



# **ENGADINE DRAGONS**

**CRICKET CLUB**



**1991-92  
YEAR BOOK**

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Delegates

ANNUAL PRESENTATION NIGHT

Delegates

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## OFFICE BEARERS FOR 1992/92

### EXECUTIVE

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Alf Lemmon  
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### CLUB APPOINTMENTS, DELEGATES AND OFFICERS

Anzac Youth Centre  
Delegates

Ken Tever

Men's Association  
Delegates

Alf Lemmon, Adrian Vannan,  
Bob Vannan

Boys' Association  
Delegates

John Uebel, Ian McCrea,  
Ross Knowles, Bill Knowles

Newsletter Publication

Val and Ken Tever

Club Recorder

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## HONOUR ROLL

### LIFE MEMBERS

BARRY McMANUS SNR.  
HARRY ROBBINS  
RAY NOAKES Dec'd.  
COL. KEENAN  
MIKE FORDYCE  
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### REPRESENTATIVE CRICKET HONOURS 1991/92

#### FOSTER SHIELD

Troy Glennan (C)  
Timothy Moreland  
Andrew Hine (Res.)  
Tony Gleeson (Coach)

#### W.G. HIGGEE TROPHY

Christopher Lake (C)  
Craig Brownscombe  
Stephen Carlisle  
Fred Lake (Coach)

#### MOORE SHIELD

Darren McCrea  
Daniel McLauchlan

#### E.G. WEBLIN TROPHY

Glen Goodman (VC)  
Brian Somerville  
Jeff Goodman (Coach)

#### SUTHERLAND GRADE PLAYERS

Greg Goodman  
Nathan Morando  
Craig Parsons  
Trent Woodhill



# OFFICE BEARERS FROM 1980 ONWARDS

YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1980-81	R. LOVETT	M. FORDYCE	R. ENTWISTLE
1981-82	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS	R. ENTWISTLE
1982-83	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS	J. RICHARDSON
1983-84	R. LOVETT	H. ROBBINS/ R. WOODHILL	J. RICHARDSON
1984-85	D. STUVE	A. LEMMON/ R. WOODHILL	J. RICHARDSON
1985-86	D. STUVE	A. LEMMON/ R. WOODHILL	J. RICHARDSON
1986-87	R. WADDELL	A. LEMMON/ P. CLOTHIER	J. RICHARDSON
1987-88	R. WADDELL	A. LEMMON/ To Sept. '87 J. THORNTHWAITE	J. RICHARDSON
1988-89	R. WADDELL	A. LEMMON J. THORNTHWAITE/ R. KNOWLES	R. VANNAN
1989-90	A. LEMMON	A. VANNAN/ R. KNOWLES	R. VANNAN
1990-91	K. TEVER	A. VANNAN/ R. KNOWLES	R. VANNAN
1991-92	K. TEVER	A. VANNAN/ J. UEBEL	R. VANNAN

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

1991/1992

So ends our 35th season.

What an enjoyable time it has been, seeing all teams performing much better than last year, placing us in 2nd position in the Junior Club Championship, as against 3rd place last year.

My congratulations to the 12C and 14C teams on winning their Premierships, well done. This performance shows the Dragons are entering a winning period of Shire Cricket.

This year, we have a Senior Club Champion. The last two seasons have seen this trophy remaining on the shelf, but this year, it has been won by a worthy player who conducted himself as an "A" class champion. Well done Greg Heffernan from our A1 side. Greg has been a member of the Dragons for many years, starting in the boys competition, graduating to the mens competition when 16 years old, and has played regularly ever since.

The Junior Club Champion this year is another worthy recipient who has performed well all season and deserves this award. My congratulations to Dean Heslehurst from the 16A team.

The Club Member of the Year is awarded to a person who is well known in the club, but is not seen too much by the cricketers during the season. He is a fellow who works in the background carrying out many activities that are required to keep the club running. He is also our Registrar - Ross Knowles. My congratulations to Ross for a well deserved award.

My congratulations to all the award winners for Batting, Bowling and Fielding and Man of the Match in all teams.



