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<p><u>Anzac Youth & Recreation Centre</u> <u>Management Committee:</u></p> <p><u>Sutherland Shire Junior Cricket</u> <u>Association Inc Delegates:</u></p> <p><u>Sutherland Shire Cricket</u> <u>Association Delegates:</u></p> <p><u>Newsletter Co-ordination</u> <u>& Publication:</u></p>	<p>Ken Tever Bob Price</p> <p>Ian Latham Peter Ward</p> <p>Allan Lofthouse Colin Berry</p> <p>Bob Price Ken & Val Tever</p>
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Brett Bullock	Brett Martin	Ryan Shepherd
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Jay Davis

COMPETITION HONOURS

MINOR PREMIERS

16A Team	10B Team
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PREMIERS

16A Team	12A Team	10B Team
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RUNNERS UP

16B Team	B8 Team	B9 Team
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The 2002/2003 season was another successful year for the club finishing third in the junior club championship. In the final's series we had four junior and two senior teams participating. Congratulations to the Premiers, the 16A, 12A and 10B sides and commiserations to the runners up 16B, B8 and B9.

I must give a real big "thank you" to members of the Management Committee who continue with their efforts to make this club a truly great community based cricket club which provides cricket for players of all ages, sex, skill levels and aspirations. We are very fortunate to have parents come forward and provide their time whether as coaches, scorers, managers or members of the committee. It is also very pleasing to see the large numbers of parents and grand parents who go along to the games each week to support our teams.

Our Trivia Night was again an outstanding success raising in excess of \$2,000 to be used for improving the practice nets at Anzac Oval. The night was enjoyed by everyone in attendance with a special thanks to our MC Mr. Ken Newman for officiating and preparing all the questions and special events. The annual Club raffle also was a great success with Bob Price again providing all the hard work – many thanks Bob.

Congratulations to Russ Waddell and Vicki Routh who were honoured with Life Membership of the Sutherland Shire Junior Cricket Association. Both have been tireless workers for cricket in the Shire for many years and truly deserve the recognition afforded them.

With this year being my first as President, I must thank all the Coaches and Managers for their magnificent efforts with all our teams together with all members of the Management Committee for the dedication, support and enthusiasm throughout the year. A very special "thanks mate" to our Secretary Ian Latham who has helped me tremendously throughout my first year.

Finally, thank you to all the players, parents, grand parents and friends associated with this great club. We are a club that aims to teach players to enjoy this great game and to play it in a positive, fair and honest way.

Gordon Scott

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The 2002/2003 season saw an up turn in our player numbers in both the junior and senior ranks. Against the current trend of declining numbers we fielded twelve junior teams made up of 133 Engadine and 16 St. John Bosco registered players. In the seniors our numbers swelled for the third consecutive season and we fielded a record six sides made up of 90 registered players.

For the first time in our Club history we entered joint teams into the SSJCA competition. In conjunction with St John Bosco we fielded two junior sides that played under the banner of Bosco Dragons. Thanks to the efforts of both committees the venture proved to be a real success and strengthened our already good working relationship with St John Bosco Cricket Club.

Another first for our Club was our all female 14D team, formerly the Brighton Belles, the entire team came over to play for the Dragons. The ladies had a great season producing some top performances and judging by their training sessions they thoroughly enjoyed their cricket. Thank you to Paul Marsh for all his hard work in putting the side together.

We again teamed up with St John Bosco in the running of the Engadine District "Have 'a' Go" Cricket Centre. I am pleased to say that this year proved a lot more productive than our first. We had twenty registered players in contrast to last seasons forty, which gave us more opportunity to work with the children in smaller groups, and the results were very pleasing. Thank you to Steve Mulally for co-ordinating the program and special thanks to all that assisted especially our four juniors, Andrew Jones, Ben Latham, Ben Marciante and Daniel Ward.

On the field we had a sensational season in the juniors with the majority of the sides well placed in their respective competitions. As a result the Club performed well in the SSJCA Club Championship finishing a very creditable third, which was a big improvement on last season. I was more than happy with the grading of our teams this year and thought the greater majority of competitions were well balanced and closely fought. In the senior ranks a number of our sides struggled for various reasons, our A1's were without two of their best performers for the majority of the season, the A2's suffered a similar fate, the B3's lost close matches by only a handful of runs on numerous occasions and the B5's were probably one grade higher than they should have been and had their fair share of injuries to.

We again figured strongly in the Final's Series with four junior, and two senior sides contesting the final. Congratulations go to our Premiers, the 16A (Minor Premiers), 12A and 10B (Minor Premiers) teams. Commiserations to our runners up, the 16B, B8 and B9 sides. Special mention must be made of the effort of our 16A team that have secured back to back 16A Premierships, this feat has only been achieved on a handful of occasions in the history of the Association. Well done.

Yet again, the Club figured prominently at the representative level with nineteen junior players being selected to represent the Sutherland Shire in the NSWDCA Competition. An additional two juniors were selected in the Sutherland Shire District Grade Club's Green Shield team. Congratulations to our 16A captain Jay Davis who was selected in the Combined Sydney Green Shield team.

During the off-season two of our members were honoured with Life Memberships of the Sutherland Shire Junior Cricket Association. Congratulations to Vicki Routh and Russ Waddell, both Vicki and Russ made major contributions to junior cricket in our Shire and were fitting recipients of this honour.

On the financial side of things we were again well supported by our old faithfuls, Engadine R.S.L. & Citizens Club, Cosmo Lighting, Engadine Mechanical Repairs and Engadine Bowling & Recreational Club. As a matter of interest this is the ninth season that Cosmo Lighting has supported our Club, and I would like to thank Jim Emirian for his continuing generosity to our Club. On the social front the Trivia Night made a much-anticipated come back after a years rest. Thanks to the M.C. skills of Ken Newman the night was a resounding success both socially and financially. The Club Raffle again proved to be a great fundraiser for the Club and our thanks go to Bob Price for all his hard work.

With the A.G.M. just around the corner, Wednesday 4th June to be precise, we will again be calling for nominations for all positions. It would be great to see some new faces at the A.G.M. and more importantly new faces on our committee.

Thank you to all the Committee for your support and work this season, as usual the effort was first class. Congratulations to Gordon Scott on your first season as President, you've done a tremendous job.

Last, but not least, thank you to all the parents, relatives and friends who gave great support and encouragement to the players during the year. Thank you to all our players and good luck to all our juniors who have played their last season of junior cricket, hope to see you in the senior ranks next year.

Ian Latham

TREASURERS FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND REPORT

Firstly, I must thank the Club for the honour of Life Membership bestowed on me. It was a surprise as it has been a pleasure serving such a top club.

Secondly, as the Club's moneyman I must congratulate all players for completing payments before the end of November. This was tremendous. Also, the number of donations was again substantial as were the proceeds of the raffles and Club functions.

It needs a great team to run such a successful club.

Finally, congratulations to our premiership winning teams and thanks for all the member's support.

John Carlisle

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS YEAR ENDING JULY 2002

<u>RECEIPTS</u>		<u>PAYMENTS</u>	
PLAYING FEES	13,985	ASSOCIATION FEES (JUNIOR & SENIOR)	6,945
DONATIONS	10,426	UMPIRES FEES	1,947
CLUB RAFFLES	816	BALLS & EQUIPMENT	7,198
APPAREL	1,483	APPAREL	1,310
BANK INTEREST	241	PRESENTATION NIGHTS (JUNIOR & SENIOR)	4,111
		BRADMAN SCHOLARSHIP	700
		NEWSLETTER & YEARBOOK PUBLICATION	3,481
		NETT PROFIT	1,259
TOTALS:	26,951		26,951

TOTAL FUNDS HELD AT BANK AS AT 30 JUNE 2002

\$8449.58

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Congratulations to John Carlisle, our Club's fifteenth Life Member. John's association with the Club started in the season of 1986/87 when he registered his seven year old son Stephen.

John is the longest serving Treasurer in our forty-four year history. Now in his eleventh term as Treasurer he has been a tireless worker for the Club. Thanks to John's guidance our Club is Financially sound and able to provide the best equipment and training facilities for our players.

To honour John's Life Membership his name now adorns the Senior Division Bowling Performance Trophy.

"TRIBUTE BOX"

Throughout this Yearbook you will see "TRIBUTE" Boxes signifying a job well done. We ask you to note these businesses and people for the invaluable contributions they have made to our Club.

PERPETUAL TROPHIES AND AWARDS CRITERIA

AS AMENDED 2001/2002 SEASON

Note:

- The Management Committee reserves the right to withhold the allocation of any award where in its assessment the criteria have not been met or for any other valid reason.
- Where the assessment of the award calls for nominations, all such nominations must be in writing, with reasons in support. Nominations must be forwarded to be in the hands of the Secretary or Assistant Secretary by no later than two weeks after the date of the final last played or any other such date as the Committee may announce or publish.
- In the absence of nominations the Management Committee shall consider the merits of each award and may determine a recipient on its knowledge of the available candidates.
- The Management Committee may make any special award it sees fit to acknowledge special circumstances or to provide encouragement.
- All considerations of the Management Committee and/or the Executive are confidential. Neither body shall be required to give reasons for the acceptance or rejection of any nomination.

GENERAL CRITERIA:

To provide a measure of objectivity and consistency throughout all levels of the Club for the determination of performance awards, the following criteria shall apply uniformly: Where a bowler is competing with a batsman and/or wicket keeping for a Club honour, the following system shall apply:

- For each 10 runs scored: - 1 point
- For each wicket taken: - 1 point
- For each catch/stumping made: - 1 point

Where two batsmen or two bowlers are vying for a honour/award the Management Committee will take into account the ratio of runs to innings, and/or wickets to overs noting the strike and economy rates and in each instance make judgment based on its assessment of all circumstances.

The above may also be used for determining "All-rounders" but with respect to the junior, intermediate and senior divisions it is to be read in conjunction with the criteria specified.

INDIVIDUAL TEAM AWARDS:

(Personal Trophies)

Junior and Intermediate Divisions: For all junior and intermediate teams engaged in competitive cricket there will be four awards presented. One for batting and one for bowling plus two others to be nominated by the Team Management (Coach and Manager). The Coach and Manager may recommend two awards from the following four categories, Most Improved Player, Most Consistent Player, Team Player and Best Fielder. For Batting, and Bowling the award will be based on the highest aggregates derived from the official Scorebooks. Aggregates include both innings but exclude finals. In the case of more than one player sharing the highest aggregate the player with the highest average will be awarded the trophy. No one person may win more than one of the above awards.

In addition, consideration will be given by the Management Committee to recognizing "all rounder" skills where the efforts of an individual player provide justification for an All-rounder award. As a guide, within the Junior Division, minimum 100 runs scored and 10 wickets taken (wicket keeper a minimum 7 catches/stumpings). Intermediate Division, minimum 150 runs scored and 15 wickets taken (wicket keeper a minimum 10 catches/stumpings). All awards shall be based on aggregates and be inclusive of first and second innings but exclusive of finals. The Management Committee will look at situations that parallel these performance levels and take such efforts into account.

Senior Division: To each team there shall be available awards for batting, bowling, and where earned All-rounder. For Batting, and Bowling the award will be based on the highest aggregates derived from the official Scorebooks. Aggregates include both innings but exclude finals. In the case of more than one player sharing the highest aggregate the player with the highest average will be awarded the trophy. To qualify as an All-rounder the recipient must have achieved in the year, no less than 200 runs scored and 20 wickets taken (wicket keeper a minimum 15 catches/stumpings). A player who represents the club in more than one team shall have all efforts credited. All awards shall be based on aggregates and be inclusive of first and second innings but exclusive of finals.

JUNIOR AND INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS PERFORMANCE AWARDS:

(Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) Six (6) trophies awarded.

Batting Award: Shall go to the player within the Division nominated who scores the most runs in the season. There is no weighting for grade. The most runs will be the aggregate of all runs credited to the batsman as shown in the official score book and shall be inclusive of first and second innings. Runs scored in finals shall be excluded.

Bowling Award: Shall go to the player within the Division nominated who takes the greatest number of wickets in the season. There is no weighting for grade. The greatest number of wickets will be the aggregate of all wickets credited to the bowler as shown in the official score book and shall be inclusive of first and second innings. Wickets taken in finals shall be excluded.

Wicket Keeping Award: Shall go to the player within the Division nominated who as the wicketkeeper is credited with the greatest number of dismissals in the season. There is no weighting for grade. The greatest number of dismissals will include all catches and stumpings credited to the keeper as shown in the official score book and shall be inclusive of first and second innings. Finals shall be excluded. In the event of more than one keeper having an identical tally, byes but not leg byes shall be taken into account and the award made to the keeper with the lowest number of byes.

SENIOR DIVISION PERFORMANCE AWARDS:

(Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) three (3) trophies awarded.

Batting Award: Shall go to the player within the Division nominated who scores the most runs in the season. There is no weighting for grade. The most runs will be the aggregate of all runs credited to the batsman as shown in the official score book and shall be inclusive of first and second innings. Runs scored in finals shall be excluded.

Bowling Award: Shall go to the player within the Division nominated who takes the greatest number of wickets in the season. There is no weighting for grade. The greatest number of wickets will be the aggregate of all wickets credited to the bowler as shown in the official score book and shall be inclusive of first and second innings. Wickets taken in finals shall be excluded.

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SPECIAL CLUB AWARDS:

Senior Club Champion: (Perpetual trophy & personal trophy).

Determined by the Management Committee. Derived from an examination of the Scorebooks. Awarded to the most outstanding senior cricketer in the club who, through efforts with bat or ball has proved competitive at the higher levels of the SSCA Competition. In determining the merits of a batsman relative to a bowler (or wicket keeper) for the purpose of assessing this award the general criteria set above shall apply. While first and second innings shall count, finals will be excluded.

Club Champion (Junior and Intermediate divisions): (Perpetual trophy & personal trophy).

Determined by the Management Committee. Derived from an examination of the Scorebooks. Awarded to the most outstanding cricketer in the junior or intermediate divisions, who through efforts with bat or ball has proved him/herself competitive at the higher levels (A or B Grade) of the SSJCA Competition. In determining the merits of a batsman relative to a bowler (or wicket keeper) for the purpose of assessing this award the general criteria set above shall apply. While first and second innings shall count, finals will be excluded.

JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE CLUB AWARDS:

Most Improved Team: (Perpetual trophy, and personal trophy awarded to players, coach & manager)

Determined by the Management Committee. Awarded to the team that on results shows improvements in the second half of the season relative to the first half. While the points scored acts as an indicator, the grading and age group of the team will be taken into account.

Bob Price Encouragement Shield: (Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) Nominations are sought.

Awarded to a player within the Junior and/or Intermediate Divisions. Determined by the Management Committee. The award recognises the need to encourage players. Any player may be nominated but the Management Committee will take into account age, performance, level at which played, years of experience. Commitment, effort, enthusiasm for the game are key determinants. Basically, and as simply as possible, the award is designed to encourage a young cricket to follow his love for the game through playing as long as possible. Generally, a more established player, playing at the higher levels would be seen to be in less need of encouragement than one coming through the levels.

Greg Heffernan Fielding Trophy: (Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) Nominations are sought.

Determined by the Management Committee. Awarded specifically for fielding effort. The number of catches taken is a factor but for a wicketkeeper allowance is made for the advantages of gloves. Considerations include alertness, speed and accuracy of returns, determination, and encouragement of fellow players, in particular bowlers.

Rookie of the Year: (Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) Nominations are sought.

Determined by the Management Committee. Awarded to a player who has completed their first ever year of competitive cricket and has displayed potential and enthusiasm for the game.

SENIOR CLUB AWARDS:

Outstanding Junior in Men's Cricket: (Perpetual trophy and personal trophy) Nominations are sought.

Determined by the Management Committee. Awarded to a player in the first full year ever of senior cricket that displays a high level of skill, ability, and potential.

EDCC SERVICE AWARDS:

Club Service Awards: Introduced in 1996/97, the whole purpose of the Service Award is to acknowledge continuous club playing service and promote pride in the club. The awards are in periods of five years, ie: five, ten, fifteen, twenty and at twenty-five years Life Membership may be awarded.

Club Member of the Year: (Perpetual trophy & personal trophy) Nominations are sought.

Awarded to a club member who, gives freely of his/her time and energies in supporting the club in its activities. Management Committee members may be nominated in which event the Club Executive shall determine the recipient.

Life Membership: The Club Executive shall determine all nominations for LIFE MEMBER. While any club member may nominate any other club member to be a Life Member such nomination is to be in writing with reasons in support. The Club Executive is not bound to accept nominations or give reasons for rejection. In considering any such nomination it will be guided as follows.

- The basic merits of each nomination.
- The years and nature of service to the club rendered by the nominee.
- Generally, but not exclusively, no less than ten years club service is seen as a minimum.

EDDC BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP:

This scholarship is to select two players from the under 12 age group, preferably from the one team, and send them to attend the July Talented Player Winter Camp conducted by the Bradman Foundation during the July school holiday break. The four day course is conducted at Bowral and course fees plus the Club will supply travel costs and pocket money. Each scholarship is valued at \$350.

Preference will be given to selecting A grade players although the grade is not a major factor. Primarily the scheme seeks annually to identify two keen cricketers within the club, who will benefit from this experience and are deemed to have potential. At the same time they must be seen to be interested in pursuing cricket at the higher levels, eg. Representative and ultimately Grade.

The Management Committee with input from the coach of our highest graded under 12 team will make the selection at the end of each season. Selections are subject to informal acceptance by players and parents prior to places being reserved, funds committed and a formal decision being announced. The selection process is at the discretion of the Management Committee and no correspondence will be entered into.

IMPORTANT DATES

JUNIOR PRESENTATION NIGHT 23 RD MAY 2003	- HEATHCOTE HIGH SCHOOL 7-30PM
SENIOR PRESENTATION NIGHT 24 TH MAY 2003	- ENGADINE R.S.L. CLUB 7-00PM
EDCC AGM 4 TH JUNE 2003	- EAGLES CLUB ROOM 7-30PM
SSJCA (JUNIOR) PRESENTATION 15 TH JUNE 2003	- TRADE UNION CLUB GYMEA (U10/12: 1-00PM & U14/16: 2-30PM)
SSJCA (JUNIOR) AGM 17 TH JUNE 2003	- CARINGBAH OVAL 8-00PM
EDCC REGISTRATION 24 TH & 25 TH JULY 2003	- ANZAC COMPLEX 6-30PM TO 8-30PM
SSCA AGM & PRESENTATION 28 TH JULY 2003	- CARINGBAH OVAL 8-00PM
GRADING (JUNIOR) 3 RD & 10 TH AUGUST 2003	- ANZAC OVAL NETS (TIMES T.B.A.)
GRADING (SENIOR) 3 RD & 10 TH AUGUST 2003	- ANZAC OVAL NETS 9-00AM
COMMENCEMENT OF THE 2003/04 SEASON	- SATURDAY 13 TH SEPTEMBER 2003

JUNIOR & SENIOR BATTING & BOWLING RECORDS

SENIOR BATTING RECORDS

(200 RUNS OR MORE)

<u>BATTING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BATTING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BATSMAN	RUNS	YEAR	GRADE	BATSMAN	AVE	YEAR
A1	R. NOAKES	739	1968-69	A1	S. MESSITER	111.00	1987-88
A2	D. HIGGINS	542	1978-79	A2	S. CLINCH	42.40	1983-84
A3	G. HEFFERNAN	626	1982-83	A3	G. HEFFERNAN	78.25	1982-83
B1	M. HAMMOND	437	1981-82	B1	M. HAMMOND	31.20	1981-82
B2	W. MOODIE	527	1972-73	B2	S. CLINCH	49.70	1981-82
B3	W. ATKINS	500	1973-74	B3	J. BLACK	52.75	1973-75
B4	M. BAILEY	485	1979-80	B4	J. BLACK	57.80	1972-73
B5	J. McDONNELL	452	1984-85	B5	N. ALTERATOR	36.09	2002-03
B6	A. LOVETT	404	1985-86	B6	C. PARSONS	53.75	1985-86
B7	A. VANNAN	342	1995-96	B7	A. VANNAN	38.00	1995-96
B8	G. FAUL	360	2002-03	B8	G. FAUL	30.00	2002-03
B9	ALAN ROBERTS	295	2002-03	B9	ALAN ROBERTS	42.14	2002-03
C1	R. GREY	400	1998-99	C1	D. STUVE	73.00	1990-91
C2	C. ALEWOOD	451	1980-81	C2	G. REDMAN	48.00	1994-95
C3	R. WADDELL	400	1985-86	C3	R. WADDELL	33.33	1985-86

SENIOR BOWLING RECORDS

(20 WICKETS OR MORE)

<u>BOWLING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BOWLING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BOWLER	WKTS	YEAR	GRADE	BOWLER	AVE	YEAR
A1	F. TERONE	55	1969-70	A1	G. CHUDLEIGH	9.78	1981-82
A2	J. RICHARDSON	50	1983-84	A2	J. CRIMLISK	7.92	1992-93
A3	W. WISHART	50	1976-77	A3	D. WATTS	6.60	1972-73
B1	S. GORRY	70	1979-80	B1	S. GORRY	6.90	1979-80
B2	P. ROYLE	62	1976-77	B2	M. OLIFF	6.50	1983-84
B3	G. DWARSHUIS	51	1978-79	B3	D. PARKES	6.50	1986-87
B4	K. BESSANT	53	1974-75	B4	G. ANDERSON	8.30	1979-80
B5	D. PERRITT	48	1984-85	B5	D. PERRITT	7.87	1984-85
B6	G. LANGSTON	55	1982-83	B6	P. BLAND	5.80	1981-82
B7	R. DODD	58	1988-89	B7	D. LINDSAY	9.90	1987-88
B8	W. HORSNELL	30	2002-03	B8	W. HORSNELL	13.07	2002-03
B9	P. DIXON	25	2002-03	B9	A. ROBERTS	10.35	2002-03
C1	B. KNOWLES	45	1998-99	C1	R. KNIGHT	6.35	2000-01
C2	J. RICHARDSON	77	1977-78	C2	J. RICHARDSON	7.40	1977-78
C3	M. CURNESS	38	1984-85	C3	M. CURNESS	7.29	1984-85

NOTE: - EDCC JUNIOR BATTING & BOWLING RECORDS

In the 1990-91 season the junior competition rules were changed as follows: - from time limit to an over limit game, with restrictions on individual bowlers, the number of competition rounds were set at ten. In the younger age groups Introductory and Modified rules were introduced. Because of these alterations it was almost impossible for the old individual competition records to be broken, accordingly it was decided by the SSJCA to move the "old records" to a separate section. Therefore the following EDCC Junior Club Batting and Bowling Records are split into two sections also: - (1959/60 to 1989/90) and (1990/91 to 2002/03).

