

Sutherland Shire Cricket Association

**BOYS' COMPETITION**

**1973 - 1974**



**ANNUAL REPORT  
AND  
FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

F. Pattinson, President

J. Ruddy, Hon. Secretary

C. Lawton, Hon. Treasurer

F. Malbon, Hon. Competition Secretary

PREMIERSHIP WINNERS

SEASON	16 A	16 B	16 C	14 A	14 B	14 C	14 D	14 E	12 A	12 B
1937-38....	MIR. WANGERS	-	-	EVOCA SUTH.	-	-	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	-
1938-39....	MIR. MAGPIES	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	-	-	-	-	ST. PATRICKS	-
1939-40....	C'BAH SPORTS	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	-	-	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	-
1940-41....	MIR. MAGPIES	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	EVOCA SUTH.	-	-	-	KIRRAWEE	CRON. RSL (A)
1941-42....	MIR. MAGPIES	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	C'BAH D.L.S.	-	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	JANNALI EAST
1942-43....	MIR. MAGPIES	BOYS' TOWN	-	C'BAH SPORTS	SYLVANIA	CRON. RSL 1	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	KIRRAWEE
1943-44....	MIR. MAGPIES	JANNALI	-	C'BAH SPORTS	C'BAH SPORTS	C'BAH SPORTS	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	CRONULLA RSL
1944-45....	MIR. MAGPIES	WORONORA	-	MIR. MAGPIES	MIR. MAGPIES	SYLVANIA	-	-	MIR. MAGPIES	CRON. RSL (1)
1945-46....	JANNALI	KIRRAWEE	-	MIR. MAGPIES	ENGADINE	COMO	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	KIRRAWEE
1946-47....	MIR. MAGPIES	C'BAH SPORTS	-	MIR. MAGPIES	JANNALI (1)	COMO	-	-	GYMEA	KIRRAWEE
1947-48....	ST. PATRICK'S	SYLVANIA	-	C'BAH SPORTS	SYLVANIA	ST. PAT'S 1	-	-	CRONULLA RSL	ENGADINE
1948-49....	SYLVANIA	(No Comp.)	-	C'BAH SPORTS	ENGADINE	SYLVANIA	MIR. MAGPIES	-	JANNALI	C'BAH D.L.S.
1949-50....	SYLVANIA	C'BAH D.L.S.	-	CRONULLA RSL	GYMEA	BOYS' TOWN	(No Comp.)	-	ENGADINE	SYLVANIA
1950-51....	SYLVANIA	C'BAH D.L.S.	-	JANNALI	ST. PATRICK'S	MIRANDA	ENGADINE	-	ENGADINE	ST. JOHN BOSCO
1951-52....	SYLVANIA	ENGADINE	-	ENGADINE	C'BAH SPORTS	C'BAH SPORTS	(No Comp.)	-	MIRANDA	ST. JOHN BOSCO
1952-53....	MIR. MAGPIES	SYLVANIA	BOYS' TOWN	C'BAH SPORTS	GYMEA	CRONULLA RSL	C'BAH SPORTS	JANNALI	C'BAH SPORTS	COMO
1953-54....	GYMEA BAY	ST. PATS	BOYS' TOWN	MIR. MAGPIES	SYLVANIA	C'BAH SPORTS	GYMEA BAY	HEATHCOTE	ENGADINE	JANNALI

NOTICE is hereby given that the EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Association will be held at the Cricket Administration Centre, Carlingbah Oval, on TUESDAY, 9th JULY, 1974, at 8 pm. sharp.

BUSINESS:

1. Read and confirm Minutes of previous Annual Meeting (1973)
2. Apologies
3. Correspondence
4. Welcome visitors
5. Consideration of Annual Report of the Management Committee and Hon. Treasurer's Financial Statement
6. Notices re alterations to rules
7. Election of Officers:-
  - a) Patrons
  - b) President
  - c) Vice-Presidents (Senior and Junior)
  - d) Hon. Secretary
  - e) Hon. Treasurer
  - f) Hon. Competition Secretary
  - g) Hon. Assistant Secretary
  - h) Hon. Recorder
  - i) Hon. Registrar
  - j) Hon. Publicity Officer
  - k) Committee of Three
  - l) Hon. Auditors
8. Election of Delegates to S.S.C.A., S.D.C.C., S.S.C.U.A.
9. Such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with the rules of the Association

*A cordial invitation is extended to you to attend*

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J. RUTTY,  
Hon. Secretary.

## PAST ASSOCIATION OFFICE BEARERS

- Presidents:** L. Ticehurst 1957/58, A. Tredinnick 1958/59,  
J. Daly 1959/69, N. Davies 1969/72,  
F. Pattinson 1972/74.
- Senior Vice-Presidents:** R. Longbottom 1959/62, K. Hopkins 1962/63,  
J. Turpie 1963/65, G. Merritt 1965/66,  
G. Thomson 1966/69, L. Roy 1969/70,  
F. Pattinson 1970/72, K. Prendergast 1972/74.
- Junior Vice-Presidents:** K. Hopkins 1959/60, 1961/62, J. Dunstan 1960/61,  
J. Turpie 1962/63, L. Flynn 1963/65,  
G. Thomson 1965/66, N. Davies 1966/69,  
M. Edson 1969/70, K. Prendergast 1970/72,  
R. Hilditch 1972/73. L. Handley 1973/74.
- Secretaries:** A. Tredinnick 1957/58, J. Moodie 1958/63,  
M. Edson 1963/69, R. Hilditch 1969/72,  
J. Ruttly 1972/74.
- Competition Secretary:** F. Malbon 1969/74.
- Assistant Secretaries:** E. Hilzinger 1960/61, L. Flynn 1961/63,  
R. Tumeth 1963/65, M. Hart 1965/66,  
W. Haines 1966/67, W. Cox 1967/69,  
G. Thomson 1969/72, Mrs. G. Lawton 1972/74.
- Treasurers:** J. Woodhouse 1957/61, E. Hilzinger 1961/66,  
C. Taylor 1966/71, G. Anderson 1971/72,  
C. Lawton 1972/74.
- Recorders:** J. Moodie 1957/58, W. Croucher 1958/65,  
F. Malbon 1965/73.
- U/12 - U/10 - E. Townsend 1972/74.
- Registrars:** G. Merritt 1961/65, A. Mahoney 1965/66,  
N. Davies 1966/68, J. Ruttly 1968/72,  
Mrs. I. Ruttly 1972/74.
- Publicity Officers:** R. Tumeth 1963/65, J. Ruttly 1965/71,  
Miss J. Bannon 1971/73. K. Whatley 1972/73.
- Committeemen:** S. Astle 1957/59, S. Neilson 1957/59,  
J. Jamieson 1957/58, R. Smith 1958/59,  
A. Peterson 1958/59, K. Killey 1960/62,  
K. Collis 1960/61, B. McManus 1960/61, 1962/63,  
G. Merritt 1960/62, K. Hopkins 1961/62,  
G. Thomson 1962/63, 1964/65, W. Bailey 1962/64,  
L. Knapp 1963/64, C. Johnson 1963/65,  
A. Mahoney 1964/65, N. Druery 1965/67, 1971/72,  
J. Turpie 1965/66, N. Davies 1965/68, L. Roy  
1966/69, G. Anderson 1967/69, 1970/71, L. Piper  
1969/72, F. Pattinson 1969/70, J. Edwards 1968/69,  
C. Keenan 1971/72, J. Bannon 1972/73,  
L. Handley 1972/73, G. Ogilvie 1972/74,  
T. Jones 1972/73, W. Haines 1972/73.

## OFFICE BEARERS, 1973/74

### PATRONS

J. Daly, L. Johnson, M.H.R., D. Dobie, M. Edson, T. Walker, M.L.A.,  
R. Jackson, M.L.A., R. Thorburn, M.H.R., T. Wykes, J. Edwards, N. Davies,  
G. Thomson, W. Croucher.

### PRESIDENT

F. Pattinson

### SENIOR VICE-PRESIDENT

K. Prendergast

### JUNIOR VICE-PRESIDENT

L. Handley

### VICE-PRESIDENTS

B. Hazell, J. Smythe, E. Hilzinger, H. Moher, I. Palmer  
J. Moodie, C. Taylor, R. Hilditch.

### HON. SECRETARY

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### HON. ASSIST. SECRETARY

Mrs. G. Lawton

### HON. TREASURER

C. Lawton

### HON. PUBLICITY OFFICER

K. Whatley

### HON. REGISTRAR

Mrs. I. Ruttly

### HON. RECORDER

E. Townsend

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

G. Ogilvie, T. Jones, W. Haines.

### DELEGATE TO S.D.C.C.—DELEGATE TO S.S.C.A.—DELEGATE TO S.S.C.U.A.

F. Malbon

L. Handley

H. Ross

### LIFE MEMBERS

J. Daly (deceased), J. S. Moodie, R. King, W. Croucher, M. Edson,  
G. Thomson, F. Malbon, N. Davies, J. Ruttly, R. Hilditch.

### SUB-COMMITTEES

**GRADING:** L. Handley, T. Jones, F. Malbon, G. Ogilvie, W. Haines,  
E. Townsend, K. Prendergast.

**DISPUTES AND PROTESTS:** J. Bannon, K. Prendergast, G. Ogilvie.

**SOCIAL COMMITTEE:** Mr. & Mrs. J. Ruttly, Mr. & Mrs. C. Lawton, Mrs. B. Hayne.

**TROPHY COMMITTEE:** L. Handley, C. Lawton, G. Ogilvie, F. Malbon,  
K. Prendergast, J. Ruttly, E. Townsend, C. Cronin, T. Jones.

**BUILDING COMMITTEE:** F. Pattinson, K. Prendergast, L. Handley.

**MATTING COMMITTEE:** K. Prendergast, T. Jones, E. Townsend, C. Lawton.

**THREE WAY MEETING REPRESENTATIVES:** F. Pattinson, K. Prendergast,  
J. Ruttly.

**SELECTION:** 16 — L. Handley, V. Ridge, J. Ruttly.

14 — K. Whatley, C. Lawton, K. Whittingham.

12 — G. Ogilvie, E. Townsend, H. Robbins.

10 — M. Ruttly, B. Dawson, N. Hunt.

**HONORARY AUDITORS:** C. Toykor, H. Robbins.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As one season comes to a climax we have already commenced preparation for the next, one in which we hope shall be as fruitful as those past.

While the 73-74 season was successful, it was tinged with sadness at the loss of some old friends, but we must look forward to new delegates with fresh ideas that will consolidate the efforts of those before them. During the past season we were fortunate to win the Shell Shield, which is a true indication of the high standard of cricket in this Shire, and on behalf of the Association, may I thank, not only the boys who made themselves available to represent the Sutherland Shire, but also the hard-working club executives, delegates and parents, and trust that we can rely on their continued support in the forthcoming season; support that is necessary for cricket to continue to flourish in this Shire.

To the boys who have reached the age limit of the boys' competition, may I wish you every success in your future business and sporting careers, and trust that you will never forget the many friendships you have made during your years in boys' cricket.

Finally, my thanks to all clubs for their efforts and may they continue to have good fortune in 1974/75.

FRANK A. PATTINSON.

## To all Members of the Sutherland Shire Cricket Association, Boys' Competition;

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I now present to you the eighteenth Annual Report and Financial Statement for the 1973/74 season for your approval and adoption.

### SUMMARY OF THE SEASON.

Players for the 1973/74 season were down on the previous season, though we were able to maintain the same number of grades, thereby making the competition keener. Many results hinged on the final day.

Although there were not as many wet days in this season as compared with the previous one, it came at a bad time when the heavens opened up on the last day and caused some major upsets.

Delegates' meetings were once again well attended by most of the clubs, but some delegates did not always take back all relative information to their clubs and many points were lost. The general, all-round interest of the delegates in the meetings was most gratifying to the Executive.

### OUT OF THE PAST.

The Annual Report for the season 10 years ago stated:- "One disappointment, however, was that the Miranda Magpies Club, with a great tradition of past Association performances and achievements did not take a prominent part in Association administrative affairs as it has done in the past. It is hoped that this will be remedied."

This club can now boast several members on the Executive as well as a member on the trophy committee, surely a good achievement. Perhaps the very successful Engadine Dragons Club could take up the call now and provide some Executive members.

### GROUNDS AND WICKETS.

The grounds and wickets this season were on the whole very good and here we must thank the President of the Sutherland Shire Council, Mr. Kevin Skinner, and Mr. Joe Starkey, for their untold assistance and co-operation during the season.

### FINANCE.

From a financial point of view, the Association did not fare well this season. The continued rising costs of matting and repairs always manages to take a large percentage of our funds. Trophies once again will be a major expense, as also will be the Annual Report, the cost of which is fast approaching the stage where it will be priced beyond our means. Although our expenses for the season will be approximately the same as the previous one, our receipts were less as we had fewer teams and players.

### CAUSE FOR CONCERN.

One of the greatest causes of concern this season seemed to be the failure of some fieldsmen to signal fours. Managers should instruct their fieldsmen that the boundary is defined from an imaginary straight line from flag to flag.

Another cause for concern was the bad sportsmanship shown by some players when given out. Never question the Umpire's decision and never blame your fellow batsman, we are all entitled to make an error.

## CAP PRESENTATION.

Cap Presentation was held at Caringbah Oval on Sunday, 2nd December, 1973, and as the weather was fine, we were able to hold it in the open. After the Presentation by our Official Guests, the teams had their photographs taken by Mr. David Robertson, the teams then left to play in the Rob Allen Series.

## ADMINISTRATIVE CENTRE.

The Administrative Building has started to take shape and if the success of our 'Get Together' with St. George and Georges River is any guide, we can be assured that this Centre can be put to good use. Our visitors commended us on having our own hall and made the Boys' Association see just how necessary this building is.

Perhaps we might all pull together and make a success of any function held, to raise money and so make the future of this venture come to pass. Our special thanks to Mr. Ken Prendergast for his untiring efforts in this regard.

## PRESENTATION EVENING.

Presentation Evening was once again held in the Port Hacking High School Auditorium, on Saturday, 23rd June, 1973, with a capacity crowd. The programme flowed smoothly and considering the large number of teams, finished at a reasonable time.

The excellent array of trophies for Premierships, Special Awards and Representative Certificates were presented by our fine line-up of Special Guests.

During the evening two Life Memberships were bestowed on Mr. Jack Ruddy and Mr. Ron Hilditch, each of these men received silver trays.

Jack received his presentation after serving six years as Publicity Officer, a job he coupled later with that of Registrar. He relinquished the job of Registrar at the commencement of the 1972/73 season to take on that of Secretary.

Ron, who also received his Life Membership, served the Executive as Secretary for three years, and took on the role of 'Caretaker' Treasurer for a few months at the start of the 1972/73 season until our new treasurer was able to take over the reins. He also served as our Junior Vice President in the same season.

Thanks are extended to Mr. Snow Davies and his wife, Bonnie, for the use of their home to entertain our Official Guests.

## COACHING.

The Grade Club under the guidance of their very able Secretary, Mr. John Smythe, once again provided training for selected boys from the 14's and 12's at Caringbah Oval. To those members of the Grade Club who assisted may we offer the thanks and appreciation of this Association as well as the thanks of the boys and their parents. The parents felt their sons benefitted greatly by this coaching. We hope in the coming season to set aside a coaching session for wicket-keepers.

## TROPHY COMMITTEE.

The decisions of the Trophy Committee, after careful consideration on special trophies, were as follows:-

### CRICKETER OF THE YEAR. "JOHN WOODHOUSE MEMORIAL TROPHY"

A record was created this season when Bruce Handley, Gympie Bay 16A, was named Cricketer of the Year for the second time. This is the first time since the inception of this Trophy that it has been won twice by the same boy. Bruce is a fine cricketer and a very reliable club member. Bruce had a

batting aggregate of 582 runs at an average of 64.66 and a bowling average of 4.96, he also performed well and captained the successful Watson Shield No. 1 side as well as being captain of the Gympie Bay 16A Premiership side. Congratulations, Bruce.

Also considered were:- Steven Wishart and Graeme Beames of the Engadine Dragons and Warren Moodie of the Jannali Club; these boys are to be congratulated on their fine performances.

**BEST PERFORMANCE - 14A GRADE. "SUTHERLAND DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB AWARD"**. This trophy was won by Garry Whatley of the Miranda Magpies. Garry performed very well in his club games and captained the Miranda Magpies Premiership side and the Harold Moore No. 1 side. He is a hard hitting right handed batsman, useful bowler and reliable fieldsman; he is a dedicated cricketer.

His club mate, Malcolm McCool, was also considered for this award and is to be congratulated for his performances in both club and representative matches.

**BEST PERFORMANCE - 12A GRADE. "UNITED SERVICES CLUB TROPHY"**. This award goes to Wayne Wishart of the Engadine Dragons. He performed well in the Engadine Dragons 12A premiership side as well as turning in good performances in the Arch Cawsey No. 1 side. Wayne comes from a good cricketing family.