To all the boys who were selected in various Shire representative teams, a big well done. It is only your ability that gets you all there. It was also very pleasing to see that three of our club members were selected to participate in the coaching of these representative sides - Tony Gleeson (Foster Shield), Fred Lake (Gee Trophy) and Jeff Goodman (Webbin Trophy).

In my travels around the grounds, I have seen some very good cricket at various levels and have met many parents and supporters. Some of the games were close encounters and very entertaining. To all the boys who played this season, a well done. To those who didn't make the finals, bad luck, better luck next year.

To the mens teams, so near and yet so far. Better luck next season. My congratulations to the award winners in the four teams.

I must give congratulations to the 10A's. To come from 10C's to 10A's takes some adjusting, particularly for those first time players. To Tony, "The Coach", a very big thank you from the club for helping these youngsters make the transition up the ladder. I am sure they are now better prepared to tackle the higher grade next year.

To all coaches, managers, scorers and helpers, a big thank you for a job well done. Please come back next season.

At this stage, I would like to thank my Executive and Committee for their support during the season. It would be impossible to run the club without these dedicated people, who attend various Association meetings and who carry out all the paper work which never seems to decrease. My thanks again.

My thanks also to our sponsor, Alan Slack from National Mutual Insurance. Hope the advertisement helped in some small way. Please come back again next season.

To my wife Val, and to Vi Noakes, thank you for all the hard work you both undertake year in and year out. Without you both doing what you do, the club would not run as smoothly as it does.

To round off, I have had an enjoyable season seeing all the players "having a go". Let's see more people at the games, and more people attend our monthly meetings. We need new blood, new ideas.

please attend the Annual General Meeting which will be held at the Anzac Oval Complex on 3rd June at 7.30 p.m. We need more people to attend this important meeting to maintain the high standard of the Club in the Shire.

Thank you all for a good year's cricket - see you all next season.

KEN TEVER

#### BOYS SECRETARY REPORT

This season, Engadine Dragons Cricket Club registered six teams, one less than last season, but consistent with the gradual decline in the number of teams playing Junior Cricket in the Shire.

I believe Junior Cricket needs a shot in the arm - maybe an injection of one day games into the season and played on Sundays only, would make it more enjoyable and compete better with rival summer sports.

The quantity of teams might have been down, but the quality of players was up as two teams, John Gore's 12C's and Bob Price's 14C's won their respective Premierships.

Thanks to the Committee, coaches, managers, scorers

and the parents for supporting the boys throughout the season.

A special thanks to Val Tever (News sheet) and Vi Noakes (Recorder) for their valuable contribution to the club.

To all the boys who are finishing with Junior Cricket this year, we wish you well in the future and hope to see you back again in the Senior ranks next year.

All going well, the synthetic practice wickets should be ready for next season.

JOHN UEBEL  
BOYS SECRETARY

#### MENS SECRETARY REPORT

1991/92 was a very successful season, even though we did not win any Premierships.

The B1 team finished second, which is the third season in a row this team has been in the final. The A1 team finished third, after leading for some weeks during the season. The B2 team also led for some time and finished fifth. The C1 team were competitive all season, also finishing fifth out of nine teams, rather than seven as in all other grades.

Congratulations to all the trophy winners and a special congratulations to Greg Heffernan, who is the Senior Club Champion. This award has not been given the last two seasons because of a lack of quality performances.

I hope to see these good performances continue next season and I also hope everybody enjoys their cricket.

ADRIAN VANNAN  
MENS SECRETARY

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Congratulations to the 12C and 14C teams for their Premiership wins, the B1 team for being Runners-Up and other teams for the way they all played this season.

The Committee managed to keep the playing fees for the season the same as for the previous two seasons, but we will make a loss this year and will have to offset this by again taking funds from the small reserve left over from our previous fund-gathering helpers, the Ladies Committee and the people who worked on the raffles at Engadine Hotel back in 1986/87.

Thanks to the foresight of our Property Manager, Bill Knowles, we again have enough good equipment to start us off next season.

Thanks also to the many people who have helped to make my job easier and to the many people who helped our club to function.