JUNIOR BATTING RECORDS

**SINCE ESTABLISHMENT IN 1959/60 THROUGH TO 1989/90
(200 RUNS OR MORE)**

<u>BATTING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BATTING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BATSMAN	RUNS	YEAR	GRADE	BATSMAN	AVE	YEAR
10A	N. MORANDO	479	1983-84	10A	N. MORANDO	59.88	1983-84
10B	I. CRANSTON	387	1967-68	10B	I. CRANSTON	77.40	1967-68
10C	C. ROSSITER	384	1977-78	10C	C. ROSSITER	64.00	1977-78
12A	C. LAKE	442	1989-90	12A	P. RYAN	45.20	1978-79
12B	I. CRANSTON	479	1968-69	12B	D. KEMBER	60.33	1977-78
12C	P. DOHERTY	276	1963-64	12C	M. GOTLEY	40.66	1982-83
12D	M. HEALEY	306	1979-80	12D	G. McGUIRK	48.20	1982-83
12E	G. CLARKE	247	1973-74	12E	G. CLARKE	82.33	1973-74
12F	C. HILLHOUSE	207	1984-85	12F	C. HILLHOUSE	34.50	1984-85
14A	P. DOHERTY	553	1966-67	14A	R. ENTWISTLE	45.89	1980-81
14B	B. MARTIN	480	1976-77	14B	B. MARTIN	60.00	1976-77
14C	W. MILLAR	318	1962-63	14C	B. DAVIS	46.80	1981-82
14D	C. DOW	503	1976-77	14D	G. RYAN	37.85	1979-80
14E	W. GREEN	430	1980-81	14E	W. GREEN	35.83	1980-81
16A	B. McMANUS	578	1964-65	16A	B. McMANUS	72.25	1964-65
16B	P. DOHERTY	449	1967-68	16B	J. SMITH	60.20	1979-80
16C	B. THORNTHWAITE	355	1984-85	16C	B. THORNTHWAITE	50.71	1984-85
16D	P. DAENELL	240	1985-86	16D	P. DAENELL	30.00	1985-86

JUNIOR BOWLING RECORDS

**SINCE ESTABLISHMENT IN 1959 THROUGH TO 1989/90
(20 WICKETS OR MORE)**

<u>BOWLING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BOWLING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BOWLER	WKTS	YEAR	GRADE	BOWLER	AVE	YEAR
10A	W. WISHART	83	1971-72	10A	J. WESTLAKE	3.24	1976-77
10B	P. NOAKES	78	1968-69	10B	W. WISHART	2.49	1970-71
10C	S. GORREY	70	1972-73	10C	S. GORREY	2.14	1972-73
10D	M. PORTER	35	1972-73	10D	M. PORTER	2.08	1972-73
12A	G. HEFFERNAN	80	1975-76	12A	G. HEFFERNAN	3.88	1975-76
12B	I. CRANSTON	76	1968-69	12B	T. BAILEY	4.18	1967-68
12C	J. SHOOTER	67	1966-67	12C	J. INNES	2.66	1974-75
12D	W. TEAL	62	1964-65	12D	D. O'TOOLE	4.20	1976-77
12E	D. ROBERTS	66	1969-70	12E	G. CLARKE	3.24	1973-74
12F	C. MOODIE	34	1984-85	12F	C. MOODIE	3.60	1984-85
14A	N. MORANDO	47	1987-88	14A	B. FERGUSON	7.66	1975-76
14B	R. CARROLL	70	1964-65	14B	J. SHOOTER	5.20	1967-68
14C	W. HEADLEY	59	1965-66	14C	L. BARRETT	2.12	1971-72
14D	B. ANDREWS	73	1974-75	14D	B. ANDREWS	3.17	1974-75
14E	I. COOK	26	1978-79	14E	I. COOK	5.43	1978-79
16A	I. CRANSTON	40	1973-74	16A	L. HOOLEY	8.55	1961-62
16B	W. HEADLEY	55	1967-68	16B	J. WESTLAKE	5.33	1981-82
16C	W. WILCOX	30	1984-85	16C	P. ASHTON	6.80	1987-88
16D	P. DAENELL	22	1985-86	16D	P. DAENELL	10.82	1985-86

JUNIOR BATTING RECORDS

1990/91 ONWARDS

(TRADITIONAL 150 RUNS OR MORE / INTRODUCTORY & MODIFIED 100 RUNS OR MORE)

<u>BATTING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BATTING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BATSMAN	RUNS	YEAR	GRADE	BATSMAN	AVE	YEAR
10A	D. McMILLAN	247	2001-02	10A	D. McMILLAN	35.28	2001-02
10B*	N/Q	-	-	10B*	N/Q	-	-
10C*	C. McMAHON	151	1998-99	10C*	B. DUNCUM	47.67	2002-03
10D*	N/Q	-	-	10D*	N/Q	-	-
10E*	G. CAUKILL	153	1998-99	10E*	G. CAUKILL	38.30	1998-99
12A	C. LAKE	576	1990-91	12A	B. MARCIANTE	159.66	2002-03
12B	C. MAHONEY	302	1997-98	12B	C. REEVES	42.00	2000-01
12C	D. BEARDOW	549	1999-00	12C	D. BEARDOW	91.50	1999-00
12D	D. LATHAM	222	1994-95	12D	D. LATHAM	44.40	1994-95
12E*	J. MANNS	175	1996-97	12E*	J. MANNS	35.00	1996-97
12F*	J. RAPER	113	1999-00	12F*	J. RAPER	37.67	1999-00
14A	R. SHEPHERD	665	1999-00	14A	R. SHEPHERD	95.00	1999-00
14B	K. STEWART	414	1994-95	14B	K. STEWART	51.75	1994-95
14C	D. PRICE	370	1990-91	14C	K. BERNIE	36.20	1991-92
14D	S. HALL	249	1996-97	14D	M. RYAN	54.00	2000-01
14E	O. SAMAD	392	2001-02	14E	O. SAMAD	65.33	2001-02
16A	R. SHEPHERD	533	2001-02	16A	R. SHEPHERD	96.20	2000-01
16B	L. BAILEY	323	1996-97	16B	L. BAILEY	35.88	1996-97
16C	K. JOHNSON	386	1998-99	16C	S. HALL	42.30	1999-00
16D	D. BOYLE	205	2001-02	16D	D. BOYLE	18.64	2001-02

JUNIOR BOWLING RECORDS

1990/91 TO ONWARDS

(TRADITIONAL 15 WICKETS OR MORE / INTRODUCTORY & MODIFIED 10 WICKETS OR MORE)

<u>BOWLING AGGREGATE</u>				<u>BOWLING AVERAGE</u>			
GRADE	BOWLER	WKTS	YEAR	GRADE	BOWLER	AVE	YEAR
10A	S. NEWMAN	23	2001-02	10A	S. NEWMAN	6.30	2001-02
10B*	L. HERNE	11	2002-03	10B*	L. HERNE	3.18	2002-03
10C*	T. WALKINGTON	12	2002-03	10C*	T. WALKINGTON	5.34	2002-03
10D*	R. PURDY	16	1993-94	10D*	S. ANDREWS	1.72	1993-94
10E*	G. CAUKILL	18	1998-99	10E*	G. CAUKILL	2.00	1998-99
12A	M. BARNES	25	1994-95	12A	M. GORE	1.33	1992-93
12B	N/Q	-	-	12B	N/Q	-	-
12C	SANJAY PATEL	22	1996-97	12C	L. WILSON	6.20	1991-92
12D	S. ANDREWS	20	1994-95	12D	S. ANDREWS	2.84	1994-95
12E*	A. STEWART	11	1999-00	12E*	A. STEWART	4.64	1999-00
12F*	J. PUNSHON	14	1999-00	12F*	O. SAMAD	3.08	1999-00
14A	R. SHEPHERD	22	1999-00	14A	B. BULLOCK	7.90	1999-00
14B	G. INGS	33	2002-03	14B	B. GORRY	7.47	1993-94
14C	C. NELSON	20	1998-99	14C	C. NELSON	7.45	1998-99
14D	P. BOURKE	24	1994-95	14D	P. BOURKE	5.29	1994-95
14E	D. FILETTI	24	1995-96	14E	O. SAMAD	4.73	2001-02
16A	J. GARDNER	19	2001-02	16A	C. MAR	6.75	1998-99
16B	C. JACKSON	21	2002-03	16B	C. JACKSON	9.33	2002-03
	T. RUSSELL	21	2002-03				
16C	B. MARTIN	40	1999-00	16C	B. SOMERVILLE	5.31	1991-92
16D	D. BOYLE	21	2001-02	16D	C. JACKSON	10.55	2001-02

NOTE: N/Q (NO QUALIFIERS FOR THIS RECORD) * (INTRODUCTORY OR MODIFIED RECORDS)

NEW CLUB RECORDS

LIAM HERNE	10B	BOWLING AGGREGATE (11) & AVERAGE (3.18)
BLAKE DUNCUM	10C	BATTING AVERAGE (47.67)
TIAAN WALKINGTON	10C	BOWLING AGGREGATE (12) & AVERAGE (5.34)
BEN MARCIANTE	12A	BATTING AVERAGE (159.66)
GREG INGS	14B	BOWLING AGGREGATE (33)
CHRIS JACKSON	16B	BOWLING AGGREGATE (21) & AVERAGE (9.33)
TIM RUSSELL	16B	BOWLING AGGREGATE (21)
NATHAN ALTERATOR	B5	BATTING AVERAGE (36.09)
GREG FAUL	B8	BATTING AGGREGATE (360) & AVERAGE (30.00)
WADE HORSNELL	B8	BOWLING AGGREGATE (30) & AVERAGE (13.07)
ALAN ROBERTS	B9	BATTING AGGREGATE (295) & AVERAGE (42.14)
ALAN ROBERTS	B9	BOWLING AVERAGE (10.35)
PAUL DIXON	B9	BOWLING AGGREGATE (25)

OFFICE BEARERS **(1959-60 TO 2002-03)**

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>PRESIDENT</u>	<u>SECRETARY</u>	<u>ASSISTANT SECRETARY</u>	<u>TREASURER</u>
1959-60	B. McMANUS snr	D. CARROLL		R. CHAPMAN
1960-61	B. McMANUS snr	B. HOWARD		K. BINNER
1961-62	W. FOSTER B. McMANUS snr	N. FORESHAW		K. BINNER
1962-63	B. McMANUS snr	N. FORESHAW C. GREENWOOD		K. BINNER
1963-64	N. FORESHAW K. JOHNSON	R. SOMMER		H. SHOOTER
1964-65	K. JOHNSON	K. WOODBRIDGE		H. SHOOTER
1965-66	K. JOHNSON	K. WOODBRIDGE H. SHOOTER		H. SHOOTER
1966-67	K. JOHNSON	H. SHOOTER		H. ROBBINS
1967-68	K. HORSNELL	B. BLANCHARD		W. McPHEE
1968-69	G. McELROY	B. BLANCHARD		W. McPHEE M. FORDYCE
1969-70	K. JOHNSON	C. KEENAN		M. FORDYCE
1970-71	D. MORRISON	C. KEENAN		M. FORDYCE
1971-72	C. KEENAN	W. ATKINS G. ARNOTT		D. CRANSTON
1972-73	C. KEENAN	G. ARNOTT		D. CRANSTON
1973-74	B. BLANCHARD	H. ROBBINS		MRS B. CROSBY
1974-75	G. ARNOTT	H. ROBBINS		MRS B. CROSBY
1975-76	C. KEENAN	M. FORDYCE		MRS J. LEES
1976-77	R. NOAKES	H. ROBBINS		MRS J. LEES
1977-78	R. NOAKES	H. ROBBINS		R. ENTWISTLE
1978-79	R. NOAKES	R. LOVETT		R. ENTWISTLE
1979-80	R. LOVETT	A. GLEESON		R. ENTWISTLE
1980-81	R. LOVETT	M. FORDYCE		R. ENTWISTLE
1981-82	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS	P. NOAKES	R. ENTWISTLE
1982-83	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS	P. NOAKES	J. RICHARDSON
1983-84	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS	R. WOODHILL	J. RICHARDSON
1984-85	D. STUVE	R. WOODHILL	A. LEMMON	J. RICHARDSON
1985-86	D. STUVE	R. WOODHILL	A. LEMMON	J. RICHARDSON
1986-87	R. WADDELL	P. CLOTHIER	A. LEMMON	J. RICHARDSON
1987-88	R. WADDELL	J. THORNTHWAITE	A. LEMMON	J. RICHARDSON
1988-89	R. WADDELL	J. THORNTHWAITE R. KNOWLES	A. LEMMON	R. VANNAN
1989-90	A. LEMMON	R. KNOWLES	A. VANNAN	R. VANNAN
1990-91	K. TEVER	R. KNOWLES	A. VANNAN	R. VANNAN
1991-92	K. TEVER	J. UEBEL	A. VANNAN	R. VANNAN
1992-93	K. TEVER	J. UEBEL	A. VANNAN	J. CARLISLE
1993-94	I. McCREA	J. UEBEL	G. HEFFERNAN	J. CARLISLE
1994-95	R. WADDELL	T. DUFFIELD	D. LAKE	J. CARLISLE
1995-96	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	A. LEMMON	J. CARLISLE
1996-97	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	A. LEMMON	J. CARLISLE
1997-98	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	B. COUSEMACKER	J. CARLISLE
1998-99	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	B. COUSEMACKER	J. CARLISLE
1999-00	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	J. MALL	J. CARLISLE
2000-01	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	A. LOFTHOUSE P. WARD	J. CARLISLE
2001-02	R. WADDELL	I. LATHAM	A. LOFTHOUSE P. WARD	J. CARLISLE
2002-03	G. SCOTT	I. LATHAM	A. LOFTHOUSE P. WARD	J. CARLISLE

SSJCA CLUB CHAMPIONS **"THE BERTSHELL TROPHY"**

1970-1971
1971-1972
1973-1974

1974-1975
1975-1976
1976-1977

1978-1979
2000-2001

PREMIERSHIP WINNING TEAMS
(1959-60 TO 2002-03)

SEASON	JUNIOR TEAMS	SENIOR TEAMS
1959-60	NIL	
1960-61	NIL	
1961-62	NIL	
1962-63	NIL	
1963-64	NIL	
1964-65	NIL	
1965-66	14B	
1966-67	NIL	
1967-68	14B	A2
1968-69	10B	A1
1969-70	12A	A1, B3
1970-71	14D, 12A, 10B	A1
1971-72	16B, 14A	NIL
1972-73	10C, 10D	B4
1973-74	12A, 12E, 10A, 10C	A1, B3
1974-75	12C	NIL
1975-76	14B, 14D, 12A, 10D	NIL
1976-77	16C, 14B, 14C, 10A	A3
1977-78	16A, 10C	A1, B4
1978-79	16A, 12A, 10A	A1, B3, C2
1979-80	NIL	B4, C2
1980-81	14B, 14D, 12A	NIL
1981-82	16B-1, 14B, 10D	A1, B2
1982-83	12D	B4, B6
1983-84	NIL	NIL
1984-85	NIL	A2, B2
1985-86	10D	B1, B6
1986-87	NIL	NIL
1987-88	14A, 14C	NIL
1988-89	NIL	NIL
1989-90	NIL	NIL
1990-91	NIL	NIL
1991-92	14C, 12C	NIL
1992-93	NIL	NIL
1993-94	16A	B3
1994-95	14B, 12D, 10C	NIL
1995-96	16C, 12C, 10D	NIL
1996-97	NIL	NIL
1997-98	NIL	NIL
1998-99	10E, 10C	C1
1999-00	16C, 14A, 12E	A1, B2
2000-01	14D, 10A	A1,
2001-02	16A, 14E	NIL
2002-03	16A, 12A, 10B	NIL

NOTE: Senior Club was established in the season of 1967-68

SSJCA CRICKETER OF THE YEAR
“JOHN WOODHOUSE MEMORIAL TROPHY”

1964-65	BARRY McMANUS jnr	1993-94	CHRIS LAKE
1985-86	CRAIG PARSONS	2000-01	RYAN SHEPERD
1988-89	NATHAN MORANDO		

PREVIOUS MAJOR AWARD WINNERS

JUNIOR DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE RAY NOAKES TROPHY

1996/97 Ben Cutler 12B	1997/98 Ryan Shepherd 12A	1998/99 Michael Lavallee 12A
1999/00 Dylan Beardow 12C	2000/01 Chris Reeves 12B	2001/02 Andrew Jones 12A

JUNIOR DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE COL KEENAN TROPHY

1996/97 Sanjay Patel 12C	1997/98 Mitchell Durie 12A	1998/99 Cameron Turner 12A
1999/00 Chris McMahon 12C	2000/01 Daniel Ward 10A	2001/02 Sam Newman 10A

JUNIOR DIVISION WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE MIKE FORDYCE TROPHY

1996/97 Brett Bullock 12C	1997/98 Jarryd Ward 10A	1998/99 Chris Moreland 12A
1999/00 Jarryd Ward 12A	2000/01 Jason Raper 12E	2001/02 Bryce Alewood 10A

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE RUSS WADDELL TROPHY

1996/97 Lee Bailey 16B	1997/98 Chris Pendergast 14A	1998/99 Kaine Johnson 16C
1999/00 Ryan Shepherd 14A	2000/01 Ryan Shepherd 16A	2001/02 Ryan Shepherd 16A

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE ALF LEMMON TROPHY

1996/97 Darren Baxter 14C	1997/98 Kaine Johnson 16D	1998/99 Chris Nelson 14C
1999/00 Brett Martin 16C	2000/01 Brett Martin 16A	2001/02 Daniel Boyle 16D

INTERMEDIATE WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE CLEM HEFFERNAN TROPHY

1996/97 Brad Collins 16B	1997/98 Andrew Hine 16A	1998/99 Andrew Hine 16A
1999/00 Mark Mitchell 16C	2000/01 Stuart Dibb 14A	2001/02 Ben Jamieson 14A

SENIOR DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

EDCC TROPHY

2001/02 Peter O'Reilly C1

SENIOR DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE JOHN CARLISLE TROPHY

2001/02 Matthew Carroll B6

SENIOR DIVISION WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD

EDCC TROPHY

1998/99 Brad Collins B4	1999/00 Jim Collins B7	2000/01 Mark Mitchell B7
2001/02 Colin Berry A3		

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET

THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY

1996/97 Michael Ralston B6	1997/98 Lee Bailey B5	1998/99 Tim Cutler B4
1999/00 Andrew Hine B2	2000/01 Mitchell Thompson A1	2001/02 Jay Davis A3

MOST IMPROVED TEAM

THE BOB VANNAN TROPHY

1996/97 Bob & Darren Price 12B	1997/98 Peter Ward & Ian Ward 12B
1998/99 Dennis Pendergast & Harry Robbins 16A	1999/00 Steve Routh & Steve Daniels 16A
2000/01 Brett Johnson & Steve Routh 16A	2001/02 Rob Lowe & Roger McNee 14E

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

THE KEN TEVER TROPHY

1996/97 Darren Baxter 14C	1997/98 Jess Correy 10A	1998/99 Ian Mitchell 14E
1999/00 Matthew Hoff 10D	2000/01 Daniel Boyle 14D	2001/02 Ryan Marlow 10A

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

THE BOB PRICE SHIELD

1998/99 Chris McMahon 10C	1999/00 Ryan Woodley 12C	2000/01 Alex Sambuco 12E
2001/02 Jeffrey Walsh 12D		

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

THE GREG HEFFERNAN TROPHY

1998/99 Alan Wood 12A	1999/00 Stuart Brandman 14A	2000/01 Andrew Jones 10A
2001/02 Stuart Brandman 16A		

EDCC BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

2001/02 Bryce Daenell 12A & Andrew Jones 12A

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

THE VAL TEVER TROPHY

1996/97 Laurie Daly	1997/98 Ian Latham	1998/99 Steve Daniels
1999/00 Harry Robbins	2000/01 Brad Moreland	2001/02 Stuart Slack & Neil Jamieson

JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION

(Junior & Intermediate Divisions)

THE BARRY McMANUS TROPHY

1998/99 Michael Lavallee 12A	1999/00 Ryan Shepherd 14A	2000/01 Ryan Shepherd 16A
2001/02 Ryan Shepherd 16A		

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION

THE HARRY ROBBINS TROPHY

1996/97 Paul Waddell B6	1997/98 Marcus Loxley B5	1998/99 Beau Knowles C1
1999/00 Andrew Hine B2	2000/01 Will Wooster B5	2001/02 Greg Goodman A1

2002/2003 SEASON JUNIOR COMPETITION DETAILS**SSJCA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP POINT SCORE**

	<u>CLUB</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
1.	CARINGBAH SPORTS	133.09
2	ST JOHN BOSCO	132.00
3.	ENGADINE	130.50
4.	COMO JANNALI	130.30
5.	ILLAWONG MENAI	129.79
6.	ST PATRICKS	116.78
7.	AQUINAS COLLEGE	103.63
8.	MIRANDA MAGPIES	98.71
9.	GYMEA BAY	97.63
10.	DLS SEAGULLS	91.43
11.	SYLVANIA	90.50
12.	BOSCO/DRAGONS	61.33
13.	LOFTUS	52.33

SSJCA COMPETITION POINTS SCORE

10A GRADE		10B GRADE		10C GRADE			
ST JOHN BOSCO	40	ENGADINE	48	ST JOHN BOSCO	40		
ST PATRICKS	40	CARINGBAH 1	48	ENGADINE	36		
ILLAWONG MENAI	40	COMO JANNALI	40	AQUINAS	36		
GYMEA BAY	28	AQUINAS	32	CARINGBAH	32		
DLS SEAGULLS	24	ST PATRICKS	24	ILLAWONG MENAI	24		
SYLVANIA	20	ILLAWONG MENAI	22	MIRANDA	24		
		GYMEA BAY	20				
		CARINGBAH 2	20				
12A GRADE		12B GRADE		12C GRADE		12D GRADE	
ILLAWONG MENAI	51	ILLAWONG MENAI	44	SYLVANIA	48	CARINGBAH	55
ENGADINE	44	ST PATRICKS	44	COMO JANNALI	42	LOFTUS	44
CARINGBAH	40	AQUINAS	39	CARINGBAH	39	GYMEA BAY	38
GYMEA BAY	24	ENGADINE	32	ILLAWONG MENAI	36	COMO JANNALI	36
COMO JANNALI	21	MIRANDA	20	ST JOHN BOSCO	34	AQUINAS	28
DLS SEAGULLS	14	CARINGBAH	15	GYMEA BAY	24	DLS SEAGULLS	27
				LOFTUS	23	ENGADINE	16
				ST PATRICKS	11	ILLAWONG MENAI	12
14A GRADE		14B GRADE		14C GRADE		14D GRADE	
ILLAWONG MENAI	47	MIRANDA	44	MIRANDA	36	MIRANDA	48
CARINGBAH	43	ILLAWONG MENAI	39	SYLVANIA	35	ST PATRICKS	48
COMO JANNALI	40	ENGADINE	39	ST PATRICKS	34	SYLVANIA	39
ST JOHN BOSCO	31	CARINGBAH	32	AQUINAS	32	COMO JANNALI	36
DLS SEAGULLS	19	AQUINAS	31	ILLAWONG MENAI	31	GYMEA BAY	35
SYLVANIA	16	COMO JANNALI	27	BOSCO DRAGONS	12	DLS SEAGULLS	26
						ILLAWONG MENAI	19
						ENGADINE	11
16A GRADE		16B GRADE		16C GRADE			
ENGADINE	40	ST PATRICKS	56	GYMEA	57		
COMO JANNALI	40	ENGADINE	46	COMO JANNALI	53		
CARINGBAH	39	AQUINAS 1	42	MIRANDA	45		
DLS SEAGULLS	32	BOSCO DRAGONS	37	ENGADINE	29		
ILLAWONG MENAI	24	AQUINAS 2	31	ST PATRICKS	27		
MIRANDA	16	ILLAWONG MENAI	21	ILLAWONG MENAI	26		
				CARINGBAH	20		

SSJCA FINALS RESULTS

GRADE	PREMIERS	SCORE	V	RUNNERS UP	SCORE
16A	ENGADINE*	3-115		COMO-JANNALI	10-108
16B	ST PATRICKS*	10-98		ENGADINE	10-53
16C	COMO-JANNALI	10-161		GYMEA BAY*	10-83
14A	ILLAWONG-MENAI*	10-132		CARINGBAH	10-130
14B	MIRANDA*	9-130		ILLAWONG-MENAI	10-62
14C	MIRANDA*	10-110		SYLVANIA HEIGHTS	10-78
14D	ST PATRICKS	10-153		MIRANDA*	10-117
12A	ENGADINE	10-137		ILLAWONG-MENAI*	10-116
12B	ILLAWONG-MENAI*	5-78		ST PATRICKS	10-73
12C	SYLVANIA*	10-99		COMO-JANNALI	10-67
12D	CARINGBAH*	8-82		LOFTUS	10-75
10A	ST JOHN BOSCO*	4-131		ST PATRICKS	7-124
10B	ENGADINE*	7-100		CARINGBAH	10-38
10C	ST JOHN BOSCO				
8A	COMO JANNALI				

NOTE: * Denotes Minor Premiers. 10C & 8A Competitions are first past the post and have no Finals.

FINAL'S SCOREBOARD

10B ENGADINE vs CARINGBAH SPORTS

PLAYED AT SUTHERLAND NO.2 OVAL (08-03-03)

ENGADINE*	7 for 100	Defeated	CARINGBAH SPORTS	10 for 38	
M. CHRISTISON	caught b Arthur	18	J. CHAHOUD	b W. Lawson	1
H. SMITH	run out	23	J. GRINSELL	b W. Lawson	2
M. LAUNT	b Stelzer	1	A. HENDERSON	run out	1
K. ROLLESTON	run out	4	J. GLADMAN	c Christison b Launt	3
N. LODER	run out	9	T. STOTT	lbw Rolleston	1
W. LAWSON	caught b Grinsell	7	D. BRYANT	c A. Lawson b Launt	0
L. HERNE	not out	15	N. STELZER	c W. Lawson b H. Smith	6
LAWSON	run out	0	M. CROWLEY	run out	4
			R. ARTHUR	stumped b Rolleston	0
			T. BOSWELL	b Herne	4
			B. CHAHOUD	not out	1
Extras: (2b 0lb 17w 4nb)		23	Extras: (3b 0lb 8w 3nb)		15
Seven wickets for:		100	Ten wickets for:		38
Fall: 32, 33, 42, 58, 70, 100, 100			Fall: 6, 9, 12, 19, 19, 20, 29, 30, 36, 38		
Bowling: Stelzer 4-0-1-13, Arthur 4-0-1-22,			W. Lawson 4-0-2-12, L. Herne 5-2-1-3, Launt 4-2-2-4,		
Boswell 4-0-0-9, Gladman 4-0-0-9, J. Chahoud 4-0-0-11			Rolleston 6-1-2-8, Smith 3-0-1-7		
Grinsell 4-1-1-8, Crowley 3-1-0-6, B. Chahoud 2-0-0-4,					
Lang 1-0-0-3, Stott 2-0-0-3, Bryant 2-0-0-5,					
Henderson 1-0-0-5					
Overs: 35			Overs: 21		

12A ENGADINE vs ILLAWONG-MENAI

PLAYED AT ANZAC NO.1 OVAL ON MARCH 8, 2003

ENGADINE*	10 for 137	Defeated	ILLAWONG-MENAI	10 for 116	
A. JONES	caught b Sharkey	34	D. DULE	c Woodley b Herne	4
B. LATHAM	lbw Aggett	24	T. AGGETT	run out Latham	16
B. DAENELL	caught b Woellner	1	J. FRESHWATER	c Marciante b Herne	0
B. MARCIANTE	run out	9	M. SHARKEY	b Heard	25
B. WOODLEY	caught b Sharma	0	E. SCHNYDER	b Ward	16
D. WARD	run out	35	R. BOBYK	b Hoff	25
A. HERNE	c & b Sharkey	5	L. HOOPER	st Daenell b Heard	0
C. HEARD	b Nash	1	L. SWYER	lbw Ward	0
M. RICE	not out	11	D. NASH	c Daenell b Jones	4
D. SMITH	caught b Schnyder	0	B. WELLS	not out	8
M. HOFF	b Sharma	0	A. SHARMA	b Jones	0
Extras: (2b 1lb 7w 7nb)		17	Extras: (1b 0lb 9w 8nb)		18
Ten wickets for:		137	Ten wickets for:		116
Fall: 52, 57, 69, 70, 79, 102, 109, 135, 135, 137			Fall: 19, 19, 34, 73, 73, 74, 75, 105, 111, 116		
Bowling: Schnyder 7-1-1-35, D. Dule 4-1-0-9,			Bowling: Ward 8-1-2-20, Heard 8-3-2-8, Herne		
Aggett 6-1-1-19, Woellner 5-0-1-19, Sharkey			7-1-2-19, Hoff 7-0-1-18, Newman 8-0-0-27,		
10-2-2-20, Sharma 6-0-0-15, Wells 4-0-0-11,			Marciante 2-0-0-11, Jones 5-1-2-12.		
Nash 4-0-0-6.					
Batting time: 160 min. Overs: 46			Batting time: 170 min. Overs: 45		
NOTE: * Denotes team batting first					

16B ENGADINE vs ST PATRICKS

PLAYED AT HEATHCOTE NO.1 OVAL (08-03-03)

ENGADINE	10 for 53	Lost to	ST PATRICKS*	10 for 98	
C. JACKSON	b Cullen	0	M. RYAN	c Hyde b Lumsden	17
B. JUDGE	caught b Cullen	7	M. CULLEN	c Jones b Bryan	2
N. BULLOCK	b Cullen	9	M. CHESCHER	b Russell	6
M. RYAN	b Platt	1	M. SHAPTER	c Bullock b Lumsden	0
M. SAMBUCO	b Annesley	6	L. ANNESLEY	b Lumsden	8
T. GREENWAY	b Shapter	9	S. CORRY	c Ryan b Lumsden	3
S. LUMSDEN	run out	4	J. SIMPSON	c Jackson b Lumsden	4
T. RUSSELL	b Cullen	3	C. WARD	not out	18
A. HYDE	lbw Ward	4	A. SHEA	lbw Hyde	4
T. JONES	b Cullen	0	S. BATEMAN	b Sambuco	0
D. GRIFFITH	not out	0	S. BRAILEY	c Bullock b Jones	8
Extras: (0b 0lb 7w 3nb)		10	Extras: (8b 2lb 10w 7nb)		28
Ten wickets for:		53	Ten wickets for:		98
Fall: 0, 7, 9, 32, 41, 46, 46, 53, 53, 53			Fall: 5, 38, 38, 38, 46, 56, 57, 64, 70, 98		
Bowling: Cullen 10-3-5-14, Platt 6-3-1-7,			Bowling: Bryan 6-2-1-4, Jackson 8-1-0-17, Griffith 3-0-0-8,		
Shapter 6-2-1-6, Annesley 5-0-1-20, Ward 5.1-1-1-6.			Russell 8-4-1-8, Lumsden 12-6-5-16, Jones 7.2-2-1-13,		
			Hyde 9-3-1-17, Sambuco 4-1-1-5.		
Batting time: 120 min. Overs: 32			Batting time: 207 min. Overs: 57.2		

16A ENGADINE vs COMO-JANNALI
PLAYED AT JANNALI OVAL (08-03-03)

ENGADINE	3 for 115	Defeated	COMO-JANNALI*	10 for 108
S. DIBB	c Browne b Zywiets	15	S. WITTINGSLOW	b Gardner 0
T. WARD	lbw Zywiets	10	J. ZYWIETZ	c Dibb b Davis 24
J. DAVIS	c Harris b Davis	18	B. HARWIN	c Gardner b Maloney 3
M. LAVALLEE	not out	37	S. PICKERING	c Moreland b Bills 49
C. TURNER	not out	11	C. WILLIAMS	b Davis 0
			D. HARRIS	lbw Gardner 7
			M. MALONE	run out Maloney 0
			A. HUNNISETTE	b Davis 2
			M. HOLT	lbw Davis 0
			C. WHIPP	not out 5
			R. FIELDING	b Davis 6
Extras: (0b 7lb 13w 3nb)		23	Extras: (5b 1lb 5w 1nb)	12
Three wickets for:		114	Ten wickets for:	108
Fall: 17, 56, 62			Fall: 3, 8, 78, 78, 79, 87, 92, 94, 99, 108	
Bowling: Harris 3-0-0-9, Browne 7-3-0-18			Bowling: Gardner 9-1-2-20, Maloney 5-2-1-6,	
Zywiets 11-4-2-12, Williams 3-1-0-6, Whipp 4-2-0-5,			Logan 3-1-0-13, Ward 3-0-0-20, Turner 2-0-0-6,	
Harwin 8-2-1-17, Holt 4-0-0-12, Malone 3-0-0-14,			Davis 10-1-5-25, Bills 5-1-1-12	
Fielding 2-0-0-6, Pickering 1-0-0-8				
Batting time: 147 mins Overs: 46			Batting Time: 143 Overs: 37	

NOTE: * Denotes team batting first

PLAYER OF THE FINAL
MATCH BALL

10B TEAM:	HAYDEN SMITH (23 & 1 for 7)
12A TEAM:	DANIEL WARD (35 & 2 for 20)
16A TEAM:	MICHAEL LAVALLEE (37 n/o)
16B TEAM:	STEWART LUMSDEN (5 for 16)

BELIEVE IT OR NOT!

