4/1
1963.0023 Unit 5	1963.0023.00017	Accounts: Scales book	1887-1893	December 1887 - April 1893. Previous Control Number: 3/4/2



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	1963.0023 Unit 5	1963.0023.00018	Accounts: Scales book	1895-1899	November 1895 - October 1899. Previous Control Number: 3/4/3		
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