

LAST BUT NOT LEAST

By Glenda O'Neill

"As we come to the end of our first 50 years and begin the next 50 years of Sturt Softball Club stories of achievements, it is time to thank all of the often unseen volunteers involved in helping to get us to this important milestone.

"We are deeply indebted to all of the Mums, Dads, Partners, Family members and Friends who have energetically volunteered their services and generally contributed to the success of the Club in a wide variety of ways.

"These include driving players to training nights and day or night games on Saturdays and to competitions in far-flung places, and to act as Scorers and Team Managers on match days.

"That same large and willing group of volunteers also makes sure the gear is in good playing condition, the players have been fed and watered, been attended to when injuries have occurred, have manned the canteen over the years and worked behind the scenes, including turning up at West Beach for maintenance work when the Club is rostered on duty. They provide the cooked goodies for the players after games and for sale at the various fundraisers and also man the barbeques after games and on practice nights.

"And on top of all that, they are always there at Sturt games cheering on their various teams. Amazing. Without their continuing and enthusiastic support our Club would wither and die.

"I would like to have the last word in this 50th Anniversary book by taking the opportunity to very sincerely thank each and every person who has so generously made their time available over the past 50 years to support Sturt Softball Club and look forward to it continuing on into our next 50 years".

The First 50 Years