The 2002-2003 season produced a record that I'm sure will never be broken. For the first time in the Club's forty-four year history we had two sets of father and three daughters all playing for the Club. I'm sure this record will never be equalled by any other cricket club in Australia.

Congratulations to: -

Tom (B3), Rebecca (14D), Katherine (14D) & Eleanor (10C) Morrison

Alan (B9), Alex (14D), Caryn-Lee (14D) & Kelly (10B) Rolleston

"TRIBUTE"

The EDCC takes this opportunity to express appreciation of the contribution that the **ENGADINE RSL AND CITIZENS' CLUB** has made to the conduct of our cricket program over the past five seasons. Their financial generosity has been instrumental in permitting us to upgrade equipment and acquire specialised training aids.

INDIVIDUAL AWARD WINNERS
JUNIOR AND INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS

10B TEAM		14C BOSCO DRAGOND TEAM	
BATSMAN	Nathan Loder	BATSMAN	Joshua Piper*
BOWLER	Liam Herne	BOWLER	Michael Roddan*
CONSISTENT	Will Lawson	CONSISTENT	Colin Kidd
TEAM PLAYER	Kelly Rolleston	FIELDING	Ben Holt
		ALL ROUNDER	Joshua Piper*
10C TEAM		14D TEAM	
BATSMAN	Blake Duncum	BATSMAN	Amy Watson
BOWLER	Tiaan Walkington	BOWLER	Kate Heath
TEAM PLAYER	Mark Kidd	FIELDING	Caryn Rolleston
MOST IMPROVED	Jules Stras	MOST IMPROVED	Katrina Griffin
12A TEAM		16A TEAM	
BATSMAN	Ben Marciante	BATSMAN	Jay Davis
BOWLER	Sam Newman	BOWLER	James Gardner
CONSISTENT	Andrew Jones	TEAM PLAYER	Stuart Dibb
FIELDING	Cameron Heard	MOST IMPROVED	James Bills
		ALL ROUNDER	Jay Davis
12B TEAM		16B TEAM	
BATSMAN	Michael Dumbrell	BATSMAN	Tim Greenway
BOWLER	Bryce Alewood	BOWLER	Chris Jackson
TEAM PLAYER	Martin Bryan	TEAM PLAYER	Dean Griffith
MOST IMPROVED	John Watson	TEAM PLAYER	Tim Russell
ALL ROUNDER	Michael Dumbrell	ALL ROUNDER	Stewart Lumsden
		ALL ROUNDER	Matthew Sambuco
12D TEAM		16B BOSCO DRAGONS TEAM	
BATSMAN	Sam Holt	BATSMAN	Omar Samad
BOWLER	Daniel Walsh	BOWLER	Patrick Eades*
TEAM PLAYER	Brad Price	CONSISTENT	James Punshon
MOST IMPROVED	Daniel Tench	TEAM PLAYER	Neer Gandecha
		ALL ROUNDER	Omar Samad
		ALL ROUNDER	Patrick Eades*
		ALL ROUNDER	Robert Dumbrell*
14B TEAM		16C TEAM	
BATSMAN	Chris Reeves	BATSMAN	Andrew Mansell
BOWLER	Greg Ings	BOWLER	David Ince
CONSISTENT	Joshua Christison	TEAM PLAYER	Kenneth Hyde
TEAM PLAYER	Craig Middlemiss	FIELDING	Shaun Ali
ALL ROUNDER	Chris Reeves	ALL ROUNDER	Andrew Mansell

NOTE: * Denotes St John Bosco registered player

TOP PERFORMANCES IN INTRODUCTORY UNDER TEN & MODIFIED UNDER TEN & TWELVE CRICKET

(Based on aggregate & in excess of 50 runs and 7 wickets)

BATTING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>INNINGS</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>
BLAKE DUNCUM	10C	10	7	143	47.67
ANDREW HOFF	10C	11	6	131	26.20
NATHAN LODER	10B	6	4	89	29.67
KELLY ROLLESTON	10B	7	5	81	40.50
MATTHEW LAUNT	10B	7	4	79	26.34
MATTHEW CHRISTISON	10B	8	3	70	14.00
LIAM HERNE	10B	7	4	66	22.00
SAGAR GANDECHA	10C	9	3	64	10.67
WILL LAWSON	10B	5	2	62	20.67
SAM HOLT	12D	9	1	59	7.37
BLAKE FIELD	12D	8	4	53	13.25
DANIEL SHEEHY	12D	9	3	51	8.50

BOWLING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>OVERS</u>	<u>MAIDENS</u>	<u>WKTS</u>	<u>RUNS</u>	<u>E/RATE</u>	<u>AVE</u>
TIAN WALKINGTON	10C	23	1	12	64	2.78	5.34
LIAM HERNE	10B	34	12	11	35	1.03	3.18
MARK KIDD	10C	29	2	10	76	2.62	7.60
KELLY ROLLESTON	10B	34	9	9	35	1.03	3.88
ANDREW HOFF	10C	27	3	9	66	2.44	7.34
DANIEL WALSH	12D	34	4	9	108	3.18	12.00
WILL LAWSON	10B	44	13	8	72	1.63	9.00
HAYDEN SMITH	10B	29	8	7	44	1.51	6.28
MATTHEW LAUNT	10B	41	11	7	54	1.31	7.71
SAGAR GANDECHA	10C	32	4	7	64	2.00	9.14
JULES STRAS	10C	27	2	7	84	3.11	12.00
DEAN ROBINSON	12D	28	1	7	107	3.82	15.29
KATELIN BARLOW	10C	23	0	7	107	4.65	15.29

TOP PERFORMANCES IN JUNIOR DIVISION

(Based on aggregate & in excess of 150 runs and 10 wickets)

BATTING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>INNINGS</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>
BEN MARCIANTE	12A	9	6	479	159.66
ANDREW JONES	12A	10	1	254	28.22
MICHAEL DUMBRELL	12B	8	2	237	39.50
BEN LATHAM	12A	10	0	223	22.30
JOHN WATSON	12B	9	0	188	20.89
BRENT WOODLEY	12A	9	3	187	31.16
BRYCE DAENELL	12A	9	1	178	22.25

BOWLING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>OVERS</u>	<u>MAIDENS</u>	<u>WKTS</u>	<u>RUNS</u>	<u>E/RATE</u>	<u>AVE</u>
SAM NEWMAN	12A	75	12	18	213	2.84	11.83
MICHAEL DUMBRELL	12B	70	16	14	155	2.21	11.07
DANIEL WARD	12A	76	20	14	180	2.37	12.86
CAMERON HEARD	12A	79	14	12	217	2.75	18.08
BRYCE ALEWOOD	12B	48	8	11	121	2.52	11.00

WICKET KEEPING

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATCHES</u>	<u>STUMPINGS</u>	<u>AGGR</u>	<u>BYES</u>	<u>AVE</u>
10B	MATTHEW CHRISTISON	4	-	4	6	1.50
12A	BRYCE DAENELL	4	1	5	64	12.80
12B	SCOTT MIDDLEMISS	1	-	1	7	7.00
12D	ADAM FOX	2	-	2	32	16.00

FIELDING

(Non-keeper)

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATCHES</u>
10B	WILL LAWSON	7
12A	BRYCE DAENELL, CAMERON HEARD, BEN LATHAM & DANIEL WARD	4
12B	MICHAEL DUMBRELL, RYAN MARLOW, SCOTT MIDDLEMISS & JOHN WATSON	4
12D	RHYS GALLAGHER, BRAD PRICE & DANIEL TRENCH	5

TOP PERFORMANCES IN INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

(Based on aggregate & in excess of 150 runs and 15 wickets)

BATTING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>INNINGS</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>	<u>AVE</u>
JAY DAVIS	16A	10	1	525	58.34
CHRIS REEVES	14B	13	1	411	34.25
OMAR SAMAD	16B (B/D)	13	1	296	24.67
PATRICK EADES*	16B (B/D)	15	3	291	24.25
TIM GREENWAY	16B	14	1	286	22.00
JOSHUA CHRISTISON	14B	12	1	266	24.18
ANDREW MANSELL	16C	13	1	265	22.08
JOSHUA PIPER*	14C	13	4	258	28.67
NICHOLAS STEWART*	16B (B/D)	15	3	256	21.34
PAUL BREMNER*	14C	13	1	245	20.42
STEWART LUMSDEN	16B	13	1	240	20.00
ROBERT DUMBRELL*	16B (B/D)	13	2	225	20.45
DAVID INCE	16C	14	0	208	14.86
MICHAEL LAVALLEE	16A	9	1	204	25.50
MATTHEW SAMBUCCO	16B	11	2	203	22.56
MITCHELL RYAN	16B	12	1	175	15.91
BEN JUDGE	16B	13	1	167	13.92
AMY WATSON	14D	16	0	159	9.93
KEN HYDE	16C	14	3	155	14.09
DALE BATES	14C	14	0	153	10.93
BRENNAN JAMES*	14C	11	3	152	19.00
BEN HOLT	14C	15	0	152	10.14

BOWLING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>OVERS</u>	<u>MAIDENS</u>	<u>WKTS</u>	<u>RUNS</u>	<u>E/RATE</u>	<u>AVE</u>
GREG INGS	14B	89.1	19	33	252	2.83	7.64
PATRICK EADES*	16B (B/D)	114	19	29	383	3.36	13.21
CHRIS JACKSON	16B	85	27	21	196	2.30	9.33
TIM RUSSELL	16B	89	23	21	219	2.46	10.43
MATTHEW SAMBUCCO	16B	81	25	20	216	2.67	10.80
MATTHEW BRYAN	16B	65.3	16	19	202	3.09	10.63
JAMES GARDNER	16A	100	29	19	210	2.10	11.05
JAY DAVIS	16A	103	24	18	214	2.08	11.89
ANDREW MANSELL	16C	74	10	18	223	3.01	12.39
DEAN GRIFFITH	16B	55.4	5	15	212	3.82	14.13
STEWART LUMSDEN	16B	62.3	10	15	253	4.06	16.87
JOSHUA PIPER*	14C (B/D)	79	11	15	255	3.23	17.00
OMAR SAMAD	16B (B/D)	75	15	15	261	3.48	17.40
MICHAEL RODDAN*	14C (B/D)	71	3	15	351	4.94	23.40

WICKET KEEPING

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATCHES</u>	<u>STUMPINGS</u>	<u>AGGR</u>	<u>BYES</u>	<u>AVE</u>
14B	CHRIS REEVES	12	-	12	39	3.25
14C (B/D)	BRENNAN JAMES*	6	1	7	83	11.86
14D	KIRBY-ANN MARSH	5	-	5	71	14.2
16A	CHRIS MORELAND	13	-	13	64	4.92
16B	BEN JUDGE	7	1	8	56	7.00
16B (B/D)	ROBERT DUMBRELL*	11	2	13	101	7.77
16C	CAMERON CURTIS	3	-	3	26	8.67

FIELDING (Non-keeper)

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CATCHES</u>
14B	JOSHUA CHRISTISON	5
14C (B/D)	BEN HOLT	11
14D	VICKI MEYER	8
16A	JAY DAVIS & LUKE MALONEY	7
16B	STEWART LUMSDEN & MITCHELL RYAN	7
16B (B/D)	NICHOLAS STEWART*	8
16C	SHAUN ALI	5

NOTE: * Denotes St John Bosco registered player

COSMO LIGHTING PLAYER OF THE ROUND

JUNIOR DIVISION

<u>RND</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>PERFORMANCE</u>
1	BRYCE DAENELL	12A	87 n/o
2	BEN MARCIANTE	12A	74 n/o
3	BEN LATHAM	12A	99
4	RYAN MARLOW	12B	53
5	MATTHEW CHRISTISON	10B	27 n/o & 1 for 7
6	BRYCE ALEWOOD	12B	6 for 19
7	MICHAEL DUMBRELL	12B	57
8	BRENT WOODLEY	12A	52 n/o
9	KELLY ROLLESTON	10B	28 n/o & 3 for 3
10	SAM NEWMAN	12A	3 for 21

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

<u>RND</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>PERFORMANCE</u>
1	NICK STEWART*	16B (B/D)	65
2	GREG INGS	14B	4 for 3 (Hat trick) & 5 for 37
3	MATTHEW SAMBUCCO	16B	7 for 3
4	AMY WATSON	14D	3 for 21
5	PAUL BREMNER*	14C (B/D)	79
6	CHRIS REEVES	14B	102
7	JAY DAVIS	16A	135 n/o
8	BEN HOLT	14C (B/D)	3 for 8
9	JOSHUA CHRISTISON	14B	4 for 9 (Hat trick)
10	MATTHEW BRYAN	16B	5 for 2

"TRIBUTE"

EDCC thanks **COSMO LIGHTING (CARLTON)** for its continuing support of local cricket. It has been a major sponsor of our club for 9 years and its generosity has enabled us to undertake various projects confident in the knowledge that what we were pursuing was financially viable. Cosmo's yearly assistance while not taken for granted is highly valued.

OUTSTANDING PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS

CENTURY MAKERS

JAY DAVIS (16A)	135n/o	v	DLS Seagulls	Round No.7
BEN MARCIANTE (12A)	108n/o	v	Caringbah	Round No.5
CHRIS REEVES (14B)	102	v	Miranda	Round No.6
JAY DAVIS (16A)	101n/o	v	Miranda	Round No.8

HAT TRICKS

GREG INGS (14B)	4 for 3	v	Como-Jannali	Round No.2
JOSHUA CHRISTISON (14B)	4 for 9	v	Caringbah	Round No.9
MATTHEW CHRISTISON (10E)	2001/2002 (APOLIGIES FOR THE MISTAKE MATTHEW)			

FIVE WICKETS OR MORE IN AN INNINGS

MATTHEW SAMBUCCO (16B)	7 for 3	v	Caringbah	Round No.3
ANDREW MANSELL (16C)	6 for 3	v	St Patricks	Round No.6
BRYCE ALEWOOD (12B)	6 for 19	v	Illawong-Menai	Round No.6
MATTHEW BRYAN (16B)	5 for 2	v	Bosco/Dragons	Round No.10
MATTHEW THOMPSON (14B)	5 for 6	v	Aquinas	Round No.10
JAMES PUNSHON (16B) B/D	5 for 9	v	Aquinas 2	Round No.6
TIAAN WALKINGTON (10B)	5 for 10	v	Miranda	Round No.1
GREG INGS (14B)	5 for 11	v	Aquinas	Round No.10
GREG INGS (14B)	5 for 13	v	Aquinas	Round No.5
TIM JONES (16B)	5 for 21	v	Caringbah	Round No.3
PATRICK EADES* (16B) B/D	5 for 30	v	Engadine	Round No.10
GREG INGS (14B)	5 for 33	v	Como-Jannali	Round No.2
MICHAEL RODDAN* (14C) B/D	5 for 41	v	Sylvania	Round No.9

MAJOR AWARD WINNERS
JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR
THE KEN TEVER TROPHY

Winner: Hayden Smith (10B)

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

Winner: Scott Middlemiss (12B)

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

Winner: Ben Holt (14C)

JUNIOR DIVISION

BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE RAY NOAKES TROPHY

Winner: Ben Marciante (12A)

BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE COL KEENAN TROPHY

Winner: Sam Newman (12A)

WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE MIKE FORDYCE TROPHY

Winner: Bryce Daenell (12A)

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE RUSS WADDELL TROPHY

Winner: Jay Davis (16A)

BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE ALF LEMMON TROPHY

Winner: Greg Ings (14B)

WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD
THE CLEM HEFFERNAN TROPHY

Winner: Chris Moreland (16A)

JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION (Junior & Intermediate Divisions)
THE BARRY McMANUS TROPHY

Winner: Jay Davis (16A)

SPECIAL CLUB AWARDS

MOST IMPROVED JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE TEAM

THE BOB VANNAN TROPHY

Winner: 14B Team (Coach: Rob Lowe - Manager: Gordon Scott)

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

THE VAL TEVER TROPHY

Winner: Allan Lofthouse

EDCC BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Winners: Ben Marciante (12A) & Daniel Ward (12A)

CLUB SERVICE AWARDS

5 YEARS: Dean McMillan (12B), Daniel Dwyer (12D), Daniel Walsh (12D), Glenn Caukill (14B), Rowan Scott (14B), Matthew Thompson (14B), Kate Heath (14D), Stewart Lumsden (16B), Mitchell Ryan (16B), Sean Jones (16C), Adam Phillips (A2), Jeremy Vickers (A2), Damien Collins (B3), Michael Green (B3)

10 YEARS: Chris Moreland (16A), Matthew Carroll (B5), Ben Cutler (B5), Ryan McLauchlan (B5), Sanjay Patel (B5), Ian Mitchell (B9), Sunil Patel (B9)

15 YEARS: Stuart Slack (A2), Darren Price (B3) 2000-01, Graham Price (B3) 2000-01, Jason Crimlisk (A1) 2001-02

20 YEARS: Greg Knowles (A1), Ross Stuart (A1), Paul Waddell (B3)

30 YEARS: Greg Heffernan (A1)

EDCC APPRECIATION AWARD: Peter Lavallee & Paul Walsh

(Our apologies to Jason Crimlisk, Darren & Graham Price for the oversight)

NOMINATED FOR CLUB AWARDS

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR “THE KEN TEVER TROPHY”

HAYDEN SMITH (10B), BLAKE DUNCUM (10C), ANDREW HOFF (10C), DEAN ROBINSON (12D), KATRINA GRIFFIN (14D), LEIGHTON WRIGHT (16B), ANDREW MANSELL (16C)

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

WILL LAWSON (10B), ANDREW HOFF (10C), SCOTT MIDDLEMISS (12B), ADAM FOX (12D), JOSHUA CHRISTISON (14B), VICKY MEYER (14D)

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

BLAKE DUNCUM (10C), CAMERON HEARD (12A), JORDAN DUNCAN (12B), RYAN MARLOW (12B), RHYS GALLAGHER (12D), BEN HOLT (14C), VICKY MEYER (14D), JAY DAVIS (16A), TIM RUSSELL (16B), MITCHELL RYAN (16B)

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN’S CRICKET “THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY”

MITCHELL DURIE (B5), CHRIS NELSON (B5), SAM DIXON (B9), IAN MITCHELL (B9), JON ROUT (B9)

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR “THE VAL TEVER TROPHY”

ALLAN LOFTHOUSE, ROB MOWLAM, DENNIS PENDERGAST

INDIVIDUAL TEAM AWARD WINNERS

SENIOR DIVISION

BATSMAN

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>PLAYER</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>
A1	DREW LAKE	370
A2	CHRIS LINLEY	223
B3	JIM BONSER	420
B5	NATHAN ALTERATOR	397
B8	GREG FAUL	360
B9	ALAN ROBERTS	295

BOWLER

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>PLAYER</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>
A1	PAUL CAMERON	30
A2	ADAM PHILLIPS	16
B3	DAMIEN COLLINS	22
B5	CHRIS NELSON	25
B8	WADE HORSNEL	30
B9	PAUL DIXON	25

TOP PERFORMANCES IN SENIOR DIVISION

(Based on aggregate & in excess of 200 runs and 20 wickets)

BATTING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>INNINGS</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>AGGREGATE</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>
JIM BONSER	B3	12	0	420	35.00
WILL WOOSTER	B3	9	1	398	49.75
NATHAN ALTERATOR	B5	1	0	397	36.09
DREW LAKE	A1	11	1	370	37.00
GREG FAUL	B8	13	1	360	30.00
ALAN ROBERTS	B9	8	1	295	42.14
MATTHEW GREEN	B3	12	0	287	23.91
TOD SKEVINGTON	B8	12	1	282	25.60
CHRIS NELSON	B5	13	0	263	20.23
DAMIEN COLLINS	B3	13	2	246	22.36
GREG HEFFERNAN	A1	10	2	231	28.87
CHRIS LINLEY	A2	15	3	223	18.60
PETER O'RIELLY	B8	13	4	220	24.40
MARK MITCHELL	B5	12	2	218	21.80
PAUL CAMERON	A1	11	0	206	18.72
JASON O'RIELLY	B8	13	1	203	16.90

BOWLING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>OVERS</u>	<u>MAIDENS</u>	<u>AGGR</u>	<u>RUNS</u>	<u>AVE</u>
PAUL CAMERON	A1	100	8	30	373	12.43
WADE HORSNEL	B8	110	15	30	392	13.07
PAUL DIXON	B9	105.4	24	25	376	15.04
CHRIS NELSON	B5	104	19	25	385	15.40
ALAN ROBERTS	B9	73.4	19	23	238	10.35
SAM DIXON	B9	112	27	23	409	17.78
DAMIEN COLLINS	B3	100	10	22	374	17.00
PAUL WADDELL	B3	97.1	15	21	322	15.34

WICKET KEEPING

TEAM	NAME	CATCHES	STUMPINGS	AGGR	BYES	AVE
A1	GREG KNOWLES	7	1	8	17	2.12
A2	COLIN BERRY	5	2	7	12	1.71
B3	GRAHAM PRICE	10	1	11	70	6.36
B5	MARK MITCHELL	8	3	11	35	3.18
B8	ED BULLOCK	7	4	11	26	2.36
B9	MATTHEW NEWMAN	12	0	12	43	3.58

TEAM PERFORMANCES

(aggregate/ full match performances)

TEAM	BEST BATSMAN		BEST BOWLER		BEST FIELDSMAN (Catches, non-keeper)	
A1	DREW LAKE	370	PAUL CAMERON	30	PAUL CAMERON	10
A2	CHRIS LINLEY	223	ADAM PHILLIPS	16	JASON RADFORD	5
B3	JIM BONSER	420	DAMIEN COLLINS	22	STUART WHITE	9
B5	NATHAN ALTERATOR	397	CHRIS NELSON	25	SEAN HALL	4
B8	GREG FAUL	360	WADE HORSNEL	30	PETER O'RIELLY	6
B9	ALAN ROBERTS	295	PAUL DIXON	25	PAUL DIXON	10

OUTSTANDING PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**SENIOR DIVISION****CENTURY MAKERS**

NATHAN ALTERATOR (B5)	142	v	Royal Crest	Round No.5
WILL WOOSTER (B3)	115	v	Caringbah Inn	Round No.12
GREG FAUL (B8)	114 n/o	v	Bosco	Round No.14
GREG GOODMAN (A1)	109 n/o	v	Gymea No.2	Round No.3
ALAN ROBERTS (B9)	105 n/o	v	Miranda	Round No.2

SEVEN WICKETS IN A INNINGS

WADE HORSNEL	7 for 25	v	Marton	Final
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MAJOR AWARD WINNERS**SENIOR DIVISION****SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION**

THE HARRY ROBBINS TROPHY

Winner: Paul Cameron (A1)

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET

THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY

Winner: Chris Nelson (B5)

SENIOR BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

EDCC TROPHY

Winner: Jim Bonser (B3)

SENIOR BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE JOHN CARLISLE TROPHY

Winner: Paul Cameron (A1)

SENIOR WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD

EDCC TROPHY

Winner: Matthew Newman (B9)

COSMO LIGHTING SENIOR PLAYER OF THE ROUND

RND	NAME	TEAM	PERFORMANCE
1	JIM BONSER	B3	86
2	AL ROBERTS	B9	105 n/o
3	WADE HORSNEL	B8	40 & 6 for 29
4	WILL WOOSTER	B3	91
5	NATHAN ALTERATOR	B5	142
6	JAY DAVIS	A2	76 n/o
7	KEVIN BRYAN	B9	59
8	TOD SKEVINGTON	B8	74 n/o
9	IAN MITCHELL	B9	4 for 8 & 3 for 12
10	ED BULLOCK	B8	47 n/o
11	PAUL WADDELL	B3	5 for 34
12	MATTHEW GREEN	B3	48
13	GRAHAM PRICE	B3	51 n/o
14	GREG FAUL	B8	114 n/o