Worthy of mention was Brett Ferguson, Engadine Dragons 12A who performed very well and ran a close second to Wayne; also considered for the award were Peter Miller, Miranda Magpies and Craig Ogilvie, St. Patricks.

**BEST PERFORMANCE - 10A GRADE. "LEN GILLAM TROPHY"**. Winner of this award was Mark Gardiner of the Miranda Magpies 10A's, who ably captained his club side and the Foster Shield No. 1 side. He put up many fine performances in both club and representative games and never loses interest, he enjoys his game to the fullest. Mark is a sportsman in the true sense of the word.

For the trophy committee this was a hard decision and closely following Mark were Simon Illiffe, Caringbah Sports, who turned in a fine batting performance for his club; also mentioned were Greg Heffernan of the Engadine Dragons, Gavin Treeweke of Caringbah Sports and John Harris of Miranda Magpies who performed well in the representative series.

## SPECIAL TROPHIES.

Club Championship - Laurie Pender - B.P. Aust.....Engadine Dragons.  
Cricketer of the Year - John Woodhouse Memorial Trophy.....Bruce Handley, Gympie Bay 16A.  
Best Association Batting Average - Mrs. Chatland Award.....G. Whatley, Miranda Magpies 14A.  
Best Association Batting Average U/10 - Mr. Daly Award.....G. Anderson, Como 10B.  
Best Performance 14A - Sutherland District Cricket Club.....G. Whatley, Miranda Magpies.  
Best Performance 12A - Sutherland United Services Club.....W. Wishart, Engadine Dragons.  
Best Performance 10A - Len Gillam Trophy.....M. Gardiner, Miranda Magpies.  
Best Rep. Team Performance - Mort Edson Shield.....Watson Shield No. 1.  
Best Association Wicket Keeper - J. S. Moodie Trophy.....C. Ogilvie, St. Patrick's 12A.  
Most Catches - 16's & 14's - Mr. G. Heard Award.....J. Huyben, St. John Bosco 14B - 17 catches.

## SPECIAL AWARDS.

It was the decision of the Trophy Committee to award a special trophy to John

Harris, Miranda Magpies, for his outstanding bowling performance in the Foster Shield No. 1 side. John took 33 wickets for 187 runs off 79 overs during the series.

#### Mounted Balls.

Mounted balls for the Representative Series go to:-

- B. Handley - Watson Shield No. 1 - 7-20 versus Gordon, 28.1.74;  
M. Preddy - Moore Shield No. 1 - 8-37, 2-31 versus Nepean, 29.1.74 and 8-51 versus Newcastle, 26.12.73;  
W. Wishart - Arch Cowsey No. 1 - 7-6 versus Western Suburbs, 29.12.73.  
J. Harris - Foster Shield No. 1 - 5-16, 7-46 versus Hornsby, 29.12.73.  
M. Gardiner - Foster Shield No. 1 - 7-5, 3-8 versus Campbelltown, 28.1.74.

#### Miniature Bats for Centuries.

- G. Beames, 100 n.o. and W. Moodie, 102 - Watson Shield No. 1 versus Bankstown, 1.1.74.

### CLUB ACTIVITY.

**BOYS' TOWN.** - Brother James was the mainstay of this club and is to be commended on his efforts throughout the season; he was ably assisted in the latter part of the season by Mr. Kevin Haynes.

**BULLDOGS** - A new club to the Association this season which was ably led by John Tomko and Hec Hunter, both these men worked hard and we look forward to seeing them with us again next season.

**CARINGBAH DE LA SALLE** - Under the guidance of John Bannon and their delegate, Ken Whittingham, this club continues in fine spirit and good sportsmanship. Although not successful Premiership-wise, they produce some fine cricketers and good representative players.

**CARINGBAH SPORTS** - One of the larger clubs in the Association, they always have a band of willing workers led by the efficient Don Clarke, who always seems to be everywhere; they were unfortunate in losing their secretary, David McNeil during the early part of the season due to sickness and then a business transfer.

**COMO** - This club will feel the loss of Fred Longley, who has intimated that he will be retiring as secretary, but will fortunately retain their leader, Don Campbell, who is a tireless worker for this club.

**CRONULLA R.S.L.** - This club has suffered many setbacks this season with the untimely death of the hard working Wally Mills. This is a closely knit club with a lot of spirit.

**ENGADINE DRAGONS** - Always had two delegates at meetings and won the Club Championship back. They were successful Premiership-wise, a well organised club ably led by Barry Blanchard and Harry Robbins.

**GRAYS POINT** - This club did not field any teams this season, but led by Pat Thorpe, who thought he was going to retire, should be with us in the coming season. Sorry I missed you last season in the report.

**GYMEA BAY** - A most co-operative club, led by the ever popular Lance Handley, Secretary Roy O'Brien and their delegate, Noel Fouracre. This is a very progressive club who always believe in giving every boy a fair game of cricket.

**HEATHCOTE** - Having their second season with us they proved how a new club can be efficiently run. Fielding three teams, they won two Premierships led by Charles Gaskell and Brian Rosen with their hard toiling workers.

**JANNALI** - Old stalwart, Les Piper, took the helm of this ship-shape club, ably assisted by Harold Ross and Neil Nupier and not to forget the assistance given by the old captain, Mort Edson.

**KURNELL** - Having their second season this club did well, although one team was forced to play short throughout the season. This club shows the true spirit of sport.

**LOFTUS** - One of our new clubs which was ably led by George Berry and Brian Ansell, who both worked well. We wish them better luck in the forthcoming season and know that they are a club that will grow.

**MIRANDA MAGPIES** - This old-established club led by their president, Ken Whatley, continues to do well and is well represented at Executive level. They are well served by their delegates, Noel Cumow and Col Cronin.

**NORTH ENGADINE** - Another of our new clubs about which little is known, they had their teething troubles but got through the season quite well. Led by Lance Willis they will be a force to reckon with in the future.

**ST. JOHN BOSCO** - A small, but well organised club in which all members work in close harmony, always represented at meetings and support the Association at all times.

**ST. PATRICK'S** - Under the leadership of the energetic Doug Turner and Tony Watkins, this club forged ahead this season and have started to get back on their old footing.

**SYLVANIA** - Ian Brown was once again the leader of this club and was also the delegate at meetings. They would do well to have a second delegate to ensure attendance at all meetings.

### KNOW YOUR EXECUTIVE.

As with all Associations, an Executive Committee is required and for the benefit of those who have not met our Executive, I will take this opportunity to introduce them to you:-

**FRANK PATTINSON, PRESIDENT** - in his second term of office, proved a very capable and hard working president.

**KEN PRENDERGAST, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT** - Ken is very involved with the progress of the hall and can be relied upon at all times.

**LANCE HANDLEY, JUNIOR VICE PRESIDENT** - One of the old faithfuls, goes about his job very quietly and one of our most obliging members.

**FRED MALBON, COMPETITION SECRETARY** - As well as competition secretary, Fred also took care of the recording for the 16's and 14's once again. In keeping a fine set of records he can produce a mile of information in record time.

**MRS. GLAD LAWTON, ASSISTANT SECRETARY** - As Minutes Secretary, Glad once again served the Association well in this capacity, she also assisted on the Social Committee.

**CEC LAWTON, TREASURER** - served his first full term of office as Treasurer and kept a very precise set of books.

**MRS. IRENE RUTTY, REGISTRAR** - served once again as registrar for the Association, was on hand to answer many telephone enquiries and served on the Social Committee.

**ERIC TOWNSEND, RECORDER** - also serving his second term of office, looked after the 12's and 10's. Despite the pressures of work, Eric still managed to produce an exacting set of records.

**KEN WHATLEY, PUBLICITY OFFICER** - took over the reigns of Publicity Officer and was responsible for getting us a 100% coverage in the Leader. He is to be congratulated on a job well done.

**BILL HAINES, COMMITTEEMAN** - returned to the Executive as a Committeeman after last serving as Assistant Secretary in the 1966/67 season. Welcome back, Bill.

**TERRY JONES, COMMITTEEMAN** - joined us for the first time as a Committeeman and proved very capable, he could be relied upon to do any task that was asked of him.

**GRAHAM OGILVIE, COMMITTEEMAN** - served his second term as a Committeeman, he acted as a selector and managed the Arch Cawsay No. 1 side.

### KINDRED ASSOCIATIONS.

Once again we were given fine support from our Senior Association, the S.S.C.A., who are led by their president, Jack Edwards and secretary, Bob Davey. Bob in his first year as their secretary was most efficient and very co-operative.

This season our Junior Vice President, Lance Handley, acted as our delegate to the Senior Association as well as their delegate to our Association, a position he carried out with the utmost efficiency.

The Sutherland District Cricket Club, led by Brian Hazell and secretary, John Smythe, continued to support us in all phases. They were always ready with coaching and any advice we required.

Our delegate to their Club was once again Fred Malbon, who was always able to bring back a wealth of information if their delegate, Graham Warry was unable to attend any of our meetings.

The Sutherland Shire Cricket Umpires' Association led by Ned Stevens and secretary, Bob Beere, were unable to supply us with the number of Umpires for the Representative fixtures as they usually can, due to their lack of members. It is a shame that more people do not take the opportunity of doing their Umpires' course and become members of this Association, for if they do not recruit more members in the future they could cease to exist and this in itself would be a backward step in cricket.

Harold Ross in acting as our delegate to the Umpires and in return, their delegate to our Association did all that was expected of him and was able to relay all important information that was required.

### OTHER ASSOCIATIONS.

**ST. GEORGE** - The Annual Competition between St. George and Sutherland, the "Rob Allen Shield" was won by St. George, 4 games to 3, and for this we congratulate them. The close liaison we have with this Association is always good and we look forward to sharing many more years with them.

**GEORGES RIVER-PENSHURST** - Another Association with which we have become closely linked with the introduction a few seasons ago of the "Executive Shield" and which they won from us for the first time, 3 games to 2.

In taking the "Executive Shield" from us, we took the "Watson Shield" which they won last season.

We were the host Association this season for the "Get Together" between St. George and Georges River; this was held at the Administrative Hall, Caringbah Oval on Friday, 15th March, 1974. This proved a very worthwhile night and showed the extent to which this hall can be used. The catering was done by Ken Prendergast, and for this we congratulate him, he was assisted on the night by the Social Committee.

### SPECIAL THANKS.

Once again Mr. Noel Ziems arranged the donation from Mobil Oil to cover the cost of our pre-season advertising, this takes the form of a large space in the Leader, giving the names of the clubs and their secretaries for contact so boys can play cricket. Thank you, Noel.

### THANKS AND APPRECIATION.

A great deal of assistance is given throughout the season in many and varied capacities and as I cannot thank all these people personally, I will take the opportunity of thanking them here:-

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Cronulla R.S.L. Youth Club, Engadine Dragons, Gynea Bay Cricket Club, Jannali Cricket Club, Miranda Magpies Cricket Club, St. Patrick's Sports Club, Como Cricket Club, St. George Cricket Association, Georges River -Penshurst Association and the Sutherland Shire Junior Soccer Association.

Our Hon. Auditors, Mr. Cam Taylor and Mr. Harry Robbins.

My thanks also to the Executive Members, Delegates, Club Secretaries and other Officials and all who I may have inadvertently missed, for their co-operation and assistance during the season.

I would be remiss if I did not thank my wife, Irene, for all the typing that was required for stencils and forms during the season and any typing that was required for this report.

J. Rutty,  
Hon. Secretary.

## OBITUARIES.

It is with regret that we note the passing of six men who gave a lot to Boys' Cricket in this Shire; to their families may we offer our sincere condolences.

**JIM DALY** - the death of Jim Daly gave us all a shock, he was one of the most loved men in cricket in this Shire. Jim served as our President from 1959 to 1969 and prior to this he was a Vice President of the Association and a delegate from the Caringbah Sports Club in the 1957/58 season. Jim was a Life Member of this Association as well as the N.S.W. Umpires' Association, a foundation member and member of the Management Committee of our Grade Club and a delegate to the Sports Advisory Committee on the Sutherland Council. Jim was so well known in the Shire, that in 1965 the Council made him the Sportsman of the Year; he gained that distinction for his untiring work in the field of cricket and other amateur sport.

In his earlier years, Jim was one of the State's leading cricket umpires, umpiring Sheffield Shield games and other representative games, including a N.S.W. versus England match.

Although he has passed on, Jim will live forever in the memories of the many people who knew and loved him. Jim leaves his wife, Ivy and son, Neil



**BRUCE BOXSELL** - Bruce passed away on 27th April, 1974. He was born at Jamberoo on 23rd December, 1936 and played his early cricket on the South Coast and moved to Gynea Bay in 1959. In the 1960/61 season he formed the Gynea Bay Junior Cricket Club and in the initial season, fielded two teams and played an active part with that club in all the years since then. Bruce was in turn President, Secretary, Delegate to our Association and a Selector; he also served the Association on the Grading Committee. A true sportsman who always gave of his best. During the past season he played with and captained Gynea Bay A1 team until December of last year, when he fell ill. He leaves a wife, Carole, and young family, Debbie and Stephen.

**BILL COX** - On Wednesday, 17th October last, the sudden death occurred of Mr. Bill Cox at the age of 51 years.

Bill was a foundation member of Caringbah De La Salle Cricket Club when

that Club was formed in 1962. He was elected a Vice President of the Club in that inaugural year and retained that position for six years.

In the three seasons from 1964 to 1967, Bill acted as a Club delegate to the Boys' Association and from 1967 to 1969 he was the Assistant Secretary to this Association.

Bill is survived by his wife and three sons, of whom Peter is presently playing with the District Club.

**WALLY MILLS** - Early in February, 1974, Cronulla R.S.L. Youth Club was saddened by the passing of one of its most tireless and most reliable workers, Wally Mills. After years of ill health with heart trouble, Wally finally succumbed very suddenly. Wally was an Office Bearer in the Cronulla R.S.L. Youth Club and a member of the 527 Committee responsible for Captain Cook fields. He had been very active in his support of soccer as well as cricket. With the cricket section of the Youth Club he had been Club Registrar, Gear Steward, Recorder, Association Delegate, Youth Club Delegate, Publicity Officer and Team Manager—many of these at the same time. In addition, he was an active supporter of teams including the All Age afternoon competition team. Wally was always held in the highest respect by the Boys' Association and could always be relied upon to take back any information to their Club.

To his wife, Laurel, also well respected for her Youth Club efforts, and to his sons, Glen and Drew, both of whom are active in Youth Club teams, all who enjoy cricket the sympathy of the Association goes to them.

**JIM TURPIE** - In July, 1973, we were all saddened by the sudden death of our old friend, Jim Turpie.

Jim had been associated with the Caringbah De La Salle Cricket Club since its formation in August, 1962. In earlier years Jim had been an active worker with the Miranda Magpies Cricket Club and as his son, Patrick, attended the De La Salle College at Caringbah, Jim saw the possibility of encouraging a new club in the Boys' Association.

For a number of years Jim was the President of the Club, and during that time was an active member of the Executive of the Boys' Association; he served as a Junior Vice President in the 1962/63 season and Senior Vice President from 1963 to 1965. He was also a committeeman in the 1965/66 season. The tragic death of Patrick, his only son, during a game of cricket at Victoria Barracks in December, 1966 was a tremendous blow to the Turpie family.

In Jim, we have lost a great supporter of the game of cricket and sporting circles in the Shire are the poorer for his passing. To his wife, Alma and daughter, Margaret, our sincere sympathy.

**TOM KELLY** - The passing of Tom Kelly of the St. George Call, Kogarah, was a great loss to the St. George area. Tom was the man responsible for the printing of the first Annual Report of this Association. The early reports, printed and well presented, were the original idea created by the assistance of Tom Kelly in conjunction with the Publicity Committee, comprising Eric Hilzinger, George Merritt and Jack Moodie.

They were proud to work with a man who helped to formulate a report, which has now become tradition each year when the Annual Report is presented at the end of each season.

Tom was an active member of the St. George Cricket Association and many meetings were held in his offices with a view to changing rules and formulating better cricket for the boys in the district.

To the family of Tom Kelly we extend our sincerest sympathies.



## EXECUTIVE REPORTS.

### MATTING COMMITTEE.

This committee once again was able to keep a close watch on mats and with the assistance of team managers, in reporting any damage, was able to ensure that repairs were carried out before damage became too extensive.

Clubs are once again reminded to stress on managers that much damage can be avoided if the concrete is swept before the mats are laid, this not only prevents damage but guarantees a more even playing surface.

We would like to remind managers that all mats are numbered, so, if you have any complaint regarding the mats it makes our job that much easier if you note the mat number as well as the ground location, on the bottom of your Official Result Form.

More new mats were purchased this season and existing mats repaired at considerable cost to both ours and the Senior Association so I appeal to you to take proper care of this most necessary and valuable equipment.

