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COMPETITION HONOURS 2003/2004

MINOR PREMIERS

B5 Team & B7 Team

PREMIERS

16A Team, B5 Team & B7 Team

RUNNERS UP

12A Team

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The 2003/2004 season was another successful year for the club finishing fifth in the junior club championship. We had two junior teams (16A & 12A) and two senior teams (B5 & B7) participating in the finals series with both the senior sides being Minor Premiers. Congratulations to the 16A, B5 and B7 teams on winning their finals and being Premiers with commiserations to the 12A's who just missed out on winning their final by just a handful of runs. Look out next year.... the Dragons will fire.

The other big news is our club will shortly have a place to call "home". The ANZAC Oval 527 Committee agreed to provide floor space above the soccer club meeting rooms to the cricket club. Of course the clubs Executive Committee quickly accepted the offer and subsequently applied to NSW Sports and Recreation for a grant of \$7,400 toward construction of walls to build "our new home". The grant was approved and construction work is expected to commence very shortly to hopefully be available for use around September this year.

Our Trivia Night was again an outstanding success raising much-needed funds toward the construction of our clubhouse facilities and equipment requirements Thanks to our MC Mr. Ken Newman for again officiating and preparing all the questions. The annual Club raffle was also a great success with Bob Price again providing all the hard work – thanks again Bob.

Once again 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. We are very fortunate to have such a dedicated group of people involved in our club. Special thanks must also go to our Secretary (and newest life member) Ian Latham for all his efforts in preparing the successful submission for the Sports and Recreation Grant and the production of the annual yearbook.

Another club stalwart needs special mention...Robbie Knight. Not only does he play in the senior competition for the club, he also coached the 12A's who narrowly missed being premiers, this year Robbie walked the streets of Engadine and obtained few thousand dollars sponsorship from local businesses for the club. No one asked him to do it....he just did it of his own free will for our club. Heaps and heaps of thanks Robbie from everyone involved with the Dragons.

Finally, thank you to all the players, parents, grand parents and friends associated with this great club. I said this last year and the same still applies...."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

"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.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The 2003/2004 season provided a real mixed bag in registration numbers. Despite the pre-season advertising and promotion there was a dramatic downturn in junior player numbers with the Club fielding ten teams made up of 109 Engadine and 6 St. Patrick's registered players. For the second season running we formed a joint team, this time with St. Patrick's, the 16C St. Pat's Dragons. Thanks to the efforts of both committees the venture proved again to be a real success and provided the opportunity for twelve of the thirteen players to compete in their last season of junior cricket.

In complete contrast to the juniors our senior numbers swelled for the fourth consecutive season and we fielded a record seven sides made up of 103 registered players in the SSCA competition. It was pleasing to see that the majority of our new registrations were made up of last season's under sixteen's.

For the first time in many seasons the Club fielded an under eight team in the SSJCA Competition. After disappointing results in recruitment from the "Have 'A' Go" Cricket Program over the past two seasons the re-introduction of under eight cricket has provided the opportunity to develop players at an early age. Our two under eight coaches Dean Griffith and Chris Jackson did a tremendous job in their first year as accredited coaches with the team winning seven of their ten matches. From the feedback I have received all nine players thoroughly enjoyed their cricket.

On the field our juniors found it difficult in a number of grades especially our 10A's side, which contained a large number of rookies. To their credit they stuck to their guns and showed great improvement in all their individual skills. Our 12C team made up of first year twelve's were competitive at various stages of the season. In their second year of this age group they should be right up there in contention for the final. All the under fourteen teams finished out of the top two but all had their share of success throughout the year. The 14B's, the Club's "Most Improved Team" defeated all the top sides but played without luck. The 14A's with nine of the eleven players in their first year of the age group had a number of good wins including knocking over eventual Premiers Illawong. Next season they will be warm favourites for the 14A grade honours. Our two 14D sides provided two of the best matches of the season when they faced off against each other. Both matches were played in great spirit and sportsmanship with the honours being shared. The 16C joint team struggled throughout the year but remained positive and did their best. The Club slipped from third to fifth in the SSJCA Club Championship which was a pleasing result considering the above-mentioned huddles.

Our seniors competed strongly across the grades with the greater majority of the teams in contention for the finals at various stages of the season. As previously mentioned we had another great influx of juniors making the transition to the senior ranks, which has provided great optimism for the future of our senior club. The A1's were again struck by injury and work commitments, which effectively finished their season mid year. The B2, B6 and C1 teams showed great early form but the Xmas break proved fatal in their premiership aspirations. Our youngest team, the B8's battled hard all season without a lot of points to show for their efforts. I'm sure with the experience gained in their first senior year they will go from strength to strength.

We again figured strongly in the Final's Series with two junior, and two senior sides contesting the final. Congratulations go to our Premiers, the 16A, B5 (Minor Premiers) and B7 (Minor Premiers) teams. Commiserations to our runner up, the 12A side. All four teams performed consistently and thoroughly deserved their place in the Final. Special mention must be made of the effort of our 16A team, which has now made it three straight 16A Premierships. Congratulations to all the players involved in setting this distinguished record and to the best two coaches in our Shire, Stuart Slack and Harry Robbins.

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. Congratulations to our 14A player Ben Marciante who was selected in the Under 13 Emerging Blues team. Also a special mention for Greg Ings (14A), Mark Rice (12A) and Sam Newman (12A) who were all invited to trial for the Emerging Blues.

On the financial side of things we were again well supported by our old faithfuls, Engadine R.S.L. & Citizens Club, Cosmo Lighting, Engadine Bowling & Recreational Club Ltd and Sutherland Credit Union. This season also saw the greatest number of advertisers ever in our Newsletter, thanks to the extraordinary efforts of Robbie Knight the Club is some \$3000 better off. On the social front thanks goes to Ken Newman whose M.C. skills provided another socially and financially successful Trivia Night. Bob Price's Club Raffle broke all records, thank you to Bob and to all the members and players that bought tickets.

This season saw the Club seek a "Department of Sport & Recreation Program Grant". I'm delighted to report that we were successful in our application and were awarded \$7400, which will be of great financially aid to the proposed construction of our clubroom and indoor training facility at the Anzac Oval Sporting Complex. All going well the room should be available for the commencement of the 2004/2005 season.

This being my last season as Club Secretary I would like to thank all the various Committee Members that I have worked with over the many years, it would be unfair of me to single any one person as I and the Club have been fortunate to have had so many dedicated people working to make our Club the best in the Shire. I have had many proud moments over the years, non-better than seeing junior players taking on coaching rolls within the Club. We are the most fortunate Club in the Association with all but two teams being coached by ex-juniors; incidentally fathers of ex-juniors coach the other two teams. With the A.G.M. just around the corner, Wednesday 2nd June 2004 7.30pm in the rooms of the Eagles Soccer Club 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. Working for this great Club has been a most rewarding experience and I highly recommend it.

Thank you to all the Committee for your support and work this season, it was a pleasure to work with you all. A special thanks goes to Tony Gleeson who took on the roll of reporting to the Engadine District News and all the footwork he put in prior to the start of the season with advertising and promoting our registrations. 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

What can one say? As treasurer it has been an easy task of controlling the 'monies' thanks to the prompt payment of fees.

Also the donations to the Club have been tremendous and this is all due to the diligent efforts of many members to obtain these funds. Thanks to all.

Congratulations to our premiership teams and to all members for the support of our great game.

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Playing Fees, Clothing & Appare	el 18,918	Association Fees (Junior & Senior)	· ·
		Umpire Fees	2,275
		Balls & Equipment	5,888
		Clothing & Apparel	3,308
Trivia Night	2,014	Newsletter Publication	3,030
Donations	7,800	Presentation Nights	4,146
Raffles	1,189	Bradman Scholarship	700
Interest	128	Synthetic Practice wicket	2,552
Total Receipts	30,049	Total Payments	30,117
Cash at Bank 01-07-2002	8,680	Cash at Bank 02-06-2003	8,612
Totals	38,729		38,729

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

John Carlisle Treasurer

PERPETUAL TROPHIES AND AWARDS CRITERIA AS AMENDED 2003/2004 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:

1 point

- For each 10 runs scored: 1 point
- For each wicket taken: -
- 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.

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.

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.

<u>Club All Rounder</u> (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 all round performance in the Junior and Intermediate Divisions. As a guide a minimum of 150 runs scored and 15 wickets taken (wicket keeper a minimum 10 catches/stumpings). For the purpose of assessing this award the general criteria set above shall apply. In addition 1 point will be awarded for each fielding catch and run out. 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:

<u>Club Service Awards</u>: 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.

<u>Club Member of the Year</u>: (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 highest graded 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 the Club will cover the costs all accommodation, fees, meals, internal transport at Bowral and resource material. In addition assistance towards travel costs and pocket money will also be included. Each scholarship is valued at \$390.

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 21 ST MAY 2004	- HEATHCOTE HIGH SCHOOL 7-30PM
SENIOR PRESENTATION NIGHT 22 ND MAY 2004	- ENGADINE R.S.L. CLUB 7-00PM
EDCC A.G.M. 2 ND JUNE 2004	- EAGLES CLUB ROOM 7-30PM
SSJCA (JUNIOR) PRESENTATION 6 Th JUNE 2004	- SUTHERLAND UNITED SERVICE CLUB U10/U12 1-00PM & U14/U16 2-45PM
SSJCA (JUNIOR) A.G.M. 8 TH JUNE 2004	- CARINGBAH OVAL 8-00PM
EDCC REGISTRATION 22 ND & 23 RD JULY 2004	- ANZAC COMPLEX 6-30PM TO 8-30PM
SSCA A.G.M. & PRESENTATION 26 TH JULY 2004	- CARINGBAH OVAL 8-00PM
GRADING (JUNIOR) 1 ST & 8 TH AUGUST 2004	- ANZAC OVAL NETS (TIMES T.B.A.)
GRADING (SENIOR) 1 ST AUGUST 2004	- ANZAC OVAL NETS 9-00AM
COMMENCEMENT OF THE 2004/05 SEASON	- 11 TH SEPTEMBER (subject to change)

JUNIOR & SENIOR BATTING & BOWLING RECORDS

SENIOR BATTING RECORDS (200 RUNS OR MORE)

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	BATTING AGGR	EGATE			BATTING	AVERAG	Æ
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	1973-7
B4	M. BAILEY	485	1979-80	B4	J. BLACK	57.80	1972-73
B5	J. McDONNELL	452	1984-85	B5	N. ALTERATOR	36.09	2002-0
B6	A. LOVETT	404	1985-86	B6	C. PARSONS	53.75	1985-8
B7	R. SALAKAS	357	2003-04	B7	A. VANNAN	38.00	1995-90
B8	G. FAUL	360	2002-03	B8	G. FAUL	30.00	2002-03
B9	ALAN ROBERTS	295	2002-03	B9	ALAN ROBERTS	42.14	2002-0
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	1985-80

SENIOR BOWLING RECORDS (20 WICKETS OR MORE)

BOWLING AGGREGATE

BOWLING AVERAGE

GRADE	BOWLER	WKTS	YEAR	GRADE	BOWLER	AVE	YEAR
A1	F. TERONE	55	1969-70	A1	B. COUSEMACKER	9.00	2000-01
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	S. VELLA	5.50	2003-04
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)

BATTING AGGREGATE

BATTING AVERAGE

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

<u>JUNIOR BOWLING RECORDS</u> SINCE ESTABLISHMENT IN 1959 THROUGH TO 1989/90 (20 WICKETS OR MORE)

BOWLING AGGREGATE

BOWLING AVERAGE

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. GORRY	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)

BATTING AGGREGATE

BATTING AVERAGE

GRADE	BATSMAN	RUNS	YEAR	GRADE	BATSMAN	AVE	YEAR
10A	L. HERNE	290	2003-04	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	R. MORRIS	396	2003-04	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)

BOWLING AGGREGATE			BOWLING AVERAGE				
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	K. ROLLESTON	24	2003-04	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	M. SAMBUCO	24	2003-04	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

JUNIORS

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STEWART VELLA	B5	BOWLING AVERAGE	5.50 PER WICKET
RYAN SALAKAS	B7	BATTING AGGREGATE	357 RUNS

OFFICE BEARERS (1959-60 TO 2003-04)

	<u>(1959-60 TO 2003-04)</u>						
<u>YEAR</u>	PRESIDENT	<u>SECRETARY</u>	ASSISTANT SECRETARY	<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	N. FORESHAW		K. BINNER			
	B.McMANUS snr						
1962-63	B. McMANUS snr	N. FORESHAW		K. BINNER			
		C. GREENWOOD					
1963-64	N. FORESHAW	R. SOMMER		H. SHOOTER			
	K. JOHNSON						
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		D. CRANSTON			
		G. ARNOTT					
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			
2003-04	G. SCOTT	I. LATHAM	A. LOFTHOUSE P. WARD	J. CARLISLE			

SSJCA CLUB CHAMPIONS "THE BERTSHELLTROPHY"

1970-1971 1971-1972 1973-1974 1974-1975 1975-1976 1976-1977

1978-1979 2000-2001

PREMIERSHIP WINNING TEAMS (1959-60 TO 2003-04)

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	Al
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	AI, 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
2003-04	16A	B5, B7

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	2002-03	JAY DAVIS

PREVIOUS MAJOR AWARD WINNERS

JUNIOR DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE RAY NOAKES TROPHY

1996/97 Ben Cutler 12B 1999/00 Dylan Beardow 12C 2002/03 Ben Marciante 12A

1997/98 Ryan Shepherd 12A 2000/01 Chris Reeves 12B

1998/99 Michael Lavallee 12A 2001/02 Andrew Jones 12A

JUNIOR DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE COL KEENAN TROPHY

1996/97 Sanjay Patel 12C 1999/00 Chris McMahon 12C 2002/03 Sam Newman 12A

1997/98 Mitchell Durie 12A 2000/01 Daniel Ward 10A

1998/99 Cameron Turner 12A 2001/02 Sam Newman 10A

JUNIOR DIVISION WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE MIKE FORDYCE TROPHY

1996/97 Brett Bullock 12C 1999/00 Jarryd Ward 12A 2002/03 Bryce Daenell 12A 1997/98 Jarryd Ward 10A 2000/01 Jason Raper 12E

1998/99 Chris Moreland 12A 2001/02 Bryce Alewood 10A

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE RUSS WADDELL TROPHY

1996/97 Lee Bailey 16B 1999/00 Ryan Shepherd 14A 2002/03 Jay Davis 16A

1997/98 Chris Pendergast 14A 2000/01 Ryan Shepherd 16A

1998/99 Kaine Johnson 16C 2001/02 Ryan Shepherd 16A

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE ALF LEMMON TROPHY

1996/97 Darren Baxter 14C 1999/00 Brett Martin 16C 2002/03 Greg Ings 14B

1997/98 Kaine Johnson 16D 2000/01 Brett Martin 16A

1998/99 Chris Nelson 14C 2001/02 Daniel Boyle 16D

INTERMEDIATE WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE CLEM HEFFERNAN TROPHY

1996/97 Brad Collins 16B 1999/00 Mark Mitchell 16C 2002/03 Chris Moreland 16A 1997/98 Andrew Hine 16A 2000/01 Stuart Dibb 14A

1998/99 Andrew Hine 16A 2001/02 Ben Jamieson 14A

SENIOR DIVISION BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD EDCC TROPHY

2001/02 Peter O'Reilly C1

2002/03 Jim Bonser B3

SENIOR DIVISION BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE JOHN CARLISLE TROPHY

2001/02 Matthew Carroll B6 2002/03 Paul Cameron A1 SENIOR DIVISION WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD EDCC TROPHY

1998/99 Brad Collins B4 2001/02 Colin Berry A3

1999/00 Jim Collins B7

2000/01 Mark Mitchell B7

2002/03 Matthew Newman B9

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET

THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY

1996/97 Michael Ralston B6 1999/00 Andrew Hine B2 2002/03 Chris Nelson B5

1997/98 Lee Bailey B5 2000/01 Mitchell Thompson A1

1998/99 Tim Cutler B4 2001/02 Jay Davis A3

MOST IMPROVED TEAM

THE BOB VANNAN TROPHY

1996/97 Bob & Darren Price 12B 1998/99 Dennis Pendergast & Harry Robbins 16A 2000/01 Brett Johnson & Steve Routh 16A 2002/03 Rob Lowe & Gordon Scott 14B

1997/98 Peter Ward & Ian Ward 12B 1999/00 Steve Routh & Steve Daniels 16A 2001/02 Rob Lowe & Roger McNee 14E

THE KEN TEVER TROPHY

1996/97 Darren Baxter 14C 1999/00 Matthew Hoff 10D 2002/03 Hayden Smith 10A 1997/98 Jess Correy 10A 2000/01 Daniel Boyle 14D 1998/99 Ian Mitchell 14E 2001/02 Ryan Marlow 10A

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

THE BOB PRICE SHIELD

1998/99 Chris McMahon 10C 2001/02 Jeffrey Walsh 12D 1999/00 Ryan Woodley 12C2000/01 Alex Sambuco 12E2002/03 Scott Middlemiss 12B

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

THE GREG HEFFERNAN TROPHY

1998/99 Alan Wood 12A 2001/02 Stuart Brandman 16A 1999/00 Stuart Brandman 14A2000/01 Andrew Jones 10A2002/03 Ben Holt 14C

EDCC BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCOLARSHIP

2001/02 Bryce Daenell 12A & Andrew Jones 12A 2002/03 Ben Marciante 12A & Daniel Ward 12A

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

THE VAL TEVER TROPHY

1996/97 Laurie Daly 1999/00 Harry Robbins 2002/03 Allan Lofthouse

1997/98 Ian Latham 2000/01 Brad Moreland 1998/99 Steve Daniels 2001/02 Stuart Slack & Neil Jamieson

CLUB ALL ROUNDER

(Junior & Intermediate Divisions) THE IAN LATHAM TROPHY

JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION

(Junior & Intermediate Divisions) THE BARRY McMANUS TROPHY

1998/99 Michael Lavallee 12A 2001/02 Ryan Shepherd 16A
 1999/00 Ryan Shepherd 14A
 200

 2002/03 Jay Davis 16A
 200

2000/01 Ryan Shepherd 16A

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION

THE HARRY ROBBINS TROPHY

1996/97 Paul Waddell B6 1999/00 Andrew Hine B2 2002/03 Paul Cameron A1 1997/98 Marcus Loxley B5 2000/01 Will Wooster B5 1998/99 Beau Knowles C1 2001/02 Greg Goodman A1

2003/2004 SEASON JUNIOR COMPETITION DETAILS

SSJCA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP POINT SCORE

	CLUB	POINTS
1.	ILLAWONG MENAI	125.72
2	CARINGBAH SPORTS	117.42
3.	ST JOHN BOSCO	117.14
4.	DLS SEAGULLS	114.67
5.	ENGADINE DRAGONS	113.11
6.	COMO JANNALI	102.91
7.	SYLVANIA	102.17
8.	ST PATRICKS	100.00
9.	MIRANDA MAGPIES	86.00
10.	GYMEA BAY	85.56
11.	LOFTUS	72.00
12.	AQUINAS COLLEGE	67.67
13.	ST PATS-DRAGONS	48.00
14.	COMO-ST PATS	48.00