2001/02 SEASON SENIOR COMPETITION DETAILS

SSCA COMPETITION POINTS SCORE

(ONLY GRADES IN WHICH EDCC FIELDED TEAMS ARE SHOWN)

A1 GRADE		A2 GRADE		A3 GRADE	
CARINGBAH INN	71	HEATHCOTE	75	SUTHERLAND US CLUB	74
GYMEA BAY NO.1	71	MIRANDA MAGPIES	71	CARINGBAH INN	73
LOFTUS	61	ILLAWONG	70	GYMEA BAY	70
ENGADINE DRAGONS	52	ROYAL CREST	60	COMO-JANNALI	56
GYMEA BAY NO.2	50	GYMEA BAY	58	MIRANDA RANGERS	55
COMO-JANNALI	50	ENGADINE DRAGONS	40	ROYAL CREST	52
SUTHERLAND US CLUB	47	MARTON	38	CRONULLA SEAGULLS	44
B1 GRADE		B2 GRADE		B3 GRADE	
MIRANDA MAGPIES	79	ST JOHN BOSCO	75	MIRANDA MAGPIES	80
COMO-JANNALI	65	ST GEORGE LEAGUES	70	ILLAWONG	80
GWAWLEY OLD BOYS	65	CARINGBAH DLS	69	ST PATRICKS	60
KAREELA GOLF CLUB	60	SUTHERLAND US CLUB	68	CARINGBAH INN	56
HEATHCOTE	50	GYMEA BAY	59	ENGADINE DRAGONS	51
LOFTUS	50	MIRANDA MAGPIES	45	GYMEA BAY	45
GYMEA BAY	45	ST PATRICKS	37	HEATHCOTE	45
B4 GRADE		B5 GRADE		B6 GRADE	
AQUINAS	75	GYMEA BAY	72	GYMEA BAY	78
GYMEA BAY	66	ROYAL CREST	70	HEATHCOTE	71
MARTON	66	ST PATRICKS	69	ST JOHN BOSCO	62
CARINGBAH INN	60	CRONULLA SEAGULLS	66	CARINGBAH SPORTS	61
COMO-JANNALI	55	SUTHERLAND US CLUB	62	ST PATRICKS	59
MIRANDA RSL	43	ENGADINE DRAGONS	53	CRONULLA SEAGULLS	53
MIRANDA MAGPIES	35	ILLAWONG	40	AQUINAS	38
B7 GRADE		B8 GRADE		B9 GRADE	
ILLAWONG	79	MARTON	90	LOFTUS	80
MIRANDA MAGPIES	72	ENGADINE DRAGONS	73	ENGADINE DRAGONS	79
AQUINAS	70	GYMEA BAY	69	ST PATRICKS	69
HEATHCOTE	67	ILLAWONG	62	ST JOHN BOSCO	65
GYMEA BAY	62	HEATHCOTE	46	ILLAWONG	54
COMO-JANNALI	55	ST JOHN BOSCO	45	ROYAL CREST	52
ST PATRICKS	29	MIRANDA MAGPIES	44	MIRANDA MAGPIES	28

SSCA FINAL RESULTS

GRADE	PREMIERS	SCORE	Vs	RUNNERS UP	SCORE
A1	CARINGBAH INN*			GYMEA BAY NO.1	
A2	MIRANDA MAGPIES	9-154		HEATHCOTE*	10-129
A3	SUTHERLAND US CLUB*	8-126		CARINGBAH INN	10-89
B1	MIRANDA MAGPIES*	9-260		COMO-JANNALI	10-132
B2	ST GEORGE LEAGUES	4-109		ST JOHN BOSCO*	10-105
B3	ILLAWONG	6-223		MIRANDA MAGPIES*	10-157
B4	AQUINAS*	7-160		GYMEA BAY	10-159
B5	GYMEA BAY*	9-216		ROYAL CREST	10-178
B6	HEATHCOTE	4-134		GYMEA BAY*	10-131
B7	ILLAWONG*	10-160 & 1-78		MIRANDA MAGPIES	10-98 & 7-135
B8	MARTON*	10-69 & 3-40		ENGADINE DRAGONS	10-63 & 10-42
B9	LOFTUS*	10-227		ENGADINE DRAGONS	10-137

NOTE: * DENOTES MINOR PREMIER

FINAL'S SCOREBOARD

B8 ENGADINE vs MARTON

PLAYED AT SEYMOUR SHAW OVAL (01/03/03 & 02/03/03)

FIRST INNINGS

ENGADINE*	10 for 63	Lost to
G. FAUL	b Wallace	0
R. SALAKIS	caught b Keys	26
G. SCOTT	caught b Wallace	0
J. O'REILLY	b Wallace	3
P. O'REILLY	caught b Wallace	1
C. BEARDOW	caught b Keys	2
T. SKEVINGTON	caught b Keys	4
J. FIESS	b Wallace	14
E. BULLOCK	lbw Keys	0
W. HORSNEL	caught b Selvage	3
M. HEALY	not out	2
Extras (0b 0lb 4w 4nb)		8
Ten wickets for		63

Fall: 0, 0, 11, 22, 35, 36, 42, 42, 45, 63.

Bowling: S. Wallace 9-6-5-8, P. Garvin 5-0-0-22,

C. Selvage 9-1-1-22, M. Keys 6-0-4-11

Batting time: 89 min. Overs: 28

MARTON	10 for 69
A. GALAS	caught b P. O'Reilly 3
S. DELANEY	b Horsnel 0
B. BERRYMAN	lbw Horsnel 5
P. GARVIN	b Horsnel 0
S. WALLACE	not out 23
M. KEYS	lbw Horsnel 2
D. WACKWITZ	b P. O'Reilly 8
D. McCANN	b Horsnell 7
C. SELVAGE	lbw Horsnel 7
M. FARRELLY	b Horsnel 6
D. FARRELLY	b Faul 1
Extras (1b 0lb 2w 4nb)	7
Ten wickets for	69

Fall: 3, 8, 8, 9, 13, 22, 32, 56, 68, 69.

Bowling: W. Horsnel 15-4-7-25, P. O'Reilly 6-1-2-14,

J. Fiess 7-1-0-15, G. Faul 5-0-1-14

Batting time: 96 min. Over: 28

SECOND INNINGS

ENGADINE	10 for 44
G. FAUL	caught b Wallace 3
C. BEARDOW	caught b Keys 1
R. SALAKIS	run out 23
J. O'REILLY	b Keys 1
G. SCOTT	caught b Keys 0
T. SKEVINGTON	caught b Keys 5
P. O'REILLY	caught b Keys 0
J. FIESS	b Keys 1
W. HORSNEL	b Wallace 1
E. BULLOCK	caught b Selvage 2
M. HEALY	not out 1
Extras: (1b 1lb 2w 2nb)	6
Ten wickets for	44

Fall: 4, 4, 18, 23, 29, 30, 37, 37, 42, 44.

Bowling: S. Wallace 10-0-2-20, M. Keys 9-1-6-21,

C. Selvage 1-0-1-1

Batting time: 66 min. Overs: 19

MARTON	3 for 40
A. GALAS	not out 26
S. DELANEY	b P. O'Reilly 5
B. BERRYMAN	lbw P. O'Reilly 0
P. GARVIN	caught b P. O'Reilly 1
S. WALLACE	not out 6

Extras: (0b 0lb 1w 1nb) 2

Three wickets for 40

Fall: 14, 14, 20.

Bowling: W. Horsnel 6-1-0-27, P. O'Reilly 4-1-3-6,

G. Scott 1-0-0-7

Batting time: 47 min. Overs: 11

B9 ENGADINE vs LOFTUS

PLAYED AT SUTHERLAND NO.2 OVAL (01/03/03 & 02/03/03)

ENGADINE	10 for 137	Lost to
K. LING	c M. Newman b Bell	38
P. HASTINGS	b S. Dixon	1
G. RYAN	b Roberts	0
J. ANDERSON	b Mitchell	76
B. LEGGE	c & b Roberts	9
N. OSGOOD	c Bell b Patel	11
B. KEMBER	b Roberts	9
G. McINTYRE	c Ward b S. Dixon	34
M. TIERNEY	c Mitchell b Roberts	1
D. KING	not out	14
S. RYAN	c S. Dixon b Roberts	14
Extras: (5b 3lb 8w 4nb)		20
Ten wickets for		227

Fall: 7, 12, 36, 84, 95, 181, 193, 195, 195, 227.

Bowling: S. Dixon 11-0-2-41, A. Roberts 12-4-3-5-31,

I. Mitchell 12-1-1-47, P. Dixon 11-0-0-47,

H. Bell 7-1-1-29, S. Patel 4-0-1-29

Batting time: 218 min. Overs: 58

LOFTUS*	10 for 227
W. ZIEGLER	b Tierney 53
K. NEWMAN	b King 0
P. DIXON	b Tierney 19
S. PATEL	b Tierney 8
A. ROBERTS	b Tierney 0
M. NEWMAN	b Ryan 25
C. WARD	caught b Ryan 8
I. MITCHELL	b King 2
S. DIXON	b Ryan 0
A. LOFTHOUSE	not out 0
H. BELL	Injured 0
Extras: (8b 6lb 4w 4nb)	22
Ten wickets for	137

Fall: 2, 65, 98, 98, 99, 128, 137, 137, 137, 137.

Bowling: G. Ryan 13-2-4-3-26, D. King 17-8-2-30,

M. Tierney 15-2-4-43, J. Anderson 1-2-0-24

Batting time: 222 min. Overs: 57

NOTE: * Denotes team batting first

PLAYER OF THE FINAL

B8 TEAM: RYAN SALAKIS (26 & 23)
B9 TEAM: BILL ZIEGLER (53)

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JUNIOR TEAM REPORTS

10B TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Nathan Loder
	BOWLER:	Liam Herne
	MOST CONSISTENT:	Will Lawson
	TEAM PLAYER:	Kelly Rolleston

MINOR PREMIERS & PREMIERS

THE TEAM: - Will Lawson (capt), Nathan Loder (v/capt), Matthew Christison, Brydon Daintry, Will Harding, Liam Herne, Matthew Launt, Alex Lawson, Kelly Rolleston, James Sands, Hayden Smith, Rhys Vanderwey, Trent Vanderwey.

Most of these kids had never previously played cricket at the time we assembled at the Engadine clubrooms for a "Meet the coach" night prior to the start of the season. I remember saying to the players that I could see the competitive glint in their eyes and that I was confident they would give a good account of themselves in spite of their lack of experience.

Well, after our pre-season "trial game" at Engadine West Oval, I discovered that I needed to go all the way back to the very beginning with most of these little guys mainly because they hadn't had the opportunity to learn the things I was carrying on about. And, I have to say, starting all over wasn't bad at all as far as I was concerned. In fact, I felt energised by that very prospect.

And so I began a challenging education process. But first I had to modify my own communication skills to the needs of the players and re-visit the very basics of the game itself if I hoped to get anywhere. Then, as time went on, I actually found teaching young kids the nitty-gritty of cricket very rewarding. Imagine going right back to "How to correctly pick up a cricket bat," or "What is line and length bowling and why is it so important?" or "Which is the off-stump and which is the leg-stump?" or "What is a Hector and why do we need to wear one?" or "Where is fine leg?" The discussions around these things were often very amusing.

Just the same there seemed to be a lot I needed to get across, so, every week, I would invite as many of the parents who were available to listen in to our discussions and observe our demonstrations. I figured they might go home and talk about it around the dinner table. I'm not sure if they did, but that was my plan.

Well, somebody must have been listening to somebody because at the end of the third round I could see these guys beginning to evolve into something. Even the modified rules we were obliged to play under requiring rotating batting, limited over bowling and fielding restrictions, didn't seem to hold them back. In fact, it actually propelled certain players into the spotlight who, ordinarily I suspect, may have preferred not to be quite so prominent. But they seemed to enjoy being tossed in the deep end and by Christmas we hadn't lost a game and were looking more and more invincible.

Then came our first game back after the holidays and BANG!! The wheels fell off completely. The team running second on the table unceremoniously flogged us. At the end of the game the players were standing around in stunned silence and I remember saying, "Ah yes, the glorious uncertainties of cricket. I'll tell you what, you blokes, and girl, were still away on holidays. That was a cold bucket of water in the moosh if ever I saw it. You'll have to turn up ready to play from now on you know."

It was a wake-up call for everyone, me especially. I could see I needed to do better. So I asked our manager, Greg Herne and a former cricketer dad Robb Smith, to take a more active role at practice. They both responded by being up at the nets that same evening as keen as can be and did a first rate job.

We eventually reached the Final and, not surprisingly, were up against the team who gave us the hiding just after Christmas. Only this time things were different. This time we were ready for them. And, in spite of having to overcome one or two astonishing incidents bunged on by our opponents, which we won't mention here, Engadine scored a complete and crushing victory over their tormenters.

To single out a handful of players for special mention here would be unfair to the team. If anything it was a victory for co-operative endeavour and a determination by a group of young intelligent kids who came to realise the importance of striving to achieve a specific goal then moving on to the next thing.

I'm proud of all the players. Their on-field accomplishments, their conduct and individual demeanour, their respect for the traditions of the game and their courtesy and friendship towards me on a personal level helped make the 2002-2003 season of cricket one I will always remember with great fondness.

Special "Onya awards" to Greg for his coaching help and for performing that important task of scoring, to Robb our assistant coach and to all our supportive parents. Our combined effort made all the difference.

I do hope you all come back next season. I'll look a real goose if you don't.

Have a great winter of football.

WILL LAWSON: (Captain) We appointed Will the Captain for the whole year and I have to say that this guy is just something really special. He's an inspirational leader with a burning desire to succeed and a competitive streak that makes opponents blink their eyes in disbelief. He is a genuine and positive allrounder who's left-arm inswingers will provide real problems for all batsmen in the years ahead. His attacking attitude with the bat and superb hands and strong throwing arm in the field make Will an exceptional cricket talent.

NATHAN LODER: (V/Captain) The leading run-getter in the team and highly promising young cricketer. He has the ability to win a game on his own at times and shows a keen ambition to succeed. Took over the first-string wicket-keeper's job after Christmas and has shown a commendable grasp of this demanding yet vital fielding discipline. He also bowls medium pace away swingers and maintains good channel consistency. In the field he's secure and courageous especially close to the wicket. Has the potential to rise to the higher levels in the game.

MATTHEW CHRISTISON: One of the best athletes I have ever seen on a cricket field at the junior level. From our very first meeting he has shown a desire to mix it with any opponent and has that ability to pull off something special when it is needed, like the catch he took in the Final. He started out as a wicket keeper but it seemed to me he was more comfortable and more effective in the field. He bats and bowls with great power and strength and likes nothing more than to intimidate an opponent with his fast bowling. Without wishing to put the dreaded Mock on him, I think he has what it takes to become one of the best fast bowlers in the Shire.

BRYDON DAINTRY: This young fella was all at sea with the technicalities of the game at first. He couldn't believe cricket was so complicated. But by the end of the season he had matured to a point where was becoming a very reliable and hard hitting batsman especially down the order a bit when the bowlers were tiring. He took some good catches in the field and was just beginning to get the hang of bowling when the season ended. He has an intelligent nature beneath a very active personality. He'll do much better next season. You wait and see.

LIAM HERNE: One of the most likeable boys in the team. His fresh and cheerful face has an encouraging affect on everyone. But his real talent is on the field where he is evolving into a very good cricketer. He bats with great composure with a developing range of shots. He also bowls with the speed and accuracy usually associated with a much more experienced player. His consistency with the ball was a telling factor throughout the season. He has good hands and a reliable throwing arm and he just loves being involved. He can play under 10's again next season, so watch him go.

WILL HARDING: He's a very likeable boy who can also play under 10's again next season and, even though his first year has been particularly hard for him, he never gave up trying. He took a couple of good gully catches, began to bat well, especially towards the end of the season, and he did everything imaginable to get his bowling action right. I found it hard to convince Rowdy that he will improve with experience and that things will change. I'm sure he'll do much better next time around and will show the benefit of his time with this team.

MATTHEW LAUNT: A very energetic, intelligent and highly promising young allrounder. The only batsman in the Shire this season that I saw play a legitimate on-drive, and he did it several times. He is developing a full range of shots, which is quite out of the ordinary for a guy so young. He was also the only bowler in the team who wanted to set the field to his own bowling, which is also way ahead of the usual. His fielding is as good as anyone, but the thing that sets him apart is that he is able to maintain his intensity right to the end. If ever a boy had a real passion for the game then he's the one. He just loves the sting of a contest and, it seems to me, the tougher things become on the field, the better he plays.

ALEX LAWSON: One of the very big improvers in this team. Alex started out with a rather casual approach to the game but as the season unfolded he suddenly realised that he needed to elevate his self-expectations if he was going to be competitive. From that moment on he was a changed player. He took his practice drills more seriously, he was forever looking to thrust himself into a match, and, best of all, he began to really enjoy what he was doing. This change of attitude saw his batting, bowling and fielding improve dramatically to a point where he found himself considered one of the better players.

KELLY ROLLESTON: If anyone ever said under their breath, "Oh yes, but she's only a girl, what would she know." had better watch out because Kelly will bring you completely undone. She not only matched it with the boys but occasionally outdid them in many respects. She's a genuine allrounder who takes a calm and measured approach to the game. Her consistent line and length medium pace channel bowling is better than anyone in this grade in the Shire and her patient yet purposeful batting is a treat to watch. She also has safe hands and an accurate throwing arm. I do hope she somehow finds a way to continue playing cricket. I know it was a tough year for you Ned being the only girl in the side, but you brought something special to this team and we are all very grateful for having you with us.

HAYDEN SMITH: This little fella can play under 10's for another two seasons, can you believe that? He's already a player of real ability and potential. In fact, I think he's a first class cricket allrounder in the making. He possesses an instinct for the game born, I feel, from the close relationship with his dad, which is good to see. He never shirks the issue and consistently thrusts himself into the game in one way or another. You will hear a lot more about this guy in the years ahead. He bats with the maturity of a veteran, bowls medium pace at consistent line and length and fields as though his life depended on it. But beyond all that, my prediction is that this young bloke will evolve into a champion leg-spinner.

JAMES SANDS: Another boy gracing the field for the first time. James was a little intimidated at first by what appeared to be a truck load of complexities associated with the game, but to his everlasting credit he hung in there and did his utmost to improve. He actually bats quite well especially square on the on-side and has a nicely balanced stance at the crease. As the season unfolded he became more confident and hard edged in the field and did some good things especially in the Final. He bowls fast side-on but finds it hard to maintain the sort of control he would like. However, once he gets it right watch out. He'll be a big improver next season.

TRENT VANDERWEY: This guy is built like a cricketer and made a point of looking the part as a cricketer. His attire was faultless. However he struggled with the disciplines of the game and how demanding its requirements are. However it pleased me enormously to see Trent finally come to terms with what the game expected of him towards the end of the season. Once he reached that point you could see the change in everything he did. The experience and self-confidence he has gained with this team will ensure him a much brighter future.

RHYS VANDERWEY:

Twin brother of Trent, and I'll tell you what, only their mum and dad can tell them apart. Rhys also looked particularly good, and he also struggled with, what seemed to him, as the hard edge of cricket. I honestly believe that Rhys has the potential to become a very good player if he does what he did towards the end of the season, and that is, to take full advantage of every opportunity that came his way. His change of attitude at that point was very noticeable and, to his surprise I think, his ability level rose accordingly. Take note you two guys, you've done the hard yards, you've both got your foot on the till, so don't stop now.

COACH – TONY GLEESON

MANAGER – GREG HERNE



10C TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Blake Duncum
	BOWLER:	Tiaan Walkington
	TEAM PLAYER:	Mark Kidd
	MOST IMPROVED:	Jules Stras

THE TEAM: - Katelin Barlow, Mitchell Cox, Blake Duncum, Sagar Gandechea, Dion Gover, Andrew Hoff, Mark Kidd, Eleanor Morrison, Jules Stras, Tian Walkington.

We started from scratch with very little except keenness and ended up just missing out on being Co-Premiers. With a little more luck and perhaps, my only criticism, better attendance at training, we could have gone all the way.

Here is my assessment of each player but collectively, and, it is a team game and team effort, all did well. In my view everyone seemed to enjoy the season and that is a major aim, but perhaps even more importantly, everyone tried. A coach cannot ask for more.

KATELIN BARLOW: Always full of enthusiasm no matter what it may involve. Whether it be bowling or keeping she just jumps at the chance to do either. With a bit of hard work and a couple of seasons under her belt she'll do well. Katelin has the ability to turn into a good stock bowler. Batting just needs to be tackled with a bit more confidence as the basis of a good defence is there. She does need to try and keep the ball on the ground more. Katelin had a supporters group follow her all season. Well done, keep it up!

MITCHELL COX: Mitchell has the potential to be a handy all-rounder as well as someone who could be nice and steady with both ball and bat. First, Mitchell needs to realize that not every delivery needs to be as fast as Brett Lee. All that's required is line and length. Mitchell is one of the few in the team to possess a nice arm in the field. When batting he is able to play shots around the park but still needs to work on his defence and pick which balls to hit. Good luck Mitchell, I have faith in you!

BLAKE DUNCUM: One thing that Blake is never short of is having something to say. Just loves hitting the ball to the boundary as hard as he can. Especially enjoys playing the pull shot but needs to remember that runs can also be scored on the off side. Blake also can be a useful bowler and at times was unplayable. Blake has to realize that one person cannot cover every fielding position as much as he would love to. His fielding efforts have led me to recommend him for consideration to receive the Club's "Greg Heffernan Fielding Trophy" as well as the "Rookie of the Year", both major awards. Blake, I want to see you playing 16As one day!

SAGAR GANDECHA: Had a fine season with both bat and ball. He manages to bat with the style of Mark Waugh as nothing seems to upset him. He seems to go out there and just enjoy himself and that is a great asset. Sagar should be able to score a lot more runs once he develops a bit of patience and picks the ball to hit. As a tip let me say, Sagar, rolling balls cannot be hit! With the ball in his hand Sagar scalped his share of batters with some very good wickets. Played strong, did well!

DION GOVER: Considering he came into the team after the start of the season Dion fitted in quite well along with having an enjoyable season. Always the first person to put his hand up for keeping which was a good thing for helping my decision-making. Dion has the ability to become a good wicket keeper if he works hard and concentrates on every ball. Batting wise, there were a couple of nice displays during the season but must remember that the more balls that are hit along the ground then the more runs you will get. Dion, good wicketkeepers are hard to find so keep up the good work!

ANDREW HOFF: A good season overall and a player of promise. One of the better fielders with strong running and good returns. Another very useful all rounder and will improve even more with another season or two under his belt. Andrew has a good approach to the game and already shows competence and skills that will permit him to progress to higher levels with experience and more hard work. I am recommending Andrew for the "Rookie of the Year" and the "Bob Price Encouragement Shield" both major club awards. Andrew, I'll be keeping an eye on you!

MARK KIDD: A good first season and can only improve with time and effort. Mark did everything that could be asked of him and even played on occasions when not 100% fit. Full marks for commitment and team loyalty. Mark has his elder brother to help him practice his skills and I am sure that in another season or two he will be more than useful as a good team allrounder. Keep up the good work Mark, you have started well!

ELLIE MORRISON: At times the opposition batters were in a daze while Ellie had the ball on a string but the consistency was missing. That should change once Ellie learns to get the bowling arm coming over nice and straight. Ellie just needs to believe in herself. With this, improvement will come through and so will confidence and results will follow. Keep up the good start, Ellie.

JULES STAS: No matter what the occasion presented it was always attacked with 100% commitment. Jules was willing to put a high price on his wicket while batting with great determination. He has the basis of a good defence but needs to remind himself that the ball won't hurt him. This will free him up and enable Jules to play forward thus increasing his scoring shots. All it takes is a bit of confidence and he will improve in all aspects of his game. An "A" for effort.

TIANN WALKINGTON: The team clown. Always happy, always keen to do anything to help. A good team player. Needs to work harder at practice, which will help him, overcome his nervousness when taking a catch and when batting. Full marks for trying and giving 100%. My advice to you Tiaan is hang in as you obviously enjoy the game. Well done!

My special thanks to Lynne Walkington for managing and to Brien Cox and Ross Duncum for taking the team when I couldn't make it. Also my thanks to all the parents for their help, enthusiasm and support. Upon reflection it was a good year and I hope all players persevere and go on to enjoy the game in the years ahead.

COACH – PAUL WADDELL

MANAGER – LYNNE WALKINGTON

12A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -

BATSMAN:

Ben Marciante

BOWLER:

Sam Newman

MOST CONSISTENT:

Andrew Jones

FIELDING:

Cameron Heard

PREMIERS

THE TEAM: - Daniel Ward (capt), Andrew Jones (v/capt), Bryce Daenell, Cameron Heard, Andrew Herne, Matthew Hoff, Ben Latham, Ben Marciante, Sam Newman, Mark Rice, Dean Smith, Brent Woodley.

*Any resemblance as to the length of this yearly report compared to Wisden's cricketer's almanac is purely accidental but not unintentional.
Pendo.*

Exactly twelve months ago our then president, Russ Waddell speaking on presentation night introduced a very young U/12A team to the podium. Russ knew only too well that the majority of the lads were only first year twelve's. His concluding sentence was, "this was a tough year but you watch them go next one". Go we did, all the way to the final, a final that produced exactly the same result from the corresponding season two year previous (as older 10A's) a fantastic win over the same minor premiers, Illawong. Russ was certainly not the only one predicting an excellent year; there were a few others also quietly confident.

The Season.

Knocking over our old foe Illawong in round 1 set the pace for us with three "easier" games to follow (again a few teams with young twelve's). At the completion of round 4 our batsmen had amassed 845 runs for only 26 dismissals! Rounds 5 and 6 saw our only defeats of the season to Sports and Illawong. To say that both had the bulk share of lady luck would be stressing the obvious. Both sides won the toss (actually in all four rounds). Sports batted first on a surface that resembled glass not grass and their 222 was almost expected. Our time to bat saw the rare sight of green grass in the outfield and even Ben Marciante's fighting not out century wasn't enough to carry the day. Sent in against Illawong saw two run outs from the top order. Firstly Andrew Jones after a brilliant 48 whilst in complete command and secondly Brent Woodley, without facing a ball. Our 153 was always 20 runs short for this grade and opposition. Our spinners accepting the challenge gave them an almighty scare, with our old foe passing our total in the 49th over. Sam Newman and Cameron Heard picking up 5 wickets between them.