In closing I wish to thank all who assisted on the matting committee with special mention to Vince Ridge of the Senior Association.

K. Prendergost, Chairman, Matting Committee.

### REGISTRAR'S REPORT.

With a drop of 440 players and 34 less teams the Association still catered for 17 divisions, as they did in the previous season, by keeping it to six in each division and so provided a higher standard of cricket.

Breakdown of figures for the season is as follows:-

GRADES	TEAMS	PLAYERS
16's	18	237
14's	29	383
12's	30	394
10's	23	293
	100	1307

CLUB	TEAMS	PLAYERS
Caringbah De La Salle	11	143
Caringbah Junior Sports	11	142
Sylvania	11	136
St. Patrick's	10	126
Miranda Magpies	10	124
Engadine	8	115
Gymeo Bay	9	105
Jannali	7	93
Como	4	61
Cronulla R.S.L.	3	50
Heathcote	3	49
Bulldogs	3	37
Boys' Town	2	31
St. John Bosco	2	26
Kurnell	2	21
North Engadine	2	21
St. Patrick's/Cronulla R.S.L.	1	14
Loftus	1	13
	100	1307

All clubs showed a decrease in both teams and players except Boys' Town and Heathcote who had an increase in both teams and players and Jannali who maintained their same number of teams with only one less player.

It still alarms the Association when some clubs overload their teams with players, this does not give the boys a fair season of cricket. Perhaps we could look further into the idea of St. Patrick's and Cronulla R.S.L. when they formed a combined team and so filled the extra team and prevented a bye in that division.

Birth certificated did not present any great problem this season and most clubs gave the utmost co-operation. I would like to remind clubs that photostat copies are not acceptable as proof of age, and will not be accepted. Baptismal certificates and hospital record cards also are not acceptable.

I would like to thank all clubs for their utmost co-operation throughout the season and would not like to single out anyone in particular as everyone in his own way did an excellent job.

I. Ruddy, Registrar.

### PUBLICITY OFFICER.

Generally co-operation from all clubs with publicity was first class. It is unfortunate that some team managers, particularly in the C, D and E grades let their clubs down by not passing results through the channels so that performers in their teams could get to see their deeds in print. To the St. George-Sutherland Shire Leader with special mention to the Sports Editor, a grateful thank you for the co-operation and the generous space allocated to our Association.

Ken Whatley, Publicity Officer.

### SOCIAL COMMITTEE.

For the first time we combined with the Grade Club and the Senior Association to hold our Reunion Dinner at the N.S.W.R.S.L. Bowling Club. Our Guest Speaker for the evening was Mr. Tom Brooks, International Umpire. He proved an outstanding success, after a short talk he opened the way for question time from those who attended and this made the evening flow smoothly and some very interesting points were brought forward.

To the bowling club we offer our thanks for the use of their premises and to the management and staff for the many courtesies shown to us throughout the evening.

The end of the season Cabaret was once again held at the Taren Point Bowling Club. This club always makes us welcome, and had extra staff, booked entertainment and made extra catering arrangements all at no cost to us only to find we let them down badly by our poor attendance. This proves an embarrassment to the Association when we have to explain why we make these bookings and then do not turn up. The only clubs represented were Cronulla R.S.L., Gymeo Bay, Miranda Magpies, St. John Bosco and St. Patrick's; one question. Where were the representatives from the other twelve clubs?

To all who did attend our functions, we say "thank you for your loyal support".

I. Ruddy,  
for the Social Committee.

## CLUB REPORTS.

### BOYS' TOWN CRICKET CLUB.

Although we fielded only two teams this year, we were successful in winning the 16C competition, only after a hard and exciting final against St. Patrick's. The final was played hard, as a final should be, but in the true sporting spirit, which did credit to both teams.

Our congratulations to all the other teams, on the sportsmanship they showed us this season.

We wish to thank the Association for its understanding of the particular problems we have in fielding teams after the Christmas break.

Hoping to see you all again next season,

K. Hayne.

### BULLDOGS (SYLVANIA) CRICKET CLUB.

This was our first season in competition cricket, and we are proud to have been associated with the Sutherland Shire Boys' Competition.

We fielded 3 teams in the 10D, 12E and 14C Divisions, and in so doing introduced 30 players to their first taste of competition cricket. Whilst our obvious inexperience meant we did not finish high in any grade, we are very satisfied with the attitude and conduct of our players and the enthusiasm with which they approached each match. Early teething problems were quickly rectified although we had a player shortage at the start of the season. The interest of parents enabled us to ensure that players were supervised in respect of coaching and team management, and I would like to thank these people for their participation; as newcomers to this great game we have learnt a lot and this will make our future efforts all that keener.

Our congratulations to the premiers of each Division and in particular to the Engadine Dragons on taking out the Club Championship. To the many people who offered their advice and encouragement in our initial year our sincere thanks. We look forward to the coming season with a great deal of interest and trust that the weather will be just that little bit kinder for the players to derive maximum enjoyment from their match each week.

John Tomko, President.

### CARINGBAH D.L.S. CRICKET CLUB.

On behalf of all members of our Club, managers and players, I would like to express to the Association our sincere thanks for a well-run and successful competition during the past summer.

Although none of our eleven teams was successful in winning a competition, we would like to congratulate all the winning sides—I hope we provided some good opposition during our games.

We were saddened during the season by the deaths of two foundation members of our Club in Jim Turpie and Bill Cox, both of whom were active members of the executive of the Boys' Association.

J. Bannon, Hon. President.

### CARINGBAH SPORTS CLUB.

Our Club enjoyed yet another season in Boys' Competition, winning the Premiership in the 14C Division. Congratulations to the boys for a fine effort and to their manager, Mr. Stan Stead.

This year our Club registered 140 players with the Association, fielding 11 teams. To all team managers, scorers, coaches, helpers and boys, I say thank you and look forward to seeing you all again next season.

The boys who leave the junior ranks (16 year olds), we hope you will continue cricket in the senior association with the Club next year.

To each premiership winning team we extend our congratulations and indeed to all teams who participated. The sportsmanship and enthusiasm throughout has made this a memorable season.

Finally on a sad note, the Club lost a Life Member of the Boys' Association, a foundation member, in Mr. Jim Daly. His work and time will never be forgotten by the Boys' Association and our Club. To Mrs. Daly we express our deepest sympathy.

C. Aubrey, Secretary.

### COMO CRICKET CLUB.

Como fielded four teams—10B, 12B, 14B and 16A—being one less than in the 1972-73 season and the teams had very little success competition-wise other than the 10B's who were unlucky to lose their competition by one point as they played the winners in the final round, which wasn't completed. The other three teams did not fare too well but enjoyed their cricket.

On behalf of the Club I wish to thank the managers and coaches of the four teams as these men give up a considerable amount of leisure time so that the boys are able to play cricket. Also thanks to the Executive of the Boys' Association for their untiring efforts to keep this game alive in the Sutherland District.

F. W. Langley,  
Boys' Secretary.

### CRONULLA R.S.L. YOUTH CLUB.

It was once again a year of small numbers with the Club represented by only four full teams together with one fielded jointly by St. Pats and the Cronulla R.S.L. To all the boys who played we extend our congratulations on a season well played. It is a matter of considerable disappointment in the Club that the 12C team did not take out the premiership in its grade. Other teams had less success but showed the kind of spirit for which good cricket stands.

The year was one in which the Club lost Wally Mills—a real stalwart of Youth Club work. His death has left a gap in the ranks which is proving very hard to fill.

It has been a year in which we have had our differences with District Council but that does not prevent us from recognising the work that the members of the Executive do in running the Shire competition. To them we express our appreciation, as we do to the managers, coaches and scorers from within the Club. Without these willing people, the game could not go on.

We look forward to a better, brighter season in 1974-75.

K. V. Mathews, Hon. Sec.

### ENGADINE DRAGONS.

Our Club wishes to thank the Association's Executive for their friendly co-operation throughout the season. We have endeavoured to support them where possible, but unfortunately let them down on the Cabaret night.

This season was the Dragons most successful on and off the field since its inception, and we are proud of the boys who represented our Club winning the Club Championship and four premierships and two runners-up from eight teams fielded. One of the reasons for this achievement is that we have in the main, men who have had vast experience playing cricket and a good knowledge of the rules of the game. During the season we have seen several teams from other Clubs loaded with talent fall by the wayside because of inexperienced personnel in charge. We hope to see all clubs overcome this problem to enable their players to develop into good cricketers.

H. Robbins.

### GYMEA BAY CRICKET CLUB.

Congratulations to the Boys' Association Executive for another well-conducted season.

Although the number of players and teams in the competitions was considerably less than last year, our Club fortunately, was not affected as greatly as many others. Hopefully, this fall-off will be remedied in the coming season.

The Club had a very successful year, winning the U/16A, U/14D and U/12C competitions as well as being strongly represented in the various Shield teams and particularly in the winning Watson Shield side.

Our thanks and appreciation once again are extended to all the boys and officials who took part in the 1973-74 cricket season in this Shire.

Lance Handley, President.  
Roy O'Brien, Secretary.

### HEATHCOTE JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB.

The 1973/74 season was a very successful one for the young Heathcote Club. Three teams were fielded which yielded two premierships and a runner-up. On reflection this must be close to a record in the shire boys' competition. The Club although in only its second year, was also privileged to represent the Shire. Congratulations on earning their "caps" to C. Gaskell, L. Philpott, B. Robertson and P. Melov. Congratulations to the Miranda club U/12D team which after four encounters, finally proved the better side, with fine sportsmanship being displayed by both teams.

It is appropriate to again mention the support given to our club by the cricket association, particularly Jack and Irene Ruddy who were ever available to give advice and encouragement. My thanks to our own club committee for support during the past season.

Finally congratulations to the club's U/14E and 10B teams for bringing to the club its first premierships in only its second season.

Brian Rosen, Hon. Secretary.

### JANNALI CRICKET CLUB.

After the influx of boys last season, the Club experienced a slight fall in the number of boys registered this season. We entered the same number of teams in the competition as last year, however a number of non-starters left two teams short of boys throughout the season.

The 12B team were successful in winning their competition with a particularly fine effort by both the boys and coaches. Our other teams were not quite as successful but nevertheless showed the Club spirit in their matches. Our Club is again proud to have boys represent the Association in inter-association matches and the shire in the A. W. Green Shield competition.

Congratulations are extended to other clubs with teams winning competitions. Also, we extend our appreciation to other teams, managers, coaches, scorers, club officials and the Association executive for their efforts in the smooth running of the competition and making an enjoyable season for the boys.

H. J. Ross, Asst. Secretary.

### KURNELL YOUTH CENTRE CRICKET CLUB.

The Club fielded two teams this season and although not successful in winning a premiership, the boys gained a lot of valuable experience for the future.

Our congratulations to the 10C's who ended the season as runners-up. Congratulations also to Brett Naylor for his selection to play for the "Foster Shield" No. 1 team. Brett is our first representative player. We hope there will be more boys from Kumell selected in the future.

The 14 team did not do too well in the competition but the boys enjoyed their cricket and played some good entertaining matches.

Thanks to all the boys who played for us this season and we hope to see you all back again next year.

Finally, our thanks to the managers, coaches and scorers, also the Executive Committee of the Boys' Association who had everything organised in their usual efficient way.

R. W. Lightfoot, President.

### LOFTUS CRICKET CLUB.

Many thanks to George Berry for doing the spade work in getting the Club formed and to Frank Pattinson and his Executive for welcoming our twelve youngsters to competition cricket in the 10B grade.

Unfortunately, we had to let six boys who qualified for Under 12's go to other clubs, but we anticipate that two sides will be entered next season.

Congratulations to Heathcote for winning the Division and to the other teams for making the season such a challenge. Although we finished in sixth place the boys were keen and eager to learn the game and enjoyed themselves throughout. I was very proud to have to make a decision to select the 12th man in the last match, surely a typical illustration of the harmony within the Club.

Brian W. Ansell, President.

## MIRANDA MAGPIES CRICKET CLUB.

Congratulations go to our U/14A and U/12D teams who were winners of their respective divisions, also to Engadine Dragons on winning the Club Championship—we had to be content with second position this season. All our teams join us in thanking our opponents in all grades for their keen competition and fine sportsmanship throughout the season.

We are proud of the fact that Magpies had representative players in all Representative Teams.

Our thanks go to the team managers, coaches and scorers and all parents who assisted in any way. Special mention is made here of five of our managers who were all under the age of 21 and ex players of our boys' teams; they are: Marc Rutty, 16C; Andrew Graddon, 12A; Peter Langston, 12C; Mark Salmon, 10A and David Laird, 10D. Thanks boys, you did a mighty job and it is always pleasing to a club to see boys come back and help where needed.

J. Rutty, Hon. Secretary.

## ST. JOHN BOSCO CRICKET CLUB.

We have had another good season of cricket and even though we only fielded two teams, we are proud of the way they played. One of our 14B boys, Mark Preddy, was again chosen to represent the Shire and as usual, did a fine job. Our thanks to everybody connected with the competition and special thanks to the Executive for their usual smooth, efficient work.

Mrs. B. Hayne, Secretary.

## ST. PATRICKS SPORTS CLUB (CRICKET).

A very successful season for St. Patricks Club with two premierships teams, the 16B and 10D grades. The 16C1 team made the finals and 14A finished second. Our Club performed well in the Club Championship.

This season we fielded eleven teams in the competition consisting of three 16, three 14, three 12 and two 10 year olds. This was six less than last season. Our 12D team was entered into the competition as a combined St. Patricks/Cronulla R.S.L. team, this enabled the extra boys in our twelves to have a game each Saturday. For this we must thank Cronulla R.S.L. Club.

Twelve of our players achieved representative selection in three age groups and we congratulate them once again for attaining this honour.

This season our older sixteens continued their cricketing careers by participating in the men's competition and we hope that the sixteens of this season will continue in their example.

Thanks are extended to the team managers and scorers for their time and effort put in each Saturday. Also to the Association and club officials for their enthusiastic approach towards the game.

Doug Turner,  
Cricket Chairman.

## SYLVANIA HEIGHTS YOUTH CLUB.

Our Club this season fielded eleven teams, a decrease of three from the previous season, but nevertheless a comparable number to earlier seasons. Our Executive feels justly proud of the performances of all boys which was capped by our 14B team winning their competition and our representation in the Shire teams.

We congratulate Engadine on winning the Club Championship for the third time in four seasons—one which is truly a remarkable achievement.

Our thanks are extended to the Committee of the Boys' Association for organising and controlling the season so smoothly and to our opponents for their keen, enthusiastic and sporting competition.

J. Field, Hon. Secretary.

## COMPETITION SECRETARY'S REPORT.

A fall-off of teams was only to be expected after last year's record of 134 teams. The number of teams was down by 34, but it was pleasing to note that only 6 of these were in the Under 16 Division and we were still able to field 3 grades of 6 teams in this age group.

Grading this season resulted in the same number of competitions being run as last season. It was pleasing to note that teams were fielded after the competition started, to take up the byes in the 16C and 12D grades—in fact, Cranulla R.S.L. and St. Patrick's Clubs joined forces and fielded a composite team in the 12D grade.

Quite a number of premierships were decided on the last day and 2 play-offs were necessary—in the 16C and 12D grade competitions. Strangely, the largest margin in the premierships points occurred mostly in the "A" grade competitions, namely the 16A – 11 points; (this being the largest); 14A – 10 points; 12A – 7 points and 10A – 8 points—these competitions together with the 14E – 10 points; 10C – 10 points and 12B – 8 points.

Eight competitions were decided by three points or less—more than 50% of the competitions.

### PREMIERSHIPS.

Engadine took honours in this department, taking out 4 premierships from 8 teams, natching the 12A, 10A, 12E and 10C. Not far behind was Gynea Bay who claimed the 16A, 14D and 12C. Then followed Miranda Magpies, St. Patrick's and Heathcote, 2 premierships each and with one each to Caringbah Sports, Sylvania, Jannali and Boys' Town, the list is complete.

### CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

Engadine won the Club Championship for the third time, when they streaked away by 23 points from a close group of 4 clubs, Miranda Magpies, Caringbah Sports, Sylvania and Gynea Bay.

Engadine's great strength lay in the four premierships they secured in the U/12 and U/10 age groups. They entered 5 teams in these two divisions and only missed out with their 12B side. Also they were one of only two clubs who fielded "A" grade teams in each age group.

Runners-up, Miranda Magpies, scored more points than last season, when they were successful with 93.5 points.

Caringbah Sports moved up from 4th to 3rd, whilst Sylvania slipped further down the ladder to 4th place, the lowest position they have occupied since the Championship commenced in the 1965.66 season.

St. Patrick's Club had a dramatic rise up the list, rising from 12th last year with 61 points to 6th this year, a great effort with 2 premierships.