SSJCA COMPETITION POINTS SCORE

10A GRADE		10B GRADE		10C GRADE		10D GRADE	
ILLAWONG MENAI	55	COMO JANNALI	50	COMO JANNALI	38	DLS SEAGULLS	52
ST PATRICKS	39	ILLAWONG MENAI 2	42	AQUINAS	38	CARINGBAH	34
ST JOHN BOSCO	39	ILLAWONG MENAI 3	33	ILLAWONG MENAI	36	AQUINAS	34
SYLVANIA	27	ST JOHN BOSCO	26	GYMEA BAY	29	ILLAWONG MENAI	28
CARINGBAH	26	CARINGBAH	26	ST JOHN BOSCO	18	COMO JANNALI	22
ENGADINE	24	ST PATRICKS	14	MIRANDA	18	MIRANDA	22
12A GRADE		12B GRADE		12C GRADE		12D GRADE	
CARINGBAH	44	LOFTUS	36	ILLAWONG MENAI	48	GYMEA BAY	42
ENGADINE	42	CARINGBAH	36	GYMEA BAY	47	AQUINAS	42
ILLAWONG MENAI	41	GYMEA BAY	35	DLS SEAGULLS	40	MIRANDA	38
DLS SEAGULLS	28	ST PATRICKS	30	AQUINAS	26	GYMEA BAY	37
COMO JANNALI	28	ST JOHN BOSCO	28	ENGADINE	24	CARINGBAH 3	34
ILLAWONG MENAI 2	24	SYLVANIA	14	COMO JANNALI	13	CARINGBAH 4	29
						ILLAWONG MENAI	18
						ST PATRICKS	17
14A GRADE		14B GRADE		14C GRADE		14D GRADE	
SYLVANIA	44	ST JOHN BOSCO	46	DLS SEAGULLS	44	GYMEA BAY	51
ILLAWONG MENAI	44	ST PATRICKS	38	COMO JANNALI	40	SYLVANIA	48
MIRANDA	36	ILLAWONG MENAI	36	SYLVANIA	40	CARINGBAH	46
COMO JANNALI	24	GYMEA BAY	32	ILLAWONG MENAI	28	ILLAWONG MENAI	41
ENGADINE	24	ENGADINE	32	AQUINAS	28	AQUINAS	31
CARINGBAH	20	MIRANDA	14	ST PATRICKS	12	COMO-ST PATS	22
						ENGADINE 3	19
						ENGADINE 4	12
16A GRADE		<u>16B GRADE</u>		16C GRADE		8A GRADE	
CARINGBAH	44	ST PATRICKS	42	MIRANDA	44	CARINGBAH 1	48
ENGADINE	36	ST JOHN BOSCO	42	AQUINAS	36	ILLAWONG MENAI	44
DLS SEAGULLS	36	MIRANDA	42	COMO JANNALI	35	SYLVANIA	44
COMO JANNALI	32	COMO JANNALI	26	CARINGBAH	35	DLS SEAGULLS	40
ILLAWONG MENAI	28	ILLAWONG MENAI	24	ILLAWONG MENAI 3	33	ST JOHN BOSCO 1	40
AQUINAS	16	GYMEA BAY	16	ILLAWONG MENAI 4	32	ENGADINE	36
				ST PATS DRAGONS	32	COMO JANNALI	32
						CARINGBAH 2	26
						ST PATRICKS	24
						ST JOHN BOSCO 2	21
						AQUINAS	15

SSJCA FINALS RESULTS

GRADE	PREMIERS	SCORE	v	RUNNERS UP	SCORE
16A	ENGADINE	10-167		CARINGBAH*	10-125
16B	ST JOHN BOSCO	8-131		ST PATRICKS*	10-82
16C	MIRANDA*	3-107		AQUINAS	10-102
14A	ILLAWONG MENAI	10-184		SYLVANIA*	10-116
14B	ST PATRICKS	10-73		ST JOHN BOSCO*	10-71
14C	DLS SEAGULLS*	5-165		COMO JANNALI	10-44
14D	GYMEA BAY*	8-90		SYLVANIA	9-89
12A	CARINGBAH*	8-73		ENGADINE	10-63
12B	LOFTUS*	5-112		CARINGBAH	10-110
12C	ILLAWONG MENAI*	10-117		GYMEA BAY	70
12D	GYMEA*	10-126		AQUINAS	10-108
10A	ILLAWONG MENAI*	10-121		ST PATRICKS	9-76
10B	COMO JANNALI*	5-88		ILLAWONG MENAI	10-49
10C	AQUINAS	6-67		COMO JANNALI*	6-62
10D	DLS SEAGULLS*	5-90		CARINGBAH	9-50

<u>NOTE</u>: * Denotes Minor Premiers.

FINAL'S SCOREBOARD

<u>12A ENGADINE vs CARINGBAH SPORTS</u> PLAYED AT WOOLAWARE OVAL ON MARCH 13, 2004

ENGADINE	10 for 63	Lost to	CARINGBAH SP	ORTS* 8 for 73	
S. NEWMAN	run out Turner	1	N. SHARMAN	c Newman b Middlemis	ss 13
J. DUNCAN	b Sharman	14	P. CHAPMAN	b Rice	3
N. LODER	caught b Larkins	2	N. WOAN	b Smith	26
R. MARLOW	b Sharman	2	R. LARKINS	b Newman	1
M. RICE	b Sharman	0	N. McCARTHY	b Marlow	2
A. SMITH	caught b Lesmond	15	N. TURNER	lbw Marlow	3
J. WATSON	b Sharman	5	M. BURG	c Bedford b Newman	2
D. McMILLAN	run out Birdsall	0	D. BIRDSALL	run out Duncan	1
S. MIDDLEMISS	not out	5	K. BOLLARD	not out	5
W. LAWSON	caught b Bollard	5	J. LESMOND	not out	5
M. BEFORD	b Larkins	2	S. MARTIN		
Extras: (2b 2lb 8w 0	nb)	12	Extras: (5b 0lb 7w	0nb)	12
Ten wickets for: 63			Eight wickets for:		73
Fall: 2, 6, 9, 9, 35, 4	6, 47, 50, 56, 63		Fall: 10, 34, 42, 54,	60, 61, 63, 64	
Bowling: Lesmond	8-2-1-8, Larkins 5.1-0-	2-8	Bowling: Watson 8	-5-0-8, Duncan 8-4-0-9,	
Sharman 8-3-4-10, H	Bollard 8-3-1-11, Birds	all 6-2-0-4	Marlow 8-2-2-11, F	Rice 10-4-1-12, Middlemis	s 2-0-1-4
Burg 10-2-0-14, Ma	rtin 2-0-0-4		Newman 10-6-2-11	, Smith 4-1-1-13	
Batting time: 166 m	in. Overs: 47.1		Batting time: 163 m	nin. Overs: 50	
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<u>NOTE</u>: * Denotes team batting first

16A ENGADINE vs CARINGBAH SPORTS PLAYED AT WARATAH OVAL MARCH 13, 2004

ENGADINE*	10 for 167	Defeated	CARINGBAH SPO	RTS 10 for 12:	5		
D. ANDREWS	caught b Gladman	13	G. RICHARDS	c Andrews b Samad	17		
J. BILLS	caught b Gladman	75	R. RIDGE	c Sambuco b Turner	26		
C. TURNER	stumped b G.Richard	ls 19	M. EARLEY	c Sambuco b Bills	42		
C. REEVES	lbw b Mall	3	A. MALL	c Sambuco b Logan	0		
O. SAMAD	lbw b Earley	4	S. RICHARDS	c Hyde b Bills	9		
A. LOGAN	b Earley	21	L. SPENCER	c Turner b Bills	0		
N. BULLOCK	caught b Pitarelli	1	M. HALL	b Turner	2		
K. HYDE	caught b Earley	5	B. GLADMAN	c Sambuco b Bills	8		
M. SAMBUCO	not out	6	M. RITCHIE	not out	1		
G. HAINSWORTH	b Earley	0	M. BOWMER	c Bills b Samad	6		
R. DUMBRELL	run out Mall	0	ABSENT		0		
Extras: (6b 6lb 6w 2r	ıb)	20	Extras: (2b 2lb 10w (Onb)	14		
wickets for:		167	wickets for: 125				
Fall: 71, 114, 126, 12	28, 144, 149, 158, 167,	167, 167	Fall: 42, 59, 61, 81, 8	84, 89, 110, 118, 125, 1	25		
Bowling: Mall 9-3-1-	-17, S. Richards 8.1-1-	0-21,	Bowling: Logan 10-4-1-9, Sambuco 9-2-0-20,				
Earley 11-2-4-33, Gladman 12-2-2-29, Hall 6-0-0-21		Bills 12-3-4-21, Samad 9.3-1-2-29, Turner 11-1-2-33					
G. Richards 10-1-1-25, Pitarelli 3-1-1-9			Hainsworth 2-0-0-9				
Batting time: 209 min	ns Overs: 59.1		Batting time: 190 Overs: 54.3				

<u>NOTE</u>: * Denotes team batting first

PLAYER OF THE FINAL

12A TEAM:

JORDAN DUNCAN

16A TEAM:

JAMES BILLS

"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 six 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

10A TEAM		14D-1 TEAM	
BATSMAN BOWLER TEAM PLAYER MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER ALL ROUNDER	Liam Herne Hayden Smith Tom Dowd Robbie Farnan Liam Herne Hayden Smith	BATSMAN BOWLER TEAM PLAYER MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER	Ryan Morris Clinton Allen Ross Henderson Kristian White Clinton Allen
12A TEAM		14D-2 TEAM	
BATSMAN BOWLER CONSISTENT MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER ALL ROUNDER	Ryan Marlow Mark Rice Jordan Duncan Adam Smith Ryan Marlow Mark Rice	BATSMAN BOWLER TEAM PLAYER FIELDING ALL ROUNDER ALL ROUNDER	Amy Watson Caryn Rolleston Victoria Meyer Kathryn Kingsley Amy Watson Kirby Ann Marsh
12C TEAM		16A TEAM	
BATSMAN BOWLER CONSISTENT TEAM PLAYER ALL ROUNDER	Blake Duncum Kelly Rolleston Matthew Christison Dion Gover Kelly Rolleston	BATSMAN BOWLER CONSISTENT MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER ALL ROUNDER	Cameron Turner Matthew Sambuco Adam Logan Dylan Andrews James Bills Omar Samad
14A TEAM		16C (ST PATS DRA	GONS)
BATSMAN BOWLER TEAM PLAYER MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER	Ben Marciante Greg Ings Andrew Herne Ryan Croom Daniel Ward	BATSMAN BOWLER TEAM PLAYER FIELDING	Peter Balmer Michael Panich* Corey Davis Peter Waddington*
14B TEAM			
BATSMAN BOWLER CONSISTENT MOST IMPROVED ALL ROUNDER	James Stone Matthew Hoff Adam Dowd Lesi Du James Stone		

<u>NOTE</u>: * Denotes St Pats registered player

PERFORMANCES IN PRELIMINARY CRICKET

BATTING					
NAME	TEAM	INNS	OUTS	AGGREGATE	AVERAGE
MATTHEW BERRY	8A	9	6	26	4.33
TIM BERRY	8A	9	7	60	8.57
JARROD COSGRIFF	8A	9	5	51	10.20
BRENDAN CURTIS	8A	9	3	123	41.00
TRENT EDWARDS	8A	9	7	24	3.43
CAITLYN HERNE	8A	9	7	4	0.57
JOSHUA JOHNSTON	8A	9	9	43	4.78
NATHAN MARCIANTE	8A	9	5	127	25.40
CHRIS PENDERGAST	8A	9	6	25	4.17

BOWLING

NAME	TEAM	OVERS	MAIDENS	WKTS	RUNS	E/RATE	AVE
MATTHEW BERRY	8A	27	1	3	96	3.55	32.00
TIM BERRY	8A	27	2	10	80	2.96	8.00
JARROD COSGRIFF	8A	27	0	3	95	3.52	31.67
BRENDAN CURTIS	8A	27	5	8	55	2.04	6.87
TRENT EDWARDS	8A	27	2	6	77	2.85	12.83
CAITLYN HERNE	8A	27	1	1	108	4.00	108.0
JOSHUA JOHNSTON	8A	24	2	8	62	2.58	7.75
NATHAN MARCIANTE	8A	27	6	10	55	2.04	5.50
CHRIS PENDERGAST	8A	27	0	2	112	4.15	56.0

TOP PERFORMANCES IN JUNIOR DIVISION (Based on aggregate & in excess of 100 runs and 10 wickets)

BATTING

NAME	TEAM	INNINGS	NO	AGGREGATE	AVERAGE
LIAM HERNE	10A	13	3	290	29.00
HAYDEN SMITH	10A	13	4	277	30.78
RYAN MARLOW	12A	9	0	253	28.11
BLAKE DUNCUM	12C	14	3	242	22.00
MATTHEW CHRISTISON	12C	14	2	159	13.25
MARK RICE	12A	9	0	139	15.44
JORDAN DUNCAN	12A	9	1	138	17.25
NATHAN LODER	12A	9	1	122	15.25
ROBBIE FARNAN	10A	15	3	110	9.17
KELLY ROLLESTON	12C	14	3	109	9.91

BOWLING

NAME	TEAM	OVERS	MAIDENS	WKTS	RUNS	E/RATE	AVE
KELLY ROLLESTON	12C	64	15	24	174	2.72	7.25
HAYDEN SMITH	10A	76	9	22	218	2.87	9.91
MATTHEW LAUNT	12C	58	9	16	135	2.33	8.44
LIAM HERNE	10A	62	9	16	186	3.00	11.60
MARK RICE	12A	81	21	12	170	2.01	14.17
RYAN MARLOW	12A	61	11	11	129	2.11	11.73
JOHN WATSON	12A	47.5	14	10	107	2.24	10.70

WICKET KEEPING

TEAM	NAME	CATCHES	STUMPINGS	AGGR	BYES	AVE
10A	ROBBIE FARNAN	6	0	6	101	16.83
12A	ADAM SMITH	1	0	1	25	25.00
12C	MATTHEW CHRISTISON	3	1	4	7	1.75

FIELDING

(Non-ke	eper)	
TEAM	NAME	CATCHES
10A	ANDREW HOFF & HAYDEN SMITH	3
12A	RYAN MARLOW	8
12C	BLAKE DUNCUM	8

TOP PERFORMANCES IN INTERMEDIATE DIVISION (Based on aggregate & in excess of 150 runs and 15 wickets)

BATTING					
NAME	TEAM	INNINGS	NO	AGGREGATE	AVE
CAMERON TURNER	16A	10	1	482	53.56
RYAN MORRIS	14D	15	2	396	30.46
JAMES STONE	14B	8	0	371	46.38
BEN MARCIANTE	14A	12	0	333	27.75
JAMES BILLS	16A	10	1	316	35.11
BEN HOLT	14B	9	0	297	33.00
DYLAN ANDREWS	16A	10	0	281	28.10
ALEX SAMBUCO	14D	12	1	244	22.18
RYAN CROOM	14A	12	0	230	19.67
BRENNAN JAMES	14B	10	1	215	23.89
PETER BALMER	16C	8	2	188	31.33
MITCHELL ATTENBOROUGH	14D	11	1	169	16.90
CHRIS REEVES	16A	10	0	165	16.50
AMY WATSON	14D	17	4	163	12.54
CLINTON ALLEN	14D	15	4	162	14.73
KIRBY-ANN MARSH	14D	15	0	160	10.67
DANIEL WARD	14A	12	2	154	15.40
OMAR SAMAD	16A	9	3	152	25.33

BOWLING

NAME	TEAM	OVERS	MAIDENS	WKTS	RUNS	E/RATE	AVE
MATTHEW SAMBUCO	16A	110	27	24	283	2.57	11.79
JAMES BILLS	16A	88	12	22	280	3.18	12.72
OMAR SAMAD	16A	107	14	22	295	2.76	13.41
CLINTON ALLEN	14D	70	14	21	224	3.20	10.67
GREG INGS	14A	110	13	19	302	2.74	15.89
ADAM LOGAN	16A	118	27	19	320	2.71	16.84
DANIEL WARD	14A	98	14	18	271	2.76	15.06
CARYN ROLLESTON	14D	71	12	17	223	3.14	13.12
AMY WATSON	14D	92	17	17	265	2.88	15.59

WICKET KEEPING

TEAM	NAME	CATCHES	STUMPINGS	AGGR	BYES	AVE
16A	ROBERT DUMBRELL	14	0	14	52	3.71
16C	CAMERON CURTIS	6	0	6	N/A	N/A
14A	BRYCE DAENELL	3	2	5	41	8.20
14B	BRENNAN JAMES	4	4	8	59	7.37
14D	RYAN MORRIS	3	8	11	51	4.64
14D	KIRBY-ANN MARSH	4	7	11	36	3.27

N/A: STATISTICS NOT AVAILABLE

FIELDING (Non-keeper)

TEAM	NAME	CATCHES
16A	CAMERON TURNER	8
16C	CAMERON CURTIS & PETER WADDINGTON*	6
14A	MICHAEL DUMBRELL	6
14B	DALE BATES, PAUL BREMNER & COLIN KIDD	4
14D	RYAN MORRIS	4
14D	CARYN ROLLESTON	4

<u>NOTE</u>: * Denotes St Pats Registered player

COSMO LIGHTING PLAYER OF THE ROUND

		DIVISION	
RND	NAME	TEAM	PERFORMANCE
1	MARK RICE	12A	44 & 3 for 20
2	LIAM HERNE	10A	102 no
3	JORDAN DUNCAN	12A	29
4	BLAKE DUNCUM	12C	42 & 3 for 18
5	KELLY ROLLESTON	12C	34 no & 3 for 12
6	HAYDEN SMITH	10A	44 no
7	MATTHEW LAUNT	12C	3 for 9
8	RYAN MARLOW	12A	119 & 3 for 14
9	DION GOVER	12C	3 for 15
10	DANIEL DWYER	12C	3 for 7 & 2 for 10

JUNIOR DIVISION

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

RND	NAME	TEAM	PERFORMANCE
1	RYAN CROOM	14A	70
2	DYLAN ANDREWS	16A	74
3	GREG INGS	14A	4 for 21
4	CAMERON TURNER	16A	162 no
5	JAMES STONE	14B	112
6	JAMES BILLS	16A	99 & 3 for 8
7	BEN HOLT	14B	72
8	KATHRYN KINGSLEY	14D	56
9	DANIEL WARD	14A	33 & 2 for 33
10	RYAN MORRIS	14D	113

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OUTSTANDING PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS

CENTURY MAKERS

Cameron Turner (16A)	162 no	v	Illawong	Round No. 4
Ryan Marlow (12A)	119	v	De La Salle	Round No. 8
Ryan Morris (14D)	113	v	Illawong	Round No. 10
James Stone (14B)	112	v	St Patrick	Round No. 5
Alex Sambuco (14D)	107	v	Como/St.Pats	Round No. 4
Cameron Turner (16A)	106	v	De La Salle	Round No. 10
Liam Herne (10A)	102 no	v	Aquinas	Round No. 2

HAT TRICKS

Brendan Curtis (8A)	3 for 3	V	Illawong	Round No. 7

FIVE WICKETS IN AN INNINGS

Peter Waddington* (16C)	5 for 13	v	Illawong	Round No. 2
Omar Samad (16A)	5 for 36	v	Como-Jannali	Round No. 7

FOUR STUMPINGS IN AN INNINGS

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Kirby-Ann Marsh (14D)	Kirby-Ann	Marsh ((14D)
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MAJOR AWARD WINNERS JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE DIVISIONS

<u>ROOKIE OF THE YEAR</u> THE KEN TEVER TROPHY

Winner:

Ryan Morris (14D)

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

Winner:

Alex Lewis (14D)

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

Winner:

Cameron Turner (16A)

CLUB ALL ROUNDER THE IAN LATHAM TROPHY

Winner:

James Bills (16A)