Our lead up to the finals was certainly character building. Our game against the struggling D.L.S./Seagulls saw easily their best performance, scoring 155. In the run chase we fell over the line with victory coming in the 48th over. This was, I feel the turning point of the season, totally eliminating any complacency that may have developed. Round 10 saw us reverse the result against Sports from round 5. Played in difficult conditions for both sides and with an official umpire who wrongly requested the coach on field with the batting side. Our skipper Daniel and his deputy Andrew led from the front, their bowling changes and fielding positions were just right. Our 131 in high grass was never in doubt. Sports batting in the same high grass capitulated, all out 58. This last round against Sports saw both teams on level points and the winner advancing to the final against the minor premiers, Illawong. What a time for us to peak.

The Final.

Reminiscent of two years ago! Same opposition, same result! Winning the toss and obviously having first knock, Andrew Jones and Ben Latham continued to do what they have been doing all year, score runs. In the 12th over we had 52 on the board before the loss of our first wicket. Bryce, Ben M and Brent fell cheaply opening the door for Daniel to play a truly captains innings before being run out trying to lift the scoring rate in the 44th over. Andrew H and Cameron put on a few; Mark scored only one of the six boundaries in both innings (5 for us). Deano and Hoffy did their best, all out in the 46th for 137, leaving Bubbles carrying his bat. Andrew Jones 34, Ben Latham 24, Daniel Ward 35 and Mark Rice 11*.

Our major decision was to bowl Cameron as a spinner, medium pacer, or a mixture of both. We gambled and settled for the latter. The first wicket fell in the 11th over to Andrew Herne and if one wasn't enough, he settled for a second three balls later. The very next over saw their opener run out from a direct hit from Ben Latham at backward point, an absolute blinder that lifted the whole team. Illawong then settled well, and the drink's break could not have come quick enough for us to review our options. Daniel (our big quick) and Cameron one of our two specialist spinners to resume immediately. We know that a break often brings a wicket to which I added, if one falls it so often brings another after a good partnership. Not even the most bias Dragon supporter would have dreamed of the fairytale about to unfold! Illawong 3-73 at drinks from 25 overs came and went as follows: -

26th Cameron: Their top "gun" bat bowled. Always knew he couldn't play spin! **4-73.**

27th Daniel: Flattens all three stumps, their second "gun" gone. **5-73.**

28th Cameron: A brilliant stumping from Bryce, no idea. **6-74.**

29th Daniel: Another thunderbolt "umps" finger up L.B.W. **7-75.**

Four wickets in 24 balls! Who said cricket's a funny game? There followed good resistance until 8-105. Matty Hoff hitting the sticks to remove there last hope and equal top scorer with 25. As one would well imagine the noise was deafening on and off the field (certainly half the spectators anyway). Jonesy, if not happy with his 34 runs cleans up the tail, 2-12 off 5 overs. All over red rover. Us 137, them 116. You beauty! A toss up between Daniel and Andrew to pocket the match ball (funny enough, I have actually seen a ball cut in half to please both percipients) I'm sure Bill Knowles wouldn't mind one less in his final count.

Our loyal supporters.

Wonderful backup again from all parents. I could not have asked for anything more. The present received will make great reading while the inscribed pewter mug has already been put to good use. Again special mention to Ian Latham, Steve Jones, Peter Ward, Harry Robbins and Stuart Slack. I award the muscle man vote of the year to Ian. His expertise in man handling the bowling machine week to week from van to nets was remarkable. Steve, once again thanks for managing, scoring and encouragement all season. None was more obvious than the final as the lads were resuming their last session of play, "this is the most important 25 overs of the season for you boys, this is what you have played for all season, come on you Dragons", sure did work Steve. Peter was always there to share the scoring duties or anything asked of him. Harry the likeable old warhorse of the club was always at the nets to encourage all and sundry with his vast knowledge. Good one H. Thanks also to Stuart Slack who attended the last few training sessions to help with drills and advice for the final two matches. Lastly to my job for allowing me to attend training occasionally in the "big red truck". Still a source of novelty for some. Brent never failing to comment "put on the siren". Perhaps again next year Woody!

The Boys.

It's my pleasure to have been associated with this fine team of boys for three successive years. It has been most rewarding for me not only to witness your individual cricket talent develop, but as importantly your appreciation and understanding development towards this great game. Obviously winning the competition was a great bonus for the team but I can assure everyone this didn't come by accident. Your dedication to training where skills are honed and taken into the middle was a credit to you all. Your behaviour at all times was a tribute to all of you. Parents also take a bow.

With the “no coaching” policy stipulated from the U/14’s my objective was to allow Daniel and Andrew to make their own decisions for next season. This they did and did with flair, especially in the last three games. Daniel’s captaincy in the final where coaches were off field was extemporaneous and played a big factor in steering us to victory. I was never so proud as in this final to see, and certainly hear the enthusiasm and motivation from the team as a whole compared to our opposition. Again something that has been built and developed with you lads. Congratulations again boys, a fabulous effort.

Boys who remain in the U/12’s next season.

SAM NEWMAN: One of our two left arm wrist (chinaman) spin bowlers, “Sammy” had a wow of a season. Whipping down 75 overs for the great return of 18 wickets at 11.83. The highest return and best average for the team. One wonders what he will do next season? Sam became an outfield specialist, quick to the ball and processing a good long throw. He took 3 catches; his first against Illawong was a blinder, diving full forward, and full stretch at fly slip. A great character having too many one-liners to print. Represented Sutherland in the Creak Shield.

MARK RICE: “Bubbles” like his fellow rep mate Sam, proved to be another well above average fieldsman. I will remember a skimming return to the keeper to affect a mid pitch run out. Mark batted 7 times and possibly kept his best for last in the final scoring 11* when runs were badly needed. Who will forget his four over fine leg when the going was tough. Bowled 22 overs claiming 4 wickets at 15. Shows very good promise as an off-spinner to add to his batting skills. Good one bubbles. Another Creak Shield player.

Boys promoted to the U/14’s next season.

DANIEL WARD: Daniel “our big quick” or “Chucky” (never did ask Jonesy where he got that) captained with imagination all season. His quick deliveries rewarded him with 14 scalps at 12.86 plus another two in the final. He took 4 catches and scored 80 runs for the season. His 35 in the final was truly a captains knock, played under extreme pressure. Well done skipper, look forward to next spring. Daniel also captained the Cawsey Shield team for Sutherland.

ANDREW JONES: Jonesy and Ben Latham formed an opening pair that provided the rock for our strong batting line up. A Mr. reliable, Andrew oddly never passed 50 but ran good scores of 30,47,48,19,42*, 39, 22 and 34 in the final. 288 runs at 28.8. Add to this 6 wickets (two of these in the final) and 1 catch. Andrew reads the game well, has a real cricket brain and will go far in the game. Another Cawsey Shield representative, Andrew capped off the season by making the combined Mackillop primary school team. Put your feet up mate.

BRYCE DAENELL: Our No.3 bat all season, Bryce had an odd year. He went off like a cracker in round 1 with a sensational 87* then scored 26 from the next 6 knocks followed by 52 and 13 (an unselfish and aggressive knock in very high grass) in the final rounds. His 87* was a real treat for me. Given a bit of lip from someone who should have known better from Illawong when coming to the wicket, he let his bat do the talking. He peeled off 12 fours in an outstanding innings. “He who laughs last”, one had to be there. Shared the keeping duties with Brent and kept all match in the final. A final that brought out the best in him. Allowing only one bye, brought off a beautiful stumping, leg sides catch and kept brilliantly to help swing the game. A chief motivator in the final. Another Cawsey Shield player.

CAMERON HEARD: Cammie didn’t get many chances with the bat, 44 from 4 innings, but his other attributes are sensational. Our other left arm wrist spinner. Harry Robins and I agree that we have never seen a lad of his age accurately spin a ball so far. The 12 wickets (plus 2-8 in the final) tells nothing of his ability. Umpiring at the bowler’s end I found it comical to watch batsmen poke and prod and generally look foolish in trying to pick is spin. He beat the bat too many times to pick up a swag of wickets. The strongest arm in the side his flat throw caused more than a few run outs. Super stuff Cammie.

ANDREW HERNE: One of the spearheads of our bowling attack, Andy is regarded as a bowler whom our team expects the maximum 8 overs. A hard-hitting middle order batsman who only managed 5 innings, two of which were not out. He put together a nice 26 when given an opportunity up the order. From his 56 overs 22 were maidens, does this say something? He picked up 8 wickets at 15, also took 3 catches, good stats. Andy captained the President’s eleven this past season. A tribute to Hearneys toughness was during the final. He copped a nasty blow from a beamer on the fingers whilst batting. He was in obvious pain in releasing the ball but to his credit he toughed it out managing 7 overs and taking 2 wickets. Always a team player.

MATTHEW HOFF: Matty was another not to have many opportunities with the willow this past season batting in the lower order, but his job was with the new ball. Either opening the bowling or our first change, Matt was one of the few in the first three quarters of the season to keep the ball up to the bat. Just above medium, Hoffs never complained about bowling into the wind where he could maximise his big swingers. Bowled 53 overs for a return of 8 wickets at 15. Kept his 9th and best wicket for the final. The last “top gun” and real threat bowled by a Hoffs screamer.

BEN LATHAM: Our glorious past history produced some great openers. Trumper and Duff, Woodfull and Ponsford, Simpson and Lawry. The Dragons have Latham and Jones! Ben, (Mum- “don’t call him Benny”, I hope as editor this is not red inked) a lad of few words he let his bat do the talking. 223 at 22.3 and another 24 in the final. Also took 3 wickets and took 4 catches. While his run out in the final was spectacular, one had to witness his 99 in round 3. Without a thigh pad (now wears one) he retired hurt from the first ball of the innings. Loosing 2 wickets without troubling the scorers’ he returned to first build, then smash their bowling to all points, actually hitting 6 fours in succession. A very good year. Great mate.

BEN MARCIANTE: A new Dragon, Rocky broke as many bowler’s hearts as records in his first year with us. With minor adjustments to this back lift and stance he took on all bowlers on from day one. His stats (non final) are Bradman like: 43, 74*, 36, 71*, 108*, 14, 84*, 26* and 23* (in high grass) **TOTAL: 479 Runs @ 159.66.** Naturally has an airtight defence, Ben also processes amazing patience, waiting for the right ball to hit. An extremely strong driver, especially straight and through the covers. One straight drive had a flatfooted old umpire calling for a set of pads. Parents thought I was joking! Also took 8 wickets at 15.12 with his mediums. Another Cawsey rep player and joined his mate Andrew in the combined Mackillop primary school side. No truth in the rumour he received under the lap payments with his transfer.

DEAN SMITH: Our other new Dragon to join our den this past season. Deano is an attacking batsman without fear. In fact I’m sure that the word defence isn’t in his dictionary. He batted 6 times prior to the final. In our narrow loss to Illawong he gave us a glimpse of victory smashing 20 in scintillating time. Bowled 17 overs collecting 1 wicket. Deano is a real livewire in the field. I would like to see him sprint over the 100 metres. Dean always worked hard in the nets to improve his game. Another to make the President’s side with Andrew Herne. Good one Deano.

BRENT WOODLEY: Working hard to be lifted in the batting from the late/ middle order in the start of the season, Woody to his credit put his head down and worked hard in the nets and achieved his goal. Our regular No.6 he ran off scores of 16,12,22,25,45* and 52*, finishing the season with 187 @ 31.16. He also shared the keeping duties with Bryce. Always one put his body on the line especially when in the field he possesses a safe pair of hands fielding in the slip cordon. Anyone who saw his reflex catch in the final would have to agree. Again one of the team’s real characters. Top-Drawer stuff, Woody.

COACH – DENNIS PENDERGAST

MANAGER – STEVE JONES



12B TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Michael Dumbrell
	BOWLER:	Bryce Alewood
	TEAM PLAYER:	Martin Bryan
	MOST IMPROVED:	John Watson
	ALL ROUNDER:	Michael Dumbrell

THE TEAM: - Alex Sambuco (capt), Bryce Alewood, Martin Bryan, Michael Dumbrell, Jordan Duncan, Callum Farmer, Ryan Marlow, Dean McMillan, Scott Middlemiss, Andrew Sewell, Adam Smith, John Watson.

In season 2002/03 the Dragons fielded a young but fairly experienced U/12B team with 9 of the 12 boys being eligible for U12s next season and this experience showed on and off the field. The boys had a heap of fun this season – win, lose or draw. We had a lot of highlights, and one or two lowlights this year but the boys handled all of them well. We started the season a bit rusty but when we got into our stride we ripped through the opposition up until the last few rounds where we were unlucky in a couple of games. We needed some results to go our way in the last round but it wasn't to be, not missing out on a finals birth by too far in the end.

A few major achievements have to be mentioned for the 02/03 season. Michael Dumbrell and Adam Smith made their representative debuts this season playing for Sutherland in the U/12 Presidents Shield. Michael claiming plenty of wickets for Sutho and Adam securing himself the job of wicket-keeper where he did an exceptional job, rarely letting byes or catches go by. Michael was in his first year with the Dragons and he made an impact claiming 14 wickets and smashing 239 runs at an average of 79. There were four half centuries this year with Michael D claiming two of them, Ryan Marlow one and John Watson got one as well. In the bowling department there was many great achievements, but one stood out above the rest, this was in round 6 against the competition leaders and we were in a bit of strife before Bryce Alewood came out with an outstanding performance claiming 6/19 from 8 overs, he then hit the winning runs in the last over to knock them off.

Overall this season was a successful one and after so many close games my nails are no more, I think by the end of the season the boys were taking it to the last over on purpose to get their coach worried. Top season by all!

Robbie

ALEX SAMBUKO: Alex was our captain this year and he led by example with the bat and the ball becoming one of the most consistent players in the team. Many opposition had no idea what so ever when Alex started tweaking his magic. His cool & calm attitude in close games pulled us through on a couple of occasions this season and will be an asset to any U/14s team that has him next year. Good Luck Mate!

BRYCE ALEWOOD: One of the younger players in the team, but also one of the more experienced players in the team. His high point this year was anytime he had the ball in his hands. Anytime a partnership needed to be broken or run rate needed to be cut in half, Bryce was there to produce the goods. A mid season 6/19 saved us against Illawong and a consistent year in the field made it a good one for him. Top season Bryce!

RYAN MARLOW: Ryan had a great season this year, all round the park. He claimed 9 wickets for the season, took 4 catches and also knocked up 90 odd runs to make it a fairly consistent season for him. Ryan knocked up an early season 50 and from then on decided to take control with the ball, always with good tight figures when we needed them most. Next year is sure to be a cracker for Ryan with a Representative birth there if he puts in the hard yards. Great season and Good Luck next Year!

JORDAN DUNCAN: The youngest member in the team, but by a country mile the loudest. Anytime the boys needed a kick start in the field, Dunco was there to fire the boys up. Full of confidence and some trademark calls like 'stumps are hungry, give em a cherry' and 'there's a party in the middle, lets crash it'. He was consistent with the bat and the ball, and backed it up well with some good tight fielding and a couple of run outs. Great season Jords and I want to see some fresh calls next year.

CALLUM FARMER: Callum was another one of our first year U/12s but it didn't hold him back at all. He was always putting in 110% and came up with some great partnerships with the bat to save us on a couple of occasions, one was when we needed 140 in only just over 20 overs and Cal steadied the ship with a 58 run partnership with John Watson to guide us home to victory. Cal was also successful with the ball this year claiming 5 wickets along the way for not too many runs and his fielding improved 10 fold as the season progressed as well. Big things are predicted for the Farm Boy in 2003/04 if he puts it in, Good Luck!

MARTIN BRYAN: One of the safest players in the team, on several occasions we saw Martin partake in match saving partnerships. With his straight bat and patient approach, it was hard for any bowler to get through his defense. His bowling also improved out of sight this year claiming some vital wickets just when we needed them. Put this all together with the fact that he was our best wicket keeper, it was a great all round performance by Martin this year. I know that Martin will be back next year and I'm sure it will be a good one. Well done Martin!

SCOTT MIDDLEMISS: Scott was another one of our all rounders this year and it was impossible to judge which one he was the best at. He had 91 runs, 8 wickets and 4 catches to make it a cracker of a season for Scotty. He claimed the best Bowling Average for the season with 8 wickets @ 8.00 and was probably one of the safest fielders in the team with a few classic catches this year. Scott is another one that will create a lot of havoc for anyone that comes up against him next year. Good season Mate!

DEAN McMILLAN: Deano was a player that didn't want to waste his time out in the middle. A slogger through and through and this made his coach ask him for a few tips during the year. You have never seen a kid hit it as far as you will see Deano hit it. Quite the opposite of Jordan Duncan on the field, because he is very quiet but he accounted for that with the bat and the ball knocking up 70 runs and claiming 7 wickets. Great season Deano!

ANDREW SEWELL: Andrew was one of the more experienced players in the team and this was proved out on the field with some outstanding performances in all facets of the game. Andrew quickly became one of our opening bowlers and when he was on his game, the openers never had a chance. Andrew was a bit unlucky with the bat this year but we all know that he has a lot of talent and the U/14s will be a walk in the park for Andrew who will be keen to leave his mark. Top season and Good Luck in the 14s!

JOHN WATSON: This was John's second year with the Mighty Dragons. He had an awesome season, especially with the bat. Every time that John stepped out into the middle, we knew that there was going to be some fireworks. He got into a good rhythm and became one of the most consistent batsmen in the team, always good for runs. 188 runs for the season was an amazing effort and it included a 49 and a 57. His confidence grew as the season progressed and he will be a force for the Dragons in the seasons to come. Cracker season John Boy!

ADAM SMITH: Another one of our big guns this year and after a big start to the season with the bat, he took over later in the year to be one of our safest bowlers in the team. An early season 49 helped Adam to score over 100 runs this year and an awesome 7 wickets @ 12.4 seen it to be a good season overall for Adam. Congratulations go to Adam as he made his Representative debut this season where he was the wicket Keeper Presidents Cup. Good All Round Season Adam!

MICHAEL DUMBRELL: Michael was our other Representative player this year and was an asset to the Dragons U/12s in season 02/03. He was always good for wickets and runs, taking out the most runs with 237 @ 79.0, most wickets with 14 @ 11.1, and equal most catches with 4. Michael's aggressive attitude towards the game sent the opposition packing on many occasions. Up to the U/14s next year and a big step, but we know Michael will handle it with no problems. Good Luck Mate!

Next year is going to bring big things in cricket for the boys. We say goodbye and good luck to Alex, Andrew and Michael who are going up to the 14s, and for the rest of the boys, the experience gained this year will set them up for a big season 2003/04. The season would not have been possible without the help from all of the parents, especially Kevin Bryan (Assistant Coach), Bruce Smith (Manager), Craig Alewood (Umpire), and also to all of the screaming parents on the sideline who were more nervous most of the time than the kids were. See you all next year!!!

COACH – ROBBIE KNIGHT

MANAGER – BRUCE SMITH

12D TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Sam Holt
	BOWLER:	Daniel Walsh
	TEAM PLAYER:	Brad Price
	MOST IMPROVED:	Daniel Tench

THE TEAM: - Daniel Walsh (capt), Grant Ross (v/capt), Adam Fox (v/capt), Daniel Dwyer, Blake Field, Rhys Gallagher, Sam Holt, Jordan Ivery, Brad Price, Dean Robinson, Jake Robinson, Daniel Sheehy, Daniel Tench.

I would like to start off my report thanking all of the parents who have shown an interest in the sport that their boys are playing and have turned up to all of the games to support the team. Sometimes this is hard to have happen but this year it has been great. I would like to thank Scott Ivery for helping out with the warm up of the team before the games and also for scoring.

I would like to thank our chief grounds men and manager Paul Walsh for all the assistance that he has given this year and for attending the meetings throughout the season.

I would like to thank Matthew Newman for his assistance with coaching this year. I hope he has enjoyed seeing the other side of the sport and it has been good to be able to have a rest on the sideline to watch the boys play. I hope Matthew continues with his coaching as I think he is quite good at it. Thanks again mate.

To Kylie, my wife who has been scoring for 2 seasons now and I think enjoys her cricket with the young guys. Thanks for all your hard work and time that you have spent in making sure that the scorebook is up-to-date every week and ready for the next game. You do a marvelous job, thank you.

Coaches Players Report by Stephen Chapman.

DANIEL WALSH: (Captain) A good season by Daniel as captain, shows promise in this position and gets on with his teammates well. Started to use his field setting a lot better towards the end of the season. Batting was slow for Daniel at the beginning of the season but leveled out nicely. Not a lot of runs but scored them when they were needed. A great bowling display this season, bowling at a good length and with swing awarded him with a good bag of wickets well done.

GRANT ROSS: (Vice Captain, Wicket keeper) A good season by Grant as vice captain, always keeping the boys on their toes and awake. Batting display was good but slow at the start, but also getting runs when needed. Did well as keeper just a little bit more footwork needed, but that will come with practice. Not an easy position to play so don't worry. Second half of the season Grant had a bowl and performed well. He told me at the start that he couldn't bowl, but I think you did all right, again you will get better with practice. Well done mate.

ADAM FOX: (Vice Captain, Wicket keeper) A good season by Adam and also did well as vice captain. Always had something to say to the boys to keep them going. Batting was good and started to play some good shots at the end of the season, don't worry the runs will come. Wicket keeping was good, also a little bit of footwork needed but it will come with practice. Bowled at the start of the season performed well, don't worry mate we will get that leg spin working yet. Well done.

BRAD PRICE: A good season had by Brad, got some good runs and started to play most shots towards the end of the season which was good to see. Performed well at bowling. Started off as slow medium pace but we changed that and got him bowling off spin, which I think he is a better bowler of. All we have to do now is to get a bit more power in the delivery and things will work even better. Would like to see you have a go at fielding in slips as I think you have good hands - well done.

JAKE ROBINSON: A good season by Jake had a bad trot with injuries but showed guts after breaking his thumb in a game and still answered the call to come back on after losing another player to a bee sting. In the same game he also bowled with the thumb and got a wicket second ball of the over. Good determination Jake. Batting was good, getting a swag of runs and was not afraid to have a go even if the chips were down. Bowling was very good, only a slow bowler but being a left-hander caused enough problems for the batsmen, well done.

JORDAN IVERY: A good season by Jordan the quickest bowler in the team and always wanted to perform well for his teammates. Got some good wickets this year but sometimes I think tries a little bit too hard and puts too much pressure on himself, but for me a definite player for the opening bowler position. Bowls a good length and always keeps the batsmen honest. Batted well also this season, got some good runs and started to settle more at the crease. Well done.

BLAKE FIELD: A good season by Blake, his batting was Great, scoring many runs. His batting improved throughout the season and he also settled at the crease as the season went on. Blake's bowling was also good a slow bowler but had a very good fastball, which was very hard for the batsmen to pick. Could also bowl a bit of leg spin if needed. Well done mate.

DANIEL DWYER: A good season for Daniel, batting started slowly but improved throughout the season. Daniel's bowling was very good. His slow medium pace, which sometimes had a bit of inswing, caused problems for some of the batsmen. Daniel's fielding was also improving in every game - keep it up mate, well done.

RHYS GALLAGHER: A great year by Rhys. Some good runs scored by Rhys at a time when needed. Shots improving every game. Rhys was bowling very well this season, he could demonstrate a good change of pace which caused problems for batsmen. Rhys's fielding was great, his speed around the field and accurate throws were some of the best for the season.

SAM HOLT: Sam had a great season and top scored with the bat. Sam played some good shots, which improved through the season as it went on. Sam bowled very well, with his slow medium swing bowling giving batsmen some problems. Sam showed that he could field very well and not afraid to have a go. Well done Sam.

DEAN ROBINSON: Dean had a great season, his batting was very good and scored some good totals when needed he was never afraid to try to pick up the run rate if needed. Dean's fielding was very good, getting his body behind the ball and always tried to the best of his ability. Dean's bowling was of a high standard - second highest in wickets in the team, well done mate.

DANIEL SHEEHY: Daniel's season was good, always tried hard to do his best. Daniel batted quite well - 3rd highest run scorer in the team and did quite well playing some good shots. His shots improved right throughout the season. Daniel bowled quite well. Sometimes left to bowl the last over and stands up to the job. Next season mate we will work on the bowling action. Daniel fielded well sometimes a little afraid of the ball but I think that was changing as the season went on. You did very well mate.

DANIEL TENCH: Daniel had a very good season this year, his batting was very good and improving all the time as the season went on. Daniel bowled very well, ending the season with some good wickets, also some good change up bowling changing between fast medium and off spin giving the batsmen problems. Daniel's fielding was strong right throughout the season taking some great catches and always giving 100% well done Tenchy.

COACH – STEPHEN CHAPMAN & MATTHEW NEWMAN

MANAGER – PAUL WALSH

14B TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Chris Reeves
	BOWLER:	Greg Ings
	MOST CONSISTENT:	Joshua Christison
	TEAM PLAYER:	Craig Middlemiss
	ALL ROUNDER:	Chris Reeves

THE TEAM: - Chris Reeves (capt), Rowan Scott (v/capt), Peter Balmer, Glenn Caukill, Joshua Christison, Ryan Croom, Greg Ings, Alex Jones, Michael Lowe, David McMillan, Craig Middlemiss, Chris Sands, Matthew Thompson.

Right from the word go it was obvious that this team had all the ability required to be competitive in this grade. Our bowling attack did what was required, our fielding was up to scratch, we were just having trouble batting out our allocated overs. As a result in our first three games we made it easy for our opponents to overhaul our total. All that changed in round 4. By giving ourselves a reasonable target we made it easy for the bowlers to defend the total and come up with a win.

It's amazing what a little confidence will do for a team. The team lost only one of the remaining six games and that was only by a handful of runs. Our two games against Aquinas were easily the best and most satisfying victories of the season. In the first round we set them a seemingly easy target of 78. After getting off to good start their batsmen capitulated to be all out for 58. Greg Ings led the way with a great spell of leg spin, which included a hat trick. In round 2 we set them 167 to win and have a chance of making the final. Cruising at 1-58 with 40 overs remaining things were looking grim after a number of chances hit the deck. After the second wicket fell things took a dramatic turn for the better. Catches started to stick, the ball started hitting the stumps instead of narrowly avoiding them and the previously 'chatty' Aquinas players suddenly became very quiet. We ended up rolling them for 78, then after sending them in for another shot, we dismissed them again for 46.