CLUB	No.	TEAMS	POINTS	CLUB	No.	TEAMS	POINTS
Engadine	8		119.35	Cranulla R.S.L.	3		65.25
Miranda Magpies	10		96.00	Caringbah D.L.S.	11		58.00
Caringbah Sports	11		90.66	Heathcote	3		55.25
Sylvania	11		89.40	Boys' Town	2		40.33
Gynea Bay	9		88.20	Kurnell	2		31.33
St. Patrick's	10		84.36	Bulldogs	3		28.75
Como	4		81.60	Loftus	1		18.00
Jannali	7		78.50	North Engadine	2		12.00
St. John Bosco	2		66.60	Combined St.Pats/RSLL	1		8.50

F. Molban, Competition Secretary.

## REPRESENTATIVE FIXTURES.

The Association fielded eight Representative Teams in this season due to the large number of boys who tried out for the Watson Shield side. This extra team played some successful games although they did not take part in the Official Series.

We lost the "Rob Allen Shield" to St. George and we also lost the "Executive Shield" to Georges River this season in very close games. Although we lost both these Series we are jubilant at having won the coveted "Shell Shield", which shows the high standard our Association has attained.

We are also ecstatic over the very convincing win our Watson Shield No. 1 side had in this series. This team over the years, with only a few changes have been successful in winning the "Cawsey Shield", the "Moore Shield" and now their ultimate success, the "Watson Shield", the highest they can achieve in Junior Cricket.

### THE MORT EDSON SHIELD.

This Shield contested for by all the Representative Teams in our Association was this season won by the "Watson Shield" No. 1 side. The points table was as follows:-

Watson Shield No. 1	322	Arch Cawsey Shield No. 1	255
Foster Shield No. 1	249	Moore Shield No. 1	248
Arch Cawsey Shield No. 2	196	Foster Shield No. 2	178
		Moore Shield No. 2	176



C. S. WATSON SHIELD NO. 1 TEAM

Back Row (l. to R): R. Francis, C. Freeman, G. Fouracre, G. Beames, M. Ridge, Mr. L. Handley (Co-manager), I. Cranston, M. Daly.  
Front Row (l to R): K. Hudson, K. Dyson, B. Handley (Captain), S. Wishart, W. Moodie (V. Capt.), also played not in photograph, S. Jones.  
Mr. V. Ridge (Co-manager) not in photograph.

WATSON SHIELD No. 1.

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: L. Piper.  
Sutherland 9-172 decl. (G. Beames 57, M. Ridge 37) lost to St. George  
6-184 (C. Freeman 2-24, B. Handley 2-50).
- 9.12.73 "Executive Shield" v Georges River. Umpire: J. Moodie.  
Sutherland 9-185 decl (K. Hudson 44, C. Freeman 30 n.o.) defeated  
Georges River 96 (I. Cranston 2-17).
- 26.12.73 v Manly. Umpire: L. Handley.  
Sutherland 7-206 (M. Ridge 36, W. Moodie 32) defeated Manly 119,  
6-47 (G. Fouracre 5-16, C. Freeman 3-17, I. Cranston 3-17, 2-11).
- 29.12.73 v Parramatta. Umpire: L. Handley.  
Sutherland 4-161 (G. Beames 67, W. Moodie 50) defeated Parramatta  
85, 6-133 (I. Cranston 6-32, C. Freeman 2-20).
- 31.12.73 v Western Suburbs. Umpire: L. Handley.  
Sutherland 5-126 (M. Ridge 32 n.o.) defeated Western Suburbs 78,  
9-105 (B. Handley 6-32, 2-30, I. Cranston 2-2, 2-23, C. Freeman 2-16,  
W. Moodie 2-11)
- 1.1.74 v Bankstown. Umpire: L. Handley.  
Sutherland 1-231 (G. Beames 100 n.o., W. Moodie 102) defeated Banks-  
town 126, 5-53 (C. Freeman 5-24, B. Handley 3-45, K. Hudson 3-19)
- 28.1.74 v Gordon. Umpire: L. Handley.  
Sutherland 5-141 decl. (M. Ridge 40 n.o., B. Handley 33) defeated  
Gordon 48, 54 outright (B. Handley 2-16, 7-20, C. Freeman 5-15,  
I. Cranston 2-13, 2-2)
- FINAL.
- 24.2.74 v Gosford-Wyong. Umpires: I. Emerson and W. Turner.  
Sutherland 7-141 (M. Ridge 59 n.o., B. Handley 25, G. Beames 20)  
defeated Gosford-Wyong 46, 9-46 (G. Fouracre 6-29, C. Freeman 3-9,  
I. Cranston 6-14, W. Moodie 2-9).

The 1973/74 Watson Shield team was only defeated once and this was in the very first match of the representative season against St. George in the Rob. Allen Shield. It was a narrow defeat but the weaknesses displayed were remedied and the team never looked back after this and continued on to win the Watson Shield. Their final record in Junior Union Shield matches was four first innings wins, one outright and a first innings win in the final.

This particular group of boys with a few changes over the years have won the Cowsey Shield, the Moore Shield and now the Watson Shield. A fine performance indeed.

The team spirit displayed was first class and all boys pulled their weight and they looked a really professional side. They supported the captain, Bruce Handley, at all times.

Bruce gave a very astute display as captain and led the side by example but had the knack of getting the best out of his players. The fielding was a delight and thoroughly upheld the traditions of Sutherland Representative teams and in this department they outclassed all opponents. Graeme Beames the wicket keeper had an excellent series and accounted for 10 dismissals. 35 catches were held and this was shared by all players.

Many fine batting performances were registered and the openers, Warren Moodie and Graeme Beames produced the best against Bankstown with an opening stand

3-17  
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of 197 runs in 110 minutes, both ending with centuries. These two boys scored over 200 runs each for the series. Mark Ridge was the most consistent batsman and in Junior Union Shield matches he was only dismissed once in five innings scoring 185 runs with a top score of 59 n.o. in the final. Bruce Handley, Rick Francis, Steve Wishart, Ken Hudson and Keith Dyson also played some splendid innings during the series.

In the bowling the strength lay in the pace attack spearheaded by Bruce Handley who provided speed and penetration. Bruce captured 23 wickets and gave an outstanding display against Gordon of 7-20 and 2-16. Colin Freeman who opened at the other end was a tireless worker and captured 17 wickets. Ian Cranston always pressed home the attack at first change and ended up with 16 wickets. Greg Fouracre (5) the fourth pace man and spinners, Warren Moodie (9) and Rick Francis (4) also had their moments of glory.

Both of us agree that this was a really good side and we were proud to be associated with the boys.

To those people who helped during the season, our co-selector Jack Ruddy, scorers June Handley, Pat Cranston and Margaret Hudson, John Smythe (secretary of the District Club) we say "Thank you". To the parents and friends of the boys who supported the team and travelled everywhere with them--we're sure you had as much satisfaction and joy in seeing them perform as we did. Thank you for your support and help with practice and transport.

Eleven of the squad of thirteen are now finished with boys' cricket and we earnestly hope that they will continue their careers with the grade club as we think they all have what it takes. Good luck to you, lads. Ken Hudson and Stephen Jones will benefit from this year's experience and will be able to put it to good use in next year's Watson Shield side.

Vince Ridge,  
Lance Handley.



C. S. WATSON SHIELD NO. 2 TEAM  
Back Row (l to R): G. Adams, P. McGrath (V. Capt.), P. Squires, Mr. J. Ruddy (Manager), J. Williams, R. Harwin.  
Front Row (L to R): B. Jones, C. Price, S. Jones (Capt.), P. Noakes, D. Ferguson. Also played not in photograph S. Ruddy and L. Kemp.

## UNDER 16 REPRESENTATIVE TEAM.

- 2.12.73 v St. George (2).  
Sutherland 186 (S. Jones 71) defeated St. George 175 (S. Jones 5-42, J. Wagner 3-10).
19. 1.74 v Illawarra.  
Sutherland 68 (P. Baraket 21, C. Price 20) lost to Illawarra 90 (P. Baraket 3-24, P. Squires 2-28).
17. 2.74 v Sutherland (1).  
Sutherland (1) 278 (C. Price 3-54, D. Ferguson 1-12, P. Noakes 1-23, P. Squires 1-31, P. Baraket 1-52) drew with Sutherland (2) 9-175 (J. Wagner 51, C. Price 45, P. McGrath 30, J. Williams 20).

The team played three games with a win over St. George in a very exciting game, a loss to Illawarra on a very tricky wicket and a draw with the successful Watson Shield No. 1 side, in which our keeper did not concede a bye; this was a very good game.

The fielding from this team was excellent and it is thought that the boys would benefit greatly from the games they played on the turf. We would have liked to play more games but could not find sufficient opponents who could provide a game for us over the Christmas break. Given more time for preparation, I feel that next season we could expect to play more Social Games and therefore gain more experience for boys who just miss out on selection in the No. 1 side.

Six of the boys in this team will be eligible for selection in the Watson Shield side next season and to the other boys everybody wishes them further success in their future cricket.

The support given this team by the parents was excellent and to these parents I offer my special thanks for their assistance.

J. Ruddy, Manager.



HAROLD MOORE NO. 1 TEAM

Back Row (L to R): M. McCool, M. Brindley, N. Harris, G. Turner, Mr. K. Whatley (Manager), C. Cornwell, R. Mathews, C. Lawton.  
Front Row (L to R): K. Humphries, G. Rose, G. Whatley (Capt.), K. Whittingham (V. Capt.), M. Preddy.

## HAROLD MOORE No. 1.

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 87 (G. Turner 42 n.o.) lost to St. George 6-194 (G. Whatley 2-34).
- 9.12.73 "Executive Shield" v Georges River. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 153 (G. Whatley 34 ret.) defeated Georges River 40 (R. Mathews 6-12)
- 26.12.73 v Newcastle. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 8-134 (G. Turner 44 n.o.) drew Newcastle 162 (M. Preddy 8-51).
- 29.12.73 v Georges River. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 150 (M. Brindley 38, G. Whatley 36 n.o.) defeated Georges River 64 (M. Preddy 4-13, R. Mathews 3-17, N. Harris 3-20).
- 31.12.73 v Northern Suburbs. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 9-192 decl. (N. Harris 58, G. Turner 53) defeated Northern Suburbs 180 (G. Whatley 5-43, R. Mathews 3-46).
1. 1.74 v Gordon. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 64 lost to Gordon 81. 4-19 (R. Mathews 4-9, 1-3, M. Preddy 4-38, 2-4).
28. 1.74 v Nepean. Umpire: C. Lawton.  
Sutherland 9-128 decl 1-7 (G. Whatley 56) defeated Nepean 66, 77 (M. Preddy 8-37, 2-31, R. Mathews 1-12, 2-20, G. Whatley 3-12, M. McCool 1-3).

A great effort all round. In the Moore Shield we had 3 wins, 1 draw and 1 loss and in the last match if we had won outright the possibility of playing in the final. Four of the matches were real thrillers with the outcome of the game decided on the last over. Our bowling was our strongest part of our game as our batting in many cases became bogged down by allowing the opposition bowlers to call the tune. The fielding was excellent and at times brilliant, 35 catches were taken in 6 innings. The players had a very good team spirit and played as a team and supported their captain, Garry Whatley and vice captain, Ken Whittingham, at all times. My thanks to Cec Lawton who umpired all our matches and was a tremendous help in laying mats and generally assisting with the team. My thanks to Wendy Whatley our scorer for a job well done and finally and not least to the players whose general attitude and behaviour was such that they were a credit to our Association and made my job an easy one.

Ken Whatley, Manager.

## MOORE SHIELD No. 2.

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: S. Steed.  
Sutherland 90 lost to St. George 142 (R. Clarke 2-29, D. Rankin 2-8)
- 26.12.73 v Bankstown. Umpire: D. Graddon.  
Sutherland 95 (D. Graddon 43) lost to Bankstown 8-167 decl., 1-37 (R. Clarke 3-30).
- 31.12.73 v Western Suburbs. Umpire: D. Graddon.  
Sutherland 82 lost to Western Suburbs 108 (S. Watkins 2-8).
- 29.12.73 v Balmain. Umpire: S. Steed.  
Sutherland 9-145 (S. Watkins 33) lost to Balmain 8-170 decl. (D. Rankin 3-42, M. Sommerville 2-22, R. Clarke 2-29).



#### HAROLD MOORE NO. 2 TEAM

Back Row (L to R): P. Windhurst, R. Clark, D. Steed, Mr. D. Clark (Manager), D. Rankin, V. Lynch, S. Watkins.  
 Front Row (L to R): J. Woodgate, D. Graddon, P. Clark (Capt.), M. Sharpe, M. Somerville. G. Price absent.

1. 1.74 v St. George. Umpire: S. Steed.  
 Sutherland 104 (R. Clarke 20 n.o.) lost to St. George 6-184 decl  
 (D. Graddon 2-10).

28. 1.74 v Parramatta. Umpire: D. Graddon.  
 Sutherland 40, 106 (R. Clarke 54, V. Lynch 26) lost to Parramatta  
 4-170 decl.

This year the Moore Shield No. 2 team was made up mainly of inexperienced but very enthusiastic boys, in fact, only five boys had played reps. previously

Because of this, it took us a little time to settle down and although we only drew one game and lost four, in every match we had a chance to win, with the exception of the last in which we met an extremely talented team that eventually won the Shield. The boys held some brilliant catches and were complimented by other teams on their fielding, but 26 easy catches were missed which meant the difference.

The most pleasing factor of the tour was that at one time or another, every boy in the team did something outstanding which meant we did not have to rely on one or two players.

Rod Clark had a very successful tour and not only took bowling and batting honours, but fielded exceptionally well.

David Graddon, in a chanceless innings of 43, showed that more will be seen from him in future years.

David Rankin gave a number of fine bowling performances and was ably supported by all the other bowlers.

Although one of the smallest and youngest members, Captain Paul Clark had the respect of his team and was not overshadowed by opposing captains, even though they were at most times two years his senior.

My thanks to Barry Windhurst, Colin Clark and Mrs. Graddon for scoring, Doug Graddon and Stan Steed for umpiring and to all the parents who assisted me at all times.

In conclusion, I would like to congratulate the boys on their efforts and thank them for their exceptionally good behaviour and team spirit. This team was not only a credit to the parents, but to the Shire and cricket in general.

Don Clark, Manager.



#### ARCH CAWSEY NO. 1 TEAM

Back Row (L to R): W. Wishart, P. Hunt, A. O'Connor, Mr. G. Ogilvie (Manager) D. Smith, N. Roberts, P. Miller, G. Townsend.  
 Front Row (L to R): M. Krause, R. Rose, B. Ferguson (Capt.), C. Ogilvie, B. Condon.

#### ARCH CAWSEY SHIELD No. 1.

2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: E. Townsend.  
 Sutherland 155 (N. Roberts 54, C. Ogilvie 25 ret.) defeated St. George  
 93 (B. Ferguson 2-13, M. Krause 2-14, A. O'Connor 2-20).

9.12.73 "Executive Shield" v Georges River. Umpire: E. Townsend.  
 Sutherland 109, 1-50 (A. O'Connor 30 n.o.) lost to Georges River 129  
 (R. Rose 3-13, A. O'Connor 2-18, B. Ferguson 2-24).

26.12.73 v Gosford-Wyong. Umpire: J. Ferguson.  
 Sutherland 5-136 (P. Hunt 67 n.o.) defeated Gosford-Wyong 90, 3-43  
 (A. O'Connor 3-18, M. Krause 3-29, B. Ferguson 2-11, B. Condon 2-7  
 W. Wishart 2-10).

29.12.73 v Western Suburbs. Umpire: E. Townsend.  
 Sutherland 4-65 defeated Western Suburbs 18, 43 outright (W. Wishart  
 7-6, G. Townsend 6-2, A. O'Connor 3-8, B. Ferguson 3-6).



- 31.12.73 v Auburn. Umpire: E. Townsend.  
Sutherland 2-82, 6-71 (P. Hunt 35 n.o., P. Miller 33) defeated Auburn 81, 6-80 (A. O'Connor 3-14, 4-20, G. Townsend 2-6, R. Rose 2-6).
1. 1.74 v St. George.  
Sutherland 8-126 defeated St. George 71 (W. Wishart 3-19, A.O'Connor 6-27).
28. 1.74 v Parramatta. Umpire: E. Townsend.  
Sutherland 8-117 (N. Roberts 35, B. Ferguson 30) drew with Parramatta 8-169 (G. Townsend 2.13, A. O'Connor 4-80).

This team played well throughout the Cawsey Shield series. We were unbeaten, scoring one outright win, three first innings wins and a draw. However, in a division in which the stronger teams did not meet each other we did not gain sufficient outright wins to lead the division.

The fielding and bowling were brilliant in bursts but on occasions could not break through a partnership or wrap up an innings quickly enough to force outright points.

A feature of the team was its well balanced nature with every boy having an important role to play in the total team effort.