JUNIOR DIVISION

BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE RAY NOAKES TROPHY

Winner:

Liam Herne (10A)

BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD

THE COL KEENAN TROPHY

Winner:

Kelly Rolleston (12C)

WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE MIKE FORDYCE TROPHY

Winner:

Robbie Farnan (10A)

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE RUSS WADDELL TROPHY

Winner:

Cameron Turner (16A)

BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE ALF LEMMON TROPHY

Winner:

Matthew Sambuco (16A)

WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE CLEM HEFFERNAN TROPHY

Winner:

Robert Dumbrell (16A)

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

Winner:

Cameron Turner (16A)

SPECIAL CLUB AWARDS

MOST IMPROVED JUNIOR & INTERMEDIATE TEAM

THE BOB VANNAN TROPHY

Winner:

14B Team

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR THE VAL TEVER TROPHY

Winner:

Robbie Knight

EDCC BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Winners: Ryan Marlow (12A) & Mark Rice (12A)

CLUB SERVICE AWARDS

- **<u>5 YEARS</u>**: Sam Newman (12A), Mark Rice (12A), Adam Smith (12A), Andrew Herne (14A), Andrew Jones (14A), Ben Latham (14A), Brent Woodley (14A), Matthew Hoff (14B), James Punshon (16A), Lance Cochrane (B2), Will Wooster (B2), Kevin Bryan (B5), Peter Coman (B6)
- **<u>10 YEARS</u>**: Matthew Russell (B5), Mitchell Durie (B6), Chris Nelson (B6), Jason O'Reilly (B7), Peter O'Reilly (B7), Stuart Dibb (B8), Dean Griffith (B8), Chris Jackson (B8), Tim Russell (B8)
- **<u>20 YEARS</u>**: Bill Ziegler (C1)
- **<u>25 YEARS</u>**: Drew Lake (A1)

EDCC APPRECIATION AWARD:

Robbie Knight (5 Years coaching), Tony Gleeson, Ken Newman

NOMINATED FOR CLUB AWARDS

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR "THE KEN TEVER TROPHY"

Nathan Marciante (8A), Brendan Curtis (8A), Nicholas Chamberlain (10A), Ryan Morris (14D), Kathryn Kingsley (14D), Gavin Hainsworth (16A)

THE BOB PRICE ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD

Robbie Farnan (10A), Michael Bedford (12A), Dean McMillan (12A), Will Lawson (12A), Matthew Launt (12C), Adam Dow (14B), Christian Haynes (14D), Alex Lewis (14D)

THE GREG HEFFERNAN FIELDING TROPHY

Andrew Hoff (10A), Ryan Marlow (12A), Sam Newman (12A), Blake Duncum (12C), Michael Dumbrell (14A), Matthew Hoff (14B), Daniel Tench (14D), Cameron Turner (16A), Peter Waddington (16C)

BRADMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Jordan Duncan (12A), Ryan Marlow (12A), Sam Newman (12A), Mark Rice (12A)

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET "THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY" Michael Lavallee (B6), Allan Wood (B6), Tim Russell (B8)

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR "THE VAL TEVER TROPHY"

Robbie Knight, Tony Gleeson, Ken Newman

INDIVIDUAL TEAM AWARD WINNERS SENIOR DIVISION

BATSMAN

TEAM	BATSMAN	AGGR	BOWLER	WKTS
A1	MURRAY JOHNSTON	311	ROSS STUART	21
B2	JIM BONSER	345	PAUL WADDELL	25
B5	MARK MITCHELL	323	STEWART VELLA	28
B6	RICHARD KATON	291	CHRIS NELSON	35
B7	RYAN SALAKAS	357	WADE HORSNELL	31
B8	TIM RUSSELL	221	TIM RUSSELL	23
C1	BILL ZIEGLER	282	SAM DIXON	27

TOP PERFORMANCES IN SENIOR DIVISION

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

BATTING

NAME	TEAM	INNINGS	NO	AGGREGATE	AVERAGE
RYAN SALAKAS	B7	12	0	357	29.75
JIM BONSER	B2	11	0	345	31.36
TOD SKEVINGTON	B7	8	1	332	47.43
MARK MITCHELL	B5	12	3	323	35.89
MICHAEL SMITH	B7	12	1	313	28.45
MURRAY JOHNSTON	A1	11	2	311	34.55
PETER O'REILLY	B7	11	2	302	33.56
WADE HORSNELL	B7	9	3	292	48.67
RICHARD KATON	B6	11	1	291	29.10
NATHAN ALTERATOR	B5	11	0	290	26.36
MICHAEL LAVALLEE	B6	12	1	283	25.73
BILL ZIEGLER	C1	11	0	282	25.64
WILL WOOSTER	B2	10	0	272	27.20
BEN JUDGE	B5	8	0	263	32.87
IAN MITCHELL	C1	12	0	252	21.00
GREG HEFFERNAN	A1	10	0	249	24.90
TROY CLIFFORD	B6	13	2	247	22.45
STEWART VELLA	B5	8	0	241	30.12
DAMIEN COLLINS	B2	9	0	233	25.89
TIM RUSSELL	B8	16	0	221	13.81
JASON O'REILLY	B7	10	1	219	24.33
CHRIS LINLEY	B2	11	0	207	18.82
EVAN DEACON	B5	7	2	206	41.20
ALAN WOOD	B6	11	0	202	18.36
MITCHELL RYAN	B8	15	2	201	15.46

BOWLING

NAME	TEAM	OVERS	MAIDENS	WKTS	RUNS	AVE
CHRIS NELSON	B6	128	22	35	453	12.94
WADE HORSNELL	B7	127.4	16	31	481	15.52
STEWART VELLA	B5	63.3	19	28	154	5.50
SAM DIXON	C1	91.1	19	27	257	9.52
PAUL WADDELL	B2	94.4	11	25	318	12.72
MATTHEW CARROLL	B5	69.2	6	24	290	12.08
PAUL JOHNSON	B7	74.2	3	23	328	14.26
TIM RUSSELL	B8	104.5	23	23	365	15.87
ROSS STUART	A1	67	5	21	229	10.90
NATHAN DE ROOY	B5	84	17	21	259	12.33
JIM BONSER	B2	74.4	15	20	282	14.10

WICKET KEEPING

TF	EAM	NAME	CATCHES	STUMPINGS	AGGR
1	A1	JEREMY VICKERS	11	5	16

B2	GRAHAM PRICE	3	1	4
B5	RYAN McLAUCHLAN	14	7	21
B6	CHRIS MORELAND	16	0	16
B 7	JASON O'REILLY	6	0	6
B8	STUART DIBB	8	1	9
C1	MATTHEW NEWMAN	7	1	8

TEAM PERFORMANCES

(aggregate/ full match performances)

TEAM	BEST BATSMAN		BEST BOWLER		BEST FIELDSMAN	
					(Catches, non-keeper)	
A1	MURRAY JOHNSTON	311	ROSS STUART	21	GREG HEFFERNAN	10
B2	JIM BONSER	345	PAUL WADDELL	25	TROY SELVAGE	9
B5	MARK MITCHELL	323	STEWART VELLA	28	NATHAN ALTERATOR	8
					BEN JUDGE	
B6	RICHARD KATON	291	CHRIS NELSON	35	ALLAN WOOD	7
B7	RYAN SALAKAS	357	WADE HORSNELL	31	ERIC GUILLY	10
B8	TIM RUSSELL	221	TIM RUSSELL	23	MITCHELL RYAN	8
C1	BILL ZIEGLER	282	SAM DIXON	27	IAN MITCHELL	7

OUTSTANDING PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

CENTURY MAKERS

Tod Skevington (B7)	18 <mark>2 no</mark>	V	S.U.S.C.	Round No. 1
Ian Mitchell (C1)	138	v	Illawong	Round No. 5
Damien Collins (B2)	144	v	Aquinas	Round No. 4
Peter O'Reilly (B7)	115	v	Illawong	Round No. 9
Michael Lavallee (B6)	100 no	v	Illawong	Round No. 9

SEVEN WICKETS IN AN INNINGS 7 for 11 v Heathcote

Stewart Vella (B5)

HAT TRICKS

Evan Deacon (B5)

4 for 7 v Illawong

Round No. 2

Round No. 3

MAJOR AWARD WINNERS SENIOR DIVISION

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION THE HARRY ROBBINS TROPHY

Winner:

Jim Bonser (B2)

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET THE BILL KNOWLES TROPHY

Winner:

Michael Lavallee (B6)

SENIOR BATTING PERFORMANCE AWARD EDCC TROPHY

Winner:

Ryan Salakas (B7)

SENIOR BOWLING PERFORMANCE AWARD THE JOHN CARLISLE TROPHY

Winner:

Chris Nelson (B6)

SENIOR WICKET KEEPING PERFORMANCE AWARD EDCC TROPHY

Winner:

Ryan McLauchlan (B5)

COSMO LIGHTING SENIOR PLAYER OF THE ROUND

RND	NAME	TEAM	PERFORMANCE
1	TOD SKEVINGTON	B7	180 no
2	EVAN DEACON	B5	96 & 4 for 7 (Hat Trick)
3	STEWART VELLA	B5	7 for 11
4	DAMIEN COLLINS	B2	144 & 2 for 33 / 4 for 55
5	IAN MITCHELL	C1	138 & 4 for 31
6	CHRIS WARD	C1	3 for 11
7	JIM BONSER	B2	74
8	TIM GREENWAY	B6	52
9	PETER O'REILLY	B7	115
10	MARK MITCHELL	B5	83 no
11	RICHARD KATON	B6	61
12	BILL ZIEGLER	C1	91
13	NOT AWARDED		
14	WADE HORSNELL	B7	75 & 4 for 69
15	MATTHEW NEWMAN	C1	5 for 27

2003/04 SEASON SENIOR COMPETITION DETAILS

A1 GRADE		A2 GRADE		A3 GRADE	
COMO JANNALI	85	ROYAL CRESTT	75	MIRANDA MAGPIES	85
COMO JANNALI CARINGBAH INN	85 80	ILLAWONG	75 74	GYMEA BAY	85 69
LOFTUS	71	HEATHCOTE	65	ST. GEORGE LEAGUES	58
ENGADINE	56	CARINGBAH INN	65 64	CRONULLA SEAGULLS	58 55
	56 49		64 56		55 53
S.U.S.C	49 34	S.U.S.C.		COMO JANNALI	53 50
GYMEA BAY NO.1		MIRANDA MAGPIES	46	CARINGBAH DLS	
GYMEA BAY NO.2	33	COMO JANNALI	43	GWAWLEY OLD BOYS	39
<u>B1 GRADE</u>		B2 GRADE		B3 GRADE	
ST. JOHN BOSCO	76	MIRANDA MAGPIES	83	GYMEA BAY	86
MIRANDA RANGERS	72	S.U.S.C.	81	ROYAL CREST	65
HEATHCOTE	71	MARTON	70	ST. PATRICKS	55
ILLAWONG	60	ENGADINE	54	MIRANDA MAGPIES	52
LOFTUS	45	GYMEA BAY	53	HEATHCOTE	50
KAREELA GOLF CLUB	44	ST. PATRICKS	49	CARINGBAH INN	49
GYMEA BAY	33	AQUINAS	28	COMO JANNALI	43
B4 GRADE		B5 GRADE		B6 GRADE	
GYMEA BAY NO.1	84	ENGADINE	87	MARTON	84
CARINGBAH INN	74	COMO JANNALI	78	GYMEA BAY	75
ILLAWONG	64	MIRANDA MAGPIES	63	AQUINAS	68
CRONULLA SEAGULLS	63	GYMEA BAY	53	ST. PATRICKS	59
GYMEA BAY NO.2	59	HEATHCOTE	53	ENGADINE	57
HEATHCOTE	48	ST JOHN BOSCO	51	COMO JANNALI	34
MIRANDA RSL	30	ILLAWONG	33	ILLAWONG	26
B7 GRADE		B8 GRADE		B9 GRADE	
ENGADINE	79	LOFTUS	97	GYMEA BAY	88
CRONULLA SEAGULLS	77	ILLAWONG NO.1	86	CARINGBAH DLS	76
ST. PATRICKS	68	HEATHCOTE	70	ST. JOHN BOSCO	66
GYMEA BAY	65	CARINGBAH SPORTS	67	ILLAWONG NO.1	63
ALLIANCE	55	ILLAWONG NO.2	59	MIRANDA MAGPIES	49
S.U.S.C.	33	ST. JOHN BOSCO	39	ILLAWONG NO.2	43
ILLAWONG	30	ENGADINE	26	AQUINAS	34
C1 GRADE		C2 GRADE			
ST. PATRICKS	81	MIRANDA MAGPIES	86		
ST. JOHN BOSCO	72	CARINGBAH SPORTS	82		
ENGADINE	61	GYMEA BAY	77		
ILLAWONG	60	AQUINAS	66		
LOFTUS	58	ILLAWONG	32		

SSCA COMPETITION POINTS SCORE

SSCA FINAL RESULTS

GRADE	PREMIERS	SCORE	Vs	RUNNERS UP	SCORE
A1	CARINGBAH INN	10 for 110		COMO JANNALI*	10 for 89
A2	ROYAL CREST*	8 for 158		ILLAWONG	10 for 111
A3	GYMEA BAY	3 for 98		MIRANDA MAGPIES*	10 for 95
B1	ST. JOHN BOSCO*	7 for 117		MIRANDA RANGERS	9 for 116
B2	MIRANDA MAGPIES*	10 for 161		S.U.S.C.	10 for 150
B3	ROYAL CREST	6 for 167		GYMEA BAY*	10 for 89
B4	CARINGBAH INN	4 for 166		GYMEA BAY NO.1*	10 for 160
B5	ENGADINE DRAGONS*	6 for 126		COMO JANNALI	10 for 118
B6	GYMEA BAY	2 for 73		MARTON*	10 for 68
B 7	ENGADINE DRAGONS*	1 for 34		CRONULLA SEAGULLS	WASH OUT
B8	ILLAWONG NO.1	6 for 117		LOFTUS*	10 for 81
B9	GYMEA BAY*	9 for 114		CARINGBAH DLS	10 for 90
C1	ST. PATRICKS*	4 for 130		ST. JOHN BOSCO	10 for 123
C2	MIRANDA MAGPIES*	6 for 89		CARINGBAH SPORTS	10 for 86

NOTE: * DENOTES MINOR PREMIER

FINAL'S SCOREBOARD

<u>B5 ENGADINE vs COMO JANNALI</u> PLAYED AT GWAWLEY NORTH OVAL ON MARCH 6 & 7, 2004

ENGADINE	6 for 126	Defeated	COMO JANNALI*	10 for 118	
M. MITCHELL	b Frazer	21	M. AYRE	c Patel b Mitchell	8
S. PATEL	b Bilzingher	11	C. EDWARDS	c Vella b Mitchell	21
N. ALTERATOR	caught b Brodie	5	K. BILZINGHER	c & b Carroll	8
B. JUDGE	caught b Brodie	3	C. PACKWOOD	c Russell b Vella	28
S. VELLA	not out	57	R. BRODIE	St McLauchlan b Carroll	8
E. DEACON	b Crooks	2	S. SEMOS	b Patel	20
G. CATO	caught b Frazer	2	A. CROOKS	b Vella	0
R. McLAUCHLAN	not out	15	P. CONWAY	c McLauchlan b Patel	6
N. DE ROOY			D. GORMAN	b Vella	0
M. RUSSELL			P. SEMOS	b Patel	0
M. CARROLL			S. FRAZER	not out	2
Extras: (2b 1lb 6w 1n	nb)	10	Extras: (2b 5lb 7w 4r	ıb)	18
6 wickets for		126	10 wickets for		118
Fall: 30, 43, 48, 49, 6	58, 85		Fall: 25, 43, 43, 59, 1	02, 106, 109, 109, 110, 118	
Bowling: A. Crooks	9-1-1-26, S. Frazer 9-	0-2-21	Bowling: N. De Roog	y 9-2-0-34, S. Vella 9-3-3-16,	
K. Bilzhingher 9-1-1	-17, R. Brodie 8-0-2-3	33	M. Mitchell 6-0-2-12	, M. Carroll 9-2-2-18, G. Cato	3-0-0-9,
P. Conway 4-0-0-26			B. Judge 4-0-0-14, S.	Patel 4-1-3-8	
Batting time: 161 mins Overs: 38			Batting time: 153 mins Overs: 43		
NOTE: * Denotes tea	am batting first		-		

B7 ENGADINE vs CRONULLA SEAGULLS PLAYED AT SCYLA BAY OVAL ON MARCH 6 & 7, 2004

ENGADINE*	1 for 34	Defeated	CRONULLA SEAGULLS	Match Abandoned		
G. FAUL	b Loughnan	27				
P. O'REILLY	not out	5				
M. SMITH	not out	0				
Extras: (1b 0lb 1w	(0nb)	2				
1 wicket for		34				
Fall: 33						
Bowling: L. Loug	Bowling: L. Loughnan 6-0-1-16, M. Ryder 5-1-0-16,					
C. Hubbard 1-0-0-	C. Hubbard 1-0-0-1					
Batting time: 30 n	nins Overs: 12					
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NOTE: * Denotes team batting first

PLAYER OF THE FINAL

B5 TEAM:

STEWART VELLA

B7 TEAM:

GREG FAUL

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JUNIOR TEAM REPORTS

8A TEAM REPORT

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Tim Berry, Matthew Berry, Chris Pendergast, Joshua Johnston, Jarrod Cosgriff, Caitlyn Herne, Nathan Marciante, Brendan Curtis, Trent Edwards.

As we have never coached before, taking on this team, for us, was a little daunting, but we had nothing to worry about, as having such a great group of players, coaching was made easier. These players were all keen to play and learn. It was a great experience helping them to develop.

We would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Berry. Mr. Berry for scoring at nearly every game and Mrs. Berry for managing the team.

We would also like to thank all the parents and other family members for their help and encouragement. Their support in getting their children to training and to the games on time, and their cheering from the boundaries help reinforce our coaching.

MATHEW BERRY: Matt tries hard in all aspects of the game. He fields the ball well and always wants to participate. At first he was a little shy but during the season he became a more confident player. His skill should continue to improve through next season, especially with his enthusiastic attitude.

<u>TIM BERRY</u>: Tim was a real team player. He was always looking to do something to help the team. He started the season a little slowly, but he listened to the advice given to him and by the second round, he had become more confident with the bat. His line and length in bowling also improved. Tim showed true sportsmanship in the last round when fielding for the other team and taking a catch for them. Great job, great season.

JARROD COSGRIFF: Jarrod had a wonderful season. He quickly developed skills with the bat and he was willing to work to develop his bowling skills. In each game, Jarrod watched the play carefully and was always ready to field the ball. Jarrod is developing into a good cricketer and we look forward to seeing him play next year.

BRENDAN CURTIS: Brendan is a skilled cricketer. He was one our most reliable batsmen who consistently contributed to the score each week. He showed his talent in bowling by taking a hat trick, a remarkable feat for an U-8's player. A great all-round season. Keep up the good work Brendan.

TRENT EDWARDS: Trent was the eldest in the team and was able to intimidate the opposition with his height. He was able to give the ball flight when bowling and gained a few wickets this way. He was an enthusiastic batsman who hits the ball well when he connects. He will continue to gain confidence with experience. Good luck for next year!

<u>CAITLYN HERNE</u>: Caitlyn did not let being the only girl on the team intimidate her and played as well as any of the boys. She was keen to improve her skills with both bat and ball. She also became more confident in the field as the season progressed. You Go Girl! See you next year.