The outright win put us in equal second place with Illawong, our finals fate being decided by the dreaded quotient. Unfortunately for us the result went Illawong's way by 0.3 of a point. Still the boys must be congratulated on such a wonderful season. The team was always enthusiastic and really deserved the successes that they worked so hard for.

Special thanks must go to Gorgon Scott, my co-coach and manager, for all of his hard work, encouragement, assistance with the umpiring duties and help in organising the team, making my job so much easier.

Thanks also to:

- Rob Balmer and Peter Ings for sharing the scoring duties.
- Those parents, grandparents and friends who came along and gave the players, and us, their support.

Please read on and meet the team:

PETER BALMER: When Peter plays with a straight bat he usually scores runs and is difficult to remove. With a bit more patience he will score a lot more runs. The same can be said for his bowling, when the ball is up he hard to get away. Peter will continue to improve, time and patience willing.

GLENN CAUKILL: Glenn is a more than capable with both bat and ball, and only needs to back himself a bit more to get the best out his game. He showed his true potential with a great knock of 59. A true medium-fast bowler, Glenn gets wickets when he pitches the ball on a good length. With a bit more consistency he'll take a lot more.

JOSHUA CHRISTISON: Josh took on the job of opening the batting and consistently gave the team a good start. His bowling improved steadily over the season and he was rewarded with some memorable wickets including a well deserved hat trick.

RYAN CROOM: Played some wonderful innings this season. A talented batsman with a full range of shots Ryan can really punish a loose ball, especially when he gets on the front foot. He also spent some time behind the stumps showing he was handy with the gloves as well.

GREG INGS: Greg can be really pleased with his effort with the ball. Bowling his classic leg spin he finished with 33 wickets at an average of 7.6. One of our more reserved players Yappy rarely has much to say, usually letting the ball do the talking.

ALEX JONES: One of the most enthusiastic cricketers I have come across. He is always getting involved in the game and encouraging others with his enthusiasm. All his hard work was evident in the way his batting and bowling improved significantly over the season. Well done Alex.

MICHAEL LOWE: Bowled well for most season, though a shoulder injury made it a little difficult to keep a good length. A capable batsman with a solid defence Michael just needs a bit more confidence to play his shots and build an inning.

DAVID McMILLAN: Another one of our hard workers, David is always enthusiastic in the field. He loves throwing himself at the ball and doesn't let much get past him, especially when it's in the air. He worked hard on trying to get his 'leggies' just right, his efforts being justly rewarded with the occasional wicket.

CRAIG MIDDLEMISS: Right from the outset Craig showed he was keen and determined, always being involved in the game. His enthusiasm in the field was rewarded with some great catches, one of which even brought applause from a parochial opposition crowd. Craig's bowling was always on the spot, making it hard for batsmen to score runs.

CHRIS REEVES: A naturally talented sportsman Chris showed his class by compiling some really top notch innings including one of 102. He also showed his all round ability by doing the majority of the wicket keeping and bowling a few overs when required.

CHRIS SANDS: A left handed who bowls out swingers to right handed batsmen. When Chris bowls at his best he is extremely difficult to play, especially if you're trying to push the score along. He has a safe pair of hands and a strong throw that keeps the batsmen honest.

ROWAN SCOTT: Another of our all rounders who should be pleased with his efforts this year. More times than not Rowan's bowling was on the spot and can consider himself unlucky not to have picked up a lot more wickets and runs. His fielding too was of a high standard, and was directly involved in a couple of run outs.

MATTHEW THOMPSON: Matt was one of our more consistent bowlers this season, usually on the spot with his length. His big areas of improvement were with his batting and fielding. He hits the ball hard and is capable of lifting the run rate when required. A couple of his catches were in the 'classic' category.

COACH – ROB LOWE

MANAGER – GORDON SCOTT

14C BOSCO DRAGONS TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Joshua Piper
	BOWLER:	Michael Roddan
	MOST CONSISTENT:	Colin Kidd
	FIELDING AWARD:	Ben Holt
	ALL ROUNDER:	Joshua Piper

THE TEAM: - Ben Holt (capt), Dale Bates, Paul Bremner, Joshua Carroll, Dean Fenner, Brennan James, Colin Kidd, Joshua Piper, Michael Roddan, Tim Samuel, Nathaniel Vanderfolk, Jeff Walsh, Kristian White.

An imbalance in registrations and a willingness by both Committees to give all boys a chance to play cricket during the 2002/2003 season saw the formation of the joint venture Bosco/Dragons from the St. John Bosco and Engadine Dragons Cricket Clubs. After sorting out the finer details with the Association we got down to the business of playing cricket.

With Chris Nelson and Mitchell Durie from Engadine CC coaching the team we all looked forward to a bright and prosperous season. Unfortunately, all good stories don't necessarily have a good ending. Whilst the boys gave it everything they had (and then some) we were to go through the season without a win, albeit there were matches that we should have won. Throughout the season in the face of adversity the boys enthusiasm never seemed to dwindle and all seemed happy to be just playing cricket. They maintained their competitive edge to the end (even allowing for all the loose shots and trying to hit six off the first ball they faced). A closer look at all the boys showed the following:

BEN HOLT (CAPTAIN): Led from the front (mostly front foot) and guided the less experienced players around the field. Was very cool under pressure when trying to avoid the outright losses and showed great reflexes to grab 11 catches. Scored 152 runs at 10.1 (should have been much better) and captured 10 wickets. A great all-round effort.

DALE BATES: A newcomer to first class cricket, Dale looked like he had been playing all his life. Scored 153 runs at 10.9 and took 12 wickets, his ground fielding and throwing was always strong and accurate. A great effort Dale on which you can only improve.

PAUL BREMNER: Another player who had a great season topping the bowling averages and coming second in the batting averages. Scored 245 runs at 20.4 with our highest individual score of 79. Took 14 wickets at 14.8 and his fielding was first rate taking 5 catches. The stats show that Paul had a terrific year. Well done.

JOSH CARROLL: Josh showed great enthusiasm and courage throughout the season and battled away even when taking niggling injuries into the game. Put his hand up to open our batting when others were looking for a hiding place. Scored 66 runs at 5.5, took 3 wickets and held onto a great catch (even to his surprise) to finish off the year.

DEAN FENNER: Dean wasn't going to set the cricket field on fire but he showed that he was a great team player who was able to contribute to the team's effort. He scored 61 runs at 6.1 and took 1 wicket. Well done Dean.

BRENNAN JAMES: A fine left handed batsman and our wicket keeper. Other than a broken thumb (not a cricket injury) that sidelined Brennan for a couple of games he had a good year with bat and gloves. Scored 152 runs at 19 (highest score 70 no) and took 3 catches. Keep up the good work Brennan.

COLIN KIDD: The statistics don't quite show the commitment that Colin displayed throughout the year and the team effort put in week after week. 13 runs at 1.6 (a lot of almost lusty big hits) and a late developed spinner who took 3 wickets. Well done Colin, you made Mitchell a proud Coach.

JOSH PIPER: A very good season from Josh who led the batting aggregate and average and was equal leader in the bowling aggregate. Scored 258 runs at 28.6 (best scores of 59no and 51no) and took 15 wickets and 5 catches. His fielding and throwing was second to none. Those Coco Pops worked wonders! Great season Josh.

MICHAEL RODDAN: Michael enjoyed the season and has really developed as a fine spinner. Had all batsman (and fielders and wicket-keepers) in trouble throughout the season. That spinning ball is hard to hit and catch. Scored 22 runs at 2.7 and took 15 wickets including 5/41. Well done Michael, keep working on the wrongun.

TIM SAMUEL: A big thank you to Tim who tried his best to combine cricket and competitive swimming during the season. Tim would turn up to many matches having literally just got out of the pool. His commitment to contribute to the team effort was fantastic. Scored 35 runs at 5 and took 1 wicket and a catch. Well done Tim.

NATHANAEL VANDERKOLK: Nathanael was an enthusiastic cricketer all year, keen to know exactly what the state of play was. It was as a batsman that Nathanael put his best foot forward contributing 85 runs at 9.4, including a dogged innings of 38 runs that enabled the team to avoid outright defeat. Keep up the good work.

JEFF WALSH: Jeff was another player who loves his cricket and was keen and enthusiastic throughout the season. Didn't set the world on fire with the bat scoring 6 runs but took 4 wickets off limited opportunities. Was always keen in the field often putting his body on the line (ouch!). Well done Jeff.

KRISTIAN WHITE: Kristian like Tim had to try and combine overlapping school sport and other compulsory activities with his cricket. He was able to score 13 runs at 2.1 and took 1 wicket and a catch. The stats aren't great but Kristian's effort to contribute to the team was. Well done Kristian.

To Chris and Mitchell, and I'm sure I speak for all the parents, thank you for coaching the boys in what must have appeared a daunting task in uncharted waters. From what I saw you both contributed to an enjoyable season for all the boys and you managed to maintain enthusiasm through 10 rounds of cricket. You both made it a successful season, if not on the scoreboard.

Thanks must also go to our "Head" scorer Sue Roddan for some fine penciling and compilation of all the scorebook statistics (not an enviable task) and also to "assistant scorer" Mark Piper. Some bad penciling by Mitchell was also noted. Stick to coaching Mitchell! Thanks to Paul Walsh who always made sure the wicket was clean and the field clear to play on. Finally, thanks to all the parents for supporting their sons throughout the season.

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COACH – MITCHELL DURIE & CHRIS NELSON

MANAGER – COL RODDAN

14D TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Amy Watson
	BOWLER:	Kate Heath
	FIELDING AWARD:	Caryn Rolleston
	MOST IMPROVED:	Katrina Griffin

THE TEAM: - Amy Watson (capt), Kirby-Ann Marsh (v/capt), Faye Breslin, Katrina Griffin, Kate Heath, Vicki Meyer, Katherine Morrison, Rebecca Morrison, Alex Rolleston, Caryn Rolleston, Joanna Roy, Ashley Shaw.

Firstly we would like to thank the Engadine Dragons taking the girls as a team and looking after them so well.

The season started as it finished – with enthusiasm and eagerness. In between the results, although not successful, was not that important to the girls. Team harmony and fun were. They all enjoyed the Saturday morning get together. With the Coaches trying to cajole and encourage individual and team performances the commitment was not always given.

Well all whinging aside the bottom line is that the team and their many supporters had a great year with many highlights.

JOANNA ROY: Jo had a good season with both bat and ball. She took 9 wickets at 27.4 and 111 runs with the team's best batting average of 13.87. Two catches. Jo suffered from a sore back for a lot of the season and I am sure this affected her playing. Next year I am sure she will have the bails flying again.

CARYN ROLLESTON: Caryn was one of the most energetic players in the field. Her fielding award is well justified. I'm sure her Mum was impressed with the grass stains gathered each week. Caryn took 4 wickets at 20 and 51 runs at 4.6. Two catches.

ALEX ROLLESTON: A good season by Alex was rewarded with 105 runs at 8.07 and 7 wickets at 23.1. One catch taken. Like her younger sister Alex too was energetic whilst fielding and kept the washing machine busy. Alex has learnt to keep a straight bat and only needs to back her ability to score more runs.

VICKY MEYER: What a good year Vicky had. 10 wickets at 27.7 and 95 runs at 9.5. 8 catches. With the ball in hand Vicky was a handful for any batsman that faced her. With the ball moving in the air she was a pleasure to watch. A bit more confidence and practice with the bat will round out her game.

AMY WATSON: (CAPTAIN) Amy's continued improvement of her all round skills has been a wonder to watch. The captaincy has also helped with her development. Her understanding of the game, movement of her players and rotation of the bowlers (with no help from coaching staff) was I think, best in the grade. 159 runs at 9.93, 12 wickets at 26.5 and 4 catches was a great performance. The team's individual top score of 53 had the rowdy crowd on the hill cheering themselves hoarse.

KATIE MORRISON: Katie was another of the improvers as the season progressed. 29 runs at 4.5 and 8 wickets at 14.4. 1 catch. The 8 wickets at 14.4 was the best bowling average for the team as well as her 4 wickets in an innings the teams best. I'm sure more concentration to her batting will deliver the runs she is capable of.

FAYE BRESLIN: Faye had a good season, sharing the wicket keeping duties with Kirby. Scoring 64 runs 4.9 and taking one catch. I think next year we can concentrate on her bowling and unleash her as our new secrete weapon.

KATE HEATH: Kate had a great year with the ball taking 10 wickets at 18.7 and 11 runs at 1.37. Kate's bowling has improved out of sight this year and the bowling award is well deserved. Only more time with the bat will help improve her batting figures.

KATRINA GRIFFIN: This is Katrina's first year with the team and her improvement over the season was evident for all to see. She scored 99 runs at 9 and took 6 wickets. One catch. Katrina fitted into the team with great ease and was a popular pick for the most improved player.

KIRBY-ANN MARSH: (VICE CAPTAIN) Kirby started the year slowly with her batting and duties behind the wicket. When she realized that she could bowl a good ball her season took off. She scored 109 runs at 9 and took 5 wickets at 14.6. One catch in the field and 5 behind the stumps at an average of 14.2

ASHLEY SHAW: Ashley joined the team this year also. Having trouble with her ankle later in the season it restricted her appearances on the field. Her catching close to the bat was great. Scored 11 runs at 1.6 and 0 wickets for 13. Four catches.

REBECCA MORRISON: This was also Beck's first year with the team. She took to the game with ease and scored 29 runs at 4.14 and took 3 wickets at 29. One catch. Beck gave a lot of effort with her fielding and more practice with the bat will ease the disappointment of getting out.

As I have said this season was not as successful as the coaches would have hoped for but it was still an extremely pleasant experience to watch the progress through the year.

THANKS TO: Helen Roy: Incisive and encouraging match reports.
 Jim Meyer: Excellence in umpiring (even LBW's).
 Ian Watson: Keeping score with ease with only a cup of coffee and a fairy pencil case.
 Daniel Watson: Friendship, encouragement and motivation for the girls.

Thank you to all the parents, family and supporters on the hill (you know who you are) for you attendance and encouragement.
 See you all next year, Paul & Alan.

16A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Jay Davis
	BOWLER:	James Gardner
	TEAM PLAYER:	Stuart Dibb
	MOST IMPROVED:	James Bills
	ALL ROUNDER:	Jay Davis

MINOR PREMIERS & PREMIERS

THE TEAM: - Jay Davis (capt), Luke Maloney (v/capt), Dylan Andrews, James Bills, Stuart Dibb, James Gardner, Michael Lavallee, Adam Logan, Chris Moreland, Cameron Turner, Jonathon Ward, Thomas Ward.

With only 4 players from last seasons premiership team we had 3 players new to our club plus boys playing their first season in 16A cricket, it took time to mould them in to premiership contenders. Going into the first game after a couple of solid training sessions under our belt we felt ready for what was ahead. We set ourselves a goal of being competitive in every match and everyone to put up their hand and be counted for not weight for someone else to do it. In the first round of matches we lost to Caringbah and the Seagulls and also to Como in the first match of the second round. And from there we remained undefeated through to the final nailing Como in the decider to secure the premiership for the second year running.

The 12 boys we had this year all got on well together and believed in each other's ability, which was a major ingredient in winning the comp because without the belief then it makes it hard to succeed. Jay Davis led the team well and invented some interesting warm up exercises, which were greatly received by all the boys. Jay had a fantastic season with both bat and ball and was brilliant in the field perhaps taking the best catch I have ever seen in my 8 years coaching it was against Como and it certainly lifted all the boys. Jay's efforts were rewarded in being selected in the no1 combined Green Shield team.

The combination of coaches Stuie and Harry and manager Peter Lavallee for the past 4 seasons has resulted in our teams winning 35 from 44 matches, winning 3 premierships and 1 runner up. Peter would be the manager every team should have, his dedication and support is much appreciated. Other persons who were always willing to help were Geoff Gardner, Rob Maloney, Paul Davis, John Bills and Geoff Dibb. The support and friendship from the parents was the best we have ever encountered.

We wish those boys who have completed their junior cricket all the very best for the future. It has been our pleasure to have been associated with them and we will miss their companionship.

One special person we would like to thank is our tireless secretary Ian Latham, thanks mate.

DYLAN ANDREWS: Rep-President u/16-

Dylan did not receive many opportunities during the season, but he played his part by holding several difficult catches, one to remember was his Vasbert Drakes style catch in the world cup against Canada. He will be one of the leading players next season possibly captain.

JAMES BILLS: Rep-Presidents u/16 club- 134 runs-Av 16.75, 6 wick Av 23.67

James played 14c cricket last season with Heathcote and in his first season in 16As he showed himself to be good all rounder. In the last round he top scored (Playing straight) in our narrow victory, ensuring our place in the final. Big year next year.

JAY DAVIS: (capt) Reps-Watson, Green Shields, Club- 523 runs av 58.33, 18 wick av 11.88, 7 catches, 2 centuries 135 no and 101

As captain Jay led by example, He is an outstanding allrounder, Shires leading Batsman, Leg spinner and great fieldsman. Has played a leading part in our 3 premierships and we wish him all the best for his grade career

STUART DIBB: 125 Runs Av 12.5 4 Wick Av 8

We had Stuart batting in the no5 spot because of his ability to keep one end safe to solidify our middle order, but with problems to find a suitable partner to open with Tom he was elevated and together they formed a handy pair saving their best for the most important matches against Caringbah and 2 matches later in the final. We can't forget that bowling, taking some critical wickets. Well done chook.

JAMES GARDNER: Reps Watson Shield, Club- 19 Wick Av 11.01

James started the season with a bang, then was below his best until after the xmas break when he played a major part in our success especially his bowling in the last 3 games including the final where he took some very important wickets right when we needed them. James was brilliant in the field. Gards has played the last 3 seasons in A grade cricket winning the clubs bowling award each season under one of the best coaches he has ever been involved with. All the best for next season.

MICHAEL LAVALLEE: 204 runs Av 25.5, 4 Wick Av 15

Mick is an outstanding batsman and has played a leading part in all our 3 premierships, This season he received several ordinary decisions, but great players deliver when it matters and that was the case in the final his great innings steering us to victory. Thanks Mick for the last 4 seasons it has been great. Hope to see you next season it would be a shame for someone with your ability to give up the game.

ADAM LOGAN: Reps- Presidents U/16 Club- 8 Wick Av 20.75

Adam was our first change bowler who never let the team down. Bowling consistent line and length especially against the better batsman. Next season we have high hopes that he will develop into a good opening bowler. All the best Adam

LUKE MALONEY: (v/c) Reps- Watson, Green shields, Club- 100 Runs Av 20,14 Wick Av 11.00 7 Catches

Playing his first season with our club Luke proved himself a good pace bowler and with Gards they formed an economical combination capturing 33 wickets between them for only 11 runs per wicket. Luke improved his batting out of sight, one of the reasons for that I believe was his commitment in wanting to succeed. Also an excellent fieldsman taking some important catches. Best of luck next year.

CHRIS MORELAND: W/K- 13 Catches

Chris has completed 10 seasons with the club and was our wicket keeper for our 3 premiership teams. This season taking 13 catches allowing only 4 byes per catch was a great effort and kept brilliantly in the final, Well done mate, we will certainly miss you and your personality and also those great end of season presents from your mum.

CAMERON TURNER: 54 runs Av 6.75, 8 Wick Av 9.5

Cameron's total of 54 runs didn't reflect on the season he had Cam played some very important innings occupying the crease for long periods whilst others were scoring runs and that was Cams job and he did it superbly. His partnership with Mick in the final was a match winning one. His left arm medium deliveries off only 20 overs captured 8 wickets including a 5/22. Next season should be a good one.

JONATHON WARD: 9 Wick Av 16.2

Jono was our first change bowler with Adam. His consistent line and length kept the run rate our way. Jono's fielding was also handy. He is the type of lad any coach would love to have in their side. All the best for the future.

THOMAS WARD: Reps- Watson Shield, Club- 125 Runs Av 12.50, 6 Wick Av 17

In his first season with the club after playing in the Illawarra juniors he put his hand up to open the batting and in matches that counted twice against Caringbah and in the final he excelled. Toms left arm spinners proved handy. Well done Tom it was our pleasure to have you playing for the club and we hope to see you playing seniors next year.

Also a special thanks to Matt Sambuco and Nathan Bullock from the 16Bs for playing in our first match.

COACHES – STUART SLACK & HARRY ROBBINS

MANAGER – PETER LAVALLEE



16B TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -

BATSMAN:	Tim Greenway
BOWLER:	Chris Jackson
TEAM PLAYER:	Tim Russell
TEAM PLAYER:	Dean Griffith
ALL ROUNDER:	Stewart Lumsden
ALL ROUNDER:	Matthew Sambuco

RUNNERS UP

THE TEAM: - Tim Russell (Capt.), Mitchell Ryan (v/capt), Matthew Bryan, Nathan Bullock, Tim Greenway, Dean Griffith, Andrew Hyde, Chris Jackson, Tim Jones, Ben Judge, Stewart Lumsden, Matthew Sambuco, Leighton Wright.

The most unfortunate thing about playing in the final of cricket is that one team has to loose. Unfortunately, the 16B's were on the receiving end of this fact and it would be quite easy to let this disappointment be the main thing one remembers from this season. It is my hope that this will not be the case and that the players and our supporters focus on the giant leaps that were taken in everyone's personal career and as team players.

In our eleven games, the following are just some of the outstanding statistics to come out of the year: 7 wins (including 2 outright wins), four 5-wicket hauls, four half-centuries, five players who scored 150 or more runs, and seven players who took 14 or more wickets. And amongst these phenomenal statistics are some highlights from the season: that amazing 2-run victory over St.Pats in round 6 (a game that won't ever be forgotten by those who had the pleasure of seeing it), the incredible 82-run last wicket partnership between Matt Sambuco and Dean Griffith in round 9 that effectively gave us a final berth, Tim Greenway and Mitch Ryan's big hitting at Corea Road, Matt Sambuco's 7 for 3 in his first game for us in round 3, Dean Griffith's catch at short leg that changed the match in round 2 against Aquinas, Stew Lumsden's pair of 60's, and rolling Bosco/Dragons for 14 in round 10; just to name a few.

While losing the final stung something savage on all of us, I know that it will only make the players stronger in that the next final they play in and that they will not put themselves (and their coaches and parents) through the same agony again. On that note, a huge vote of thanks to all the parents for their support throughout the season. Your support and trust of us as young coaches meant a lot to us, and we appreciated it immensely. Thank you to Ray Griffith for his supply of cold drinks on those stinking hot days and his generosity in shouting the entire team Macca's after that epic of a match against St.Pats. Thanks to Matt "Warney" Carroll for his coaching of our many gifted spin bowlers and Matt Russell for his committed effort with the scorebook this year. Finally, a big thank you to the players themselves. We had a heap of fun coaching you guys and we couldn't have done that without you guys being such easy-going and hard-working (most of the time) players. With all of you guys either going up to men's cricket or A-grade, we look forward to seeing or reading about you guys reaching even greater heights in the great game that is cricket.

Mark.

Figures shown do not include scores from the final:

TIM "NO NICKNAME" RUSSELL: (captain)

21 wickets @ 10.43

Best Bowling: 4 for 4

6 catches

119 runs @ 11.90

Highest Score: 33

Equal 1st in bowling aggregates

In everything Tim did this season, he led by example. By the way he approached his training, his bowling, his batting, and his fielding, Tim's example spurred his team to reach the heights of their potential (and then some). His bowling was simply superb, taking 21 wickets at an outstanding average of 10.43. This included 14 of his wickets bowled and the second best R.P.O in the team of 2.46. His batting suffered slightly from the "captain's curse" that has followed our team for the last three seasons, but he always put a high price on his wicket and got a start more often than not. His high score this season of 33 in round 5 showed a glimpse of his true batting talent and what Tim can expect to achieve next season without the burden of captaincy. On top of all this, Tim took some outstanding catches this season in the infield and outfield, as well as being one of our best ground fielders in the team. A pleasure to have coached over the last 2 years, congratulations on a job well done as skipper of the team, Tim.

MITCHELL "MJ" RYAN: (vice-captain)

175 runs @ 15.91

Highest Score: 50*

4th in batting aggregates

7 catches

1 half-century

Equal in 1st in fielding aggregates

Mitch has had an outstanding season in which he achieved his best ever season total with the bat. His 175 runs at an average of 15.91 show how consistent Mitch was throughout the season which was highlighted by a superb 50* in round 6 against St.Pats. Mitch worked very hard at training to gain the form, which yielded these results, and he should be looking forward to even better results in men's next season. On top of this, Mitch's catching in the slips this season was outstanding...it was as if M.E. Waugh himself was in the slips. His 7 catches was equal first in the fielding aggregates with our wicket keeper. Finally, Mitch's vice-captaincy gave him the opportunity to use his great cricketing mind and he excelled, alongside Tim, at leading the side perfectly.

MATTHEW “MB, MILO, ‘YOU WANT ANOTHER ONE!?’” BRYAN:**19 wickets @ 10.63****Best Bowling: 5 for 2****4th in bowling aggregates****32 runs @ 5.33****Highest Score: 15*****1 five-wicket haul**

Last year I predicted that Matt Bryan would take the new ball on a regular basis and that he should feel confident of taking a few wickets. Not even Matt himself could've predicted that he would become one of the most potent strike bowlers in the 16B competition. Sharing the new ball with Jacko, MB took 19 wickets at the phenomenal average of 10.63. This was his best ever season total for bowling which also included a career best 5 for 2 against Bosco/Dragons in round 10. Matt bowled with the sort of passion that was always entertaining to watch, as he was able to back up his words by his incredibly accurate bowling. His support of his teammates was unrelenting and he always put 100% into everything he did. On top of all this, Matt's batting also showed considerable improvement this season highlighted by an excellent 15* in round 7. A great character to have in the side, it was a pleasure coaching Matt and it was great to see him perform so brilliantly.

NATHAN “RITTO” BULLOCK:**114 runs @ 11.40****Highest Score: 42****8th in batting aggregates****1 catch****0 wickets**

A solid season's work for Nathan as he was one of our most consistent batsman. Nathan could always be counted on to put a high price on his wicket as he played several good knocks in a supportive roll. His knock of 42 in round 3 was an excellent knock of 145 minutes at the crease, highlighting the patience that was often lacking in our batting line-up. Adding to this, he was the only batsman in the final to offer any sort of resistance as he battled to save the game for over 90 minutes. An easy-going character, Nathan was willing to bat wherever it was needed and was one of the few guys to put his hand up for opening, which was greatly appreciated by the players and coaches alike. Blessed with a set of safe hands, Nathan's only catch of the season was a gem and showed that he can be counted on to get the job done in the slips cordon. Always a willing participant at training and always putting the team ahead of himself, it was a pleasure to have coached Nathan and he can look forward to many runs and possibly wickets next year in the A's.