Brett Ferguson was a knowledgeable and skilful captain. Mr. Eric Townsend was an excellent umpire. Thanks Eric. Our young scorers, Robyn and Gael Ogilvie deserve special thanks. Sincere thanks also to the parents whose co-operation and assistance was always forthcoming—even to mowing Canberra Street Oval at 6.30 a.m. on New Year's Day.

The boys showed great comradeship, sportsmanship and enthusiasm for the game of cricket. I wish them every success in their future cricket careers.

#### ARCH CAWSEY SHIELD No. 2.

G. Ogilvie, Manager.

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 136 (N. Armstrong 34) defeated St. George 135 (R. Archibald 2-25, R. Deacon 2-20, D. Murray 2-25, C. Flynn 2-30).
- 9.12.73 "Executive Shield" v Georges River-Penshurst. Umpire: B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 99 lost to Georges River-Penshurst 105 (P. Hunt 3-17, R. Deacon 2-9, R. Archibald 2-18, C. Flynn 2-18).
- 26.12.73 v Campbelltown. Umpire: B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 9-92, 5-47 defeated Campbelltown 39 (P. Hunt 4-5, R. Archibald 3-12, D. Murray 2-0).
- 31.12.73 v Nepean.  
Sutherland 93 (G. Meredith 41) lost to Nepean 6-100 (G. Kelly 1-0, N. Armstrong 1-2).
- 31.12.73 v Newcastle. Umpires: J. Ruddy, B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 68, 16 lost outright to Newcastle 9-108 (P. Hunt 3-19, R. Deacon 2-12, R. Archibald 2-20, G. Meredith 2-24).
1. 1.74 v Gordon. Umpire: B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 56, 2-36 (W. Perrott 23) lost to Gordon 76, 4-66 (P. Hunt 5-17, G. Meredith 3-10, R. Deacon 2-12 and 2-12).
28. 1.74 v Northern Suburbs. Umpire: B. Archibald.  
Sutherland 72, 9-40 lost to Northern Suburbs 6-133, 0-14 (G. Kelly 3-16).



#### ARCH CAWSEY NO. 2 TEAM

Front Row (L to R): D. Murray, J. Knox, G. Meredith (Capt.), C. Flynn, W. Perrott.

Back Row (L to R): P. Hunt, R. Archibald, P. Welch, Mr. R. Archibald (Manager), R. Deacon, N. Armstrong, M. Bailey, G. Kelly.

This team performed commendably throughout the series. They were always trying and whether winning or losing acted like sportsmen at all times.

For a No. 2 side their results were quite sound, winning against St. George in the "Rob Allen Shield" and in gaining a first innings win against Campbelltown in the Shell series. They were unfortunate by not winning more games but there were one or two important catches dropped and overall, the batting did not quite come up to the standard expected.

The team lost outright once in the series, this was against the strong Newcastle side and even in this game they were not disgraced.

Throughout the games each boy tried his best and in most cases against pretty stiff competition. Our bowlers did very well and in a lot of games had the opposition scratching for runs.

Of the bowlers, Peter Hunt performed remarkably well. Peter took 4-5 against Campbelltown and 5-17 against the strong batting line up from Gordon. Another accurate display came from Graham Kelly when he took 3-16 in the final game against Northern Suburbs.

In the batting department a most valuable contribution came from team Captain Grant Meredith who totalled 124 runs in his five games. His highest score being 41 against Nepean. Grant also proved himself as a solid and competent Captain. In another charmed but entertaining innings, Billy Perrott knocked up a valuable 23 runs against Gordon. Bill also top scored against Newcastle with 18 runs.

For a first-timer, wicket keeper Jeffrey Knox did a sterling job in conceding only 24 byes in the five Shell games. I feel confident that Jeffrey and all the boys returned to their club sides more knowledgeable and experienced for playing representative cricket.

Colin Flynn did very well and steadily improved throughout the series. In his first game he batted No. 11 and finished as a dependable opener.

Finally, I should like to personally thank our scorers, Mr. Knox, Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Armstrong for a job well done and also to all of the parents for their support and who provided help with the mats, transport, etc.

B. Archibald, Manager.



**W. G. FOSTER NO. 1 TEAM**

Back Row (L to R): M. Elder, D. De Haas, M. Duffy, A. Skelly, Mr. K. Gardner (Manager), J. Steed, L. Philpott, J. Lynch.  
 Front Row (L to R): B. Hatch, G. Anderson, M. Gardiner (Capt.), J. Harris (V. Capt.), C. Gaskell. Also played not in photograph, B. Naylor.

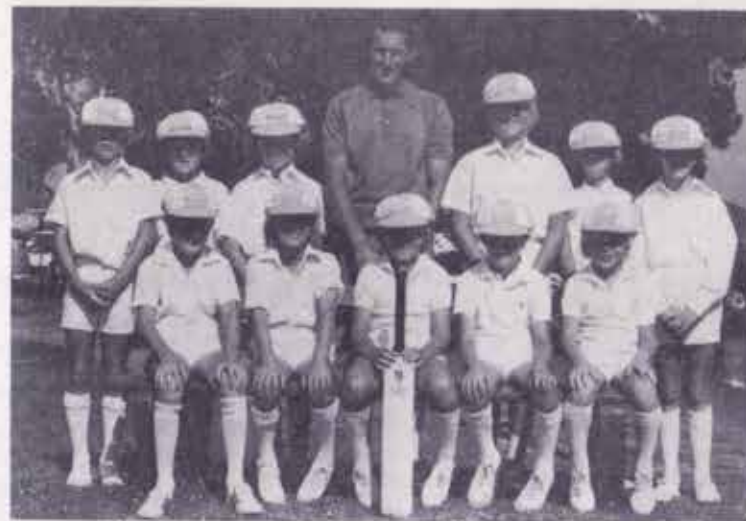
**FOSTER SHIELD No. 1.**

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: C. Gaskell.  
 Sutherland 96, 5-51 defeated St. George 37, 7-61 (M. Gardner 6-8).
- 9.12.73 "Executive Shield" v Georges River. Umpire: S. Steed.  
 Sutherland 78, 5-60 lost to Georges River 134, 2-73 (M. Gardner 5-35).
- 26.12.73 v Canterbury. Umpire: S. Steed.  
 Sutherland 7-173 (D. DeHaas 65 n.o.) defeated Canterbury 87, 2-29  
 (G. Anderson 3-2, J. Harris 3-19).
- 29.12.73 v Hornsby. Umpire: B. Ansell.  
 Sutherland 69, 8-90 decl. (J. Harris 36, M. Elder 42) defeated Hornsby  
 outright (M. Gardner 4-25, J. Harris 5-16, 7-46).
- 31.12.73 v Manly. Umpire: S. Steed.  
 Sutherland 104, 3-29 lost to Manly 118 (J. Harris 5-46).
- 1. 1.74 v Georges River. Umpire: C. Gaskell.  
 Sutherland 78 lost to Georges River 152 (J. Harris 6-36).
- 28. 1.74 v Campbelltown. Umpire: S. Steed.  
 Sutherland 127 defeated Campbelltown 32, 22 outright. (M. Gardner 3-8,  
 7-5, J. Harris 5-14, 2-10).

This team, which started the series with only one player with previous representative experience, performed very well. The fielding was always of a very high standard, with some outstanding catches being accepted.

I do not wish to single out any individual players, as ours was a real team effort. Mark Gardner captained the team well, with great support from his vice captain, John Harris, and the rest of the players. My sincere thanks to Charles Gaskell for the wonderful support he gave me, as Coach; Stan Steed for umpiring all the away matches, and Peter Skelly for umpiring the Georges River game at short notice. I would also like to thank Jim Lynch for keeping an excellent score book, and above all the parents that attended most of the matches, and lastly the boys who made this series a very happy experience for me.

K. Gardner, Manager.



**W. G. FOSTER NO. 2 TEAM**

Back Row (L to R): B. Naylor, D. Townsend, K. Robbins, Mr. T. Russell (Manager), S. Bennett, B. Robertson, W. McCool  
 Front Row (L to R): S. Dolheguy, R. Walkan, D. Hunt (Capt.), D. Russell (V. Capt.), S. Hunt. Not in photograph C. Martin, C. Alewood, Absent P. Melov.

**FOSTER SHIELD No. 2.**

- 2.12.73 "Rob Allen Shield" v St. George. Umpire: C. Turner.  
 Sutherland 87 lost to St. George 90.
- 26.12.73 v Auburn.  
 Sutherland 150 (S. Dolheguy 60 n.o.) defeated Auburn 148.
- 29.12.73 v Parramatta. Umpire: W. Hunt.  
 Sutherland 67, 92 lost to Parramatta 127.
- 31.12.73 v St. George. Umpire: W. Hunt.  
 Sutherland 92, 4-28 lost to St. George 8-135 (W. McCool 3-22,  
 D. Hunt 2-25).
- 1. 1.74 v Gosford. Umpire: W. Hunt.  
 Sutherland 37, 0-4 lost to Gosford 111.

28. 1.74 v Bankstown. Umpire: W. Hunt.  
Sutherland 70, 5-29 lost to Bankstown 2-124 decl.

All the boys in this team were with one exception, playing their first season of representative cricket. While with one win and no outright defeats against them these boys performed over the series very well. It was pleasing to see the improvement in the boys' batting in particular. S. Dolheguy's batting improved tremendously.

The fielding at times let us down, namely catching, the ground fielding and returns were of high standard. Ken Robbins returns from the boundary were great and Steven Bennett's four catches against Gosford were gems. The brunt of the bowling was shared by Drew Townsend, Stewart Hundt, David Hunt and Wayne McCool who all deserve credit for the way in which they stuck to their task. In particular, Drew Townsend and Stewart Hundt, who were the most consistent over the series.

On all occasions the boys played with great enthusiasm even when faced with defeat never gave in. Their conduct on and off the field was a credit to their parents and the Association they represented.

My sincere thanks are due to Warwick Hunt for his endless help towards this team, his umpiring and help with transport. Many thanks also to Mrs. Dolheguy and Mrs. Robbins who looked after our score book. Also the many parents who attended our matches.

T. Russell, Manager.

#### IN CONCLUSION.

At this stage I would like to pass on to the members of the Executive one of the remarks made by a parent from one of our representative teams and I quote "It is good to see members of the Executive come along and watch some of our games". It is words like this that keep us going. To the parents of the boys may I offer thanks on behalf of the Executive for your keen interest during the series also to the selectors, managers, umpires and scorers—for without your assistance these series could not take place.

J. Ruddy, Hon. Secretary.

## CLUB AND INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

### 16A COMPETITION.

### "J. A. DALY SHIELD"

Gymea were undefeated and led all the way to take the Premiership by 11 points. They were a strong team, ably captained by Bruce Handley. Engadine Dragons, Caringbah Sports, Jannali and Como were four evenly matched teams, but could not match Gymea's strength, particularly in bowling.

CLUB	W.O.	W.I.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Pts.
Gymea Bay	2	9	-	-	-	48
Engadine	1	5	1	4	-	37
Caringbah Sports	1	4	1	5	-	35
Jannali	-	4	1	6	-	31
Como	-	5	-	5	1	30
Caringbah De La Salle	-	-	1	7	3	17

Premiers.....	Gymea Bay	
Batting Average.....	B. Handley, Gymea Bay	64.66
Batting Aggregate.....	B. Handley, Gymea Bay	582 runs
Bowling Average.....	B. Handley, Gymea Bay	4.96
Most Wickets.....	I. Cranston, Engadine	40 wickets
Centuries.....	B. Handley, Gymea Bay - 111, 117, 111*	3
	W. Moodie, Jannali - 112	1
	G. Beames, Engadine - 109	1
Hot Tricks.....	B. Handley, Gymea Bay	1
	R. Fitzgerald, Gymea Bay	1
Wicket Keeping Award....	G. Beames, Engadine	
Most Catches.....	G. Beames, Engadine	22 catches
	Engadine took 67 catches	
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. J. Handley, Gymea Bay	

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	K. Symonds, Waronora R.S.L.	120.6	1965/66
Most Runs.....	J. Dyson, Jannali	796	1969/70

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
B. Handley	Gymea Bay	117	11	2	582	64.66
S. Wishart	Engadine	64	11	4	334	47.71
G. Beames	Engadine	109	12	2	352	35.20
W. Moodie	Jannali	112	12	-	361	30.08
M. Ridge	Gymea Bay	99	10	1	319	25.44
K. Dyson	Jannali	55	12	1	272	24.73
B. Moodie	Jannali	70	11	1	247	24.70
P. McGrath	Gymea Bay	72	9	2	166	23.71
J. Wagner	C'bah Sports	92	10	-	205	20.50
P. Thomas	C'bah Sports	47	10	1	178	19.77
J. Williams	C'bah D.L.S.	47	16	3	256	19.70
B. Booker	Como	70	12	-	231	19.25
A. Mailey	C'bah Sports	74	12	3	173	19.22
C. Longley	Como	79	13	1	230	19.16
P. Noakes	Engadine	43	10	1	167	18.50
R. Francis	Gymea Bay	57	12	2	179	17.90

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	P. Neilson Caringbah	3.3	1960/61
Most Wickets.....	P. Hart, Sylvania	66	1968/69

Player	Club	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
B. Handley	Gynea Bay	79	19	32	159	4.96
G. Fouracre	Gynea Bay	102	29	33	196	5.94
P. Squires	Gynea Bay	42	11	13	105	8.07
J. Wagner	C'bah Sports	66	9	30	271	9.03
C. Freeman	Jannali	100	25	29	275	9.49
C. Bourke	C'bah Sports	94	20	27	260	9.62
I. Cranston	Engadine	135	25	40	394	9.85
S. Wishart	Engadine	84	21	20	215	10.75
B. Booker	Como	128	18	37	424	11.45
R. Francis	Gynea Bay	65	18	11	136	12.36
C. Longley	Como	110	15	30	377	12.56

### 16B COMPETITION.

### "LES JOHNSON TROPHY"

A closely contested division was finally won by St. Patrick's from Sylvania. Both teams lost only one match, but a draw and a tie by Sylvania enabled St. Patrick's to win by one point. Ken Hudson of Miranda turned in a fine double with the bat.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	W.1.L.O.	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
St. Patrick's	1	8	-	1	1	-	43
Sylvania	1	6	1	2	1	-	42
Gynea Bay	-	4	-	1	5	1	29
Cronulla R.S.L.	-	5	-	-	4	2*	28
Miranda	-	2	-	2	7	-	28
Caringbah De La Salle	1	2	-	-	7	1	28

\* Cronulla R.S.L. lost all points Rounds 2, 3, played unregistered player.

Premiers.....	St. Patrick's
Batting Average.....	K. Hudson, Miranda.....46.09
Batting Aggregate.....	K. Hudson, Miranda.....507 runs
Bowling Average.....	B. Marien, St. Patrick's.....5.81
Most Wickets.....	S. Hole, St. Patrick's.....47 wickets
Centuries.....	K. Hudson, Miranda - 111*.....1
Hot Tricks.....	S. Kelloway, Cronulla R.S.L.....1
	S. Johnson, Caringbah De La Salle.....1
Most Catches.....	D. Givney, St. Patrick's.....17 catches
	G. Kearney, Cronulla R.S.L.....17 catches
	Sylvania took 61 catches
Wicket Keeping Award....	G. Kearney, Cronulla R.S.L.
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. I. Ruddy, Miranda

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	I. Hart, Sylvania	105.26	1964/65
Most Runs.....	I. Hart, Sylvania	842	1964/65

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
K. Hudson	Miranda	111*	15	4	507	46.09
S. Larcambe	Sylvania	55	12	3	305	33.90
J. Corby	St. Patrick's	69	8	-	253	31.62
D. Givney	St. Patrick's	44	12	5	210	30.00
C. Sawdy	Sylvania	55	12	2	289	28.90
S. Kelloway	Cronulla R.S.L.	60	15	2	317	26.50
S. Brown	Sylvania	53	12	2	259	25.90
B. Marien	St. Patrick's	58	7	-	172	24.57
S. Johnson	C'bah D.L.S.	59	14	1	296	22.80
S. Jones	Gynea Bay	65	14	1	280	21.54
R. Horwin	Sylvania	61	11	-	230	20.90

D. Kelloway	Cronulla R.S.L.	48	15	-	296	19.70
D. Strachan	Cronulla R.S.L.	60	14	-	247	17.50
C. Hopkins	St. Patrick's	57	13	-	225	17.30
G. Fouracre	Gynea Bay	51*	13	2	187	17.00

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	W. Rodgers, Caringbah D.L.S.	3.3	1969/70
Most Wickets.....	A. Humphries, Woronara R.S.L.	74	1964/65

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
B. Marien	St. Patrick's	40	8	16	93	5.81
S. Hole	St. Patrick's	130	24	47	321	6.82
S. Brown	Sylvania	101	19	31	219	7.10
S. Johnson	C'bah D.L.S.	64	11	25	203	8.10
S. Kelloway	Cronulla R.S.L.	152	15	46	363	8.70
G. Fouracre	Gynea Bay	114	15	41	385	9.40
D. Kelloway	Cronulla R.S.L.	119	16	34	340	10.00
M. Finnegan	C'bah D.L.S.	63	3	17	187	11.00
G. Creber	Sylvania	72	-	18	210	11.70
K. Wilson	Sylvania	43	2	17	200	11.70
A. Holmes	St. Patrick's	70	8	18	222	12.33
R. Horwin	Sylvania	133	24	31	398	12.80
G. Doyle	Miranda	46	4	12	163	13.58
B. Jones	C'bah D.L.S.	116	19	24	334	13.90

### 16C COMPETITION.

### "KEN WHATLEY SHIELD"

Boys' Town and St. Patrick's staged a neck-and-neck struggle, each taking the competition lead at some time, and finally ended in a dead heat. In the resulting play-off, Boys' Town defeated St. Patrick's by 2 wickets.

