



## Ken Lewis

Born in Belfast and was just a kid when I arrived in Australia as a £10 "pom" travelling by ship (Fairstar) to Sydney in 1965 with mother, father and 4 siblings.

I love the round ball game and played as a junior in the streets of Belfast before joining Maroubra United with Cliff Parker. He was instrumental in me getting a lot more goals than him!! My inspirational player was Jimmy Greaves. I played for U16s Prague, Sydney and won best and fairest award in 1968. I was chosen to play in the Eastern Suburbs representative team.

My biggest life regret: I dropped my football interest to focus on HSC.

I went to UTS to study Business and later UNSW to do Finance. My career has been insurance and investments.

I moved to London 1996 with RSA. My last job was with Santander Bank in London. Because of its closeness I travelled often to Europe. I love and "play" ocean swimming, tennis, skiing, and 5km runs. I adore food especially seafood and beer/wine but thankfully it does not affect my weight too much.

My preferred walking football position: forward or attacking midfield.

My strengths are passing accuracy, ball control and shooting

My weaknesses are holding ball too long, and running.

My greatest sporting achievement: although I have played for Australia in various short field football and walking football competitions my greatest sporting achievement has been representing Australia in walking football for the Over 70s Walkeroos!!