MICHAEL KING

Michael was one year older that the first set of Eltham players, so he joined older teams and then was a member of two consecutive senior competition premiership Eltham teams. Like a high proportion of older juniors, he became a coach, and was coach of the Club's first junior premiership team in 15C grade. After more junior success he coached our first senior "division" (representative equivalent Big V) team. Brother, David was the Club's first homegrown referee. Later Michael returned to the Club as a coach when his children Daniel, Simon, Lisa and Jessica were club members. Michael was awarded life membership in 1980, becoming the first person who had played for the Club as a junior to receive the award.