Play-off Details:	Boys' Town	8-126 (R. Brown 68, R. Barnett 4-30)
	St. Patrick's	123 (E. Minati 52, P. Burcher 29, R. Brown 6-46, A. Hayne 4-46)

Individual highlight of the competition was the performance of Robert Richardson of Miranda who hit up 3 centuries and broke the Association record for the most wickets.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	W.1.L.O.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Boys' Town	4	4	-	2	1	44
St. Patrick's No. 1	4	4	-	2	1	44
Caringbah Sports	3	2	1	5	-	40
Miranda	1	7	-	3	-	40
St. Patrick's No. 2	2	3	-	2	4	28
Caringbah De La Salle	-	-	-	4	7	8

#### Premiers.....Boys' Town

Batting Average.....	R. Richardson, Miranda.....56.4
Batting Aggregate.....	R. Richardson, Miranda.....564 runs
Bowling Average.....	M. Le Couteur, Caringbah Sports.....3.8
Most Wickets.....	R. Richardson, Miranda.....*64 wickets
Centuries.....	R. Richardson, Miranda - 101, 113, 101.....3
	G. Moffat, St. Patrick's No. 2 - 112.....1
Hot Tricks.....	R. Hayes, St. Patrick's No. 2.....1
Wicket Keeping Award....	E. Minati, St. Patrick's No. 1.....16 catches
	St. Patrick's No. 1 took 68 catches
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. D. Smith, Caringbah Sports

\* Association Record.

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	A. Scottie, Boys' Town	111.0	1972/73
Most Runs.....	R. Richardson, Miranda	564	1973/74

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
R. Richardson	Miranda	113	14	4	564	56.40
A. Baldry	Boys' Town	88	15	6	389	43.22
E. Minati	St. Pats. No. 1	79	17	5	358	29.80
R. Brown	Boys' Town	78	13	2	265	24.09
P. Burcher	St. Pats. No. 1	50*	16	5	246	22.40
G. Moffat	St. Pats. No. 2	112	16	1	341	21.30
R. Whiteman	C'bah Sports	61*	16	4	255	21.20
W. Rossenrode	Miranda	40	14	1	241	18.50

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	L. Tolhurst, Boys' Town	3.23	1972/73
Most Wickets.....	R. Richardson, Miranda	64	1973/74

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
M. Le Couteur	C'bah Sports	93	26	58	222	3.80
D. Hamilton	Miranda	117	18	29	133	4.58
M. Waller	Boys' Town	42	9	30	142	4.73
R. Brown	Boys' Town	111	23	50	246	4.92
R. Richardson	Miranda	86	22	64	373	5.80
G. Moffat	St. Patrick's No.2	88	23	36	217	6.00
P. Cosgrove	St. Patrick's No.1	70	14	29	179	6.17
G. Robson	St. Patrick's No.1	47	11	16	103	6.44
P. Burcher	St. Patrick's No.1	75	20	28	188	6.71
P. Brien	St. Patrick's No.1	85	23	31	209	6.74
G. Chowne	Boys' Town	45	12	21	144	6.85
S. Carroll	C'bah Sports	122	22	50	350	7.00
A. Hayne	Boys' Town	60	8	21	162	7.71
A. Baldry	Boys' Town	83	15	30	281	9.36
S. Barnett	St. Patrick's No.1	100	21	24	243	10.10

### 14A COMPETITION.

### "ARTHUR BOMBELL TROPHY"

Miranda Magpies tied up this grade, being undefeated and with St. Patrick's and Caringbah Sports beating each other outright, they had a comfortable win by 10 points.

Gary Whatley had an outstanding double, taking out the Batting Average and Aggregate.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	Tied	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Miranda Magpies	2	9	-	-	-	48
St. Patrick's	3	4	-	3	1	38
Caringbah Sports	1	6	1	2	1	37
Caringbah De La Salle	1	3	1	4	2	29
Engadine	1	1	-	9	-	28
Cronulla R.S.L.	-	1	1*	6	3	19

\* Cronulla R.S.L. tied on 1st, lost outright.

Premiers.....	Miranda	
Batting Average.....	G. Whatley, Miranda	90.5
Batting Aggregate.....	G. Whatley, Miranda	545 runs
Bowling Average.....	M. McCool, Miranda	3.82
Most Wickets.....	I. Convoy, Caringbah Sports	42 wickets

Centuries.....	G. Whatley, Miranda - 106*, 101	2
	B. Olsen, Miranda - 106	1
Hot Tricks.....	D. Rankin, St. Patrick's	1
Wicket Keeping Award....	C. Lawton, St. Patrick's	
Most Catches.....	M. Standen, Miranda	18 catches
	St. Patrick's took 84 catches.	
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. G. Lawton, St. Patrick's	

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	G. Bailey, Caringbah Sports	144.25	1963/64
Most Runs.....	J. Dyson, Jannali	645	1967/68

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
G. Whatley	Miranda	106*	11	5	545	90.50
B. Olsen	Miranda	106	11	2	319	35.44
M. Standen	Miranda	77	10	3	212	30.28
A. Dickson	Miranda	40	9	2	185	26.40
M. Coleman	C'bah Sports	61	9	2	181	25.85
M. Brindley	C'bah Sports	99	14	1	322	24.10
S. Atkins	Engadine	67*	14	1	306	23.70
G. Turner	St. Patrick's	38	13	1	259	21.58
M. Somerville	C'bah D.L.S.	58	18	4	284	20.29
K. Humphries	C'bah Sports	59	14	1	248	19.10
N. Horris	Miranda	55	10	1	162	18.00
G. Rose	C'bah Sports	37	13	6	124	17.50

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	G. Shrubsole, Miranda	2.73	1959/60
Most Wickets.....	P. Keenahan, Miranda	77	1960/61

PLAYERS	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
M. McCool	Miranda	57	11	33	126	3.82
M. Warwick	St. Patrick's	40	7	19	98	5.16
I. Convoy	C'bah Sports	116	26	42	234	5.24
D. Rankin	St. Patrick's	106	19	37	322	6.00
G. Rose	C'bah Sports	121	30	40	267	6.27
M. Standen	Miranda	65	18	19	153	8.00
G. Turner	St. Patrick's	108	21	32	264	8.25
V. Lynch	C'bah D.L.S.	65	18	24	203	8.46
S. Watkins	St. Patrick's	78	6	33	282	8.54
A. Dickson	Miranda	80	13	22	191	8.60
B. Rodley	C'bah D.L.S.	76	10	23	206	8.96
S. Atkins	Engadine	66	10	22	209	9.11
G. Price	St. Patrick's	92	16	26	250	9.16
G. Whatley	Miranda	84	12	29	301	10.30
G. Hobden	Cronulla R.S.L.	68	11	24	250	10.42

### 14B COMPETITION

### "JOHN MOODIE SHIELD"

Gynea Bay was the early leader in this competition but could not stand the pace of St. John Bosco and Sylvania, Sylvania emerged the winner by three points. Mark Preddy of St. John Bosco performed excellently with both bat and ball, creating a new record for the division, taking 79 wickets.

CLUB.	W.O.	W.1.	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Sylvania	3	5	1	2	-	45
St. John Bosco	3	4	-	4	-	42
Gynea Bay	-	6	2	2	1	34
Jannali	1	5	1	2	2	33
Miranda	-	2	1	6	2	23
Como	-	1	1	7	2	21

Premiers.....	Sylvania					
Batting Average.....	M. Preddy, St. John Bosco.....	25.61				
Batting Aggregate.....	R. Stubbs, Jannali.....	335 runs				
Bowling Average.....	M. Preddy, St. John Bosco.....	6.24				
Most Wickets.....	M. Preddy, St. John Bosco.....	*79 wickets				
Centuries.....	Nil					
Hat Tricks.....	M. Preddy, St. John Bosco.....	1				
Wicket Keeping Award.....	Nil					
Most Catches.....	J. Huyben, St. John Bosco.....	17 catches				
	St. John Bosco took 91 catches					
Score Book Award.....	Mr. P. Herbert, Como					

#### BATTING.

Association Records.						
Batting Average.....	L. Erickson, Evoco	109.5	1960/61			
Most Runs.....	S. Edmonds, Taren Point	626	1965/66			

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
M. Preddy	St. John Bosco	80	14	1	333	25.61
R. Clark	Sylvania	53	14	1	295	22.69
R. Stubbs	Jannali	76	15	-	335	22.33
M. Glass	Gynea Bay	76	17	2	320	21.30
P. Windhurst	Gynea Bay	34	16	2	242	17.30
R. Matthews	Gynea Bay	63	16	-	265	16.50
D. Mahoney	St. John Bosco	32	9	-	144	16.00
A. Hudson	Miranda	36*	15	3	186	15.50
C. Cornwell	Jannali	38	14	-	213	15.21
J. King	Como	36	7	1	90	15.00
R. Smith	Sylvania	48	13	1	169	14.08
M. Farr-Wharton	Como	32	10	-	140	14.00

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.						
Bowling Average.....	E. Robinson, Caringbah D.L.S.	2.23	1961/62			
Most Wickets.....	M. Preddy, St. John Bosco	79	1973/74			

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
M. Preddy	St. John Bosco	136	10	79	493	6.24
P. Kedwell	Sylvania	43	5	19	120	6.32
R. Mathews	Gynea Bay	107	17	38	262	6.89
G. Warren	Sylvania	55	8	24	173	7.21
G. Moon	Sylvania	98	23	30	217	7.23
S. Beattie	Jannali	43	4	18	139	7.72
J. Huyben	St. John Bosco	146	31	56	434	7.75
C. Cornwell	Jannali	85	17	26	208	8.00
P. Bishell	Sylvania	88	15	38	306	8.05
M. Glass	Gynea Bay	57	4	24	206	8.58
R. Brown	Gynea Bay	50	7	13	126	9.70
R. Clark	Sylvania	121	25	33	321	9.73
M. Goman	Miranda	49	3	17	174	10.20
G. Ritchie	Jannali	65	6	19	214	11.26

#### 14C COMPETITION.

#### "TIM WALKER TROPHY"

Undefeated Caringbah Sports led from start to finish, their only blemish being a draw with Sylvania, who finished second.

C. Tomko produced a good batting double and R. Lightfoot won the bowling aggregate while playing with the lowest team.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Caringbah Sports	4	6	1	-	-	51
Sylvania	3	5	1	2	-	45
Bulldogs	2	3	-	6	-	36
Miranda	2	4	-	4	1	36
Caringbah De La Salle	1	1	-	5	4	20
Kurnell	1	-	-	2	8	10

Premiers.....	Caringbah Sports					
Batting Average.....	C. Tomko, Bulldogs.....	33.9				
Batting Aggregate.....	C. Tomko, Bulldogs.....	339 runs				
Bowling Average.....	D. Gibbs, Caringbah Sports.....	3.49				
Most Wickets.....	R. Lightfoot, Kurnell.....	47 wickets				
Centuries.....	Nil					
Hat Tricks.....	D. Gibbs, Caringbah Sports.....	1				
Wicket Keeping Award.....	No award					
Most Catches.....	B. Marwood, Bulldogs.....	14 catches				
	Bulldogs took 65 catches					
Score Book Award.....	Mr. T. Gaut, Caringbah Sports					

#### BATTING.

Association Records.						
Batting Average.....	B. Hayes, Sylvania	66.6	1964/65			
Most Runs.....	A. Scotti, Boys' Town	464	1969/70			

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
C. Tomko	Bulldogs	63	13	3	339	33.90
M. Turnbull	C'bah D.L.S.	66	18	3	311	27.30
S. Spence	Bulldogs	64*	12	2	248	24.80
D. Steed	C'bah Sports	43	11	3	174	21.75
I. Smith	C'bah Sports	39	11	1	193	19.30
G. Maver	Sylvania	70*	10	2	151	18.90
N. Williams	C'bah Sports	19	10	5	91	18.20
K. Stevens	Sylvania	47	12	1	197	18.00
J. Elliott	Bulldogs	50	9	1	127	15.87
D. Gibbs	C'bah Sports	37	9	-	142	15.77
J. Scott	C'bah Sports	24*	11	3	125	15.63
A. Lindsay	C'bah Sports	20	10	2	121	15.13

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.						
Bowling Average.....	L. Barrett, Engadine	2.12	1971/72			
Most Wickets.....	K. Adams, Como	90	1966/67			

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
D. Gibbs	C'bah Sports	85	33	43	150	3.49
M. Williams	C'bah Sports	51	12	26	123	4.73
R. Brown	Sylvania	49	-	31	164	5.30
S. Hill	Miranda	114	29	46	259	5.63
G. Law	Miranda	58	16	24	153	6.37
M. Hunter	Bulldogs	115	29	41	263	6.41
G. Heddles	Sylvania	99	-	32	209	6.50
G. Maver	Sylvania	74	-	26	177	6.80
H. Scott	C'bah Sports	79	25	20	140	7.00

A. Lindsay	C'bah Sports	45	9	21	151	7.19
J. Elliott	Bulldogs	82	26	24	173	7.21
R. Lightfoot	Kumell	118	32	47	350	7.45
S. Poulter	Kumell	96	22	26	204	7.85

#### 14D COMPETITION.

#### "GORDON THOMSON TROPHY"

Gynea Bay and Engadine staged a great battle for honours in this division, defeating each other when they met. Gynea Bay's slightly greater strength enabled them to notch two outright against Engadine's one.

C. Allen of Gynea Bay turned in an excellent performance to take out the Batting double and most wickets.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	D.	Bye	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Gynea Bay	2	4	-	3	2	-	44
Engadine	1	5	1	2	2	-	41
St. Patrick's	-	5	1	2	3	-	37
Caringbah Sports	-	1	1	2	6	1	27
Jannali	-	2	1	2	4	2	23

Premiers.....	Gynea Bay
Batting Average.....	C. Allen, Gynea Bay.....25.5
Batting Aggregate.....	C. Allen, Gynea Bay.....204 runs
Bowling Average.....	R. Ross, Gynea Bay.....4.38
Most Wickets.....	C. Allen, Gynea Bay.....43 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hat Tricks.....	Nil
Wicket Keeping Award.....	D. Condon, Gynea Bay
Most Catches.....	G. Jones, Engadine.....12 catches Engadine took 58 catches
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. D. O'Brien, Gynea Bay

#### BATTING.

Association Records.

Batting Average.....	D. Coleman, Miranda	44	1968/69
Most Runs.....	S. Ellis, Gynea Bay	383	1968/69

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
C. Allen	Gynea Bay	43*	10	2	204	25.50
R. Hirst	Engadine	37*	9	5	97	24.30
M. Keene	Engadine	51*	6	3	70	23.30
S. Ridge	St. Patrick's	31*	10	3	144	20.58
P. Sheridan	St. Patrick's	41	8	-	150	18.74
B. Fouracre	Gynea Bay	38*	8	2	111	18.50
G. Jones	Engadine	44	9	1	149	18.50

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	G. Heath, C'bah D.L.S.	2.45	1972/73
Most Wickets.....	N. Priest, Suth-Gray's Point	64	1970/71

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
R. Ross	Gynea Bay	68	15	29	127	4.38
C. Allen	Gynea Bay	83	18	43	208	4.84
G. Jones	Engadine	51	11	23	116	5.00
I. Anderson	Engadine	80	17	25	141	5.60
R. Hirst	Engadine	51	8	20	125	6.30
D. Slattery	St. Patrick's	43	10	13	96	7.38
L. Diamond	Jannali	63	14	20	150	7.50
D. Nadin	St. Patrick's	64	16	18	140	7.77
R. Lambert	C'bah Sports	51	16	16	132	8.20

M. Taylor	St. Patrick's	63	10	18	152	8.44
S. Cavanagh	Jannali	46	13	14	138	9.80
J. Jennings	St. Patrick's	53	9	9	104	11.50

#### 14E COMPETITION.

#### "DON DOBIE TROPHY"

Heathcote were undefeated to win this division but were helped slightly by Boys' Town who forfeited three times. Heathcote's strength lay in their bowling trio, who led the bowling averages. The ball dominated the bat in this division with two new Association records being achieved by M. Pink of Heathcote and R. Waterford of Caringbah Sports.

