

# ACT Robocup Report 2010

2010 saw the biggest event yet in the ACT. 57 teams altogether competed on the day.

Our committee has become very small and we need to boost number. This year Phil Wade ran move of the Regional Competition which left me free to work on Nationals. Sammantha Bonna from ANU to book the 5th August at Melville Hall. We tried to run some workshops but clash of date with national testing saw very low numbers. Thank you to Joanna Bell for trying to organise the workshops and look forward to booking in some dates for next year soon for dance and rescue. I would like us to focus on getting more Senior students involved and a larger number of soccer teams. Older Students and the LEGO League will be a focus for us in 2011.

The Regional went well, the bigger numbers meant using a new layout to accommodate the students and spectators.

Andrew Moss from Dickson College and Phil Wade ran the rescue. Kel Hathaway organised Dance with ANU students judging all the entries and did a fantastic job. An ANU student and I ran the soccer.

## **Quick Facts**

### Volunteers

Sammantha Bonna from ANU

2 ANU Volunteers

Phill Wade, Gerard Elias, Andrew Moss- ACT Robocup Committee

Kel Hathaway Steve Carter - CEO Canberra Goulburn

### Event

2 Junior Dance Theatre Teams

33 Junior Dance Teams

0 Senior Dance Theatre Teams

2 Senior Dance Teams - but both pulled out at the last minute.

6 Premier Rescue Teams

10 Rescue Teams

4 Soccer

57 Teams in total

199 Students

With much the same numbers as last year we were very happy.

We would like to say thank you to Sammantha and the ANU Engineering Faculty for their support with the venue, bags and the students to help run the event. Joanna Bell for the Kit awarded to Kaleen Public School for engineering encouragement and for the smurfs. Kel Hathaway was fantastic in running the the dace with the support of Steve Carter both from the CEO ICT learning support team finally a thank you to all the Teachers Students and Parents that make this all happen. CSIRO also help with some of the goodies in our bags.

A big thank you to Phil Wade for all the hard work he puts in to ACT RCJA behind the scenes

Gerard Elias

Chairperson

ACT RoboCup Junior Australia