JOSHUA JOHNSTON: Joshua was the youngest in the team and was shy in the beginning. His love of batting and the game helped him to confidently hit the ball and this enabled him to develop as a player. He was an energetic player in the field who went after any ball that came near him. Great all round effort Josh and good luck next year.

<u>NATHAN MARCIANTE</u>: Nathan is a talented all-rounder. He displayed skill as a wicket keeper, always looking for a stumping. As a bowler, his pace shocked the opposition and gained a lot of wickets. He was a confident batsman who liked using a variety of different shots even attempting the reverse sweep-shot. Practising his skills in the backyard with his older brother has made him a good cricketer.

<u>**CHRIS PENDERGAST:**</u> Chris was an enthusiastic member of the team who had a good understanding of the game. He was motivated to improve his batting and bowling and worked at this all through the season. With a couple more seasons under his belt he will develop into a good cricketer.

COACHES – DEAN GRIFFITH & CHRIS JACKSON

MANAGER - CATHY BERRY

10A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Liam Herne
	BOWLER:	Hayden Smith
	MOST IMPROVED:	Robbie Farnan
	TEAM PLAYER:	Tom Dowd
	ALL ROUNDER:	Liam Herne
	ALL ROUNDER:	Hayden Smith

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Liam Herne (Capt), Hayden Smith (V/Capt), Tom Dowd, Michael McFarlane, Robbie Farnan, Nicholas Chamberlain, Jules Stas, Andrew Hoff, Mark Kidd, Mitchell Dibb, Mitchell Cosgriff.

For one reason or another the season started with about as much drama as was humanly possible to have in a junior cricket team. One of the many difficulties we had to overcome early on was the fact that we only had 9 players and 4 of those boys had never played cricket before. We eventually got two more players but they hadn't played the game before either. That was fair enough but we were obliged to participate in the very competitive 'A' grade comp up against kids who really did know how to play. Consequently Rob Smith and I decided very early that we would treat the season as a learning experience for these little blokes and do everything we could to get as many players involved as possible and, at the same time, do what we could to see the team wasn't flogged off the park every Saturday.

As a coach I thought it was my duty to do two things. One was to try and come up with ways to make the team as competitive as possible. Secondly, depending on the state of the game, to project as many players as possible into the fray with bat and ball. And if you think complying with those two objectives would be simple enough then try being a coach for a year in similar circumstances and see how easy it is to maintain that balancing act.

Consequently we lost quite a few games outright in the first half of the season, but I never gave up hope that they would improve providing I kept insisting that they kept trying to do the little things right way.

Almost all players got to bowl in nearly every game, including the wicket keeper. As for the batting order, I thought it was essential to maintain a top order as much as possible against 'A' grade bowlers and to rotate the bottom two thirds of the list. I think in most instances this policy was the most effective for this team and it was the fairest method that I could think of.

Throughout the year I preached the message, "If you put in a full effort then you won't have to wait around for the coach to reward you, the game itself will reward you." I'd like to think that most players in this team are now beginning to understand what that meant.

We played 10 games, won 3, drew 1 and lost 6. Which really is an okay result considering what we were up against and the ability variables within our team. But that 3 run victory in the last round against the only team to defeat the eventual premiers Illawong was very satisfying for everyone connected with this team.

We all know these boys started out as a bunch of little guys with mostly a minimal understanding of cricket but from where I stand, they ended up a good looking team with all the skills and respect for the game just beginning to emerge. I really do hope that trend continues next season.

I am very grateful for the help, encouragement and friendship I received from Rob Smith and his beautiful wife Kerrie over the entire season. I also appreciate the arduous scorers duties carried out to perfection by Rick Dowd and a very special thanks to his charming and attractive wife Judy for having the team and their parents over to her house for our pre-Christmas party.

I would also like to congratulate the parents for their support of their sons and the team as a whole over what has been a difficult year at times, but it has also been a rewarding and enjoyable year as well.

I think most people who know me personally realise that I have never been the type to just sit back and let things go wrong and not try to do something about it. Consequently I could never stand idly by watching young 10 year olds develop wrong attitudes and incorrect technique habits without trying to convince them that there was a better way. Personally I like to see players of all ages striving for better things and looking to push through their previously imagined limitations.

I also love cricket, but I know from personal experience that it is a difficult game to teach and it is not an easy game to learn, especially for the young. But I think once young players reach a point where they feel they have overcome the physical demands and begin to accept the disciplines the game itself imposes on them, then suddenly when they overhear someone talking about a guy being a "real cricketer" they know exactly what that means.

Tony Gleeson

LIAM HERNE: From the start I told Liam if he wanted to Captain the side then he and his vice-captain would have to make all the on-field decisions between them and that I would only intervene if I saw they were doing something horrendous. In actual fact he did very well and I hope he continues to develop his leadership qualities. He was a genuine contributor to the team scoring 290 runs including a great century and took 16 wickets with an economy rate of 2.70 runs per over, plus he also took a couple of slips catches.

He is a naturally attacking batsman who wasn't afraid to take on the bowlers and yet I was especially pleased to see how well he is beginning to adjust to better class bowlers. His own bowling is very sound with good control of line and length. The club is fortunate to have such a talent as Liam in our midst.

HAYDEN SMITH: This guy has another year of under 10's still to go and already he is one of the better players in the Shire. His batting is as resolute and determined as I have seen in a young opener. He does all the right things and seldom misses opportunities to score. His bowling is also up there with the best in his age group while his fielding is second to none. He scored 277 runs at an average of 30.77 and actually carried his bat on no fewer than three occasions. He also took the most wickets for the year taking 22 wickets at an impressive economy rate of 3.28 runs per over and took 4 catches. Over all he is becoming the personification of the modern day cricketer, a complete all-rounder.

ROBBIE FARNAN: This was really Grannie's first year of cricket. He played beginners cricket at Heathcote two years ago but when that club folded he was unable to play. So, two years later he came to us, still very green with not a lot of skill. But to his credit he showed a tremendous spirit and willingness to learn, so that once he figured out what the game was all about he began to show his real ability. He scored 110 runs with most of those in the second half of the season and took 8 wickets with a very good economy rate of 3.44 runs per over. He was mainly our first string wicket-keeper, but gave someone else a chance at the drinks break occasionally, but ended up taking 5 catches behind the stumps. He's a very promising player with a good attitude this boy and I have very high hopes for him.

ANDREW HOFF: Hoffy began the season in two minds about a lot of things. "Am I an attacking batsman or should I become more defence conscious? Do I bowl medium pace or spin? Am I a wicket-keeper or am I better suited in the field?" I could see all these questions going around in his mind so I made some decisions for him. Firstly become a batsman who knows how to select the right ball to score from. Second become a leg-spinner and third forget about wicket keeping and put yourself at cover or mid-wicket. Once he had his mind put at ease he set about re-building himself, but not without some misgivings especially about his bowling. I pleaded with him to continue to develop his natural leg-spin talent and not to worry too much if he got belted occasionally or if catches were continually dropped off his bowling. It was not easy for him but I'm pleased to say he stuck to the task and, in my opinion, he is becoming the best leg-spin prospect for his age in the Sutherland Shire. I just hope he believes what I say and continues along the same pathway next season. He scored 42 runs and took 8 wickets at an economical rate for a slow leg-spinner of 3.33 runs per over. He also took 4 catches and was involved in 3 run-outs and I'll tell you what, he's a terrific fieldsman.

MARK KIDD: Mark is another boy who has loads of natural skill and I expect him to develop into a very good player once he backs himself and plays his natural game. I'm convinced he just needs to go ahead and unleash a bit of positive aggro and allow his real ability come to the fore. He has a wonderfully fluent left-arm bowling action that I predict will evolve into a real force in a year or two. His run total of only 42 runs was not in any way a reflection of his true capability as a batsman. And neither were his 7 wickets from 59 overs. But just look at his incredibly economical run rate of 2.75 runs per over. I really like the way he looks and acts like a cricketer this bloke and I have a lot of confidence in him. Whatever team you are in next season Mark, believe in yourself and carry a positive attitude with you and you won't fail.

NICHOLAS CHAMBERLAIN: Nicky came to the Dragons full of positive attitudes and a selfbelief that defied description. However when he came face to face with the every-day demands of the game itself he was initially taken aback. But to his credit he has put his head down (most of the time) and was prepared to acquire the technical skills he could see he needed to master if he was going to fulfil his own predictions about what he was going to achieve out on the cricket field. He bats quite well but without the necessary patience required to amass a sizable total at this stage, while his bowling is full of all those little promising signs of better things to come. His fielding is enthusiastic but he needs to stay focussed. He was more than happy to help out as wicket keeper when the need arose and did a good job as well. I like the passion for the game this boy carries around with him and the day he acquires a little bit of self-restraint will be the day he emerges as a genuine cricketing talent. He scored 36 runs from fairly limited opportunities and took 5 wickets from 28 overs at an excellent economy rate of 2.64 runs per over plus he took 4 catches.

TOMMY DOWD: If ever a boy deserved a medal for trying then this is he. Not only was this his first year as a cricketer but he carries with him an added burden, fairly common among kids these days it seems, which I would rather not mention here. Suffice to say Tommy had more than his share of things going against him. But I will be forever in admiration for this little bloke for the way he stuck it out and tried his very best every single time he walked out onto the field. Some kids have natural motor skills while others take a while to acquire them, with Tommy he really had to work hard just to keep up. He batted 8 times and was actually not out on 3 occasions at the end of the days play having courageously defied the bowlers his wicket for many overs. But I think the highlight of his year was the day he was involved in a magical run-out throwing the return from almost side on to hit the stumps on the full. The spontaneous and ecstatic reaction of his teammates as they rushed to embrace him is a moment in sport I will never forget.

MICHAEL McFARLANE: Another boy in his first year in cricket. Michael found the going really tough and at first had a hell of a time trying to make him competitive. That's a big asked for a little fella as a batsman up against physically much bigger 'A' grade bowlers or when he was trying to land the ball in the middle of the pitch when he got the chance to bowl. But here again this indomitable spirit emerges from within nearly all kids who play cricket. He would not give up. He hadn't had time to acquire the technique and skills of the game but that wasn't going to keep this bloke on the canvas. He tried and tried right to the last game. He didn't score a lot of runs but he did take 2 valuable wickets and a sensational catch that also had his teammates rushing to congratulate him. You know, it doesn't matter how good or not so good you are, when you achieve something like that it makes everything else seem unimportant.

MITCHELL DIBB: Yet another first year boy and he found it just as hard as all the others. He's a very quiet and likeable boy, who seldom had much to say, but he has a very good build for a cricketer and I thought he might evolve as a bowler as the season progressed. But those 'A' grade batsman are renown for knocking the confidence out of newcomers to the bowling crease. He bowled 12 overs and took 1 wicket much to the delight of his team. And again those 'A' grade bowlers have no pity on newcomers to the batting crease either so mostly his time in the middle with the bat was very limited. But he also did not give up and kept right on trying his best.

MITCHELL COSGRIFF: Another first timer who joined the team just prior to Christmas. Mitchie looks a good prospect to me although his figures don't show it yet. But he can play under 10's again next season so I confidently expect him to do really well from here on providing he applies himself to the disciplines of the game and begins to think cricket and nothing else while he is on the field. He's a physically big boy with all the qualities of courage and desire who will do well with bat and ball and in the field next year if he is prepared to work at it. He bowled 13 overs and took 2 valuable wickets in our last gasp victory against Sports in the final round. Attend yourself and learn the fundamentals Mitchie and I guarantee you will do well next season.

JULES STAS: Jules is a very likable and highly intelligent young man with real ability hiding inside him somewhere and he only allows you a brief glimpse of that ability every now and then. So much so that it wasn't until our practice session just prior to round 6 that I thought I noticed something about his technique that prompted me to elevate him into the opening role with the well performed Hayden Smith at the other end. The result was he stayed at the crease for over 30 overs against Bosco who have a very good group of fast bowlers. The fact that he only scored 13 runs on that occasion didn't matter, the thing is, he defied their bowlers and saved us the prospect of another outright loss at a time when the team needed to get itself out of the doldrums and begin to improve. I was very impressed with him that day. I just hope I'm around somewhere to see what happens when this guy uncorks his latent talent on a more regular basis. Jules scored 40 runs for the season and took 2 wickets from 13 overs. He also took 2 very good outfield catches.

COACH – TONY GLEESON

MANAGER – ROB SMITH

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Ryan Marlow
	BOWLER:	Mark Rice
	MOST CONSTISTENT:	Jordan Duncan
	MOST IMPROVED:	Adam Smith
	ALL ROUNDER:	Ryan Marlow
	ALL ROUNDER:	Mark Rice

RUNNERS UP

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Ryan Marlow (Capt), Sam Newman (V/Capt), Liam McGuinnes, Michael Bedford, Mark Rice, Adam Smith, Scott Middlemiss, Nathan Loder, Will Lawson, Dean McMillan, John Watson, Jordan Duncan.

The 2003/2004-year was a very successful year for the team. To come so close in the final (losing by only 10 runs) was a mighty effort which all the boys should be really proud of. So close...

The boys played and fought hard in all matches during the year. It was extremely pleasing to see the great team spirit and know that everyone contributed their best to the team throughout the season.

This great team play saw the boys win their last 3 games after Christmas against quality sides. In the last game we beat the experienced Illawong side that had been leading the comp all season but missed the finals. The improvement in the team was very evident and all boys need to be congratulated for their performances.

A few major individual achievements have to be mentioned for the 03/04 season. Sam Newman and Mark Rice were selected for the Cawsey Shield; Nathan Loder for Creak Shield; and Adam Smith, Will Lawson and Jordan Duncan for the President's U12 rep team.

There were many good batting performances, especially Ryan Marlow's 119 and Nathan Loder's 54. On the bowling front Mark Rice's 4-12 off 10 overs in the last round and Dean McMillan's 3-13 match winner in round 8, were stand outs.

Overall this season was highly successful with some great cricket played. You will be pleased to know that I can now eat again on Saturday mornings as my nerves have settled down....as I know you would not want me to waste away to a shadow. Well done to all!!

Robbie

RYAN MARLOW ("THE FREAK"): In the first half of the season Ryan had 29 runs and 2 wickets. By the end of the season he had 253 runs and 11 wickets. Up to round 7 he had won 1 toss but then won the toss for the last 3 critical games. Once Ryan gets his mind set on something you can see he is determined to be successful. Ryan led by example taking 8 catches and 3 run outs. A couple of individual performances were 119 and 3-14 versus DLS in round 8 and 3-15 in round 7 against Caringbah. Ryan got 2-11 in the final. Great season and all the best in the 14s.

SAM NEWMAN ("BOOFHEAD"): Sam had a very steady season and was vice captain. This season saw Sam take on the role of opening batsman for the first time, which he did very successfully throughout the season scoring 82 runs. With the ball, he was always tight claiming 9 wickets, including a 3-15 versus DLS in round 3. Add to this his 2-11 versus Caringbah in the final and you can clearly see, he was deadly with the ball in his hands. Sam was also a rock in the field with very little getting past him, taking 7 catches including a screamer in gully in the final. Sam's experience and knowledge of the game helped out the team no end and he will enjoy the challenges that the U14s will bring next season.

MICHAEL BEDFORD ("STEADY BEDDY"): Michael shows great enthusiasm for the game is a real team player and never knocks back a challenge. This was Michael's first year in A grade. He improved all season taking a few wickets late in the year and also piling on some runs. Michael's fielding above all was exceptional and this was proved in the grand final taking the catch of the year to remove one of Caringbah's gun batsman.

JORDAN DUNCAN ("THE G-TRAIN"): Jordan's overall year in the 12As was exceptional taking 6 wickets, 5 catches, 138 runs and a few run outs to be one of the team's finest all rounders. With the ball he was solid, which was frustrating to all oppositions with an economy of 1.93 runs per over. He opened the batting for us this year and was unbreakable, always holding his end up whilst others went in and out. His average of 17.25 was exactly what a team needs out of an opener. He was the player of the grand final taking 0-9 off 8 overs and scoring 14 hard fought runs in a low scoring game. Good luck next year.

WILL LAWSON ("BLOSSOM"): Will was a first year U12, and the pressure put on him was handled extremely well. Will ended up with 4 wickets and plenty of runs and was a valuable lower order batsman for the team. His fielding was impeccable taking 3 catches and stopping many boundaries with his great pace. He will really enjoy a second year in the 12s and will have learnt a lot from this experience.

NATHAN LODER ("FRONT END"): Nathan was our other U12 rookie and as a top order batsman played impressively well scoring 122 runs, including a 54 in round 4 against Como. With the gloves Nathan was always solid and didn't let much past. Nathan rarely bowled but in one spell of brilliance in round 7 against Caringbah came on and took a wicket. Nathan has a good future ahead of him in cricket as he continues to improve his overall game.

LIAM MCGUINNESS ("KENNY"): Liam had an overall good season and continued to improve as the year progressed taking 4 wickets. He put fear into any opening batsman with his pace. He improved with the bat during the season getting a 29 and 14 against Como. Liam has the potential to take plenty of wickets in the future.

DEAN MCMILLAN ("DEANO MERINO"): Deano Merino was one of the rocks of the team – anything you threw at him he would take on with a grin. Nothing was too hard a challenge. He improved throughout the season. Although struggling for runs, he bowled well to take 6 wickets at an average of 11. To have Deano coming in down the order for batting and bowling was a major asset for the team and was a significant factor in the Dragons being successful this year. Deano was a stonewall in the field with nothing getting past him and saving many runs. Good luck next year.

SCOTT MIDDLEMISS ("MIDDY"): Scott brought a lot of experience into the 12s this year. He took 5 wickets, plus a key wicket in the final to rock the Caringbah team. Scott's batting also improved this year, scoring around 50 runs including an important 13 not out against DLS in round 8. Scott turned into a good slips fielder throughout the year and took an absolute screamer in the last round to get the team into the final. Good luck next year.

MARK RICE ("BUBBLES"): Mark had a good season with both the bat and the ball scoring 139 runs including 44 in round one and 12 wickets at an average of 14.17. Mark's experience from 12As last year was an important ingredient in getting this side to the final. His ability to read the play was evident in the field taking 3 catches and a couple of run outs. Mark will enjoy the challenge of 14s next year and is going to be a key player for any team he plays with.

ADAM SMITH ("NOODLES"): Adam was our other keeper but also achieved a feat that keeper's rarely achieve - the best bowling average of 6 wickets at 10.17. As a middle order batsman he was always good at holding up his end with 99 runs for the season and the top score in the final of 15. His last 2 innings for the year were 30 and 24, which shows with a bit more pre season practice, this can happen all season. Noodles was solid with the gloves and didn't let many byes through. Will go well in any team he is in the future.

JOHN WATSON ("JOHN BOY"): John's attitude towards cricket is an example of what all kids should follow – keen to have a go no matter what the circumstances are. Often when the pressure was on it was John's time to shine. As our opening bowler this year he took 10 wickets for 10.7 and would have taken more had he not been taken out during the season with a broken arm. John struggled a bit with the bat but definitely has a lot of runs in him if he knuckles down. I have no doubt John has a big future in cricket and has a lot of wickets left in him.

The experience gained this year will set the boys up well for the 04/05 season and we wish them all the best. This season would not have been possible without the great support of all parents both at training and game day, especially Ken Newman, Bruce Smith and Brad Loder. We would also like to thank Matt Launt for helping us out during the season from the 12Cs – great club spirit. See you all back next year!!