BOB VANNAN



CLUB AWARDS - 1991/92

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

(The Ron Dudman Trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to a club member, who gives freely of his/her time and energies in supporting the club in its activities.

RECIPIENT:

ROSS KNOWLES

SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION

(The Les Johnson Trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to the senior player considered to have displayed outstanding form during the season as a batsman, bowler, all-rounder or wicket keeper.

RECIPIENT:

GREG HEFFERNAN

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET

(A club annual trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to a junior player playing his first season in men's cricket and displaying a high level of skill, ability and potential.

RECIPIENT:

NO AWARD MADE

BOYS CLUB CHAMPION

(The Joe Weymouth Trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to a senior player in the junior association competition, who has performed meritoriously for the club, usually at a high level of skill in A or B grade, and by results has shown himself to be an outstanding prospect.

RECIPIENT:

DEAN HESLEHURST

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TOP BOYS CLUB BATSMAN

(The Peter Schiller Trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to a junior player, who by results has shown himself to be an outstanding batsman. In deciding this award, the Committee takes into consideration the grade at which the batsman has performed.

RECIPIENT:

DEAN HESLEHURST

TOP BOYS CLUB BOWLER

(The Peter Schiller Trophy)

Criteria: The criteria here matches that of Top Boys Club Batsman, with bowling skill substituting for batting.

RECIPIENT:

BRIAN SOMERVILLE

TOP BOYS CLUB WICKET KEEPER

(The George Beames Memorial Trophy)

Criteria: Similar to that of the two preceding categories.

RECIPIENT:

ALAN BIDDLE

TOP BOYS UNDER 16 BATSMAN

(The Ken Johnson Trophy)

Criteria: The U16 batsmen scoring the most runs in a season are considered for this award. Consideration favours batsmen playing in the A Grade competition.

RECIPIENT:

DEAN HESLEHURST

RAY NOAKES MEMORIAL TROPHY

Criteria: This award is given to a player in U16's who shows potential as a player and also well demonstrates good

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sportsmanship, team behaviour and club loyalty, and receives no other award.

RECIPIENT:

ANTHONY ELLIS

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

(The Lance Bartlett Trophy)

Criteria: A young player who in his first year ever of cricket performs meritoriously and shows potential.

RECIPIENT:

MICHAEL CALLANDER  
12C

WICKET KEEPER ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

(A club annual trophy)

Criteria: A young player who by his efforts shows potential as a 'keeper and is worthy of encouragement.

RECIPIENT:

TROY GLENNAN

THE MOST IMPROVED TEAM

(The Alan Wishart Memorial Trophy)

Criteria: Awarded to the team which on results shows improvement in the second half of the competition relative to the first half. Special consideration is given to lower graded and younger teams.

RECIPIENT:

10A TEAM

COACH: TONY GLEESON

THE ROBERT TICKNER SPORTS ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

Criteria: An award for a junior player, not in receipt of any other award, who through his efforts shows keenness and potential and as such, is worthy of "sports encouragement".

RECIPIENT:

GRAHAM PRICE

# SENIOR CLUB CHAMPION AWARDS - THE LES JOHNSON TROPHY

1980-81	C. Alewood	1986-87	A. Lovett
1981-82	S. Wearne	1987-88	D. Perritt
1982-83	G. Heffernan	1988-89	C. Tever
1983-84	J. Richardson	1989-90	No award
1984-85	I. Cranston	1990-91	No award
1985-86	M. Price	1991-92	G. Heffernan

# JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION AWARDS - THE JOE WEYMOUTH TROPHY

1980-81	D. Russell	1986-87	T. Woodhill
1981-82	P. Bland	1987-88	N. Morando
1982-83	J. Westlake	1988-89	N. Morando
1983-84	T. Woodhill	1989-90	G. Goodman
1984-85	C. Parsons	1990-91	G. Goodman
1985-86	C. Parsons	1991-92	D. Heslehurst

# CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARDS - THE RON DUDMAN TROPHY

1980-81	S. Messiter	1986-87	(D. Weir
1981-82	A. Vannan		(A. Hitchings
1982-83	P. Meddings	1987-88	J. Richardson
1983-84	S. Clinch	1988-89	No Award
1984-85	R. Lovett	1989-90	Mrs. V. Tever
1985-86	R. Jaddell	1990-91	R. Vannan
		1991-92	R. Knowles

# OUTSTANDING JUNIOR IN MEN'S CRICKET AWARD ENGADINE DRAGONS CRICKET CLUB TROPHY

1980-81	C. Berry	1986-87	R. Long
1981-82	P. Bland	1987-88	M. Faust
1982-83	G. Hickey	1988-89	K. Parsons
1983-84	G. Nelson	1989-90	J. Crimlisk
1984-85	J. Westlake	1990-91	No Award
1985-86	T. Woodhill	1991-92	No Award

# TOP BOYS CLUB BATSMAN AWARDS - THE PETER SCHILLER TROPHY

1981-82	R. Langston	1986-87	N. Morando
1982-83	G. Phillips	1987-88	N. Morando
1983-84	N. Morando	1988-89	N. Morando
1984-85	B. Thornthwaite	1989-90	G. Goodman
1985-86	C. Parsons	1990-91	C. Lake
		1991-92	D. Heslehurst

# TOP BOYS CLUB BOWLER AWARDS - THE PETER SCHILLER TROPHY

1981-82	J. Westlake	1986-87	N. Morando
1982-83	P. Brosnan	1987-88	N. Morando
1983-84	M. Gleeson	1988-89	N. Morando
1984-85	M. Gleeson	1989-90	J. Crimlisk
1985-86	N. Morando	1990-91	A. Jones
		1991-92	B. Somerville

# TOP UNDER 16 BATSMAN AWARDS - THE KEN JOHNSON TROPHY

1980-81	D. Russell	1986-87	C. Ballard
1981-82	P. Bland	1987-88	S. Steeles
1982-83	J. Westlake	1988-89	N. Morando
1983-84	G. MacDonald	1989-90	G. Goodman
1984-85	B. Thornthwaite	1990-91	G. Goodman
1985-86	C. Parsons	1991-92	G. Heslehurst

# TOP BOYS CLUB WICKET KEEPER AWARDS THE GEORGE BEAMES MEMORIAL TROPHY

1981-82	A. Lovett	1986-87	G. Goodman
1982-83	G. Nelson	1987-88	D. Stewart
1983-84	B. Stuve	1988-89	G. Goodman
1984-85	B. Thornthwaite	1989-90	G. Goodman
1985-86	C. Ballard	1990-91	G. Goodman
		1991-92	A. Biddle



# WICKET KEEPER ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

1982-83	T. Yule	1987-88	A. Preston
1983-84	G. Goodman	1988-89	B. Lofthouse
1984-85	M. Miller	1989-90	S. Slack
1985-86	D. Hine	1990-91	T. Glennan
1986-87	D. Stewart	1991-92	T. Glennan

# RAY NOAKES MEMORIAL TROPHY

1990-91	A. Mackrell	1991-92	A. Ellis
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# ROOKIE OF THE YEAR AWARDS - THE LANCE BARTLETT TROPHY

1982-83	C. McGuirk	1988-89	M. Croft/
1983-84	C. Handley		E. Mannell
1984-85	B. Cox	1989-90	B. Berryman
1985-86	D. Jones	1990-91	K. Stewart
1986-87	J. Zabaras	1991-92	M. Callander

# THE MOST IMPROVED TEAM AWARDS

## THE ALAN WISHART MEMORIAL TROPHY

1982-83	10C	Coach:	G. Goodman
1983-84	14E	Coach:	J. Cox
1984-85	14D (2)	Coaches:	P. Clothier and R. Waddell
1985-86	14C	Coaches:	P. Clothier and R. Waddell
1986-87	12D	Coach:	G. Phillips
1987-88	14E	Coach:	M. Good
1988-89	16A	Coach:	S. Morando
1989-90	10C	Coach:	J. Normand
1990-91	12D	Coach:	R. Price
1991-92	10A	Coach:	T. Gleeson

# OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCES - BOYS JUNIOR CRICKET

## BATTING

Runs in excess of 200

BATSMAN	TEAM	AGGREGATE	AVERAGE	SCORE 50 +
Dean Heslehurst	16A	412	68.66	79 105* 114*
Alan Biddle	16A	233	38.83	52 64
Michael Cameron	16C	201	20.1	51 66
Christopher Lake	14A	411	68.5	118 96 80
Daniel McLauchlan	14A	266	38.0	74 86 75
Gavin Cato	14C	200	28.57	93*

## CENTURIES

Dean Heslehurst	16A	105 n.o.	114 n.o.
Christopher Lake	14A	118	
Kevin Stewart	12C	115 n.o.	



# BOWLING

## Wickets in Excess of 15

BOowler	TEAM	WICKETS	RUNS	AVERAGE
Adam Mackrell	16A	18	191	10.61
Brian Somerville	16C	39	207	5.31
Daniel Cale	16C	19	216	11.37
Travis Hoe	16C	19	216	11.37
Darren Hockey	14C	19	157	8.26
Troy Bonnitcha	14C	16	127	7.94
Kevin Stewart	12C	30	100	3.33
Lee Wilson	12C	13	112	6.22
Brad Berryman	12C	16	75	4.69

## DOUBLE HAT TRICK

Brian Somerville 16C 6 for 2

## 5 WICKETS OR MORE IN AN INNINGS

Adam Mackrell 16A 6 for 6  
 Bradley Glennan 16A 5 for 28  
 Brian Somerville 16C 6 for 2  
 5 for 9  
 5 for 6  
 Daniel Cale 16C 5 for 48  
 Troy Bonnitcha 14C 5 for 20  
 Kevin Stewart 12C 5 for 10  
 6 for 13  
 Brad Berryman 12C 5 for 3  
 Lee Wilson 12C 6 for 17

# LEADING INDIVIDUAL CATCHING PERFORMANCES JUNIOR

## 11 Catches

Stewart Tiley 16C

## 10 Catches

Alan Biddle 16A

## 9 Catches

Brendan Lofthouse 16C

## 8 Catches

Dean Conn 12C

## 7 Catches

Trent Moore 16C  
 Travis Hoe 16C  
 Darren McCrea 14A  
 Gavin Cato 14C  
 Anthony Bevan 12C

## 6 Catches

Brian Somerville 16C  
 Neil Anscombe 16A  
 Brad Collins 12C  
 Lee Wilson 12C

## TEAM CATCHING PERFORMANCES

Team	No. of Catches
16A	43
16C	60
14A	27
14C	29
12C	55
10C/10A	18

# BOYS TEAM RESULTS FOR THE 1991/92 SEASON

## CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

1st	Caringbah Sports	118.8
2nd	Engadine Dragons	108.8
3rd	Gymea	90.4
4th	Illawong	84.0
5th	Como/Jannali	72.4
6th	St. Patricks	69.0
7th	Marton	65.25

## INDIVIDUAL TEAM PLACINGS

16A	...	3rd	14C	...	1st
16C	...	3rd	12C	...	1st
14A	...	3rd	10C/A	...	4th

# MEN'S PREMIERSHIP WINNING TEAMS SINCE THE FORMATION OF A SENIOR COMPETITION IN OUR CLUB IN 1967-68 SEASON

1967-68	A2
1968-69	A1
1969-70	A1, B3
1970-71	A1
1971-72	Nil
1972-73	B4
1973-74	A1, B3
1974-75	Nil
1975-76	Nil
1976-77	A3
1977-78	A1, B4
1978-79	A1, B3, C2
1979-80	B4, C2
1980-81	Nil
1981-82	A1, B2
1982-83	B4, B6
1983-84	Nil
1984-85	A2, B2
1985-86	B1, B6
1986-87	Nil
1987-88	Nil
1988-89	Nil
1989-90	Nil
1990-91	Nil
1991-92	Nil