Players' statistics were poorly recorded in this division. One club did not even record its players' batting performances, another club did not complete the batting or bowling averages and needless to say, both clubs did not fill in the Summary sheets at the rear of the score books. Only two clubs recorded their players' catches. The boys who participate play the best they can, surely the coaches and people who look after them could do likewise.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	D.	Forf.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Heathcote	2	8	1	-	-	-	47
Caringbah De La Salle	2	2	3	-	4	-	37
Boys' Town	2	4	1	3	1	-	33
Caringbah Sports	1	2	2	-	5	1	30
St. Patrick's	-	5	-	-	3	3	26
Sylvania	1	-	1	-	7	2	23

Premiers.....Heathcote

Batting Average.....	G. Evers, Caringbah D.L.S.	14.22
Batting Aggregate.....	B. Ibbotson, Caringbah Sports	132 runs
Bowling Average.....	M. Pink, Heathcote	* 2.27
Most Wickets.....	R. Waterford, Caringbah Sports	*46 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil	
Hat Tricks.....	Nil	
Wicket Keeping Award.....	J. Heffernan, Caringbah Sports	
Most Catches.....	A. Iffland, St. Patrick's	5 catches
	P. Mason, Caringbah D.L.S.	5 catches
	St. Patrick's took 28 catches	

Score Book Award.....Mrs. M. A. Beacham, Caringbah Sports

\* New Association records.

#### BATTING.

Association Records.

Batting Average.....	M. Keyworth, Caringbah Sports	22.0	1972/73
Most Runs.....	P. Bassett, Jannali	142	1972/73

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
G. Evers	C'bah D.L.S.	30	11	2	128	14.22
B. Ibbotson	C'bah Sports	32	14	4	132	13.20

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	M. Pink, Heathcote	2.27	1973/74
Most Wickets.....	R. Waterford, C'bah Sports	46	1973/74

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
M. Pink	Heathcote	45	16	24	55	2.27
P. Pearce	Heathcote	65	15	38	107	2.81
G. Dwarshuis	Heathcote	71	25	35	104	2.97
R. Waterford	C'bah Sports	93	27	46	171	3.67
D. Burns	St. Patrick's	88	10	36	165	4.58
G. Evers	C'bah D.L.S.	85	19	34	175	5.15
C. Jamieson	C'bah Sports	41	12	17	100	5.90
P. Mason	C'bah D.L.S.	66	19	26	158	6.08
G. Beacham	C'bah Sports	40	8	15	101	6.73

## 12A COMPETITION.

"TED WYKES SHIELD"  
"inc. "ALLEN FALLINS SHIELD"

Engadine were convincing winners of this division, mainly due to the fine all-round performances of W. Wishart and B. Ferguson.

CLUB	W.O.	W.I.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Pts.
Engadine	2	5	3	1	-	43
Miranda	2	3	1	5	-	37
Sylvania	-	6	1	4	-	35
St. Patricks	-	5	-	5	1	30
Gynea Bay	-	3	3	4	1	29
Caringbah Sports	-	3	1	5	2	25

Premiers	Engadine
Batting Average	W. Wishart, Engadine..... 38.7
Batting Aggregate	W. Wishart, Engadine..... 267 runs
Bowling Average	B. Ferguson, Engadine..... 5.80
Most Wickets	A. O'Connor, St. Patricks..... 46 wickets
Centuries	Nil
Hot Tricks	A. O'Connor, St. Patricks..... 1
	S. Wearne, Engadine..... 1
	G. Waterhouse, Miranda..... 1
Wicket Keeping Award	C. Ogilvie, St. Patricks
Most Catches	S. Wilson, Gynea Bay..... 10
	B. Ferguson, Engadine..... 10
	Engadine took 53 catches
Score Book Award	Mrs. N. Hunt, Sylvania

## BATTING.

## Association Records.

Batting Average	S. Stewart, C'bah DLS	83.14	1963/64
Most Runs	A. Chellow, Miranda	637	1964/65

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
W. Wishart	Engadine	50*	11	4	267	38.14
S. Wilson	Gynea Bay	44*	12	4	241	30.13
G. Holland	Gynea Bay	52*	6	1	122	24.40
G. Price	Engadine	37	12	4	178	22.25
P. Mijler	Miranda	44*	13	5	171	21.32
P. Hunt	Sylvania	68	13	3	204	20.40
P. Hunt	St. Patricks	60*	11	1	196	19.60
G. Meredith	St. Patricks	74	12	-	215	17.92
D. Smith	Miranda	66*	14	2	201	16.75
R. Wallis	Sylvania	44	13	1	194	16.17
B. Ferguson	Engadine	45	12	1	175	16.00
R. Whotley	Miranda	39	12	3	129	14.33
M. Krause	Gynea Bay	54	14	2	163	13.58
N. Armstrong	C'bah Sports	50*	16	2	189	13.50
G. Townsend	Sylvania	24	13	2	133	12.09

## BOWLING.

## Association Records.

Bowling Average	D. Childs, Evoca	1.8	1960/61
Most Wickets	D. Gazzard, Caringbah	70	1958/59
	T. Humphries, Engadine	70	1970/71
	P. Noakes, Engadine	70	1970/71

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Runs	Wkts.	Ave.
B. Ferguson	Engadine	122.3	31	261	45	5.80
W. Wishart	Engadine	127	30	255	41	6.22
R. Deacon	Sylvania	71	71	146	21	6.95
I. Ross	Gynea Bay	66	14	137	19	7.21

G. Townsend	Sylvania	137.3	45	247	34	7.26
P. Hunt	Sylvania	78	25	152	19	8.00
G. Johnson	Miranda	58	9	205	25	8.20
M. Acrot	Sylvania	53.7	11	145	16	9.06
M. O'Connor	St. Patricks	144.4	28	428	46	9.30
D. Smith	Miranda	120	38	237	24	10.00
S. Hubbard	C'bah Sports	100	18	297	28	10.63
R. Archibald	Gynea Bay	90	13	254	23	11.04
M. Grahame	St. Patricks	50	8	111	10	11.10
G. Meredith	St. Patricks	40	11	76	6	11.20
G. Lynn	St. Patricks	69.5	9	202	18	11.20
G. Price	Engadine	66.1	9	203	18	11.30
R. Rose	C'bah Sports	120	23	328	29	11.32

## 12B COMPETITION.

## "MAL HENDERSON TROPHY"

Jannali were undefeated winners of this division, spearheaded by fine performances from N. Roberts with the bat and B. Condon and G. Lucock with the ball.

CLUB	W.O.	W.O.L.1.	W.I.	W.I.L.O.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Pts
Jannali	4	-	7	-	-	-	-	52
Caringbah D.L.S.	2	-	7	-	-	2	-	44
Sylvania	2	-	2	1	1	5	-	37
Engadine	2	-	2	-	-	5	2	30
Como	-	1	2	1	-	3	4	22
Caringbah Sports	-	1	1	-	1	4	4	21

## Premiers.....Jannali

Batting Average	N. Roberts, Jannali	59.75
Batting Aggregate	N. Roberts, Jannali	478 runs
Bowling Average	C. Ricketts, Caringbah D.L.S.	3.75
Most Wickets	G. Wiseman, Engadine	55 wickets
Centuries	N. Roberts, Jannali	102*
Hot Tricks	G. Lucock, Jannali	1
	B. Condon, Jannali	1
	G. Wiseman, Engadine	1
Wicket Keeping Award	J. Knox, Jannali	
Most Catches	P. Versegi, Engadine	16 catches
	Engadine took 70 catches	
Score Book Award	Mrs. G. Edwards, Sylvania	

## BATTING.

## Association Records.

Batting Average	C. Hillman, Cronulla RSL	140.33	1964/65
Most Runs	B. Handley, Gynea Bay	763	1968/69

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
N. Roberts	Jannali	102*	12	4	478	59.75
J. McCarthy	C'bah D.L.S.	62*	13	4	273	30.30
B. Roberts	Jannali	24	11	6	139	27.80
A. Fenning	C'bah D.L.S.	31*	8	4	85	21.20
K. Rynne	C'bah D.L.S.	75*	10	2	150	18.70
A. Johnson	Sylvania	31	16	8	136	17.00
B. Condon	Jannali	41	11	-	174	15.82
J. Woods	Jannali	25	9	3	95	15.33
M. Mullane	C'bah D.L.S.	29	9	-	121	13.40
P. Johnson	Engadine	44	14	2	156	13.00
P. Badger	Como	54*	15	1	176	11.60
R. Rowan	C'bah D.L.S.	20*	7	2	57	11.40



### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....B. Griffin, East Jannali  
Most Wickets.....I. Cranston, Engadine

2.58 1961/62  
76 1968/69

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
C. Ricketts	C'bah DLS	109	37	37	139	3.75
B. Condon	Jannali	120	30	50	199	3.98
G. Lucock	Jannali	69	10	31	134	4.32
M. Horton	Sylvania	61	16	23	102	4.43
K. Rynne	C'bah DLS	132	33	50	229	4.58
N. Roberts	Jannali	78	15	36	189	5.25
S. Ellis	Sylvania	41	13	14	74	5.28
G. Wiseman	Engadine	120.5	26	55	293	5.30
S. Grant	Sylvania	69	30	18	102	5.66
L. Edwards	Sylvania	89	16	34	230	6.76
N. Andrews	Engadine	51	-	18	126	7.00
P. Bunton	C'bah Sports	84	13	25	188	7.50

### 12C COMPETITION.

#### "TYNAN MOTORS TROPHY"

Gynea Bay ran out winners in a very close competition, being very consistent in the second half of the competition. Cronulla R.S.L. were a close second from Miranda who were leaders at the half-way point.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1	W.I	W.ILO	Tie.	LO	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Gynea Bay	3	-	5	-	1	-	1	1	1	43
Cronulla RSL	2	-	5	-	-	1	3	-	-	41
Miranda	3	-	4	-	-	1	1	2	-	39
St. John Bosco	1	-	3	1	-	-	6	-	-	34
St. Patricks	2	1	2	-	-	-	4	2	2	34
C'bah DLS	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	5	-	14

Premiers.....Gynea Bay  
Batting Average.....M. Corbin, Cronulla RSL.....21.56  
Batting Aggregate.....N. Lewis, St. Patricks.....333 runs  
Bowling Average.....J. Wastell, Cronulla RSL.....3.45  
Most Wickets.....D. Bryson, Miranda.....58 wickets  
Centuries.....N. Lewis, St. Patricks.....115\*  
Hot Tricks.....C. Bolan, St. John Bosco.....1  
N. Seaton, Gynea Bay.....1  
Wicket Keeping Award.....N. Lewis, St. Patricks  
Most Catches.....W. Malone, Gynea Bay.....14  
B. Gilchrist, Miranda.....14  
Miranda took 84 catches.  
Score Book Award.....Mrs. Z. Lewis, St. Patricks.

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....P. Johnstone, Jannali 63.25 1964/65  
Most Runs.....S. Edmonds, Taren Point 548 1965/66

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
M. Corbin	Cronulla RSL	45	13	2	237	21.56
N. Lewis	St. Patricks	115*	19	2	333	19.05
C. Murphy	Gynea Bay	58*	16	4	201	16.75
S. Aroney	Miranda	49	16	2	234	16.71
G. Dransfield	Cronulla RSL	49	11	2	142	15.78
C. Grant	St. John Bosco	56	15	-	219	14.60
S. Whittaker	Miranda	39*	13	2	147	13.36
P. Jordan	St. Patricks	47	20	2	225	12.50
W. Malone	Gynea Bay	42	13	1	150	12.50
D. Bryson	Miranda	24*	17	4	146	11.23

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....C. McCaughan, Cronulla RSL 1.83 1961/62  
Most Wickets.....N. Fardon, Waronara 94 1967/68

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
J. Wastell	Cronulla RSL	77.3	19	42	145	3.45
R. Johns	Gynea Bay	95	13	47	187	3.97
M. Corbin	Cronulla RSL	88.2	25	41	170	4.15
C. Murphy	Gynea Bay	59	10	30	138	4.60
G. Cutcliffe	St. Patricks	102	31	46	215	4.67
P. Jordan	St. Patricks	90	28	40	187	4.67
D. Bryson	Miranda	123.5	32	58	276	4.76
S. Whittaker	Miranda	45.5	16	18	99	5.50
D. Jones	Miranda	115.5	30	38	225	5.93
B. Glover	Gynea Bay	44	4	21	132	6.28
G. Mailey	Cronulla RSL	99.5	21	33	212	6.42
C. Boland	Bosco	95	16	40	259	6.47
T. Morrison	St. Patricks	54	16	16	107	6.60
C. Grant	Bosco	104	30	32	215	6.71

### 12D COMPETITION.

#### "SUTHERLAND BOWLING CLUB TROPHY"

In a very close competition which required a play-off between Miranda and Heathcote, the honours went to Miranda with a very convincing win. Sylvania and Caringbah Sports both pressed the two leaders closely for premiership honours.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	W.1.L.O.	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Miranda	1	8	-	-	2	-	42
Heathcote	1	7	1	-	2	-	42
Sylvania	2	5	-	-	4	-	40
Caringbah Sports	1	5	-	1	4	-	37
Caringbah De La Salle	-	2	-	-	9	-	26
St. Patricks/Cronulla RSL	-	1	-	1	5	4	17

Premiers.....Miranda  
Batting Average.....A. Ball, Miranda.....39.4  
Batting Aggregate.....A. Ball, Miranda.....197 runs  
Bowling Average.....M. Dent, Miranda.....2.85  
Most Wickets.....K. Dolan-Brown, Heathcote.....51 wickets  
Centuries.....Nil  
Hot Tricks.....M. Dent, Miranda.....1  
K. Dolan-Brown, Heathcote.....1  
Wicket Keeping Award.....B. Rynne, Caringbah De La Salle  
Most Catches.....S. Barker, Miranda.....13  
Heathcote took 71 catches  
Score Book Award.....Mrs. Y. Chudleigh, Miranda

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....W. Turner, Como 48.8 1965/66  
Most Runs.....W. Meehan, St. Patricks 433 1967/68

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
A. Ball	Miranda	52*	10	5	197	39.40
G. Heame	Heathcote	55*	11	3	154	19.25
B. Triggell	Heathcote	46*	11	1	190	19.00
W. Lynn	C'bah DLS	51*	16	4	193	16.10
D. Hancock	Miranda	32*	8	1	104	14.9
C. Denton	C'bah Sports	58	10	-	139	13.90
H. Roberts	C'bah Sports	20	9	2	95	13.56
I. Goodburn	Sylvania	31*	14	3	148	13.45

K. Dolan-Brown	Heathcote	32	11	3	106	13.25
B. Rynne	C'bah DLS	40	14	3	131	11.90
M. Dent	Miranda	38	10	2	93	11.60
G. Elder	Miranda	43	10	-	116	11.60

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	C. Riccio, Caringbah Sports	2.29	1968/69
Most Wickets.....	D. Monk, Grays Point	85	1964/65

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Runs	Wkts.	Ave.
M. Dent	Miranda	94	36	137	48	2.85
K. Dolan-Brown	Heathcote	93	30	192	51	3.76
C. Denton	C'bah Sports	85.4	24	134	33	4.06
A. Ball	Miranda	82	20	162	32	5.04
D. Lang	Sylvania	81.4	26	141	27	5.25
G. Heme	Heathcote	66	16	144	27	5.33
S. Barker	Miranda	49.5	12	102	18	5.70
D. Alfredson	C'bah Sports	66	14	144	25	5.76
M. Oliff	Heathcote	53	21	101	17	5.94
W. Lynn	C'bah DLS	54	7	149	18	8.30
M. Cadogan	Sylvania	55	16	132	15	8.80
P. Hoffman	St.Pats/RSL	45	3	214	22	9.70

### 12E COMPETITION.

### "THE BULMER TROPHY"

G. Clarke, Engadine, who took out four individual trophies, ensured his team of premiership honours. Consistent performances from both Gynea Bay and Sylvania kept the premiers on their mettle during the season.