12C TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Blake Duncum
	BOWLER:	Kelly Rolleston
	MOST CONSTISTENT:	Matthew Christison
	TEAM PLAYER:	Dion Gover
	ALL ROUNDER:	Kelly Rolleston

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Daniel Walsh, Matthew Christison, Daniel Dwyer, Brydon Daintry, Matthew Launt, Mitchell Cox, Blake Duncum, Brandon Cross, Russell Meyer, Kelly Rolleston, Dion Gover, Sagar Gandecha, Will Harding.

DION GOVER: Dion had an outstanding year, not necessarily statistics wise, but he definitely proved himself as a player/ person who has a fantastic attitude. Dion one of the youngest members of the side rose to any challenge often putting the team ahead of himself. Dion worked hard during the season to enhance his skills and was rewarded in the latter part of the season, with a beautiful display of bowling. Dion was a pleasure to coach and his attitude will not only take him along way in the game of cricket, but whatever he pursues in life. Well-done mate.

BLAKE DUNCUM: The epitome of eagerness. This very characteristic made sure that Blake would peel off one of the best years in junior cricket. Blake batted outstandingly all season and was rewarded with a fantastic half century in the second last game. Blake also wicket kept throughout the year and did a very good job. Blake's timing and attitude will see him go along way in cricket. Thanks mate for a great year and your attentiveness.

RUSSELL MEYER: Russell is one of the most polite boys you will meet and I really appreciated that throughout the season. Russell took some great catches close to the wicket and bowled some excellent overs which troubled the batsman. Russell was a pleasure to coach and I look forward to seeing his progress as a cricketer in the future. Finally I encourage you to remain as polite and well mannered as you are (which I'm sure you will) because this will take you along way. Thanks mate.

KELLY ROLLESTON: Little Miss Rock' in Rolleston. I really enjoyed watching Kell bowl but I'm sure the opposition thought otherwise. 24 wickets, each one of them tremendous to see. Kell also had a good year with the bat and when she finds her confidence with the willow she will be unstoppable. Kell has a great personality and is easy to get along with; she is always looking to improve, which is very pleasing. I really look forward to seeing her progress as a cricketer. Thanks and congratulations on a stellar year.

BRYDON DAINTRY: I am extremely pleased with the year this young man had. Brydon was enthusiastic, polite and very attentive throughout the season. He worked very hard to improve his skills in all facets of the game and he was achieving good results in the field and some promising innings with the bat. Brydon always wanted to be in the action and I really appreciated that and his overall effort during the season. Well-done Champ.

MATT CHRISTISON: Matt had a brilliant year and he proved this statistically also. Matt has great all round potential and if he keeps working as hard as he did this season on his game he definitely has the potential to go places. Matt also has a fantastic nature, and I can see him captaining a side quiet successfully if he desires to. Congratulations and thank you for a fun and successful year.

SAGAR GANDECHA: Hold up...before we start...are your shoelaces tied up? Reflexes of a steel trap Sagar. Some may say he's like a Bob The Builder of fielding. "Can he catch it, yes he can". This young boy moves like a cat in the field taking some brilliant catches close to the wicket and saving some important runs. Sagar's batting and bowling came along nicely during the season. Sagar was a lot of fun to coach and I liked his attitude never letting any situation overcome him.

<u>MITCHELL COX</u>: Mitch had an exceptional year taking some brilliant wickets, bowling some great overs, batting out some tough times and fielding well all year. His bowling really impressed me and he has the potential to be a very good medium pacer. On top of that he's a real good kid, eager to do well and give 110%.

<u>MATT LAUNT</u>: I could really see a change in his cricket throughout the season. Matt started believing in himself towards the end of the season and his cricket was much better for it. Matt loves to do well, and he did very well all season, taking some remarkable catches, batting very well and bowling some exceptionally fantastically great overs, often without luck. Good luck in the future, your only limited by yourself.

WILL HARDING: Will really impressed me with his work ethic, always wanting to improve and get results. Will was also meant to be in the tens, but he didn't let that phase him one bit, he just got in there and gave 110% which impressed me greatly. Will fielded particularly well and he has the potential to be a very fine all-rounder. Well-done mate.

DANIEL WALSH: Daniel trained extremely well and was rewarded with some very pleasing results. Daniel bowled some fantastic overs and at times I mistook him for Andy Symonds with some great fielding efforts. Daniel was a pleasure to coach always cooperating and being very polite. Finally my advice to you is to keep working hard and believe in yourself because you have great all round potential.

BRANDON CROSS: Brandon had a good year in all facets of the game. Brandon provided the team with some more than useful overs, innings and fielding efforts. He was very cooperative at training and was easy to get along with. Despite any situation you could rely on Brandon to keep his head and perform to the best of his ability.

DANIEL DWYER: Daniel is a polite boy who I found a delight to train, Daniel listens to advice and takes it into consideration working on those points to improve his game. Daniel bowled very well putting the ball on a good line and length making the batsman play. Keep working hard and well done mate.

12C's: A special thank you must go out to Leah and Ross Duncum, who devoted their time to the running of the team, they did a tremendous job and I appreciated their support throughout the season. Another special thank you must go to Josh Christison, who gave his time to support me in coaching the side, a very special job indeed. Finally, thank you to the parents for your support and all round efforts during the season.

COACH – BRAIDEN GILBERT ASS/COACH – JOSHUA CHRISTISON MANAGER – LEAH DUNCUM

14A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Ben Marciante
	BOWLER:	Greg Ings
	TEAM PLAYER:	Andrew Herne
	MOST IMPROVED:	Ryan Croom
	ALL ROUNDER:	Daniel Ward

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Daniel Ward (Capt), Ryan Croom, Andrew Jones, Ben Latham, Bryce Daenell, Ben Marciante, Brent Woodley, Greg Ings, Cameron Heard, Andrew Herne, Michael Dumbrell.

As expected a tough season from the young committed dragons. With only two from our eleven lads backing up for a second stint in the U/14's premier grade, we got what we expected, hard uncompromising cricket. To see our youngest give away almost three years age difference as well as height dissimilarity often gave one the impression of a David and Goliath encounter. I know that all our opponents fielded two first year lads apart from Illawong, the ultimate premiers with four, compare this to our nine!

The obvious and only way to combat the above is dedication to the game, be it at training or match play. That everyone in this team has talent is unquestionable, but trying to harness this talent wasn't always easy mainly due of the following.

- Only the bare eleven in the side.
- Numerous injuries. Every week seemed to pose another problem, from broken fingers, arm injections (in their bowling arms?), muscles pull to arms, backs, shoulders etc. It may be a good suggestion for our treasurer to open his purse strings and hire a summer G.P.
• With the basic eleven and owing to the many injuries we often fielded short waiting for the arrival of our mighty midgets, Nathan Marciante (U/8) and Liam Herne (U/10) to fill in. Boy, don't these two ooze talent, never once letting us down when called upon and performing well above their age division.

For all of the above the boys worked hard at training to hone their skills and were always very competitive, confident, gave nothing away and I am proud to say played in such a fair manner to only credit their club, team managers and parents.

The season itself saw us with three wins, two against Como and one against the ultimate premiers, Illawong. This season in comparison with the alternative one of two years past (where we had two wins) looks similar to the uneducated bean counter but actually poles apart for any close observer to our side. A noted difference from then to now was this year we occupied the batting crease for longer thus making the opposition fight for their wickets. The more competitive nature this season was apparent from day one. The last mentioned in no small way due to the maturity and skill of our two senior players Ryan Croom and Greg Ings who led by example all year.

As expected, but never taken for granted was again the huge input from our willing assistants. Ian Latham as always supporting at training every week. He must have a good boss! Steve Jones, our manager and scorer, Peter Ward, co-scorer and Kevin Croom were great back-ups. Thanks again to the evergreen Harry Robbins, who just seems to be at the nets on most days! One never tires of listening to the gravel voiced catch cries of "pitch em up" and " keep em on the ground". Often with the last mentioned Harry wore a few to the body as if some wag had drawn a bulls-eye on him. Good stuff again men!

Boys advancing to the U/16's next season.

<u>RYAN CROOM</u>: Often held the middle order together. His 70 in round one kicked off the season brilliantly, and remained our top score. Always aggressive and never to be tied down he always put the bowlers to the sword. Often gave the coach a few heart flutters at square leg when wandering across the crease from the LBW appeals. Totaled 230 runs around 20 average, 4 wickets and 4 catches for an impressive all round season. As expected always energetic in the field, processes a good cricket brain.

<u>GREG INGS</u>: Our leading wicket taker (or talker) had a wow of a year. His 19 wickets and big hitting batting in the lower order always kept us competitive. Showed his commitment by opening the batting in a game following his number 11 spot from the previous match. Originally selected in the President's reps he was promoted to the first team due to another's injury and remained their, thus playing for both sides as they play on different dates! May take the winter months to recover. Put the feet up Ingsy.

Boys remaining in the U/14's next season.

BRYCE DAENELL: One of our two keepers and our number three bat didn't quite have the year he would have wished for. Coming in early against the new cherry opposing the older lads in the premier grade can be daunting for most. However Bryce enjoyed the challenge and took the attack to them. His 26 against the ultimate premiers, Illawong helped set up a fine win, a win that saw us outplay them in all departments. Working hard on his game next season will produce the results I'm sure he will wish to achieve.

MICHAEL DUMBRELL: Possibly our youngest boy and relatively new to the game, found himself promoted to A grade. Works hard on his game and will improve greatly. Impressive innings against Como 20 n/o and Illawong 18 n/o showed his class. As a medium pace/swing bowler shows good promise. May have been a small blessing when an arm injury took him from the deep into the slips where he was extremely impressive. Took most catches with 6. Will gain confidence and be a key player next season.

<u>CAMERON HEARD</u>: Our other wrist spinner and specialist out fieldsman, Cameron was only one of the boys referred to in the introduction concerning injuries. By far the most difficult art to refine in cricket he can "turn a ball on glass" and both ways at that. His 8 wickets certainly didn't mirror his skill. Injury free next season will see Cammy with a bag of wickets. I only wish he could find more time to try out for higher goals in rep cricket. One can only hope! Showed fighting qualities with the bat once again.

ANDREW HERNE: Our "Mr. Nevertire". Andy must have been brought up with a cricket bat and ball in his cot. Training days will see him bowl from start to finish, surrendering the ball only when to pad up for a hit. Even his back yard games are well known to me with the intense rivalry with young brother Liam. Late season saw Andrew discover the inswinger to add to his "outies". Scored 99 runs with scores of 24,25 & 26* at 16.5 average to add to his 8 wickets. Will do well next season as an oldie.

ANDREW JONES: Our regular opening bat Jonsey had a mixed year. Our first match saw him away with a good 20 odd before entering a dry patch. As an old head knows if a batsman has a sound technique and Jonsey definitely has, don't despair, work hard in the nets and the runs will take care of themselves. Perhaps not so easy for a young head! Batting in the middle order saw again the smile and runs return. His 35 and 25 against Miranda and Sports were gems. Took 6 handy wickets. Big season next year mate.

BEN LATHAM: I am not sure what's considered a good height for an opening batsman to take on opening bowlers, some of giant proportions and a few years older, but it didn't deter Ben from the job. Taking on their quickest, normally around shoulder height he showed true grit. Although not many runs flowed from his bat this season he still put together two good innings of 27 and 18. Ben also snared 2 wickets with limited chances. Our point specialist Ben took 4 catches, one the catch of the season. Good stuff Ben.

BEN MARCIANTE: As last season Rocky was our leading run maker compiling 333 @ 27.75. A very consistent season saw him compile scores of 25, 33 (run out) 36, 47, 48, 49 & 51. Ben also scored an unbeaten century in the Gee Shield for Sutherland. A rep season that saw him average over 100 with the bat. His bowling improved out of sight from the previous year, using his strength and digging the ball in rather than just "kissing" the pitch he troubled all he opposed. Can't get enough cricket, great to see Ben.

DANIEL WARD: (Captain). Led the side by example and authority in easily his best year since I have been associated with him. Our big quick was always a real threat to our opponent's top order. His 18 wickets came at the low average of 15, a true indication of his worth to our team. Daniels 3-9 from 10 overs against Sports was as quick and accurate as I have seen from him. Regularly saved us with his strong batting with good scores of 20, 21, 29 & 33. All up totaled 154 runs. Great all round year skipper.

BRENT WOODLEY: I must see this bloke on the footy field, if courage has any thing to do with sport, try batting the following week with a finger diagnosed as broken so as not to let the team down! Apart from the above Brent had a very good year with the bat, keeper's gloves and then a new string to his bow, the ball. A specialist middle order bat, Brent unselfishly elected to open when we were looking for someone. Good scores of 26 & 30* with the bat and 6 wickets at 8.6 saw a good all round season. Middle order again for you next season Woody.

*LATE NEWS, BRENT WOODLEY: * Woodys' done it again!!! In the first round of rugby league he complained of a sore arm after the match. You guessed it, a broken arm this time. Thus playing through another match with a broken limb. One wonders how many injuries he would suffer in a five-day test match!

SPECIAL MENTION

Liam Herne and Nathan Marciante.

As originally mentioned on a few occasions we were forced to field short owing to a number of reasons. Liam aged 10 and Nathan aged only 6 answered the call and substituted brilliantly for us. Possibly intimidated originally, they may have had to be surgically removed from the field thereafter. Onlookers from both sides agreed some of the older boys could take lessons from their enthusiasm and commitment. Thanks again boys, true dragon spirit.

COACH - DENNIS PENDERGAST

MANAGER – STEVE JONES

14B TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	James Stone
	BOWLER:	Matthew Hoff
	MOST CONSISTENT:	Adam Dow
	MOST IMPROVED:	Lesi Du
	ALL ROUNDER:	James Stone

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - David McMillan (Capt), Paul Bremner (V. Capt), Matthew Hoff, Brennan James, Tim Samuel, Ben Holt, Colin Kidd, Dale Bates, Adam Dow, James Stone, Dean Fenner, Lesi Du.

Well what a great year we had in the 14B's this year! In one of the most tightly contested competitions I have been involved with - 5 out of 6 teams had an opportunity to make the final with one round remaining. Although we did not win our last game nor have results go our way, the boys can definitely be proud of the way that they conducted themselves both as cricketers and young men throughout the season.

Out of 10 rounds, we won 5 games and lost 5, although 2 of those (both against Gymea) came right down to the wire. We managed to defeat the top 3 sides - St. Patricks, St. John Bosco and Illawong throughout the year - and the boys improved out of sight as the season progressed. Batting was definitely our strong point throughout the year, with the team making at least 100 on EVERY occasion and 200 on 3 occasions. There were many memorable partnerships and many different styles of play, yet the boys subconsciously yet unfailingly respected each other's capabilities to the point where their cricket was enjoyable week after week.

Under the guidance of David and Paul in the field, the boys put some excellent pressure on the opposition, although some times we were let down by our catching and ground fielding. It is quite amusing – looking back in hindsight – that we managed to catch all of the so-called 'uncatchables', and dropped the ones that were relatively simple. All of the bowlers contributed positively with the ball at sometime throughout the season, although at times we were unable to deliver the knockout blow to opposition batsmen. This doesn't detract from the effort however, and the boys gradually came to recognise their own abilities and believe in themselves. Bob and I genuinely believed that the team was the most talented in the competition, yet getting the boys to believe that was a bit of a struggle at times!

We had some great and varied times at training this year. Before the Bosco game, we went to Stanwell Park beach (and subsequently played the game of the season that week!), we trained at the indoor centre, played cricket soccer and even hired a personal trainer on one occasion (despite the groaning from the boys). I must say that it was hugely encouraging to see the boys smiling week after week, win or lose. It made for a great season, and as a coach I couldn't have hoped for a more enthusiastic group of young men. We were not a one-man team as some tend to be in this age group, but a team where each player contributed in his own way for the good of the team. David matured into a great captain and spin bowler. Paul was Mr. Reliable with the new ball. Dale scared batsmen with his genuine pace. Adam maintained a level head when batting and had an unfailing commitment to the team. Lesi impressed with his MASSIVE improvement and ongoing enthusiasm. Dean could be relied upon to bowl accurately in the middle overs. Hoffy never swayed off middle stump with the ball and was as solid as a rock in the field. Ben's all-round power with the bat and ball and his competitive demeanour always provided entertainment. Brennan firmly established himself as our premier wicket keeper and batting maestro. Colin pulled off some great catches and troubled a lot of batsmen with his breath-taking spin. Tim made a huge contribution to the team when he was available, and finally, James left players, spectators (and even coaches!) amazed by his majestic timing and concentration when he had the bat (and even the ball) in his hands.

A huge thank you must go to Steve Fenner for his help at training. Steve unfailingly turned up week after week and helped with the various fielding drills and continued bowling even when the bowlers had collapsed in the heat. Ray James did a great job with the scorebook, and always had some encouraging and wise thoughts to impart. And I could not have asked for a better manager in Bob McMillan. Bob (and Lyn) often spent hours with the scorebook and on the phone organising the team and averting any possible disasters. Finally, I would like to thank the parents for their great support throughout the season. Although the boys might not say so, I KNOW that they loved it when their parents and friends were there to watch and scream words of encouragement when required. It makes cricket all the more worthwhile when someone is there to witness an achievement – small or large.

So congratulations to the boys for a great season, and I hope to see every single one of them (minus Ben who has moved to QLD) in Dragons colours in 2004/05.

Nathan

David (can I have some money da 113 Runs	ad) McMillan (capt.) Highest Score: 30	Av. 11.3
43 Overs	3 wickets	B.B 2-43
Dale (no nickname) Bates		
112 Runs	Highest Score: 32	Av. 12.4
66 Overs	7 wickets	4 Catches
<u> Paul (New Ball) Bremner (vc)</u>		
76 Runs	Highest Score: 22	4 Catches
82 Overs	8 Wickets/14 Maidens	2.35 RPO
Adam (Dowboy, I caught Floyd)	Dow:	
116 Runs	Highest Score: 32	Av. 23.2
16 Overs	3 Wickets	Av. 27.66
<u>Lesi (Good S*#* Stone) Du</u>		
Innings: 8	Highest Score: 3*	N.O: 4
3 Overs	1 Maiden	
<u>Dean (Fenrat, Deano) Fenner</u>		
56 Runs	Highest Score: 17	Av: 6.2
30 Overs	3 Wickets	2 Catches
Matt (Haffer Hala Hamital) Hat	26	
Matt (Hoffy, Halo, Hospital) Hof		17.05 (1)1 (2)
69 Runs	Highest Score: 27	Av: 17.25 (4 N.O)
51 Overs	11 Wickets (12 Maidens)	Av: 13.0
Ben (Bleach, Powerhouse, Benny) Holt	
297 Runs	Highest Score: 72	Av: 33
49 Overs	7 wickets (5 in men's)	Av: 17.85
<u>Brennan (BJ) James</u>		
215 Runs	Highest Score: 61	Av: 23.8
16 Overs	1 Wicket	7 Dismissals
Colin (Col, Murali Kartik, Delive		
26 Runs	Highest Score: 17	4 Catches
57 Overs	8 Wickets	Av: 26
<u>Tim (Swim) Samuel</u>		
75 Runs	Highest Score: 40*	Av: 18.75
17 Overs	2 Wickets	2 Maidens
James (Stoner) Stone		
371 Runs	Highest Score: 112	Av: 46.37
49 Overs	12 Wickets (4 maidens)	Av: 15.66
COACH – NATHAN ALTERATO)R	MANAGER – BOB McMILLAN

14D TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Ryan Morris
	BOWLER:	Clinton Allen
	MOST IMPROVED:	Kristian White
	TEAM PLAYER:	Ross Henderson
	ALL ROUNDER:	Clinton Allen

<u>THE TEAM</u>: Jeff Walsh (Capt), Mitchell Attenborough, Brent Grove, Ross Henderson, Anthony Crisafulli, Ryan Morris, Clinton Allen, Alex Sambuco, Christian Haynes, Kristian White, Daniel Tench.