BOYS PREMIERSHIP WINNING TEAMS SINCE THE FORMATION  
OF THE CRICKET CLUB IN THE

1957-58 SEASON

1957-64	Nil
1965-66	14B
1966-67	Nil
1967-68	14B
1968-69	10B
1969-70	12A
1970-71	14D; 12A, 10B
1971-72	16B; 14A
1972-73	10C; 10D
1973-74	12A, 12E, 10A, 10C
1974-75	12C
1975-76	14B, 14D, 12A, 10B
1976-77	16C; 14B, 14C, 10A
1977-78	16A, 10C
1978-79	16A, 12A, 10A
1979-80	Nil
1980-81	14B, 14D, 12A
1981-82	16B(1), 14B, 10D
1982-83	12D
1983-84	Nil
1984-85	Nil
1985-86	10D
1986-87	Nil
1987-88	14A, 14C
1988-89	Nil
1989-90	Nil
1990-91	Nil
1991-1992	14C, 12C

PLAYER OF THE ROUND AWARDS

1991-92

Round 1	{ Kevin Stewart	12C
	{ Brian Somerville	16C
2	Lee Wilson	12C
3	Gavin Cato	14C
4	Dean Haslehurst	16A
5	Christopher Lake	14A
6	Troy Glennan	10A
7	Timothy Moreland	10A
8	Brad Berryman	12C
9	Adam Mackrell	16A
10	Kieran Bernie	14C



## JUNIOR TEAM REPORTS

### 16A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - ALL ROUNDER: ALAN BIDDLE  
BATTING: DEAN HASLEHURST  
BOWLING: ADAM MACKRELL  
FIELDING: DAVID HINE  
COACH'S: BRAD GLENNAN

The 91/92 season could best be described as "frustrating". Although we finished 3rd in the competition, we were involved in 3 drawn matches, the first when defending 231 runs against St. Patricks and the latter two against Gynea Bay and Caringbah Sports when chasing moderate totals. All three games were washed out on the second Saturday.

Frustrations aside, the boys performed splendidly during the remaining matches, suffering only 2 losses (rounds 2 and 3) and winning 5 matches. As all but two of the boys were in their final year of junior cricket, I would like to take this opportunity to wish them all the best in their future cricketing careers.

The following is a brief resume of each boys' season.

DAVID HINE: The team captain, who enjoyed only moderate success with the bat, but led by example in the field and handled his bowlers and fieldsmen very professionally.

ADAM MACKRELL: The leading wicket taker with 18 wickets, who bowled his off spinners very accurately and apart from one innings of 52 runs, would rather not be reminded of his batting efforts.

DAVID CLISSOLD: Bowled his left arm leg spinners very accurately and economically, and was rewarded with 10 wickets. Had a mixed season with the bat, although his opportunities were limited.

BRAD GLENNAN: Can be well satisfied with his season's efforts. Opened the batting with reasonable success and towards the season's end, bowled his leg spinners successfully, snaring 10 wickets in all.

BEAU KNOWLES: Played only half the season due to work commitments after the Christmas break. Had little chance to impress with his batting due to lack of opportunities.

ADAM JONES: After a slow start to the season, he bowled impressively on several occasions capturing 10 wickets for the season. Only batted 3 times during the season and did so with gritty determination.

TRENT STEWART: A very disappointing season for Trent, although he managed to show a glimpse of his potential in the last round. Available for Under 16's again next year, he will no doubt have benefited from his experience.

GLEN GOODMAN: The other first year boy who showed he will be a force to be reckoned with next year. He played a couple of gritty mature innings during the season to be the 3rd highest runscore with 121 runs.

ALAN BIDDLE: Enjoyed a most successful season with 10 catches and 4 stumpings behind the wickets and several hard hitting innings, which produced 233 runs with a top score of 64.

PAUL McDONOUGH: Another successful all rounder who captured 11 wickets and scored 117 runs which could, with better concentration, have been a considerably higher aggregate.

DEAN HASLEHURST: Scored a mammoth 412 runs at 68.66, including consecutive scores of 114 not out, 79 run out and 115 not out. Showed concentration and maturity beyond his years and managed to capture 6 wickets as a bonus.