CLUB	W.O.	W.I.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Forf.	Pts.
Engadine	2	7	2	-	-	-	46
Gynea Bay	2	5	1	3	-	-	41
Sylvania	2	4	2	3	-	-	40
Jannali	-	3	1	6	1	-	27
Bulldogs	-	3	1	6	1	-	27
North Engadine	-	1	1	2	5	2	11

Premiers.....	Engadine
Batting Average.....	*G. Clarke, Engadine.....82.33
Batting Aggregate.....	*G. Clarke, Engadine.....247 runs
Bowling Average.....	G. Clarke, Engadine.....3.24
Most Wickets.....	G. Clarke, Engadine.....50 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hot Tricks.....	Nil
Wicket Keeping Award.....	Nil
Most Catches.....	G. Clarke, Engadine.....10 catches Engadine took 40 catches
Score Book Award.....	Miss J. Blackhall, Sylvania

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	G. Clarke, Engadine Dragons	82.33	1973/74
Most Runs.....	G. Clarke, Engadine Dragons	247	1973/74

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
G. Clarke	Engadine	52*	10	7	247	82.33
G. Brown	Sylvania	51	9	-	143	15.90
S. Beck	Gynea Bay	32	12	2	152	15.2
G. Lawson	Sylvania	35	8	-	117	14.10
C. Wheeler	Engadine	26	7	2	69	13.75
T. Barnes	Engadine	21	9	1	101	12.63

B. Hampson	Jannali	42	14	2	150	12.40
D. Gates	Gynea Bay	31	12	2	122	12.20
G. Gray	Jannali	28	14	3	125	11.30
J. Wilson	Gynea Bay	20	11	5	62	11.00
B. Chambers	Gynea Bay	30	10	-	105	10.50
P. Ross	Jannali	29	14	2	118	9.80

### BOWLING.

#### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	R. Lightfoot, Kumell	1.86	1972/73
Most Wickets.....	S. Kellaway, Cronulla RSL	67	1969/70

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
G. Clarke	Engadine	113.4	47	50	162	3.24
G. Lawson	Sylvania	71	25	23	105	4.60
G. Hynes	Gynea Bay	90	20	35	186	5.31
D. Nichols	Engadine	60.3	9	31	177	5.72
R. Kuipers	Gynea Bay	72	18	28	178	6.35
J. Wilson	Gynea Bay	62	16	21	138	6.57
G. Gray	Jannali	51.6	7	12	118	9.80

### 10A COMPETITION.

### "RAY THORBURN TROPHY"

Engadine who were undefeated ran out convincing winners. Fine performances from G. Treweeke, M. Gardiner and G. Heffernan with the ball; S. Iliffe and A. Skelly with the bat.

CLUB	W.O.	W.I.	W.I.L.O.	Tie/LO.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Pts.
Engadine	5	5	-	-	1	-	-	53
Caringbah Sports	5	1	1	-	1	2	1	45
Miranda	1	3	-	1	1	5	-	34
Sylvania	2	3	-	-	-	3	3	30
St. Patricks	1	3	-	-	-	5	2	28
Gynea Bay	-	2	-	-	1	2	6	15

Premiers.....	Engadine
Batting Average.....	S. Iliffe, Caringbah Sports.....26.42
Batting Aggregate.....	S. Iliffe, Caringbah Sports.....317 runs
Bowling Average.....	G. Heffernan, Engadine.....3.50
Most Wickets.....	G. Treweeke, Caringbah Sports.....70 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hot Tricks.....	M. Porter, Engadine.....1 M. Elder, Engadine.....1
Wicket Keeping Award.....	Nil
Most Catches.....	S. Iliffe, Caringbah Sports.....21 Caringbah Sports took 77 catches
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. Yardley, Miranda

### BATTING.

#### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	R. Johnson, Cronulla RSL	75.3	1966/67
Most Runs.....	R. Johnson, Cronulla RSL	753	1966/67

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
S. Iliffe	C'bah Sports	73	14	2	317	26.42
M. Elder	Engadine	34	6	2	93	23.08
A. Skelly	St. Patricks	60*	15	2	300	23.07
G. Heffernan	Engadine	42*	8	2	122	20.35
D. Dehaas	Miranda	62*	16	3	230	17.69
M. Hoare	St. Patricks	43	13	1	211	17.58
S. Dolheguy	Sylvania	45	16	5	179	16.30
M. Gorry	Engadine	21	7	1	95	15.95

J. Harris	Miranda	29	17	2	225	15.00
D. Hespe	C'bah Sports	41	13	2	156	14.17
D. Russell	Engadine	15*	5	2	41	13.75
M. Gardiner	Miranda	64	16	1	203	13.53
J. Steed	C'bah Sports	39	13	2	147	13.26
M. Porter	Engadine	12*	4	1	35	11.75
D. Townsend	Sylvania	43	16	2	159	11.30
M. McGaw	Engadine	21*	7	3	59	11.20

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.						
Bowling Average.....	C. Hilzinger, Caringbah Sports	1.6	1959/60			
Most Wickets.....	D. Madeley, Miranda	83	1971/72			
	W. Wishart, Engadine	83	1971/72			

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
G. Heffernan	Engadine	109.5	23	52	212	3.50
G. Treweske	C'bah Sports	172.1	60	70	298	4.25
M. Gardiner	Miranda	147	31	67	318	4.74
D. Townsend	Sylvania	119.4	23	45	270	6.00
J. Steed	C'bah Sports	84	29	35	216	6.17
C. Beak	Engadine	45	3	16	105	6.42
S. Hiffe	C'bah Sports	86.4	20	30	217	7.20
M. Porter	Engadine	46	3	18	129	7.50
J. Harris	Miranda	138.5	42	37	285	7.70
M. Hoare	St. Patricks	91	20	22	207	9.86

#### 10B COMPETITION.

#### "KEITH BATES SHIELD"

Heathcote, who were regarded from 10C Competition after Round 1, ran out winners in an extremely close tussle from 2 other teams--Como and Jannali.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	D.	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Heathcote	3	4	2	2	-	44
Como	2	6	1	2	-	43
Jannali	3	3	2	3	-	42
Sylvania	2	4	1	4	-	39
Caringbah De La Salle	1	2	-	4	4	22
Loftus	-	1	-	4	6	12

Premiers.....	Heathcote
Batting Average.....	G. Anderson, Como..... 38.6
Batting Aggregate.....	G. Anderson, Como..... 386 runs
Bowling Average.....	P. Melov, Heathcote..... 3.4
Most Wickets.....	G. Pilbeam, Jannali..... 67 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hat Tricks.....	Nil
Wicket Keeping Award.....	B. McIntosh, Sylvania
Most Catches.....	I. Nisbatt, Jannali..... 14
	Jannali took 61 catches
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. L. Koellner, Heathcote

#### BATTING.

Association Records.						
Batting Average.....	I. Cranston, Engadine	77.4	1967/68			
Most Runs.....	D. Chamberlain, Miranda	446	1964/65			

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
G. Anderson, Como		87	12	2	386	38.6
G. Gaskell	Heathcote	81*	11	4	219	31.2
R. Vallins	Sylvania	75	10	2	208	26.00

P. Melov	Heathcote	41	7	2	130	26.00
P. Fallins	Jannali	71*	15	4	260	23.64
C. Kenny	Heathcote	37*	9	4	122	22.40
G. Pilbeam	Jannali	44	13	1	180	15.00
R. Sellar	Sylvania	38	12	3	107	11.90
M. Ansell	Loftus	31	18	2	183	11.43

#### BOWLING.

Association Records.						
Bowling Average.....	S. Mason, Cronulla RSL	1.40	1962/63			
Most Wickets.....	D. McAlpine, Sylvania	101	1967/68			

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Runs	Wkts.	Ave.
P. Melov	Heathcote	72	16	135	36	3.4
G. Pilbeam	Jannali	105	17	268	67	4.00
G. Gaskell	Heathcote	75	16	157	34	4.50
G. Anderson	Como	90	24	205	47	4.50
S. Hunt	Sylvania	126.2	22	291	50	5.80
R. Sellar	Sylvania	84	14	230	33	6.90
S. Newcombe	C'bah DLS	42	5	120	17	7.05
C. Kenny	Heathcote	42	6	114	16	7.10
P. Berkley	Como	51	11	160	22	7.20
A. Shields	C'bah DLS	104	21	282	39	7.23
P. Fallins	Jannali	66	10	211	27	7.81
R. Walkon	Como	79	12	202	23	8.80
S. Fieldsen	Loftus	66	9	220	20	11.00

#### 10C COMPETITION.

#### "WALLY CROUCHER CUP"

Engadine, who were undefeated, ran out convincing winners. Good performances from S. Johnson, S. Reynolds, L. Nicholls of Engadine and B. Naylor of Kumell.

CLUB	W.O.	W.1.	D.	Bye	L.1.	L.O.	Pts.
Engadine	2	6	1	2	-	-	47
Kumell	1	4	1	2	2	1	37
Sylvania	-	4	1	2	3	1	33
Gynea Bay	-	3	1	2	4	1	31
Jannali	-	-	-	2	8	1	24

Premiers.....	Engadine
Batting Average.....	L. Nicholls, Engadine..... 25.33
Batting Aggregate.....	B. Dixon, Engadine..... 231 runs
Bowling Average.....	S. Johnson, Engadine..... 1.73
Most Wickets.....	B. Naylor, Kumell..... 42 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hot Tricks.....	C. Taylor, Kumell..... 1
Wicket Keeping Award.....	Nil
Most Catches.....	A. Mulligan, Gynea Bay..... 10 catches
	Engadine and Gynea Bay took 34 catches
Score Book Award.....	Miss H. Johnson, Gynea Bay

#### BATTING.

Association Records.						
Batting Average.....	P. Purvis, Caringbah Sports	66.65	1964/65			
Most Runs.....	C. Burroughs, Caringbah DLS	374	1971/72			

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	H.O.	Runs	Ave.
L. Nicholls	Engadine	51	11	2	228	25.33
B. Dixon	Engadine	51	11	1	211	23.10
S. Johnson	Engadine	57	10	2	183	19.12
B. Grigg	Gynea Bay	40	9	1	139	17.38

B. Naylor	Kumell	34	14	4	167	16.70
T. Shaw	Kumell	28	14	5	125	13.88
S. Reynolds	Engadine	21	9	3	82	13.67
N. Cuddy	Engadine	16	7	3	45	11.25
A. Mulligan	Gynea Bay	29	7	-	76	10.80

#### BOWLING.

##### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	B. Booker, Como	1.22	1967/68
Most Wickets.....	S. King, Cronulla RSL	83	1964/65

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
S. Johnson	Engadine	46	10	33	57	1.73
A. Mulligan	Gynea Bay	56	23	23	71	3.09
B. Naylor	Kumell	77.1	24	42	152	3.60
C. Gray	Jannali	43	5	19	93	4.39
J. Wilson	Gynea Bay	57	13	25	122	4.88
B. Strong	Sylvania	42	17	16	98	5.90
R. Keene	Sylvania	50	8	16	132	8.25

#### 100 COMPETITION. "MIRANDA GLAZING TROPHY"

A good performance by St. Patricks to take out premiership honours, just edging Miranda and Caringbah D.L.S. out of the top spot.

CLUB	W.O.	W.I.	D.	L.I.	L.O.	Pts.
St. Patricks	3	4	2	2	-	44
Miranda	2	5	1	3	-	41
Caringbah De La Salle	1	5	1	4	-	37
Caringbah Sports	1	2	1	6	1	29
North Engadine	-	5	1	2	3	27
Bulldogs	1	1	-	5	4	20

Premiers.....	St. Patricks
Batting Average.....	C. Hunt, St. Patricks..... 26.00
Batting Aggregate.....	M. Way, Caringbah D.L.S..... 206 runs
Bowling Average.....	F. Burrows, Miranda..... 1.78
Most Wickets.....	F. Burrows, Miranda..... 65 wickets
	G. Rose, St. Patricks..... 65 wickets
Centuries.....	Nil
Hat Tricks.....	C. Hunt, St. Patricks..... 1
Wicket Keeping Award.....	Nil
Most Catches.....	M. Way, Caringbah D.L.S..... 12
	Bulldogs took 32 catches
Score Book Award.....	Mrs. E. Lawrence, St. Patricks

#### BATTING.

##### Association Records.

Batting Average.....	J. Lucas, Caringbah Sports	70.6	1971/72
Most Runs.....	J. Lucas, Caringbah Sports	353	1971/72

PLAYER	CLUB	H.S.	Inns.	N.O.	Runs	Ave.
C. Hunt	St. Patricks	45	12	4	182	26.30
M. Way	C'bah DLS	25	18	5	206	15.85
B. Williams	Bulldogs	34	16	1	196	13.01
P. Wells	C'bah DLS	49	14	1	152	11.69
P. Gaebler	Bulldogs	49	16	1	165	11.50
G. Ollerton	Miranda	35	11	2	93	10.30

#### BOWLING.

##### Association Records.

Bowling Average.....	C. Connolly, Cronulla RSL	0.837	1969/70
Most Wickets.....	C. Connolly, Cronulla RSL	86	1969/70

PLAYER	CLUB	Overs	M.	Wkts.	Runs	Ave.
F. Burrows	Miranda	110	59	65	116	1.78
M. Way	C'bah DLS	109.6	29	61	202	3.31
G. Rose	St. Patricks	125	28	65	235	3.61
M. Brown	C'bah DLS	69.3	25	31	129	4.16
B. Williams	Bulldogs	74	25	27	121	4.48
P. Dent	Miranda	51	18	22	100	4.54
P. Gaebler	Bulldogs	82	24	31	148	4.77
C. Abrahams	C'bah Sports	90.5	-	7	197	5.63
C. Hunt	St. Patricks	71	14	29	165	5.69

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR SEASON ENDED 31ST MAY, 1974

RECEIPTS.

Balance at Bank - 31st May, 1973		\$2,355.49
Receipts from Clubs		
Playing fees outstanding 1972/73	\$ 130.00	
Nominations, Playing fees and Insurance 1973/74	3,332.20	3,462.20
Donations		244.03
Representative Photos		49.20
Cricket Dinner proceeds		336.30
Protests and Fines		10.00
Bank Interest		64.28
Social Night proceeds		29.74
		<u>\$6,551.24</u>

PAYMENTS.

Trophies and Engravings 1972/73		\$ 996.45
Representative Games		
Caps	\$289.10	
Gear	220.52	
Umpire Fees	197.50	
Photos	57.60	
Certificates	32.20	796.92
Printing and Stationery		
Annual Report 1972/73	438.00	
Registration Cards	78.20	
Letterheads	23.00	
Gestamer Stationery	75.19	
Minute Book	14.75	
Rule Books	255.00	884.14
Cricket Dinner Expenses		717.67
Pre-season Advertising		31.68
Wreaths		31.00
Score Books		172.50
Petty Cash (Telephones) etc.		59.48
Insurance of Representative Gear		5.65
Publicity		8.80
Protest Fees returned		2.00
Representative Games (Fines)		4.00
Mat Repairs		174.50
Ground Keys		6.20
Social & Presentation Night expenses		172.78
Transfer to Insurance Fund		227.50
N.S.W.J.C.U. (100 teams Reg. fees)		25.00
Honorarium to Committee 1972/73		135.00
Honorarium to Committee 1973/74		137.50
		<u>4,588.77</u>
Balance at Bank - 30th May, 1974		<u>1,962.47</u>
		<u>\$6,551.24</u>

I declare the above Statement and Books, Vouchers, etc. have been checked and found correct, agreeing with Bank Statements.

H. Robbins, Honorary Auditor.

C. Lawton, Honorary Treasurer.

3.6.1974.

PREMIERSHIP WINNERS

SEASON	12 C	12 D	12 E	10 A	10 B	10 C	10 D
1971-72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1972-73	-	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	-	-	-
1973-74	-	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	-	-	-
1974-75	-	-	-	MIR.MAGPIES	-	-	-
1975-76	CRONULLA RSL	-	-	MIR.MAGPIES	CRONULLA RSL (B)	-	-
1976-77	KIRRAKEE	-	-	C'BAH SPORTS	CRONULLA RSL (2)	-	-
1977-78	CRONULLA RSL	-	-	CRONULLA RSL	CRONULLA RSL	-	-
1978-79	TAREN POINT	SUTH-GRAYS PT	-	CRONULLA RSL	JANNALI	CRONULLA RSL	-
1979-80	SYLVANIA	JANNALI	-	CRONULLA RSL	JANNALI	CRONULLA RSL	-
1980-81	CRONULLA RSL (1)	GYMEA BAY	-	MIR.MAGPIES	C'BAH D.L.S.	WORONORA RSL	-
1981-82	WORONORA	ST. PATRICK'S	-	JANNALI	SYLVANIA	COMO	-
1982-83	COMO	C'BAH SPORTS (2)	-	WORONORA RSL	ENGADINE	SYLVANIA (2)	-
1983-84	MIRANDA	C'BAH SPORTS	MIRANDA	SYLVANIA	C'BAH D.L.S.	ST. JOHN BOSCO	CRONULLA RSL
1985-86	SUTH-GRAYS PT	MIRANDA	(No comp.)	C'BAH SPORTS	ENGADINE	MIRANDA	(No comp.)
1987-88	C'BAH SPORTS	MIRANDA	(No comp.)	MIRANDA	ST. PATRICK'S	SYLVANIA	C'BAH SPORTS
1989-90	GYMEA BAY	C'BAH SPORTS	KURNELL	SYLVANIA	C'BAH SPORTS	ENGADINE	ENGADINE
1991-92	GYMEA BAY	MIR.MAGPIES	ENGADINE	ENGADINE	HEATHCOTE	ENGADINE	ST. PATS



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