Another season is over with some wins under our belt which makes it all the better. Firstly I would like to thank all the parents for their participation and their attendance to the boy's games -100% effort. Thank you to the ground staff who without fail made sure the pitch and ground was in tiptop shape and safe for play.

I would like to thank Paul Walsh for his commitment to scoring this season and being my manager again. It has to be the hardest position in sport to fill.

I would like to thank John Henderson for his on short notice scoring, a job he performed to perfection. Thanks John.

Thanks to Keith White for his assistance in the fielding drills and warming up our bats in the practice nets. Thanks again to everybody.

Well from a coach's point of view, these boys, I can honestly say that it has been a privilege to be a part of this team. It has been a very successful year for every player in this side. They have all picked up wickets and scored runs, which was the goal of the whole side before the season even started. I have witness some of the best catches ever for this age group and their skills have improved out of sight since the start of the season. We got off to a shaky start but every game after that, players started to stand up and show what they could do for the team.

I am not going to write a whole story on each player this year, as I would have a hard time in thinking of something different to say about all the boys. What I can say is they have all ended the season in the same way, as better players whether it is in batting, bowling or fielding. Their attitude towards the game and the spirit in which it is played and to each other as team mates has been second to none.

Every team that we played against this year – their coaches have had something to say to me about the team, the way they present themselves and their attitude on the field towards other sides, this I am very proud of.

Well done boys, you may not have won the competition but you did make an impression on the other teams and their coaches. Next year, look out the 14's are on their way to bigger and better things.

Check out the figures there not to bad. Thanks again to everyone and to the Club for letting me be a part of this team.

PLAYER	MATCHS	INNS	N/Os	H/S	50	100	AVERAGE	RUNS
CLINTON ALLEN	10	15	4	42*	0	0	14.72	162
MITCHELL ATTENBOUROUGH	10	11	1	31*	0	0	16.89	169
ANTONY CRISAFULLI	10	13	2	18	0	0	5.54	61
BRENT GROVE	9	11	1	9	0	0	2.09	21
CHRISTIAN HAYNES	10	13	2	27	0	0	9.09	100
ROSS HENDERSON	10	13	2	12	0	0	4.54	50
RYAN MORRIS	10	15	2	113	2	1	30.46	396
ALEX SAMBUCO	10	12	1	107	0	1	22.18	244
DANIEL TENCH	10	11	2	16	0	0	6.33	57
JEFF WALSH	10	11	1	6	0	0	1.89	19
KRISTIAN WHITE	10	12	1	15	0	0	2.90	32

BATTING FIGURES

BOWLING FIGURES

PLAYER	OVERS	RUNS	B / B	AVG	WKTS	CATCHES
CLINTON ALLEN	70	224	4 FOR 5	10.18	22	2
MITCHELL ATTENBOROUGH	53	172	3 FOR 28	34.40	5	1
ANTONY CRISAFULLI	40	142	1 FOR 4	28.40	5	3
BRENT GROVE	32	157	1 FOR 13	78.50	2	1
CRISTIAN HAYNES	40	177	2 FOR 29	35.40	5	2
ROSS HENDERSON	37	143	2 FOR 8	23.83	6	4
RYAN MORRIS	10	17	2 FOR 9	8.50	2	7
ALEX SAMBUCO	56	185	2 FOR 14	23.12	8	1
DANIEL TENCH	34	127	2 FOR 21	31.75	4	7
JEFFREY WALSH	27	112	2 FOR 12	37.33	3	0
KRISTIAN WHITE	47	209	4 FOR 14	14.92	14	2

COACH – STEVE CHAPMAN

MANAGER - PAUL WALSH

14D TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -	BATSMAN:	Amy Watson
	BOWLER:	Caryn Rolleston
	TEAM PLAYER:	Victoria Meyer
	FIELDING:	Kathryn Kingsley
	ALL ROUNDER:	Amy Watson
	ALL ROUNDER:	Kirby Ann Marsh
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<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Amy Watson (Capt), Katrina Griffin, Faye Breslin, Kirby-Ann Marsh, Victoria Meyer, Caryn Rolleston, Alex Rolleston, Danielle Vassallo, Erin Mulally, Kathryn Kingsley, Alex Lewis.

We had a great start to the season picking up a win in the first game and although we didn't win another game the girls were able to achieve many career high lights, with some girls making top scores and others taking their first wicket. The girls were full of enthusiasm and always tried there best, which is all a coach can hope for out of a team. Unfortunately for most of the season we only had 10 players and when we finally found a player to give us a full team we were struck down with illness and injury to make us short once again. The girls never gave up and always put in a good fight against some quality opposition.

<u>AMY WATSON</u>: (Captain) Amy had a good season and led the team from the front with her captaincy. Opening the bowling with her express pace she kept the batsmen troubled throughout the game. She has a lot of potential with the bat, just needing to pick the right ball to use her power against.

<u>CARYN ROLLESTON</u>: Caryn would have to be one of the players most likely to take her cricketing career into higher levels of the game. A consistent opening bowler, who could pickup wickets when needed. A quality batsman who could handle whatever the bowler sent down.

ALEX ROLLESTON: As a first change bowler with the ability to be an opening bowler, she knew where to put the ball to take the wickets needed. With the bat she showed good consistency often getting off to a good start but letting the other team frustrate her into losing her wicket. In the field Alex was to always committed saving valuable runs and taking some great catches.

VICTORIA MEYER: A great technique with the bat and a good pace bowler you would have thought she would end up with top results this season, but with a lack of confidence she psyched herself out of a number of great performances through the season. Vicky always put in a lot of effort during training and the game and that is why she is so deserving of the Coach's Award.

<u>KIRBY-ANN MARSH</u>: This season Kirby once again showed her all round ability of the game scoring runs with the bat at the difficult position of opener, keeping her runs down when she was given the chance to bowl and showing that her wicket-keeping is improving every season In one innings taking 5 dismissals.

<u>KATRINA GRIFFIN</u>: Katrina had a consistent season showing her ability to hold an end whilst batting in tough conditions. She continuously troubled the opposition batsmen with her slow - medium pace bowling. Unfortunately becoming ill towards the end of season meant we lost a valuable player.

FAYE BRESLIN: This year Faye developed the confidence and ability to bowl during the innings and with this taking her maiden wicket. Faye shared the wicket keeping this season with Kirby-Ann and was a worthy replacement. Faye enjoyed her batting and loved to hit the ball through the air.

ERIN MULALLY: Erin was a vibrant, happy and energetic player who would give anything a go through the season. Showing she has great potential with the bat and the ball. Hopefully with more cricket under her belt she will develop into a talented player.

KATHRYN KINGSLEY: Catherine this season showed her natural sporting ability performing well when needed with the ball and after a slow start with the bat found some form mid-season scoring a powerful fifty. Unfortunately receiving an injury during a match at the end of the season robbed us of seeing another fantastic batting performance. Catherine showed great ability and commitment in the field and for that receives the Fielding Award.

DANIELLE VASSALLO: This season Danielle showed great consistency with her medium pace bowling. Continuously having great bowling figures match after match. As the season went on Danielle's ability and confidence continued to improve with the bat showing she can handle any bowler that she faced.

<u>ALEX LOUISE</u>: A late inclusion into the team this season getting involved with a few games to go, she showed some untapped ability with the ball taking a wicket in her first over for the team and scored a few runs in each match. As she gains more experience in the game she should develop into a good cricketer.

I would like to thank all the parents and family for all the help through the season it always makes coaching a team so much easier when you have the support. I hope to see you playing cricket next year.

COACH - BRAD MORELAND

MANAGER – PAUL MARSH

16A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -

BATSMAN: BOWLER: MOST CONSISTENT: MOST IMPROVED: ALL ROUNDER: ALL ROUNDER: Cameron Turner Matthew Sambuco Adam Logan Dylan Andrews Omar Samad James Bills

PREMIERS

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Cameron Turner (Capt), Dylan Andrews (V/Capt), Robert Dumbrell, James Bills, Omar Samad, Chris Reeves, James Punshon, Matthew Sambuco, Adam Logan, Nathan Bullock, Gavin Hainsworth, Kenneth Hyde.

THE FINAL

This season was one that will go down in history. Since the change in rule with bowling restrictions in season 90/91 no team has ever won three 16A premierships in a row. To be in three finals is great achievements let alone win them all. The two previous finals we were favourites and were expected to win having had a handful of rep players in the team both years.

This time around we only had Adam Logan in the Watson shield team and James Bills and Robert Dumbrell in the Presidents team, so there was a significant difference to the previous two years. Our opponents Caringbah were choc full of rep players who all have had successful years in the rep seen. That showed at the end of the 10 rounds with them finishing 8 points clear at the top to claim the minor premiership. Our previous 2 meetings in rounds 3 and 8 Caringbah took the points with a comfortable win in the first match and then by only 1 run in the 2nd. Both games though we had our chances but couldn't capitalise. So going into the final they had every right to be confident, but we knew if we played to our game plan and gave it our all we would win it and I must say the chance to win 3 in a row doesn't come around to often so that was also a motivating factor.

Captain Cameron (criminal) Turner won the toss and had no hesitation in batting first. Our first plan was to get to the drinks break with between 60-90 runs on the board and to lose no more than 3 wickets as is the plan every match and has been for the past 5 years that Harry and myself have been in charge. We were 1/97 which was better than you could expect in a final, with newly promoted Billsy on fire with the bat on 45 and earlier given tremendous support by the vice captain Dylan. After the break we looked to continue the good work with Billsy bringing up his 50 with a leg glance for 4. Unfortunately we lost a few crucial wickets in the middle stages to be all out for 167 with Billsy making 75 and the much-improved Adam making 21.

This match was obviously going to be decided by how well we bowled and fielded. Adam and Matt took the new ball as they have done all year looking to make early in roads. The line and length was exquisite with many appeals only to be turned down by umpire strikes back and umpire huge arse. Billsy and Omar came on and continued the good bowling but again didn't have much luck in their first spells. After 24 overs Caringbah were 0/42 and the match was in the balance. From this moment on we took control with Caringbah being forced to play shots and therefore creating opportunities for our bowlers and fieldsman to come into their own. Our bowlers were brilliant with Billsy taking 4 wickets in his 2nd spell to end with 4/21 well backed up by Omar and Cam with 2 apiece. Adam took 1/9 off 10 overs, which really set the tone and how about this Matty Sambuco taking 4 catches in the outfield, which has to be some sort of record. We bowled Caringbah out for 127 to claim victory. James Bills was named player of the final with his 75 and 4/21.

A special thank you to Judy Lofthouse who scored for us in the final. Judy is a tremendous human being and is the wife of the great Alan Lofthouse, long time player and a member of the EDCC Committee.

TEAM REPORT

This was Stuart and Harry's record 5th finals appearance in a row with 4 wins. All credit must go to all the boys involved over that time. We were blessed to be coaching such a fantastic bunch of blokes who made our job so much fun.

This season produced many great performances, who can forget that club record 16A partnership of 219 for the 2nd wicket between captain and vice captain Cameron Turner 162no and Dylan Andrews 87 in round 4 against Illawong. Astonishingly in the same match Cam also claimed the record for the highest individual score by a junior in the club with 162no previously held by Chris Lake with 160 in the 12As season 90/91.

This seemed to be the season of records this time in the bowling department with Matthew Sambuco 24 wickets, James Bills 22 wickets and Omar Samad 22 wickets all breaking the 16A season record held by James Gardner with 19 in season 2001/02.

It was an honour to be involved with all the boys and even more special creating history with them and witnessing their achievements gives us immense pleasure. They all played the game in good spirit and treated each other like they were all family. They played good tough cricket and made the opposition work for everything, which was outstanding. To be successful in any sport you must play as a team and believe in your own ability, and that of your team mates to get you through. This was exactly what the boys did they knew from day 1 that it would require something quite special from a number of boys to achieve what we did. In the end 3 records were broken and all the boys had probably their best seasons ever which explains how truly great this was.

- A special thanks to all the parents for their support and effort in getting the boys to training and games.
- Ian Reeves thanks for scoring mate you did a fantastic job and those walkie-talkies were brilliant, it saved my big frame the pressures of walking over to you.
- Thanks go to John Bills, Steve Turner, Peter Logan and Mal Andrews for all their help throughout the season.

CAMERON (CRIMINAL) TURNER: (Captain) 482 runs @ 53.55 11 wickets @ 24.54 In everything Cam did this season he led by example. By the way he approached his training, his batting, his bowling and his fielding. Cameron's example spurred his teammates to reach the heights of their potential. Cam was involved in 2 club records, which is a phenomenal effort. Another standout performance was his 106 against D.L.S in the last round, which enabled us to make the final. His left arm spinners were handy and he had the nack of picking up wickets when we needed them. Brilliant fieldsman and made that mid wicket position his own where he took some great catches and initiated many run outs.

Cam top work, well done brother.

DYLAN (I'VE GOT CONFIDENTS) ANDREWS: (Vice Captain) 281 runs @ 28.10

I have never seen a boy improve so much in the space of a year than Dylan has. Last season his total runs were about 20 this season it was 281 runs, which was amazing. He has always had the ability but confidents seemed to let him down. This summer was a complete turn around, having the vice captaincy and the added responsibility gave him great confidents and a good attitude. Dyl established himself as our regular opener sharing a club record for 16A cricket with Cameron. His cover drive was worth the admission fee, just superb. Also an excellent fieldsman in any position and always putting his body on the line as he did in the final.

Dylan this performance was well deserved and I hope you're proud of yourself.

JAMES (JIMMY, BILLSY) BILLS: 316 runs @ 35.11 22 wickets @ 12.72 Billsy carried on his efforts from last season with a brilliant all-round display this season. He had the misfortune of scoring 99 against Aquinas in round 6 after deserving a hundred. At the start of the season he said he was fired up for a big year in the baggy blue and red of Engadine and he certainly backed up those comments with some electrifying cricket. All Billsy's efforts this year were rewarded with a brilliant match in the final where he dominated with both bat and ball. His bowling was steady all year shining with his 4/24 against D.L.S in the last round and again in the final with 4/21. Jimmy's fielding was first class taking some sharp catches in the cover position and also possessed a strong throwing arm. Billsy I am very proud of you mate, you worked really hard in all areas of your game and got the rewards. Don't feel disappointed about reps because you have a big future and you are only young, there is plenty of time.

OMAR (NO APPEAL) SAMAD: 152 runs @ 24.6 22 wickets @ 13.4

Omar is the type of lad that coaches dream about having in their team, rising to the occasion with both bat and ball whenever things got tough. More often than not he came out to bat when the team was in a little trouble and was required to stay out there and also try and score runs at the same time, and most of us know that trying to do both isn't easy under pressure. A major reason for Omar's success in these areas is that he had a tremendous temperament. Bowling first change, his terrific line and length steadied the run rate and he consistently picked up wickets as his figures indicate. Omar's fielding improved dramatically throughout the season holding some tough catches in pressure situations.

Omar congratulations on your season and you thoroughly deserved everything that came your way this season.

MATTHEW (SAMBO) SAMBUCO: 24 wickets @ 11.79 35 runs

Sambo was our opening left arm swing bowler who with Adam formed the best opening pair in the comp, and I am certainly not being biased. He won the teams bowling award with 24 wickets in a great tussle with Adam, James and Omar. On most occasions Matt would pick up an early wicket, which is an indication of the class of the lad. That would always put the opposition under pressure and give the whole team plenty of confidents. Sambo always showed his enthusiasm no matter what he was doing whether it be batting, bowling or fielding. Every Friday after training Matt would always be sweating after putting 100% into his practise sessions which was a true indication of how much he enjoyed it. In the final against Caringbah Matty took 4 stunning outfield catches in pressure situations to certainly have an influence on the result.

Matt, super year and congratulations on the bowling award you deserved it.

ROBERT (SIDEBURNS) DUMBRELL:

67 runs wicketkeeper 14 catches @ 3.714 (byes per match)

Robert was our wicket keeper, and partnered Dylan at the top of the order for most of the season with good results. Rob was a tremendous acquisition for us this season in all departments of the game. Being the keeper Rob was the most important person out there as he had the responsibility of keeping everyone on their toes and enthusiastic about the job at hand. With Rob you could always rely on him giving 100% no matter what the situation. His efforts were rewarded taking 14 catches with the gloves and a premiership to go along side it. Rob's batting was better than his figures suggest, he occupied the crease for long stints allowing his teammates to score the runs. He certainly didn't under achieve with the bat because the job he was given he did successfully.

Rob well done and thanks for playing with us this season, we will see you next year.

GAVIN (GAV) HAINSWORTH:

3 wickets

With the team having only 10 boys graded Gav volunteered to play in his first season ever. Nothing was expected of Gav this season except just to give it his best. Seeing him in his first training session it looked like he had been playing for years. Gav was a great team man and always did what ever was necessary for the team. After the first couple of rounds Gav made the gully position his own, taking some great catches which made it look so easy. He developed into one of our change bowlers with his steady medium pace. The highlight for Gav came against Illawong in round 9 when we looked gone he got the wicket of Steven Smith, one of the shires top batsman caught behind which put us in a position to win the game. Gav learnt so much about the game this season, which will put him in good stead for the future.

Gavin not many people can say they won a comp in their first season under a great coach. Well-done man.

28 runs

JAMES (PUNSHO) PUNSHON:

James was a quite lad that always gave his best. He didn't receive many opportunities, but he played his part taking some fine catches along with some good bowling. The highlights of Punsho's season was his 3-9 against Aquinas at the tip site where he bowled a great line and length, and also a brilliant 34 in the 2nd innings against Illawong at the same ground in which he smashed the bowlers to all parts of the arena. That innings reminded us of what this young man is capable of.

Punsho well done on the effort you put in this year and for putting up with Harry and myself.

NATHAN (RITTO) BULLOCK: 70 runs 2 wickets 6 catches Before the season got under way my thinking was that Ritto was going to be our go to man for quick runs, as he possesses immense power along with some defence. We were soon to realise that he is a brilliant slips fieldsman as well, pulling off some of the most remarkable catches that you will ever see. The 6 catches Ritto took he was diving to take them, and they were all in the one hand which is brilliant. He only dropped a few and they were all extremely tough chances that the Kenyan's wouldn't even take. The most important catch of all was the one against Illawong in round 9 that put us on the road to glory. It was a diving catch to his left which clipped the keepers gloves along the way to make it even harder, and all the boys jumped out of their skins when they realised he caught it. Ritto also played some valuable innings with the bat in the middle order with some powerful hitting.

Well done big fella your catch was one that none of us will ever forget because it was the moment that revived our season.

quite but soon familiarised himself with all the boys and everything was smooth sailing. The opportunities he got he showed tremendous guts and determination in all aspects of the game. Ken was another one that road his bike to Heathcote on occasions for training when he couldn't get a lift, and that was something that really impressed the

KENNETH (KENNY) HYDE:

45 runs

coaching staff and the players. That was a true indication of a team player in not letting your teammates down. One of the most proud moments that Kenny will have when he looks back on the season will be his great catch in the final to dismiss their key batsman Skip Richards. The ball was in the air for what seemed to be an eternity and heading in the direction of mid on where Kenny was fielding, he wiped off his hat called "Ken's" and took it as clean as a whistle to send Richards on his way. Ken your credit to yourself and others and it was joy to have you in the team. See you next year

CHRIS (SUPERMAN) REEVES:

165 runs @ 16.5

6 catches

4 wickets

Chris was our only player in their first year 16s. If this season was anything to go by then he will be in the mix for cricketer of the year next season. That is a big statement I know but the ability Chris has anything is possible. His early season form was brilliant making 3 scores all in the 40s but unfortunately not going on. Chris lost a bit of form in the latter part of the season but that's cricket. He had an excellent pull shot, which he used to great effect on many occasion. Chris also showed us his fielding attributes, pulling off some great catchers that left us stunned. Next season he will be a senior player and I believe that with added responsibility he will shine.