TIM “THE DESTROYER” GREENWAY:**286 runs @ 22.00****Highest Score: 48****Hit 48 boundaries in his 286 runs****2 catches****3 dismissals****1st in batting aggregates**

In only his second season of cricket, Tim set the 16B competition on fire with his explosive batting. Treating good bowling with no respect, Tim won us many games with his consistently big hitting and high scoring. On four occasions, Tim reached the 40's and just couldn't break through for that half-century, perhaps his only blemish on his best ever season. Complementing his big hitting is his powerful bowling which had many batsman, both in opposition teams and in ours, simply packing it as he put the fear of God into them with his pace. His bowling, with a little more fine-tuning, will be a big asset to any side in men's next season. Adding to all this, Tim also took on the roll of reserve 'keeper and effected 3 dismissals including 2 stumpings. A marvellous year for Tim due mainly to him backing himself to hit bowlers out of the attack, a quality I hope Tim never loses. Congratulations on the batting award, Tim.

DEAN “DEANO” GRIFFITH:**15 wickets @ 14.13****Best Bowling: 4 for 19****3 catches****94 runs @ 10.44****Highest Score: 35****5th in bowling aggregates**

A fantastic year in all aspects of the game for Dean which was due to his work at training to fix slight problems in his technique. After a slow start to the year with the ball, Dean worked hard on his accuracy in the nets and it paid off with him capturing 15 wickets at the excellent average of 14.13. His pace, accuracy, and deceptive swing prompted many coaches to say he is one of the most naturally gifted bowlers in the competition. In the field, Dean was one of the most optimistic guys out there, always talking and encouraging his fellow players to dig deeper. His catch at short leg in round 3 was simply brilliant and it swung the game back in our favour. Adding to this, Dean consistently added very handy contributions down the order, none more so than his effort in that famous 82-run final wicket stand with Matt Sambuco that effectively got us into the final. A great team player that is well respected by players and coaches alike, Dean truly has had a season to be immensely proud of.

ANDREW “HYDEY” HYDE:**112 runs @ 10.18****Highest Score: 41****9th in batting aggregates****6 wickets @ 16.50****Best Bowling: 2 for 3****8th in bowling aggregates**

Another player in only his second season of cricket, Hydey has achieved some excellent results in all aspects of the game. In the middle and lower order, Hydey was a very consistent scorer and often got himself a start. His career best score of 41 in round 5 against Bosco/Dragons coincided with a 78-run 7th wicket partnership with Tim Russell. This innings should spur Hydey on to even greater innings as he now has the knowledge of how to build an innings and then score heavily once he is set. Andrew's bowling was used as a partnership breaker as he successfully finished off many promising partnerships that often happened in the tail of oppositions. His offies next season will reap even bigger rewards in men's cricket where many players cannot play spin if their life depended on it. Always one of the first players to be at training, Hydey is a very committed cricketer and was a pleasure to have coached him.

CHRIS “JACKO” JACKSON:**21 wickets @ 9.33****Best Bowling: 4 for 24****3 catches****148 runs @ 12.33****Highest Score: 45****Intermediate bowler of the year**

Chris' season results make impressive reading: 21 wickets at the amazing average of 9.33 which was equal first in our bowling aggregates, intermediate bowler of the year and sets a new club record for the most wickets in a season in the 16B's, as well as 148 runs including a high score of 45. Truly outstanding results for one of the most talented all-rounders in the club, Chris's results were achieved not only through his natural talent but also through hard work on his accuracy and technique at training. Taking the new ball, Jacko could always be counted on to get an early break through for the Dragons, mixing it up between pace, swing and even spin. Adding to his escapades with the ball, Jacko exploded in the last few games with the bat, knocking up 99 runs in his last two digs and falling just 2 runs shy of an all-rounder award. Chris' success was a major part of the team making the final and every accolade he receives for his results this season are thoroughly deserved. Congratulations on being the club's intermediate bowler of the year, Jacko!

TIM “JONESY, ASSERT YOURSELF” JONES:**14 wickets @ 10.29****Best Bowling: 5 for 21****3 catches****55 runs @ 9.17****Highest Score: 16*****1 five-wicket haul**

Another one of our spinners who had a fantastic season, Tim bamboozled his way to 14 wickets at the incredible average of 10.29. Jonesy's season with the ball was highlighted by a 5 for 21, his best ever figures, achieved in round 3 against Caringbah Sports. Keeping in mind how easy it can be for spinners to get tonked, Tim's average, along with his R.P.O of 4.45, are outstanding figures from a very talented spinner. His batting was always solid in the lower order and offered resistance on a number of occasions when others were losing their wicket all around him. Always seeking perfection in his game, Tim was one of hardest working at training in all aspects of the game. Tim was way too hard on himself this season and it is my hope that he sits back and feels proud of his results for this season. Held in high regard by his fellow players, it was a pleasure to have coached Tim this season and I look forward to him ripping it up in men's next season.

BEN “WINSTON” JUDGE:**167 runs @ 13.92****Highest Score: 60****1 half-century****8 dismissals****0 wickets****5th in batting aggregates**

Another solid year for Ben as one of our most consistent batsman. When he got it right, Ben is one of the most devastating batsman going around, combining elegant drives with brutal pull and hook shots. His highest score of 60 in round 6 was one of his finest innings as he batted with the confidence that eluded him on occasions this season. If he approaches his batting like he did in this dig (and in the way he did in men's this year), he will be a prolific run-scorer for many seasons to come. Sacrificing his bowling this year, Ben took the gloves this season and was quite clearly the best wicket keeper in the competition, as commented on by several opposition coaches. Some of the low down catches he took this season are a great testimony to the 'hands of velvet' that he is blessed with. A pleasure to have coached over the last two seasons, I can't wait to see Ben score that elusive century in the very near future. And it will come, mark my words.

STEWART “HARBHAJAN” LUMSDEN:**240 runs @ 20.00****Highest Score: 60 (twice)****7 catches****15 wickets @ 16.87****Best Bowling 3 for 8****2nd in batting aggregates**

The above statistics speak for themselves. Stew has had an extraordinary year in every aspect of the game. Stew's batting this year was truly awesome which, in combination with his leggies, makes him an immensely gifted all-rounder. Stew scored 2 half-centuries this season, scoring a career best 60 twice in a career best season total of 240. His average shows how consistent he was this season and he could not only be counted on to score runs but also put a high price on his wicket. Continuing on from where he left off last year with his bowling, Stew started the year bowling well but lost his form in the middle rounds. But thanks to some hard work in the nets, Stew fought hard to get his form back, which climaxed with a man of the match effort of 5 for 16 in the final. On top of all this, Stew has a set of very safe hands, taking 7 catches which made him equal first in catches with Mitch and Ben. A very passionate cricketer who is highly thought-of by his peers, it has been a lot of fun coaching Stew over the last couple of seasons and I look forward to the day where he can bowl in tandem with Matt “Warney” Carroll. Congratulations on a superb season, Stew.

MATTHEW “BOOKO” SAMBUCCO:**203 runs @ 22.56****Highest Score: 47*****4 catches****16 wickets @ 12.19****Best Bowling: 7 for 3****3rd in the batting aggregates**

Matt has simply had an astonishing year. He made a name for himself in his first game for us in round 3 by taking an incredible 7 for 3 (including 6 bowled) against Caringbah Sports, quite obviously a career best bowling effort. And from then on, “Booko” was scoring runs, taking wickets, or both. Along with being 3rd in the batting aggregates, Matt had the highest batting average in the team, a true indicator of his consistency in the top order over the season. His highest score of 47* was probably his finest innings to date as he not only top scored for the innings, but combined with Dean Griffith in an 82-run 10th wicket stand which kept us in the finals race. A hard-worker at training, Matt worked hard through a drop in form with the ball and has finally worked out what works best for him. If he keeps things simple with both his batting and his bowling, Matt can look forward to another season of incredible results as a senior member of his team. A superb season's work from a talented all-rounder.

LEIGHTON "KIWI" WRIGHT:**74 runs @ 8.22****Highest Score: 19****2 catches****1 wicket @ 22.00****Best Bowling: 1 for 22****First ever season of cricket**

Leighton has achieved some very solid results in a highly competitive grade. To achieve the results that he has in his first season of competitive cricket are a great indicator of Leighton's natural cricketing ability in all aspects of the game. His batting has all the shots, obviously from years of backyard cricket, and with a little more fine-tuning to his technique Leighton will be a valuable contributor in the middle order. His highest score of 19 this year in round 7 was a great knock and just a glimpse of things to come. Under the tutelage of Warney, Leighton has become a very talented leg-spinner and will definitely get more overs under his belt next season. His only spell this season saw him take his first ever wicket as he drew the batsman out of his crease to be stumped by Tim Greenway. Always a keen participant at training and a great team member, I look forward to seeing Leighton scoring many runs and taking many wickets next season.

Rock on Australia!

COACHES & MANAGERS – MARK MITCHELL & SANJAY PATEL



16B BOSCO DRAGONS TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Omar Samad
	BOWLER:	Patrick Eades
	TEAM PLAYER:	Neer Gandecha
	MOST CONSISTENT:	James Punshon
	ALL ROUNDER:	Omar Samad
	ALL ROUNDER:	Patrick Eades
	ALL ROUNDER:	Robert Dumbrell

THE TEAM: - Nicholas Stewart (capt), Curtis Bundell, Robert Dumbrell, Patrick Eades, Andrew Fenn, Neer Gandecha, James Punshon, Omar Samad, Daniel Smith, Matthew Tampion, Colin Wilson, Dominic Worton.

This team was made up of a mixture of ENGADINE, BOSCO and HEATHCOTE players all anxious to get a game of cricket. We would like to thank the ENGADINE and BOSCO cricket clubs for the effort they made at the beginning of the season to make this possible.

The first problem that we thought we would have was to get all these players from different clubs and grades to combine into a team that each player could feel comfortable with. Fortunately this problem did not eventuate as the boys all showed maturity and commitment well beyond their years.

As all the players made this commitment to the team so early, our jobs as manager and coach became very easy, and despite a harsh grading this team held its head high all year.

We lead or were running second or third for most of the season and even in the last game of the season we still had a slight chance of making the final. Nearly all of the boys improved out of sight compared to the previous year and we hope that they will carry their new found confidence with them not only in their future cricket careers but also in all their future endeavours.

We are very proud of these boys and have learnt a lot from them and hoped that they have learnt a little from us. This team has been a pleasure to coach and manage.

We would like to thank Robyn and Grame Smith for the help they provided in scoring and umpiring when needed.

Three of the boys are finishing their junior cricket careers this season and we wish them all the best in their senior cricket careers and hope that lessons learned in the heat of the game will stay with them for the rest of their lives.

OMAR SAMAD: 296 RUNS AVE 24.67 15 WICKETS AVE 17.4 7 CATCHES

Omar is a stylish middle order batsman who had 3 scores over 50 during the season. Omar also is a good first change bowler who could always be relied upon to take a wicket or two. During the season Omar was a reliable and busy fieldsman who saved many a run. Omar is capable of playing higher grades and we hope he can continue the promise that he showed this year.

JAMES PUNSHION: 115 RUNS AVE 9.58 14 WICKETS AVE 13.57 3 CATCHES

Despite being the youngest player in the team James showed his maturity and determination by opening the batting for us. James was hard to dismiss and because of his effort the team more often than not was able to get off to a good start. James also was one of our main bowlers who nagged away with good line and length and regularly was able to get us some wickets with best figures of 5 for 9 from 6 overs. James always did his best for the team and we wish him well in the future.

NEER GANDECHA: 41 RUNS AVE 3.73 1 WICKET AVE 24 2 CATCHES

Neer returned to cricket this season after a couple of year's break and showed great enthusiasm and became instant part of our team. Neer hit the ball hard and his form improved as the season progress. Neer was always giving his best in the field and took an excellent running catch and saved many runs. Now that Neer has returned to cricket his form in the next couple will improve dramatically.

ANDREW FENN: 117 RUNS AVE 10.64 8 WICKETS AVE 18.25 2 CATCHES

Andrew is a capable attacking batsman who scored top scored with 40 runs. Andrew is a good team player and batted both up and down the order as required by the team. Andrew started the year as a medium fast bowler with good success but as the season progress changed to spin and started to find his length and line and was very hard to score off. Andrew keep up the practise and your new style of bowling should show great returns in the next season.

ROBERT DUMBRELL:

225 RUNS AVE 20.45 1 WICKET AVE 11 9 CATCHES 2 STUMPINGS

Robert is an attacking left hand opening batsman who has good timing especially on any balls drifting down leg side. Robert scores quickly and has a distinct liking for 4's, Robert was also our wicket keeper and maintained a high standard throughout the year. Robert showed great enthusiasm and helped keep team spirits high during the games. Robert also tried out for presidents and as the season passed entrenched himself into the wicket keepers spot. Robert should go on to better things in his cricket career next season.

MATTHEW TAMPION:

144 RUNS AVE 18 4 WICKETS AVE 23.5 2 CATCHES

Matthew was our most improved batsman during the year and was unlucky not to score his first 50 when stranded on 47 not out at the end of the innings. Mathew moved up the order at his own request and played some very good innings near the top of the order and despite scoring quickly never gave his wicket easily. After a promising start to his bowling this year Matthew was not able to show his best because of a nagging injury received early in the season. Matthew we hope you continue to put effort into you batting which will reward you with greater results in the future.

PATRICK EADES: 291 RUNS AVE 24.25 29 WICKETS AVE 13.21 2 CATCHES

This was Patrick's last year in junior cricket and he excelled with both bat and ball. Patrick was the spearhead of our bowling attack and took impressive 29 wickets for only 13.21 runs each. Patrick after getting early wickets often came back to clean up the tail in his second spell. Patrick is a clean hard hitter of the ball and scored quickly in the middle order often helping the team to build impressive scores. Patrick we hope that your move to seniors will give you as much enjoyment and success that you enjoyed in junior cricket.

DANIEL SMITH: 36 RUNS AVE 7.2 1 WICKET AVE 71 3 CATCHES

Daniel was our back up wicket keeper and a solid tail end batsman. Daniel proved hard for opposition teams to dislodge and on a number of times was able to hold out till stumps. Daniel is a medium pace bowler who performed admirably with very limited opportunities during the year. Daniel is a good out fielder and saved us many runs. Daniel we wish you all the best in your future cricket career.

NICHOLAS STEWART: (CAPTAIN)

256 RUNS AVE 21.33 14 WICKETS AVE 16.43 8 CATCHES

Nick was an astute and popular captain of our team and was responsible for the way our players melded into a team. Nick lead from the front in both batting and bowling. Nick had his best year with the bat and is a punishing middle order batsman and a deceptive left arm medium fast bowler. Nick is a brilliant fieldsman and team motivator. This was Nicks last year in junior cricket and we hope that he continues to show his skills in senior cricket next year.

COLIN WILSON: 36 RUNS AVE 6 1 CATCH

Colin is a batsman who possesses a very good eye and with a little more dedication on developing his cricket skills could become a very handy batsman. Colin is a good fielder and good anticipator in the field and saves many runs. Colin we hope that you continue your cricket career and find you true potential.

DOMINIC WORTON: 30 RUNS AVE 3 10 WICKETS AVE 12.8 7 CATCHES

Dominic is a handy bowler who could be relied upon to break up stubborn partnerships. Dominic from limited opportunities took 10 wickets at the best average achieved in our team. Dominic is a good fielder and at mid wicket stopped many a four before it could get past him. Dominic also took a couple of brilliant catches at mid wicket and gully. Dominic also played his last year of junior cricket this season and we wish him all the best for his future in senior cricket.

CURTIS BLUNDELL: 87 RUNS AVE 8.7 9 WICKETS AVE 24.44 4 CATCHES

Curtis had only played cricket for one year before joining this team and his improvement was impressive. Curtis opened our bowling and his line and length improved as the season progressed. Curtis could be relied upon for some quick runs in the lower middle order and was an excellent slip catcher. Curtis has a lot of room to improve his cricket skills and has a lot of latent ability if he wants to use it.

16C TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Andrew Mansell
	BOWLER:	David Ince
	TEAM PLAYER:	Kenneth Hyde
	FIELDING WARD:	Shaun Ali
	ALL ROUNDER:	Andrew Mansell

THE TEAM: - Shaun Ali, Dane Browne, Cameron Curtis, Corey Davis, Kenneth Hyde, David Ince, Sean Jones, Dane Le Ray, Tom McNee, Andrew Mansell, Kurt Mitchell, Rhys Mowlam, Prashant Varanasi.

This year has been a bit of an up and down one, with nearly ½ of the team not having played competition cricket before. We had 2 wins in 8 games, which was a bit disappointing. Every boy contributed at one time or another and all had a good go at bowling and batting. Although it was a disappointing season they improved to finished 4th in the comp.

A special mention goes to Andrew Mansell, who in his first year scored 3 half centuries and took 18 wickets. David Ince scored over 200 runs and took 13 wickets. Cameron Curtis found his position as wicket keeper late in the season. Sean Ali took some great catches in the outfield while Tom McNee made a big improvement in the spin-bowling department. Kenneth Hyde, in his first year with the 16's, scored a half century and took 8 wickets.

Even though the results for the year weren't good I feel the boys enjoyed the season and also put in good time at training. I hope they have learnt something this season and carry it on in the following year.

To the seven players who are eligible for the 16's next year, all the best and to the other boys, all the best for the future what ever you may do.

Finally I would like to thank Harry Robbins for helping out with the coaching of the boys, Debra and Glenda for scoring and to the manager Roger for his help with the umpiring. Thank you for your help and support during the season.

Also a BIG thank you to the boys and their families for their support throughout the year and all best for the rest of the year.

COACHES – BRETT ADAMS & ROB MOWLAM

MANAGER – ROGER McNEE

SENIOR TEAM REPORTS

A1 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Drew Lake
	BOWLER:	Paul Cameron
	ALL ROUNDER:	Paul Cameron

THE TEAM: - Brett Johnson (Capt), Paul Cameron, Blake Cousemacker, Jason Crimlisk, Greg Goodman, Greg Heffernan, Glenn Hickey, Andrew Kelly, Steve Jones, Greg Knowles, Chris Lake, Drew Lake, Mark Lavender, Ross Stuart.

To say that this season was disappointing would be an understatement. We lost two key players in Greg GOODMAN and Jason CRIMLISK due to work commitments and personal reasons. To lose your wicket keeper/opening batsman and number five attacking batsman/medium pace strike bowler is a major blow to any side.

Our bowling and fielding was good throughout the year. It was our batting that let us down. We lost consecutive wickets in numerous games and failed to build partnerships at vital times. Even though we lost two key players we still had the players and the ability to make the final. Of the ninety-nine wickets we lost this season, thirty-one of those wickets were batsmen batting one to seven, being dismissed between ten and twenty-five. We did not value our wicket and what could have been if fifteen of those wickets managed to score thirty?

On the positive side of things Greg HEFFERNAN proved age shall not weary him. Greg showed that he is still one of the best batsman in the competition and is highly respected by the opposition, being a prize scalp. Greg scored 231 runs @ 29, took 7 catches and kept wicket a couple of times. Drew LAKE had another great season. Drew scored 370 runs @ 37. This season Drew was called on to open the bowling and took 12 wickets @ 18. Most of those wickets were bowling against opening batsmen in his first of second over. Paul CAMERON had an outstanding year with the ball taking 30 wickets @ 12. By his own measures Paul did not have a very good year with bat, but he still managed to score 206 runs @ 19. Add 10 catches and Paul has had a great season.

There were some great individual performances this season. Greg GOODMAN 109 n/o Greg HEFFERNAN 76 and 58 and Drew LAKE three fifties and an 89. Also Ross STUART, Glen HICKEY and Brett JOHNSON had scores in the forties and Paul CAMERON a 50 and 60, there was plenty of batsman who showed what they are capable of. The only problem was that only one person was getting a score per game.

A special mention has to go to Greg KNOWLES. Greg put aside the fact that St George have male cheerleader and was the team's most valuable team member. A player's performance is judged on statistics but how are these for statistics in an A1 team. Gregory was called upon to wicket keep, bowl medium pace, bat 1 to 10, field at first slip then field on the boundary for the spinners. Congratulations Greg on a great season.

Due to the shortage of players this season we called upon the youth to the 16A's. Luke MALONEY and James GARDNER played several games both bowled well above expectations. Both fellas showed that they are more than capable of being strike bowlers in the A1 team and at grade should they wish to pursue higher honours. Other 16A players who filled in were Stuart DIBB, Jonathon WARD and James BILLS. All showed that they have ability, which was evident with them winning the 16A's competition. A special mention of James BILLS. Last season he played 14C's. This season he played in 16A winning team and filled in for the A1's. Well done James and a big thank you to all of you "young fellas". All the players appreciated all of your efforts and look forward to playing along side you should you decide not to play district cricket.

Thank you to Colin BERRY and Matt WHITNEY who also filled in for us this season.

Thank you and congratulations to Gordon SCOTT. Gordon did a fine job in his first season in the white house. A big thank you to Ian LATHAM. He has the thankless job as Secretary and did yet another outstanding job. Also, Allan LOFTHOUSE the men's secretary who was supported by his lovely wife Judy, the A1 team thank you. Bills KNOWLES and his new offside Brad MOORLAND thanks for your commitment to property job. To all the committee we thank you for your efforts.

The A1 team would like to pass on our congratulations to the premierships winning teams, 16A, 12A and 10A. Well done all. We have had a bit to do with the 16A coach Stuart SLACK and 12 A coach Dennis PENDERGAST and the club is very fortunate to have two very good coaches. Well done all.

On behalf of the team I would like to thank our skipper Brett JOHNSON. Brett juggled a wife, four daughters, a demanding job, a move of residence and President of Sutherland grade club to captain the team. A former first grade player Brett was a great advisor to the number of young guns who filled in for us this season. Not many teams have a former first grader as a captain. Thanks Brett for your efforts. Brett has been diagnosed with “awifefourdaughtersthatlive3mintuesfrommirandafair” which could put Brett’s playing future in doubt. See ya next season Johnno.

Anyway guys, lets pull together and make every post a winner next season.

BLAKE COUSEMACKER

A2 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Chris Linley
	BOWLER:	Adam Phillips

THE TEAM: - Colin Berry (Capt), Brett Adams, Peter Coman, Jay Davis, Greg Herne (1 match), Richard Katon, Beau Knowles, Bill Knowles (1 match), Chris Linley, Marcus Loxley, Adam Phillips, Jason Radford, Troy Selvage, Stuart Slack (Injured), Matthew Smith, Jeremy Vickers.

Trying to emulate last year’s performance was always going to be a tough ask especially moving up a grade and a slight change in personnel. We originally had 14 players at the start of the season but that was cut back to 9 players during the season due to injury, work commitments and so on. We did not field the same side, 2 weeks in a row during the season, which made it hard to gain momentum. We went through 29 players throughout the season ranging from 16As in the juniors to B9s in the senior comp. A special thanks goes out to all those players who filled in for us. In the last game of the season Billy Knowles yes that’s right the bloke from Blackbutt in Engadine filled in for us and went out there and opened the batting with Jeremy. With his score on 3 Bill came forward to a good length ball and it bounced a bit more than usual and smacked into his left ear lobe splitting it in half. Bill went off to hospital where he required 6 stitches and then showing a ton of guts came back and went out to bat to resume his innings after a wicket had fallen. He lasted about as many minutes as the stitches in his head but his bravery was not to be justified.

Our main objective this season was to have fun and despite where we finished on the ladder I think that was achieved. Once again our batting let us down for most of the season although there were some very spirited performances by quite a few blokes. Our bowling was quite good with the likes of Pixi and Linaz being amongst the leading wicket takers with Pixi claiming that mantle with 16.

I would like to thank Col for his efforts this season both with the captaincy and the end of season B.B.Q.

Stewart.

COLIN BERRY: Col’s experience in the game is always a welcome addition to any team. Colin was the captain this year due to Stuie’s back injury he sustained bending over at work. He drifted around in the batting order preferring to bat down the order enabling the other blokes to have a go. When Col had his chance to keep he did so with fantastic reflexes and glove work. Thanks for your efforts Col.

BEAU KNOWLES: Beau was our opening bowler this year and has been now for a few seasons. His commitment to the team is 2nd to none and always puts in 100 per cent no matter what the situation in the game. Early in the season his batting was the one holding our team together along with his aggressive approach with the ball. Towards the end of the season Beau suffered an injury which cut his season short. Beau thanks for your efforts.

BRETT ADAMS: Hubb's first season in A grade proved to be a successful one. Hubba was an important member of our team especially with the bat going in at number five most of the time although he would have handled the opening position quite comfortably with that superior technique. Hubb didn't want any of that he was happy where he was. His personality was a pleasure and his support of the Canterbury Bulldogs describes the legend he is. Hubb all the best.

CHRIS LINLEY: Linaz had the ability to play cricket, go to the tab and listen to the races all in the one afternoon of cricket. Many would think that would be quite difficult but not for this bloke. I'm not questioning his attitude because that was good, Chris is a lad with a lot of promise with both bat and ball. He got more than a couple of ordinary decisions against him, which didn't help, but he was our leading run scorer for the season with 215 or something around that proximity. Linaz was also pretty good on the dance floor at the vinyl room. Well done Linaz.

ADAM PHILLIPS: Pixi was picked in the team mainly as a batsman who could field quite well with a good throwing arm. Well Pixi actually took the most wickets in the team bowling his right arm medium slow deliveries with good accuracy. He's a lad with a lot of potential with the bat and I feel he should play a little straighter early in his innings to get the results he is looking for. Pixi is a great team player always encouraging the boys and having a good time. See you next year Pix.

PETER COMAN: Pete batted most of the year in the middle order with some good results. His best asset is occupying the crease for lengthy periods while others around him are scoring the runs although Pete showed that he could do both. Pc was our best fieldsman this season and pulled off a number of good saves which resulted in run outs and drying up of runs. Pete's humour was also up there with the best along with the team manager Stuart Slack who was probably the pick of them. Well done Pete.

RICHARD KATON: Well Richie came into this season with no one knowing what he could do. We soon found out that he could hit a ball sending numerous balls out of the park. His favourite bowling to face was spinners and I'm struggling to figure out why. Richie was 2nd behind Chris in the runs, which was a great effort after not playing for a few years. Handy fieldsman and didn't mind a laugh on the field. I would also like to thank Richard for the use of his restaurant for our Christmas dinner the food was great.

TROY SELVAGE: Troy started the year with a bang with top score but has struggled a little with confidents during the season. This lad has the ability to be anything if he really puts his head down. His fielding was good and his throwing was brilliant in the outfield. Troy got his chance with the ball towards the end of the season and took a wicket with a superb ball that nipped back off the seam and took the stumps. Well done Troy.