Terrific year mate, you have the chance to really develop your game so grab the opportunity next season and work really hard.

ADAM (YA DAD LOVES YA) LOGAN: 106 runs @ 15.14 19 wickets @ 16.84 The comment on Adam in last season's yearbook said, "Next season we have high hopes that Adam will develop into a good opening bowler". You dead set couldn't get much closer to the mark with those comments. Adam has developed all right; he is now a class opening bowler that led our attack well with some good fast bowling. The rep selectors obviously noticed that as well in picking him for in the u/16 Watson Shield team. His 16 wickets could so easily have been 26 had things gone his way. The catches we did drop this season pretty much all came off Adam's bowling and you could tell the big bloke looked frustrated. Adam's batting improved out of site this season, rewarded with a solid innings of 21 in the Final, which helped get us to the score we did. These results have certainly come from a guy who has enjoyed his cricket. Top stuff Ad it was a pleasure to watch.

COACHES - STUART SLACK

MANAGER - HARRY ROBBINS

38 runs

Kenny came into the team a week before the 1st game and fitted in superbly. Early on in the piece Kenny was a little

16C ST. PATS DRAGONS TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: BOWLER: TEAM PLAYER: FIELDING AWARD:

Peter Balmer Michael Panich Corey Davis Peter Waddington

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Cameron Curtis, Peter Balmer, Billy Bettridge, Tom McNee, Corey Davis, Kurt Mitchell, Neer Gandecha, Michael Panich, Tim Ifland, Daniel Anderson, Sean Shukla, Peter Waddington, Ji Brown.

What a great effort to field this team. A bunch of young cricket loving lads who got a run only through the efforts of officials from two clubs getting together and sorting things out. This composite team comprised of Engadine and St Patrick's players did well. They can be proud of their efforts. It is never easy to meld together people who have never met and expect them to forge a team. To their credit these boys did extremely well and played some very good cricket. They had three wins and though they lost 7 games they were never beaten outright which speaks volumes for their tenacity and keenness. Again to their credit they pulled together at all times and though there was a variance in skill levels commitment was A1 from all. You cannot ask for much more.

Training sessions were inhibited by the fact that not all players lived locally and had easy access to Anzac Training facilities. If this could have been overcome I am sure the boys would have benefited from the efforts of their coaches.

But the major objective of the season was achieved. The boys played competition cricket, they enjoyed doing it, and, they were competitive! I hope they stay with the game and move into the senior ranks with the same enthusiasm and commitment they showed throughout the season.

The success we enjoyed had a lot to do with the efforts of Roger McNee (Manager) and Rob Balmer and Attila who covered for me in my absences and helped at all times to make things work.

COACH – PAUL WADDELL

MANAGER – ROGER McNEE

SENIOR TEAM REPORTS

A1 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS -BATSMAN:Murray JohnstonBOWLER:Ross Stuart

THE TEAM: - Greg Heffernan (Capt), Colin Berry, Paul Cameron, Blake Cousemacker, Braiden Gilbert, Glenn Hickey, Murray Johnston, Andrew Kelly, Beau Knowles, Greg Knowles, David Jones, Chris Lake, Drew Lake, Mark Lavender, Ross Stuart, Jeremy Vickers.

This season certainly promised a great deal, but did not quite deliver the results we expected. The team finished 4th and were realistically out of contention for the final at the Christmas break. We started the season well winning 4 of the first 5, lost the next 5 and won 2 of the last 3. The mid-season run of 1-day matches was our downfall with the loss of the toss playing a big part. We have historically never chased runs well and this was emphasized during this time. Some of the losses were close and had some gone our way the content of this report may well have been different. Post Brett Johnson with his experience, astute captaincy and calling of the toss was never going to be easy.

Perhaps the most crucial circumstances affecting the team's performance and results were the long-term injuries sustained by key players Drew Lake and Blake Cousemaker. Drew has been the backbone of our batting for quite a few years now and we certainly missed his input when times were tough. Blake has opened the bowling and played an important in breaking the partnerships at the top of the order. Without the experience of these players we struggled at times.

Our batting did let us down this year. Without recognised openers we attempted to promote the lower order batsmen into the role. This was perhaps unfair on them as this is a specialist position, however we really did not have other options at our disposal. There were times when the batting did perform with this helping in our good start to the season. Consistency was a big problem. Our end of season trip was funded primarily through fines imposed by batsmen failing to score double figures and further highlighted the problem. Of course Jeremy's mouth did cost him a bit of money.

The bowling and fielding were generally of a good standard and on many occasions we restricted sides to a reasonable target. Some of the catches were of an exceptional level and were worthy of congratulations. The bowlers toiled hard on unresponsive wickets and did their job.

On a positive note the side went into every game to have some fun and we certainly did that. Our first win for 6 matches after chasing 200 for victory was celebrated in great style and showed there in nothing better than winning when you have not done so for a while.

It was great to welcome the new guys to the side Murray Johnston, Dave Jones, Beau Knowles, Jeremy Vickers and Braiden Gilbert. We have had the same side for a number of years now and some new faces were great to see. Murray proved to be our most consistent batsmen this year and was rewarded with some good scores. Dave showed he is naturally gifted and put together some good innings later in the year. Beau did really well in his first year in A1's with the big fella doing a lot of the grunt work into the breeze and uphill. He will benefit from this year as will Jeremy. His glove work was of a high standard as was his commentary of the opposition batsmen. Braiden learnt a great deal in his first year in A1's and it would be sensational to have him back next year if Grade is not on the cards.

The usual suspects including Paul Cameron, Ross Stuart, Greg Knowles, Andrew Kelly, Col Berry and Glenn Hickey all had their good moments that will hopefully ensure they back up for another year.

I want to thank all the players for their efforts this year. I hope the end of season trip was one to remember and that we all turn up again next year put our best foot forward and make an appearance in the final.

CAPTAIN – GREG HEFFERNAN

B2 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Jim Bonser BOWLER: Paul Waddell ALL ROUNDER: Jim Bonser

THE TEAM: - Paul Waddell (Capt), Brett Adams, Jim Bonser, Lance Cochrane, Damien Collins, Michael Daly, Michael Green, Chris Linley, Graham Price, Jason Radford, Troy Selvage, Daniel Slade, Matthew Whitney, Will Wooster.

At the start of the season, on paper I'm sure I'm not the only person who thought this was our year. First game this looked the case. Chasing 260 we won convincingly scoring the runs with 6 wickets down, 20 overs to spare and our fielding and bowling well above average. Unfortunately, like last year we lost four games by less than 20 runs, two of them by less than 10. Those two teams ended up in the final. The boys showed tremendous fight when needed but in the end we just missed out on the finals. Although as a team result it was very disappointing not being in the final it was still a very competitive year for us. Losing those close games made the difference in the end. And after those games although they were heartbreaking as seen in the boys' faces after those games it at least showed that we wanted to win. We lost four close games last year and basically said, "Oh well!" But this season losing wasn't an option. Through the season the boys had some great individual highlights and more importantly some fantastic team performances. Overall it was a very enjoyable year and with the same team next year and winning those close games we will be premiers.

Finally, our collective thanks to those blokes who helped out when we were short. Bill Ziegler, Bill Knowles, Paul Marsh, Andrew Nader and Richard Katon. Great work fellas and your help was much appreciated.

Season Highlights:

- Tippa's 144 while still refusing to run 2s.
- Whitney scoring runs with the MRF.
- Linley thinking hair is non-inflammable.
- Graham refusing to walk last game.
- Bonz & Linley's honeymoon on Hamilton Island.
- Greeny going out Friday night and picked up Saturday lunchtime at Boyle's hotel to go to game.
- Wal's endless LBW appeals.
- Hubba forgetting you can declare in cricket.
- Slugga driving a Ford.
- Will getting married in Fiji and not taking the team over there.
- Radford wearing a headband last game.
- Stan christening the toilet bowl at Whitney's and Sian's.
- Daly just refusing to run.
- And finally Troy on the highest fine for getting out in a single innings (detailed as follows) Shoulder arms, clean bowled \$10. Duck \$4. Looking at stumps \$2. Throwing bat \$2. Excuse \$2. Getting out total, \$20.

My thanks to all the boys. Not only are you good cricketers, you are a fantastic bunch of mates.

Bonz.

B2 INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES.

(In Alphabetical Order)

NAME	RI	JNS	WICKE	ETS .	HIGHEST	BEST	CATCHES
	Agg.	Aver.	Agg.	Aver.	SCORE	BOWLING	
Brett Adams	114	12.6	10	11.9	25	4 for 1	3
Jim Bonser	345	31.3	20	14.1	77	5 for 24	4
Lance Cochrane	59	9.8	3	22.3	26	1 for 6	3
Damien Collins	233	25.8	15	21.6	144	4 for 55	1
Michael Daly	134	19.1	6	20.3	35	3 for 36	3
Michael Green	113	12.5	3	20.3	47	2 for 12	6
Chris Linley	207	18.8	12	20.1	73	3 for 20	0
Graham Price	115	12.7	W/kpr	-	57 n.o.	-	3 1 St.
Jason Radford	38	7.6	10	20.4	10	3 for 13	1
Troy Selvage	136	15.1	-	-	68	-	9
Daniel Slade	53	7.57	2	18.0	17	2 for 36	1
Paul Waddell	70	8.75	25	12.7	20 n.o.	5 for 48	6
Matthew Whitney	87	12.4	7	43.4	32	2 for 25	9
Will Wooster	272	27.2	3	40.0	84	3 for 32	6

CAPTAIN - PAUL WADDELL

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Mark Mitchell BOWLER: Stewart Vella ALL ROUNDER: Stewart Vella

MINOR PREMIERS & PREMIERS

<u>**THE TEAM:</u>** - Nathan Alterator (Capt), Kevin Bryan, Matthew Carroll, Gavin Cato, Evan Deacon, Nathan De Rooy, Sean Hall, Ben Judge, Ryan McLauchlan, Mark Mitchell, Sanjay Patel, Matthew Russell, Stewart Vella.</u>

B5's - Minors Premiers – Premiers - 2003/04! Well what a turnaround from last year where we finished toward the opposite end B5 ladder! With the season containing so many highlights, it was great to see our consistency rewarded with a win in the final against Como. The boys played some great cricket during the year, and we had an awesome time doing it. We retained our core group of players from last year, and welcomed new signings Nathan De Rooy and Evan Deacon (Illawong), Stewart Vella (Caringbah Inn), and Kevin Bryan to the team. We were a bit unsure as to how our team would fit together at the start, but after our initial outright victory (against eventual runners-up Como) we gained a lot of confidence. Of the 12 rounds played, we won 9 (3 outright) and lost 3. There were many highlights of the season and not too many lowlights – except perhaps our loss to Illawong in Round 9. Although a bag-load of personal milestones were achieved, these paled into relative insignificance when you consider the way we played as a team and enjoyed our cricket.

Some highlights of our season included:

- Russ falling into the ditch at Box Rd trying to take a catch
- Evan Deacon's 96 and hat-trick versus Illawong on debut for the Dragon's
- Nato getting bowled by De Jarlais (ok, I'll admit it was funny)
- Fielding for Bosco against our own batsmen
- Stewart ripping through the Heathcote lineup with 7-11
- Wranga tonking Coady into the mangroves first ball
- Judgey getting Coady out for a golden duck
- Dismantling the Gymea batsmen for 32 after they hit 339 against us in the first round
- Russell's Hundreds & Thousands (biscuits that is)
- Ben Holt grabbing 3-13 in his men's debut v Miranda
- Warney being voted Player's Player

Anyway, it has been an honour to Captain the team this year, and I would like to thank every member of the team for their support. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank a couple of young cricketers who helped us out this year. David McMillan and Ben Holt (both from the 14B's) have a great future in front of them, and they were always willing to step up and help when needed. They attended the vast majority of our games to score, field, umpire and even play. Ben Holt in particular picked up 5 wickets on his men's debut against Miranda. Thanks also to the players from other teams that helped us out. Thanks to go Ian Mitchell, Paul Marsh and Chris Ward (C1), Richard Katon and Chris Nelson (B6), Paul Bremner and Dale Bates (14B) and Robbie Knight (B7). I'm hoping that all of the boys can stay together for an equally successful 2004/05 season.

<u>The Final</u>

We made it into the final 9 points clear of our closest rival's Como/Jannali. We hoped to get the game started on Saturday – but due to persistent rain this was not possible and the final turned into a one-day affair at Gwawley North the following day. We were sent into the field first, and it turned out to be a good toss to lose. Cowboy and Stewey bowled tightly at the beginning, before Big Red picked up two important wickets. Warney was rushed into the attack (he assured us those pills were Panadols from his mum), and turned in one of the best spells of spin bowling in a long time. The Como batsmen had no idea, and he picked up 2-18 (9), thanks to his own safe sands and the quick glovework of Mac. Other wicket-takers were Stew and Sanjay, who worked in tandem to annihilate the tail. Wildcard Sanjay had only captured 2 wickets all year, yet he delivered the unbelievable figures of 3-8 when it mattered. Stewy did the rest with 3-16 off his 9, with the help of Russ' safe hands. We dispatched of Como for 118 in the 43rd over. The opposition managed only one boundary.

We started our run chase in a positive frame of mind, with Big Red and Sanjay setting the ship off into positive waters. We unfortunately sunk from 1-43 to 4-49 in the space of minutes, with Nato, Judgey and Sanj all getting out to stupid shots. Stew and Evan then steadied the ship, before he and Gav were both knocked overboard. Mac and his Big Kahuna then decided to put on a show for the traveling Dragon's faithful, and after a few tense moments he and Stew expertly guided the ship into the safe waters of Victory Harbour. Stewart ended up with 57*, earning him man-of the-match honours and bringing to an end a remarkable season for all involved. It is not often that you win cricket premierships, so I hope that everyone can savour what a great season we had.

It was a great win for the team and I hope that we can retain the same team for next year when we rise up a grade or two.

-Nathan

Kevin (Big Kev) Bryan:

2 Catches

Kev was more than happy to turn up when needed for us this year. He only played in 3 games throughout the year and was willing to face up for us against the new ball. Kev was like lightning in the field, and he showed an urgency sometimes lacking in our younger players! It was great to have Kev in the team and he is more than welcome to play in our team again next season and into the future!

Matt (Warney, S.K) Carroll:

24 wickets @12.08	Best Bowling: 6-17	3 Catches
25 runs @ 3.57	Highest Score: 21*	

Congratulations to S.K on another brilliant season. Warney was arguably one of our most potent bowling weapons throughout the year, and he could always be counted on to bowl over after over of superb legspin. A lot of the batsmen in the competition had no idea how to play him, and this is indicated in his wicket count of 24. His performance in the final was indeed a sight to behold, as he helped us to restrict the Como total to just 118. It was just unfortunate that he was limited to 9 overs, otherwise he would have bowled throughout the entire innings. His combination with Mac behind the stumps was also impressive game after game. Warney's final innings of 21* vs. Bosco would definitely have to be a highlight of the season. As well as sharing in a 47-run 10th-wicket partnership with Evan, Warney batted with the poise and technique of...hmmm...Shane Warne. Well done mate it was great having you in the team.

Gavin (G.C, Bye Bye WRX) Cato:

15 wickets @ 16.2	Best Bowling: 2-11	14 Maidens
133 runs @ 13.3	Highest Score: 55	5 Catches

Gav had another excellent year this year, and was one of the most committed team members. He would always put his hand up to bowl, and would never disappoint, picking up at least one wicket in most spells. Gav was on a hat trick twice this year with his deceptive left-arm swing, and not many of the batsmen knew how to play him consistently. Gav's batting was also great in patches, although his consistency was not always with him. His 55 v Heathcote was a great innings, his first half-century in a while, although unfortunately he could not carry these figures throughout the season. My commiserations go out to Gav on the loss of his WRX - replaced by a Falcon.

Evan (Ev, Millenium Train) Deacon:

6 wickets @ 4.66	Best Bowling: 4-7 (including hat-trick)	1 Catch
206 runs @ 41.2 (best av.)	Highest Score: 96	5 th in aggregate

Well what a find for the Dragons! When Evan turned up to our first training session we did not really know what to expect, yet after his first game we had our opinions firmly established! Opening the batting with Stewart, Evan turned in one of the most remarkable debuts ever - scoring 96 and sharing in a 150 run opening partnership. Evan was given the ball in the subsequent innings, and bowling his flighty legspin grabbed a hat-trick in his second over to guarantee our first outright victory. Ev was definitely the quiet achiever of the team, as indicated by his figures. His aggressive frame of mind when batting made up for words, and he slashed and belted the balls to all corners of the ground whilst at the same time placing a high value on his wicket. Ev established himself at the #6 position towards the end of the year where he flourished. Although he did not score too many runs in the final, Ev did manage to almost break the leg of the umpire with a powerfully hit pull shot. Congratulations to Ev on a successful season, and we hope that you can get those trains running properly soon mate! We look forward to him signing up again next year.

Nathan (Cowboy, Wranga, Nath, Nemish, Tokyo Sunset) De Rooy:

21 wickets @ 12.33	Best Bowling: 5-15	17 Maidens (84 overs)
72 runs @ 12	Highest Score: 27*	8 Catches (equal 1 st)

Nathan was another remarkable find for the Dragons this year after being recruited from Illawong. A confident and passionate cricketer, Nathan quickly grabbed hold of the new ball and didn't let go of it for the entire season (except when he was late). As the fastest bowler in the team, he was an intimidating sight running in to bowl, and he picked up some gems throughout the year with his blistering pace. Against Gymea, Nathan bowled almost a perfect spell, picking up 5-15. four of which were caught behind the wicket. Nathan's batting was always entertaining for the spectators, which led to the nickname 'Cowboy'. His raw power and disrespect for bowlers often left them shaking their heads, although more often than not this led to his downfall. Cowboy was one of most agile and energetic fieldsmen, and was drawn like a magnet to any catches. He shared the catching aggregate with Nato and Judge, led by example to the rest of the team, and could be relied on by his captain to field anywhere. Well done mate.

Sean (Sean) Hall		
3 wickets @ 17.33	8 runs @ 2.66	2 Catches

We were unfortunate to lose a cricketer of Sean's calibre midway through the season due to work commitments. At one stage Sean bowled a 4 over spell for 0 runs, which was pretty impressive. Sean is a very talented cricketer, and if he decides to return there will always be a place for him in the team. If not we wish him the best of luck in whichever path he chooses to follow.

Ben (Winston, Judgey, Chucker) Judge

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7 wickets @ 14.28	Best Bowling: 4-21	8 Catches (equal 1 st)
263 runs @ 32.87	Highest Score: 45 ret.	3 rd in agg.

Well what a remarkable year for young Benjamin Winston Judge. In only his second season of men's cricket, Ben declared a Blitzkrieg on the opposition bowlers to blast his way to 263 runs. Although 3rd in aggregate, had Ben not broken a bone midway through the year the total would have been much higher, as reflected by his average. A remarkable stat is that Ben did not score less than 20 runs in any of his innings, and he could often be relied on to drag us out of trouble. As well as his batting, Ben's bowling and fielding improved out of sight throughout the season to the point where he cemented himself in the slips cordon and opened the bowling on occasions. Ben is well liked and respected by his teammates despite his young age, and was an automatic selection in the team. His catching was brilliant, and he picked up 3 catches at 2nd-slip in our second round annihilation of Gymea Bay. Well done Ben, you should be proud of your efforts.

Ryan (Macca, Mac, Big Mac, Big Kahuna, Fridge's Mate) McLauchlan

81 runs @ 13.5	Highest Score: 59
21 Dismissals	14 Catches, 7 Stumpings

Congratulations Mac on a successful year behind the stumps and as an important member of the team. With so many batsmen vying for positions, Mac agreed at the start of the year to take on the role of wicket keeper and in turn lessen his batting responsibilities. Macca was very reliable behind the stumps, as indicated by his figures. His understanding of Warney's leg-spin improved out of sight, and Macca was always on hand to clean up any batsmen who strayed from their crease. Until the final round, his batting was nothing to write home about, but then against Bosco he pulled out the Big Kahuna and smashed an unbelievable 59. Some of his shots were that big they would have put Chris Cairns, Andrew Symonds and Mark Waugh to shame! Mac continued his good batting form in the final, hitting the winning runs on his way to 15*. In the end it was a shame the season finished because Mac was just coming into his prime. Well done mate.

Mark (Wranga, Big Red, Sparky, Nemish, Coady Lover) Mitchell (vc)

15 Wickets @ 18.86	I IIII	Best Bowling	g: 4- 9	<i>,</i>	1 Catch
323 Runs @ 35.88	I	Highest Score	e: 83*		1 st in aggregate

Well Mark started the season slowly before making the B5 competition his own as the season progressed. A passionate cricketer, Mark always gives 110% whether he is batting or bowling. His first ball of the year yielded a wicket, which signified his transformation from a part-time bowler to a serious strike weapon. Although sometimes a little wayward, Mark usually bowled a line that had every batsman on their toes. His 6-over spell in the final produced the important wickets of both openers. His batting also went from strength to strength as the season progressed, as indicated by his statistics. Cemented in the opening position, Mark's aggressive style of play ensured that we weren't bogged down in the early overs.

He played the lone hand in restoring some pride in our loss to Gymea, and his partnership with Winston against Heathcote was awesome to behold. Mark knows exactly what is going on in a game of

cricket, and his suggestion of bowling Sanjay in the final was a stroke of genius – the result 3-8. Well done Mark – and congratulations on an awesome year.

Sanjay (Sanj, Sanath, Stinj, Patman, LBW) Patel

5 wickets @ 47.4	Best Bowling: 3-8 (in final)	7 Maidens
100 runs @ 9.09	Highest Score: 28	1 Catch

Sanj is a great asset to any team, especially when he is in form. Sanjay probably has the best batting technique of anyone in the team, and we all witnessed flashes of brilliance from time to time. Sanjay was solid against the new ball, and except when his pads got in the way we could usually rely on he and Mark to set the ball rolling (literally).

Matt (Russ, Ditch, Andy Caddick) Russell

70 Runs @ 11.66	Highest Score: 31*
3 Wickets @ 24	4 Catches

Russ had another solid season this year, highlighted by his late season splurge which saw him hit 31* against Gymea. Matt is technically a very good batsmen, and it was unfortunate that he did not score more runs than he did. Matt usually had a safe pair of hands, and could be relied upon to field either in slips or in the outfield. Matt held the catch in the final to dismiss Como's danger man, and it wasn't an easy chance either. Matt was our team 'secretary' this year, and could always be relied upon to score when no one else could be bothered, and to provide an endless supply of Hundreds and Thousands to the team.

Stewart (Stew, Stewy, SV, Son of Jim's Dad) Vella

28 Wickets @ 5.5	Best Bowling: 7-11	4 Catches
246 Runs @ 30.75	Highest Score: 81	19 Maidens (63.3 overs)

Well Stewy was definitely our all-rounder this year, as proven by his extraordinary figures. He was a great signing for the Dragons this year, and we were more than happy to work around his busy soccer schedule. Stew gradually worked his way up the bowling ranks this year, and was probably the most potent and consistent fast bowler in the competition. There was not one team that could play him consistently, and Stew was often the man we turned to when the going was tough. He almost single-handedly annihilated Heathcote (7-11), and picked up two other 5-wicket hauls throughout the year, as well as 3 wickets in the final. Stew also looked like setting the competition alight with his batting, although after two half centuries in the first two innings it sort of died down a bit – although he was still one of our top batsmen. His 57* in the final won us the game, and was a brilliant innings under pressure. Well done Stewy.

Nathan (Nato, 14A Captain) Alterator ©

290 runs @ 26.36	1 /	Highest Score: 50	2 nd in Aggregate
7 Overs		1 Maiden	8 Catches (equal 1 st)

Well it was an honour to captain the team this year, and could there be any better result than winning the final? Our consistency throughout the season paid off, and I guess personally it was great watching game plans work like they should. Thanks to all the boys for their support through the year, and I hope that you can all look back and remember what a memorable season 2004-05 really was. And sorry to Ev for catching him when I was fielding for Bosco :P

CAPTAIN – NATHAN ALTERATOR

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Richard Katon BOWLER: Chris Nelson

<u>THE TEAM</u>: - Michael Lavallee (Capt), James Bills, Matthew Brandley, Dane Brown, Colin Chappelow, Troy Clifford, Peter Coman, Mitchell Durie, Tim Greenway, Richard Katon, Chris Moreland, Chris Nelson, Adam Phillips, Brendon Smith, Alan Wood.

The B6 team this year comprised of players at different stages of their cricketing careers: we had players from last years A2's, B4's and 16A's as well as players playing their first season of cricket since juniors and players in their first ever season. It was a good mix and things looked promising with 2 very impressive wins first up. The main objective this season was for everyone to have a go and enjoy their cricket, which in the end was probably achieved. It's always hard in senior cricket to play with the same team week in week out due to work commitments, hangovers etc. We finished the season in 5th place, which wasn't a true indication of the team's ability. If we look back on the season there were many opportunities that we could have made much more out of games than we did. Inconsistency was definitely a word to describe the season's performance, as it was rare for us to both bat and bowl well in the same game. When we got it right the end result was more often than not, in our favour. A lot of the time whilst we were batting I think the boys thought they could clear the boundary just about every ball which resulted in the most bowled dismissals in the comp.

Now onto the positives and their were plenty of them, highlighted by Chris (Fridge) Nelson once again dominating with the ball to finish with a season total 35 wickets and averaging a tick under 3 wickets a match which was a splendid effort. Rich Katon carried on his efforts from last season demoralising opposition bowlers to all parts of the field. He scored 297 runs for the year to lead the runs for the team closely followed by skipper Mick Lavallee who stormed home in the last few matches with scores of 100no and 67no to finish on 289 for the year and could almost have taken the award away from Rich had he decided to have a 2nd innings in the last match where I'm sure he would have eclipsed it. Rich certainly deserved it as he was one of the most consistent batsman all year. Alan Wood made a come back after several years out in the wilderness formally coached by none other than Stu Slack and proved this year that he certainly hasn't lost the talent that he possessed back in the 14A's. Al had a very successful year with both bat and ball and will only get better as seasons progress. Other highlights during the season that come to mind are when Mitch (chuck) Durie got smacked in the nose trying to attempt a pull shot. He got taken from the field with Rich's shirt under his nose trying to stop the bleeding which wasn't to successful instead putting a lovely red tint on the shirt. Then Mrs Durie arrived absolutely livered at what had happened to his nose because he should have been wearing a helmet. Troy Clifford bringing up his maiden half century was another memorable moment and to do it against the competition leaders was even more satisfying. It wasn't an innings of big hitting it was more of a controlled, patient orientated knock, which was very well earned.

There were several outstanding catches taken this season by the boys. Dane's catch on the boundary at Seymour Shaw stands out considering it looked like he wasn't even going to get to it at one stage.

James Bills and Matt Sambuco filled in at various times during the season with good results. Billsy finished with the best batting average in the team with 35.

Well-done boys

I look forward to a report from you next season Michael.

Stuart

CAPTAIN - MICHAEL LAVALLEE

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Ryan Salakas BOWLER: Wade Horsnell ALL ROUNDER: Wade Horsnell

MINOR PREMIERS & PREMIERS

THE TEAM: - Ed Bullock (Capt), Robert Balmer, Greg Faul, David Guilly, Eric Guilly, Wade Horsnell, Paul Johnson, Robbie Knight, Jason O'Reilly, Paul O'Reilly, Peter O'Reilly, Ryan Salakas, Tod Skevington, Michael Smith.

Finally, after years of trying, we've done it. The Mighty Engadine Dragons are Minor-Premiers and Premiers. After a hard fought season the boys ended up with the Jacket and it was much deserved. There were plenty of high points this year but we'll just talk about the lows. Start with 'The Rob', and his fake injury...took a dive, started crying, and went to hospital. Bull, ran into the Eel (after the Eel called it), hit the deck, started crying, lost us the game. The Eel, not turning up because why, ring shopping......no fine could've covered that. Even worse is The Horse, couldn't play cause he had to go to the Carols in the Domain....Disgraceful.

We had a couple of good pick-ups this year with Natalie, Magic, The Eel and The Corrimal Cougar. Between them they managed to get a few wickets and a couple of runs to help us out a little bit. But the news that the cricketing world has been talking about is that Tubba can bat...357 runs this year at an average of about 3 or 4 ain't too bad. Jack went well at keeper...just kidding. Magic bowled a Yorker.......just kidding.

Apart from all this we had a decent season and here are the player profiles:

ED 'BULL' BULLOCK:

Likes: His Boys Dislikes: His Shoulder Ambition: To captain Australia

Bull was our Captain and ditched for the last part of the season so he could sit back and relax. Bull has worked hard over the last few years to take the Dragons to a Premiership and it has finally happened. He often put himself down the order to give the other guys a go and led by example in the field with his athleticism and ability. Bull's big performances were his 27 v SUSC and 3-14 v Gymea.

ROB 'THE ROB' BALMER:

Likes: The Mustards Dislikes: The Lump Ambition: To have the Lump removed

The Rob was devastated early on with a scratch on his shoulder and had to sit most of the season out. He returned as our No.1 in the field and took about 26 catches before the end of the season. Rob's Siamese twin also played well this year. With 58 runs and four wickets, the lump surpassed all expectations. See you back next year boys.

PAUL 'MAGIC' JOHNSON: Likes: Himself **Dislikes:** Drinking from a glass **Ambition:** To take 1,000 Test wickets

Johnno started the season well with twenty odd wickets in the first game but slid down the hill for the rest. He did achieve one mean feat that no-one else could manage, More wickets than Runs, good stuff. Johnno was a gun in the field and took heaps of catches and didn't let much past him. Pretty good for a Rookie.

CLIVE 'BEARDY' BEARDOW: Likes: Beer Dislikes: Showers Ambition: Outscore Gronk

Clivey was one of our guns this year coming in when we needed him to hold up an end and win the game, he rarely did this successfully but he tried his best. Beardy helped win us the game in the last round with a monster partnership, which ended up giving us the premiership. The fact that he is a Pom didn't even hold back his cricket. Good season Clive Baby!

<u>GREG 'GRONK' FAUL</u>:

Likes: Everything Heh he he **Dislikes:** Nothing Heh he he **Ambition:** To not have to field ever again

Gronk was once again one of our best all-rounders with 194 runs and 14 wickets. Above all of this he was awesome in the field, prancing around like a gazelle saving fours and taking catches. Gronk is on our cover this year for the Men of Cricket Calender and with this experience, may take up a career in modeling.

<u>PAUL 'NATALIE' O'REILLY</u>: Likes: Johnno Dislikes: Johnno Ambition: To marry Johnno

Nat was one of our Rookies this year but that didn't hold him back with heaps of wickets, runs and catches to be one of our MVP's. He is furthering his career next year, hoping to make our team wherever we are...A2...1's maybe. Natalie will only improve with more experience and may do a 'Salakas' next year.

<u>RYAN 'TUBBA' SALAKAS</u>:

Likes: Indoor Cricket Dislikes: The Dogs Ambition: To play indoor cricket for Australia

Tubba was definitely the surprise packet this year going from the 50 runs he scored last year, to over 350 this year, he is one of the big improvers. Tubba won the prestigious G-Stringed Gnome for players player and is probably the best sort in the team. Congrats Ryan.

JASON 'JACK, JACKASS, JOHNNY KNOXVILLE' O'REILLY:

Likes: Russ Aitken Dislikes: Wade Ambition: To marry R. Aitken

Jack had an awesome season with the gloves, catching two balls and stopping four balls. The rest went through. Jack scored 220 runs and is pumped up for a big 04/05 season, hopefully with another club. Good work Jack, keep on truckin'.

ROB 'ROCKET ROBBIE' KNIGHT:

Likes: The Bears Dislikes: Manly Ambition: Bring back the Bears

Robbie Knight is a class player and probably shouldn't waste his time in club cricket. 15 wickets and about minus 12 runs made him invaluable. November page in the Men of Cricket calendar.

MICHAEL 'THE CORRIMAL COUGAR' SMITH:

Likes: The Rob Dislikes: LBW Ambition: To get out another way

Cougs was one of our new pick-ups for the season and apart from being a bit of a stud, he can play cricket alright aswell. Over 300 runs this year and 8 catches makes cougs a valuable member of the team. He is from the south coast though, so steer clear.

ERIC 'THE EEL' GUILLY: Likes: Fines Dislikes: Cougs Ambition: To smash Robbie in the figures next year!

Eric the Eel was another one of our rookies this year and he spent the year in Robbie's shadow, always trying to match, or even beat him. He ended up failing miserably but good on him for trying. The Eel took 10 catches this year and only dropped them off one persons bowling. Good season Eric, you'll get there matey!!!

WADE 'HORSE, BLUEY, ULURU, JERK, BUD, WADO' HORSNELL:

Likes: His hair Dislikes: Jack Ambition: To marry Renee

Blue was our No 1 with the ball, taking 30 something wickets at a decent average. He also took out the best batting average with 290 runs at almost 50. Wade doesn't mind a bit of Wade, and this confidence helped the team out of some tricky situations. February in the Men of Cricket Calender.

PETER 'MR.SHEFFIELD' O'REILLY:

Likes: Kingsy Dislikes: Grey Hair Ambition: To still be playing when he's 104 (20 years)

Peter was our most experi....no......oldest in the team. But this didn't show with 300 runs and 15 wickets for the year. It's about time aswell, the clocks tickin Pete and we were waiting for a big season before your times up. Good Work!

TOD 'SKEV' SKEVINGTON:

Likes: Quiet dinners and long walks on the beach **Dislikes:** Tubba and Gronk **Ambition:** To finally get the Batting Award

Skev was again an asset with the bat, scoring 350 odd runs including a 180* in the first round. But again, like last year was pipped in the last round for the batting award. Skev chimed in with a few wickets and catches this year aswell to make it a good all round year. Skev finished the season off well, GF night slipped in the shower and spent the night in hospital, good stuff Skev!

Thanks boys, see you all back next year!!!

CAPTAIN - ED BULLOCK

B8 TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Tim Russell BOWLER: Tim Russell ALL ROUNDER: Tim Russell

THE TEAM: - Tim Russell (Capt), Troy Abbott, Matthew Bryan, Nathan Bullock, Bradley Dewar, Stuart Dibb, Dean Griffith, Andrew Hyde, Chris Jackson, Tim Jones, Stewart Lumsden, Mitchell Ryan, Rob Smith, Leighton Wright

We shouldn't be to disappointed with this season. Even though we lost every game, we did learn what was required to do to win in a men's competition. There were two games this season where we came very close to winning and this was because we put some runs on the board to defend. As a team we will grow to become very competitive. Even that bloke from the touring side who smashed 152 runs off about 80 balls said that in a few years when we grow up and get physically and mentally stronger we will be the dominating team.

There were a few good performances this year with the bat. There we three people who got a 50, Mitch (73*), Dubb (67*) and Tim. R (50). With the ball Stew (4/26), Jacko (4/25), Tim R (4/41), Tim. J (3/17 and Rob Smith with figures of 0/34 of 4. Matt Bryan, Hydey, Deano also bowled very well at parts of the year.

Big thanks must go to Rob Smith. I think he taught us a few things about cricket and did really help me as captain with fielding positions, etc. And thanks for dropping yourself for the last game (even though I was ready for my turn as 12th man); I really contributed with a great pair. Troy Abbott also needs a mention doing so well in his first ever season of cricket, he had a great array of Shane Warne cricket shots.

Hope to see you all next year.

CAPTAIN - TIM RUSSELL

AWARD WINNERS - BATSMAN: Bill Ziegler BOWLER: Sam Dixon

THE TEAM: - Ken Newman (Capt), Michael Dixon, Paul Dixon, Sam Dixon, David Ince, Peter Ince, Warren Knowles, Allan Lofthouse, Paul Marsh, Ian Mitchell, Andrew Nadar, Matthew Newman, Sunil Patel, Jonathon Rout, Nathan Sargent, Chris Ward, William Ziegler.

After the disappointment of last season's second place, the team took to the paddock with renewed vigour, some new players, and the same aims – to enjoy ourselves. We welcomed Nathan, Michael and Andrew to their first season of competitive cricket, as well as father and son combination Peter and David Ince. The team finished with 5 wins and 7 losses. A very strong start to the season was in stark contrast to our efforts in the one dayers of rounds two and three. At one stage we were nicknamed the one-day wonders, because we wondered if we could win one!

Outstanding performances this year were handed in by Ian Mitchell – 138, Bill Ziegler – 91, Sam Dixon 5/43 and 5/61, Matt (it's a miracle, on a hat trick twice, and he will never get the new ball again) Newman 5/27. Matt and Chris Ward both scored good 60's. Ken and Ian had a whirlwind 5th wicket partnership of 89 in just 39 minutes, and Paul and Bill's opening stand of 104 was a pearler. Other non-statistical highlights were the smile on David's face on taking his first senior wicket, being undefeated going into the second round, and in general the improvement in all of the young brigade.

	Games	Runs	Ave	Wickets	Ave	Catches/St
Paul Dixon	10	172	17.2	8	32	3
Bill Ziegler	11	282	25.64	9	13.22	2
Ian Mitchell	11	252	21	16	21.12	7
Sunil Patel	9	69	7.67	4	26.75	3
Matt Newman	8	108	13.5	12	6.5	10/1
Paul Marsh	8	96	13.71	-	-	5
John Rout	7	92	13.1	12	10.25	2
Andrew Nader	9	20	3.33	-	-	1
Nathan Sargent	8	58	8.29	1	29	-
Chris Ward	10	194	19.4	6	11.67	10/1
Sam Dixon	10	76	19	27	9.52	2
Ken Newman	6	77	19.25	2	9	4/1
Al Lofthouse	7	6	1.5	-	-	1
Mike Dixon	8	65	10.83	3	53.33	2
Peter Ince	6	144	20.57	0	19	1
David Ince	7	35	5.83	6	16	1
Bill Knowles	1	0	0	-	-	-

I would like to thank the whole team for their understanding when asked to stand down to allow everyone a fair go. Everyone in the team played at least 6 of the 12 possible games, with some people playing up in other teams. Having said that, on average most people only played two thirds of the season, which is something, our hard working committee may need to address for next season. My thanks also to Bill and Paul for looking after the team when I was unavailable.

The team would like to thank the committee for their untiring and excellent administration during the year, and special thanks go to our favourite spectators / scorers Judy and Katie Lofthouse. Best wishes also to Al Lofthouse and Paul Marsh who missed much of the year through injury or illness.

All in all another successful season for this team of youth and experience! Onwards and hopefully upward to 04/05.

CAPTAIN - KEN NEWMAN