JAY DAVIS: Jay only played half the season due to rep commitments but showed he has what it takes to go all the way in this great game. Jay scored a superb 76no against the eventual premiers combining in a 100 run partnership with Linaz to steer us to victory, which was a highlight of our teams' season. His bowling proved difficult to handle from opposition batsman claiming 13 wickets in a good season. Jay also played 16As on a Saturday morning and played with us this year to gain valuable experience.

JEREMY VICKERS: Jeremy was selected as our wicket keeper this season along with opening the batting. His batting was good in the early games but his unavailability in a few games halted his momentum but still had a good season all-round. Jeremy's glove work was good along with his ability to encourage his teammates.

JASON RADFORD: Jason played every game this season, which was a great effort. Bear was our opening bowler along with Beau and bowled well throughout the season. He often had to be replaced after his 8 overs due to bowling restrictions, which didn't help cause at that time he was often bowling really well. Bears batting excelled towards the end of the season, he was opening the batting in the last few games with good results
Good year Jason.

MATT SMITH: Matt only played half the season because of a knee injury but in that time he looked as good as anyone. Matt was a solid top order batsman with good defence and a very nice drive. Matty was a new player to the club and we look forward to seeing you back next year mate.

CAPTAIN – COLIN BERRY

MANAGER – STUART SLACK

B3 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Jim Bonser
	BOWLER:	Damien Collins
	ALL ROUNDER:	Damien Collins

THE TEAM: - Paul Waddell (capt), Jim Bonser, Lance Cochrane, Damien Collins, Michael Daly, Mark Eschbank, Michael Green, Tom Morrison (1 match), Graham Price, Darren Price (Injured), Daniel Slade, Joel Watkins, Stuart White, Matthew Whitney, Will Wooster.

Well to start with, I think if we can keep the same bunch of guys together for next season then we should have a more than useful platform to spring off into another fun year and give the comp a big shake. Let's face it, the last game of the season we actually excelled with the bat as quite a few got amongst the runs which include Jim (58), Will (38), Damien (48), Matt (38), Michael Daly (53) and Paul (42no) all for a great total of 6-302. The following week we came out and blew them off the park for 119 with Jim leading the way with 5-38.

Looking back over this season there have been many fine performances as well as a number of highlights. Four of the boys managed to post 200 plus runs in total, Jim Bonser, Will Wooster, Michael Green and Damien Collins. Jim Bonser scored 420 runs @ 35 with four fifties thrown in and a top of 86. Will Wooster made 398 @ 49.75 which included two fifties and a wonderful 115. Michael Green 287 @ 23.91, including one fifty (57). Damien Collins scored 246 @ 22.36 also with one fifty (65 n.o.). Other notable efforts were Paul Waddell 184 @ 23, Stuart White 174 @ 15.81 and Graham Price 164 @ 18.22.

Both Damien Collins and Paul Waddell picked up 20 plus wickets with Jim Bonser just missing out. Their figures were Damien 22 @ 17 with a best of 4-28, Paul 21 @ 15.33 with a best of 5-34, and Jim 19 @ 18.26 with a best of 5-38.

This team has had so many highlights that one may not remember all of them. After some consideration it is hard to separate the catch of the season so we have joint winners. Wal's close in effort at Scylla Bay and Graham's snare at 3rd slip in the last match. Things that stick out include Mick's great baseball shot at Heathcote and being given out after hitting a ball that landed off the pitch. There is no doubt that Matt Whitney is the entertainer with the bat as no one, including Whit's knows what he is going to do as his 38 in the last game showed.

Some other highlights. Mention must be made of Daniel Slade (Slugga). Slugga bowled three overs in a row, unusual for him, and then complained of being stuffed. Mick Daly's 53 in the last game in which he combined with Wal to put on 101 with only 28 coming in boundaries is worth a mention. Wal making Daly run three and trying for a fourth had to be seen to be believed. Jim Bonser's 41 at Scylla Bay in only 29 minutes showed no respect for the bowling. Wal's back to back forties in the last two games was Stephen Waugh like. Mick (when ever he gets sick of running) Green who just swings into it and clouts them. Mark's 21 at Alford's Point and Mick's hard earned and well deserved 57 at Scylla Bay. Stan's brilliant shoulder arms and losing his middle stump cannot be overlooked particularly as he left Will stranded on 91. Of course I have saved the best highlight for last. Will's wonderful 115. That was a great innings!

To top it all it has been a great enjoyable season playing with the likes of these men. Good to see Damien (Tippa) step up with the ball and perform at a new level. I've learnt a lot from this season so I hope to handle things better next year if the team selectors think I'm good enough for the job.

CAPTAIN – PAUL WADDELL

B5 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Nathan Alterator
	BOWLER:	Chris Nelson
	ALL ROUNDER:	Chris Nelson

THE TEAM: - Mark Mitchell (capt), Nathan Alterator, Matthew Carroll, Gavin Cato, Keven Cook, Ben Cutler, Mitchell Durie, Sean Hall, Ben Judge, Ryan McLauchlan, Chris Nelson, Sanjay Patel, Matthew Russell, Ryan Simons.

The B5 team this year comprised of players at many different stages of their cricketing careers: we had players from last years B6 side, players in their first year of men's cricket from last years 16A and 16B sides, as well as players playing their first season of cricket since juniors and players in their first ever season. With this in mind, our first few losses (which were considerably heavy) came as no surprise. But after duty in round 3, the team finally clicked as we recorded an outright win by 70 runs in round 4. From then on we went on to bring up the victory points in 5 of our next 7 games and it wasn't until round 13 that we were out of the hunt for the final. We were always a competitive side and even when we were dismissed cheaply in our first dig, we always retained our pride and put in a much better effort in the second innings. This was evident right up to the last round we were able to keep Gynea Bay out of the final, a very satisfying result indeed.

During the course of the season, he had many highlights: rolling SUS Club for just 14 in round 9 (that'll teach 'em to get hammered the night before a game), Nato's 142 against Royal Crest in round 5 coinciding with a 172-run 7th-wicket partnership with Ben Judge, Gav's running verbal battles with the batsman without gloves, Sean and Fridge taking 5 wickets in an innings and Ben Cutler's bat throws; just to name a few.

Overall, a very enjoyable year and a building block for greater things to come next season. It was a great honor and privilege to have led the team this season and I thank my teammates for their unrelenting support and respect. A team that actually encourages me to bowl 26 overs in a season definitely deserves credit. Many thanks to the Dragons committee for their help and support and to the players that not only filled in for us, but contributed for us: Paul Marsh and Sunil Patel from the B9's; Chris Jackson, Ben Judge, Tim Russell and Matt Sambuco from the mighty 16B side.

Mark

NATHAN "NATO" ALTERATOR: (vice-captain)

397 runs @ 36.09 (career best)	Highest Score: 142 (career best)	3 catches
1 wicket @ 31.00	Best Bowling: 1 for 21	1 st in batting aggregates

After years in the wilderness at Sylvania, Nathan returned to the club of his junior cricket with sensational results. His first three digs of 52, 89 and 142 announced his return to the Dragons in the most devastating way. His season total of 397 runs at the average of 36.09 came through Nathan's style of combining the unique with the classical. One our finest fielders, Nathan has a safe pair of hands and is incredibly quick in the outfield. One the best talkers in the field and stupendous vice-captain to have supporting you, Nathan is worthy winner of the Senior Batsman of the Year Award. Look forward to seeing you go even better next year mate.

MATTHEW "WARNEY, S.K" CARROLL:

16 wickets @ 23.31	Best Bowling: 4 for 22	1 catch
22 runs @ 5.50	Highest Score: a majestic 9	2 nd in bowling aggregates

Following on from his success last season, Warney has had another fine season, causing the batsman of the B5 competition all sorts of trouble. This season, Warney added a fully developed wrong-un to his bowling arsenal which signified the coming of Matt Carroll, the complete leg spin bowler. The only reason he didn't take more wickets was that he missed out on 4 games in the season due to illness and outside commitments. In one of the matches he did play, he took 7 wickets in the match in our outright win against Illawong in Round 4, two fine spells of bowling in the same match. He also managed quite well opening the bowling twice this season exposing many opening batsman's weakness against the tweak. His batting unfortunately succumbed to Simmo as their long-running battle for the number 10 position was finally won by Simmo. Still, Matt looked in good form in the nets but always seemed to cop some good balls first up. Always a pleasure to have in the team and well respected by his team mates, I look forward to watching S.K weave his magic again.

GAVIN "G.C" CATO:

170 runs @ 15.45

Highest Score: 34

1 catch

5 wickets @ 37.00

Best Bowling: 2 for 11

4th in batting aggregates

Gav was a huge find for the team this year as he achieved some brilliant results in his first season back since playing junior cricket. Gav was one of our most consistent batsmen, more often than not getting a start. His highest score this season of 34 was a gem of an innings and showed us a glimpse of what we should expect in seasons to come. Bowling deceptive left-armers, Gav didn't reap the rewards he deserved in terms of wickets but he always managed to keep the scoring down. His battle with the hunchback with no gloves was great to watch. Gav's photography gave the team a sense of professionalism, taking some absolute rippers of the guys playing their shots. I'm sure I speak on behalf of the entire team in saying that it was a pleasure having Gav in the Dragons colours this season and look forward to doing it again next season.

BEN "CUTS" CUTLER:

7 wickets @ 21.71

Best Bowling: 3 for 25

71 runs @ 7.10

Highest Score: 20

World record for the bat throw

A solid year for Ben in all aspects of the game, but more so in his bowling. This season, Ben developed one of the most deceptive slower-balls ever and is reaped some excellent rewards. Some incredibly accurate spells for Ben this season has shown everyone what he is capable of and he should be taking the leather on my occasions next season. His batting was it's usually explosive best but he failed in building an innings after almost always getting a start. Everyone always looked forward to Ben batting because we all knew what was to come when he was dismissed. A great character to have in the team, it was great to see Ben's commitment improve remarkable this season and he should be looking forward to even better results next season.

MITCHELL "JAMIE" DURIE:

169 runs @ 15.36

Highest Score: 60 (career best)

1 catch

6 wickets @ 35.17

Best Bowling: 2 for 23

5th in batting aggregates

In his first season of senior cricket, Mitch rose to the occasion and had one of his finest seasons. His bowling was, as per usual, always on the spot and time-after-time went past the outside edge. However, the real surprise was Mitch's batting as he approached his batting with the sort of self-confidence that had eluded him in his junior cricket. He shared in two half-century partnerships with Chris and notched up his first ever half-century with a fine knock of 60 in round 6. One of the few blokes who turned up to training to every week, Mitch's commitment to the team could never be questioned. Congratulations on a fine season Mitch.

SEAN "SKIP" HALL:

126 runs @ 21.00

Highest Score: 40

4 catches

9 wickets @ 26.56

Best Bowling: 5 for 7

3rd in bowling aggregates

Another frustrating season for Sean as he again struggled with recurring injuries. But when he did get on the park, Sean performed brilliantly and was a consistently featured in the scorebook in the batting and bowling. His 5 for 7 against SUS Club in their dismal innings of just 14 was an incredible spell of pace and swing. Adding to his talents with the ball, Sean played some excellent knocks always adding some much-needed stability to our top order. Finally, Sean is without a doubt the most gifted fielder in the Shire (the catches he took this season can only be described as brilliant). An injury free 2003/2004 for Sean will no doubt see him achieve some outstanding results.

BEN "WINSTON" JUDGE:

106 runs @ 15.14

Highest Score: 49

7th in batting aggregates

3 wickets @ 22.00

Best Bowling: 1 for 13

Shared in a 172-run stand

Ben has had an astounding year for us this year. Batting with self-confidence and without the pressure that seemed to hamper him in boys this year, Ben was one of our most consistent batsmen. His 49 as a part of a 7th wicket partnership of 172 with Nathan was a gem of an innings and a sure sign of even better things to come for Ben next year. Wicket keeping in the boys meant that Ben was extra-keen to take the ball in men's and he took a wicket every time he bowled. One of the best talkers in the field, it was a pleasure having Ben in the team and many thanks to him for backing up and performing for us this season.

RYAN “2 ALL-BEEF PATTIES, SPECIAL SAUCE, LETTUCE, CHEESE, PICKLES, ONIONS, ON A SESAME SEED BUN” McLAUCHLAN:

60 runs @ 6.67

Highest Score: 24

5 dismissals

0 wickets

Shared in 2 record partnerships

Like Sean, Macca struggled with recurring injuries. But he managed to play in every one of our games this season through a sheer love of the game and through commitment to the team. We did, however, see glimpses of the Macca of old in some of his innings' this season, highlighted by an excellent 24 in round 13. Macca was also flawless behind the stumps in his few opportunities there and we are blessed to have such talent in reserve. One of the best talkers in the field and a great team mate to have in the squad, we can only hope the off-season is kinder to Mac this year and that he can return to the game at 100%. It will be a great sight to see Mac back in full flight next season.

CHRIS “FRIDGE, SYSTEM” NELSON:

263 runs @ 20.23

Highest Score: 63

3 catches

25 wickets @ 15.40

Best Bowling: 5 for 26

1st in bowling, 2nd in batting

Just have a look at those stats! A truly awesome season for Chris in his first full year of men's cricket. His results show that he cannot only perform at the men's level, but also in higher grades if he so wishes. Opening the bowling and batting 3 or 4, Chris was always a performer with usual both bat and ball and was one of the main aspects in our victories this season. He hit 63 twice this year, took the career-best figures of 5 for 26 against Illawong in round 4 and shared in 2 half-century partnerships with Mitch. On top of all this, Chris took some gems in the field this season, none more so than the one off my “bowling” against Cronulla. I won't be forgetting that catch anytime soon. One of the most committed players in the side, every accolade Chris gets for this season's results is thoroughly deserved. Many congratulations, Fridge!

SANJAY “STINGE, SANJEEVA, JOHN THE BOOKIE, THE LAZIEST 18 YEAR OLD EVER” PATEL:

95 runs @ 9.50

Highest Score: 24

7 wickets @ 20.86

Best Bowling: 2 for 26

4th in bowling aggregates

Another solid season, which now makes it, three good seasons in men's cricket in a row. Unfortunately, Sanjay's appearances were limited due to HSC/Schoolies and his form suffered as a result. A stop-start for season saw him struggle at times with the bat. However, he showed on a few occasions his usual class and elegance that the Patels are renowned for. On the flip side, Sanjay's bowling didn't suffer at all and he was finally able to control that Irish swing that he is famous for. His fielding was it's typical panther-like self and he managed to live up to his tag of being the laziest 18 year old ever as he dropped the biggest sitter of the season in round 14. Another player who backed up from coaching commitments in the morning, Sanjay has achieved very solid results, which will be the foundation for an even better 2003/2004.

MATTHEW “RUSS” RUSSELL:

95 runs @ 9.50

Highest Score: 23*

2 catches

0 wickets

Almost took home the Audi

After his best season ever last year, Matt made a very promising start to the season, getting a start in our first 4 games. After that, he suffered a terrible run of outs due to a lack of self-confidence, good balls and the usual umpiring decisions one gets when they are struggling for form. Still, Matt fought hard and hit form in round 14 with a flawless 23*. Despite struggling for form for the majority of the season, Matt was still a very committed and encouraging team member as he always was very supportive of his team mates on and off the field. His bowling consistently looked good in the nets, but his problems with the front foot no ball meant he couldn't get the amount of overs he deserved. A safe pair of hands and one of the few blokes to turn up to training almost every week, Matt will learn from this tough year and become stronger and even more hungry for runs. That 50 isn't too far down the track.

RYAN “SIMMO” SIMONS:

41 runs @ 8.20

Highest Score: 13*

2 catches

3 wickets @ 31.67

Best Bowling: 1 for 12

Finally beat Warney to no. 10

Simmo was another who didn't get to appear as often as we would've liked to have seen him. Due to HSC, Schoolies, injury and illness, Simmo was limited to only 6 games for us this season but still managed to be a contributor with both bat and ball. His bowling looked really good this year, building up genuine pace and taking a wicket every time he bowled. His big achievements this year, however, came with the willow as consistent scores down the order saw him beat of his long-time archrival for the promotion to number 10. Was left stranded on 13* in round 6 when Warney fell first ball, denying him of a certain 14 at least. Look forward to seeing Simmo play more games for us next season, taking plenty of wickets and scoring plenty of runs.

CHRIS "JACKO" JACKSON:

3 wickets @ 14.00

Best Bowling: 2 for 14

13 runs @ 6.50

Highest Score: 7

Played up from the mighty 16B's

In his three games for us this year, Jacko gave us just a glimpse of what to expect next year in his first season of men's. Bowling two brilliant spells, Jacko was not fazed at all by the cowboys having a go at him as he just let his talent do all the work. His batting copped the usual umpiring decisions that, unfortunately, Chris will no doubt become accustomed to next year. Many thanks for playing for us, Chris.

TIM "NO NICKNAME" RUSSELL:

6 wickets @ 10.67

Best Bowling: 3 for 11

6th in bowling aggregates

8 runs @ 8.00

Highest Score: 8*

Played up from the mighty 16B's

In only 2 appearances for us, Tim took on the cowboys of the B5 competition and won every battle. He showed them what happens if you try and slog quality bowling...you get out! His spell of 3 for 11 against Gynea in round 7 was a one of Tim's finest spells this season and added to the 21 wickets he took in junior cricket this year. Batting looked strong and we can look forward to Tim being a big asset to any senior side next season. Thanks again, Tim.

MATTHEW "BOOKO" SAMBUCCO:

3 wickets @ 6.33

Best Bowling: 3 for 19

3 runs @ 3.00

Highest Score: You guessed it, 3

Played up from the mighty 16B's

Matt's only appearance for us in round 14 showed us and himself that he can perform at any level. His spell of bowling signalled a return to form with the ball after struggling to take wickets in the 16's. His spell of 3 for 19 included taking 3 for 4 in 2 overs to leave the Gynea side reeling. With another year still to go in the 16's Matt should take any opportunity he can to play up in men's and feel confident that he can perform. Thanks for playing for us, Matt.

MARK "BIG RED" MITCHELL: (captain)

218 runs @ 21.80

Highest Score: 63

11 dismissals

5 wickets @ 25.40

Best Bowling: 2 for 33

3rd in batting aggregates

Had a pretty good year overall. I am absolutely stoked with my bowling, a very respectable average there which included a double-wicket maiden. Cop that St.Pats! Many thanks again to all you guys for your support for me as captain. After a very tough start to the year, it turned out to be a most enjoyable season and I can't thank you enough for making my job as captain an enjoyable one.

Rock on Australia!

CAPTAIN – MARK MITCHELL



B8 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -

BATSMAN:

Greg Faul

BOWLER:

Wade Horsnel

RUNNERS UP

THE TEAM: - Ed Bullock (capt), Robert Balmer, Clive Beardow, Greg Faul, Jeff Fiess, Matthew Healey, Wade Horsnel, Robbie Knight, Jackson Mall, Jason O'Rielly, Peter O'Rielly, Ryan Salakis, Gavin Scott, Tod Skevington, Brendan Smith.

Well, the third year of a three year plan nearly came together, with the team making the final, and even though we lost it was certainly no disgrace with the boyz fighting hard all the way to the end. All of us were very disappointed that we couldn't win it for ourselves, and for the very good crowd that turned up on the Sunday.

I must thank those couple of stalwarts of the sideline, Bobby Scott and Johnny Gibson for their support week in, week out. Warm up and start stretching big fella.

I won't dwell on the final but I must mention two blokes, Wade Horsnel and Ryan Salakis, the two new babes of the team, without them we would've been fishing Sunday. Ryan top scored on both days, [keep the valve loose on that head mate] & Wade 7 for bugger all on the Saturday. Yee Haa.

Now for a comment on my boyz

Rob "nothing gets past me" Balmer: The third new bloke in the team, who's enthusiasm outshone his ability, would never say die in his first ever year of cricket. This was very infectious to the rest of us and we had plenty of laughs through out the season. Thanks mate, I hope you can back up. [Is he still allowed in the rissole?]

Clive "beardy" Beardow: A bloke I would want in every side, unselfish, nothing is too much trouble and even though he wasn't happy with the season he had, I and the other fellas know that when the going got tough you would always put up your hand.

Greg "gronky" Faul: He said last year "I'm going to win that bloody batting award next comp", and he did. But only after getting a ton in the very last match and going past Todd who had it sewn up till then, not to mention the 17 wickets to go with the 360 runs. A top season Gronky.

Jeff Fiess: By Jeff's bowling standards he didn't have a great year [wicket wise] even though I thought he bowled well, but he did take the catch of the year, a one handed beauty in the outfield down at Como. That will live in the memory for all of us for some time.

Matt "heals" Healy: Another season of improvement for Matt, bowling quicker and more accurately, also taking more wickets and taking a couple of excellent catches, all in all a solid season. 13 wkts.

Wade "your the wade" Horsnel: Opened the bowling in every game he played and then came back for more. Wade had a great season topping the wickets with over 30, then getting seven more in the final. What more can be said. See you at the bar.

Robbie "swinging like a rusty gate" Knight: Robbie was always keen for a bat or bowl and helped out without being asked. I know he would've liked more field time, but he was always competitive when there, trying to gee up us old blokes. 8 wkts

Jason "jack" O'Reilly: When I could stop him swearing at the opposition Jack played some outstanding cricket [just joking mate], finishing up with over 200 runs and a few wickets with his off tweakers, also taking over the keeping duties [8 CTS 2 ST] when the other one became too old and fat. I know there's plenty more runs in you than what you showed this season, well done.

Peter "pop" O'Reilly: What can I say about the old man of the pitch. Just another couple of hundred runs, and 19 wickets, that kept us competitive, in just about every match. He even likes to have a beer with us young'uns, that is if he didn't get the s...s after getting a duck, which by the way wasn't very often. No mate, you certainly showed us young blokes how to play the game and stick to it. Another great season Pete.

Ryan Salakis: The longer the season went the better Ryan played, always putting up his hand to have a bat, sometimes in fairly tough conditions, and taking some great catches [5] in the outfield. Ryan bettered his P.B. on 5 occasions, which was a great effort.

Todd “skevo” Skevington: Todd blitzed them early in the season getting 3 half tons [74*p.b] and was going to win the batting easily until Gronk turned up for the last game. He also got 11 wkts and was our best fielder, showing plenty of skid marks to prove it almost every game.

Gavin “the commodore” Scott: Another great effort from Gavvy getting 19 wkts, 159 runs [80*p.b] and 4 catches. He always had the batsmen in two minds with that great wrongun of his, the keepers made to look pretty ordinary at times, but if we were looking for a breakthrough Gavvy would come up with it.

Brendan “sideburns” Smith: Once more Brendan improved and became more confident with each outing.

I think next year his lefties will be very handy. Also never complained about having long spells being stuck at fine leg or long on which makes captaining a lot easier. Good season

Ed “more ducks than a shallow pond” Bullock: Well the stats say it all, it looks like we now move on to the 5 year plan and see what happens, but one thing I will say is, it's a great pleasure to play with these gentlemen of the turf and, we will be back.

CAPTAIN – ED BULLOCK

B9 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Alan Roberts
	BOWLER:	Paul Dixon
	ALL ROUNDER:	Alan Roberts

RUNNERS UP

THE TEAM: - Ken Newman (capt), Hilton Bell, Kevin Bryan, Paul Dixon, Sam Dixon, Allan Lofthouse, Paul Marsh, Ian Mitchell, Matthew Newman, Sunil Patel, Alan Roberts, Alan Rolleston, Jonathon Rout, Chris Ward, William Ziegler.

The 2002/2003 B9 side was a mixture of youth, and dare I say it, experience. Most of the experience had been playing cricket longer than the youth had been on the planet! With such a disparate bunch of blokes, no one between the ages of 17 and 40, it would have been easy to have some problems, but the B9's were a team in every sense of the word. It is easy to see how everyone contributed when you read in the stats that nine players scored more than 100 runs for the season, 4 players took more than 20 wickets, and all but one took a catch or more.

The season was a mixed bag of results, with 2 outright wins, 4 on the first innings, 3 losses on the first innings, one outright loss (to the eventual premiers), a win on forfeit (10 points), and an outright loss after winning on the first innings!

It was a fantastic season. Our first game at Loftus saw us lose a tight one, against a team who also boasted a youth and experience policy. I saw enough that day to realise we were in for a good year both on and off the field. Our last game saw our season culminate in an appearance in the final. Unfortunately the result went to the bad guys, in a game where we were beaten by a better team. We had high hopes for a stronger batting performance in the final, with 3 senior players available that hadn't played Loftus during the rounds. Our hopes were dashed however when these 3 players turned in a DNB (injured), a 2nd ball duck and a golden! The best laid plans ...

Highlights for the year in no particular order:

The improvement from all the "youth"; **Jon Rout's** introduction to competitive cricket, a catch off his very first touch and his improvement with the ball ending with 15 wickets; **Al Roberts** guidance for the youth, his 5 for and his century; **Bill Ziegler's** batting in the final and his under utilised spin; **Paul Dixon's** enthusiasm, athleticism in the field and 25 wickets, a great first year in comp; **Chris Ward's** 63 and never say die attitude; **Ian Mitchell's** bowling - 20 wickets at 7.25, and incredible running between the wickets; **Kev Bryan's** 59 and his catching ability; **Sunil Patel's** improvement with the bat (great style!) and his bowling, **Matt Newman's** batting in the final, and his all round improvement with the gloves; **Sam Dixon's** 18*, his 5-29 and his aggressive opening of the bowling every match. Sam was averaging almost 50m with the bat at one stage! **Hilton Bell's** famous two step and his solid batting including a 61, **Paul Marsh's** 32 and his enthusiasm, **Allan Rolleston's** first runs and the cheer from his personal cheer squad ☺; the skippers 64* and 3 slips catches in the one match; and last but not least, the total commitment and the "laying of the body on the line" of **Al Lofthouse**.

I will also take this opportunity to thank Al and Judy Lofthouse for their help and dedication in making this such an enjoyable season. Nothing is ever too much trouble for this pair of Dragon's stalwarts, and I'm not sure the team would have fared half as well this year without their support. The B9's also thank the committee who have done another great job this season.

As a dad who has closely followed the youth of this team for the last eight years or so, and watched them mature into fine young men, it was a real pleasure to play with them alongside of blokes I have been playing with for much longer than 8 years. Fine old men?.

Gentlemen, I hope to see each and every one of you back next year. We have some unfinished business to attend to...

CAPTAIN – KEN NEWMAN