NEIL ANSCOMBE: Bowled with fire on most occasions and was not always rewarded with the success he deserved. Only batted on three occasions with moderate success, but had a very strong arm and a safe pair of hands in the field.

DON STEWART

### 16C TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - ALL ROUNDER: BRIAN SOMERVILLE  
BATTING: MICHAEL CAMERON  
BOWLING: DAVID CALE  
FIELDING: TRENT MOORE  
COACH'S: GLENN EAGLES

A very good all round team effort this season saw this team of fine young men almost achieve their target of reaching the final. Unfortunately the weather in the game against Seagulls brought them undone to cheat them out of the required points needed to put them in a position to challenge for the championship.

5 wins (2 outright), 1 very exciting tie, 1 draw and 3 very unlucky losses saw them finish on 40 points, which was 2 short of what was necessary to make the final, which I might add, they could have won.

Every player can be proud of the team's achievements this year and the Club can be very proud of their attitude, both on and off the field. They, at all times, maintained a fine team and club spirit that was a pleasure to behold.

The team would like to thank all the parents for their wholehearted support throughout the season, with special mention to Adam for coaching the boys, our scorer Angela Somerville, and Mick Eagles who umpired when Adam needed a break.

BRIAN SOMERVILLE: Brian was one of our opening bowlers, taking the most wickets, 39 at an average of 5.3. He also had the distinction of taking a so-called double hat trick of 4 wickets with 4 balls in the first game of the season. Brian started the season off very well with the bat scoring two half centuries in the first two games, however he failed to carry on this good form in the later games, even though he batted very well to score a total of over 140 runs for the season. He also took 6 catches in the field. A fine all round effort.

DANIEL CALE: Daniel is another one of those very gifted all rounders, who can manage to be involved in every part of the game of cricket. He is a pretty good medium pacer or leg spinner, taking 19 wickets for the season. He also scored about 140 runs with the bat and took 2 catches. A fine team effort Daniel.

MICHAEL CAMERON: Michael is an excellent all round cricketer, who this year scored over 200 runs with the bat, took 13 wickets with the ball and 3 fine catches in the field. A very consistent effort that was maintained throughout the season in all facets of his game, and it is hoped he carries his form into next year, if he decides to play again in 1993.

TRENT MOORE: Trent had a pretty good season with the bat scoring nearly 150 runs very quickly off some thumping left hand shots. He is also a brilliant slips fieldman, taking some spectacular catches that surely must not have been seen until the ball was in his hands. With a little work on his bowling, Trent could become a fine all round cricketer, even though he is now an asset to any team he plays in. Carry on the good work in 1993 Trent.

GLENN EAGLES: Here we have one of the finest team players a coach could ever want in his team. Glenn gives 100% effort in everything he does, whether it be batting, bowling or fielding. His team spirit showed in the last game of the season when he got out of his sick bed



to try to help his team reach the finals. A great year Glenn in your last year in Juniors.

ANTHONY ELLIS: This was Anthony's last season in Junior cricket and he went out on a pretty high note. Anthony scored 125 runs and shared the wicket keeping job to take 1 stumping and 5 catches. With this being Anthony's second year in the 16's, he had a steady influence over the rest of the boys and when he captained the team, he did a fine job. Good luck in the future Anthony and hope you stay with the cricket.

PETER BURNS: Peter is our quiet achiever. He opened the batting most of the season and although he didn't score a lot of runs, he valued his wicket and stayed in for some time on many occasions. Peter is a very reliable fieldman and he took an important catch against Cronulla Seagulls. A team player and an asset to his coach, and lets his actions do the talking.

TRAVIS HOE: There is usually a clown in every show and Travis is our "Team Clown", but in a likeable way. He bought a lot of his wickets (19) by clowning around and conning the batsmen with his antics. He scored over 130 runs and when in particular playing against Gynea he scored 76 runs. The Gynea team were giving him heaps saying "Give us a catch Travis" and he was heard to say "wait your turn" leaving his own batting partner in fits of laughter. A good season Travis also in fielding with 6 classic catches plus one catch for the opposition when he subbed for them. Onya Trav!

STUART TILEY: Stuart took 11 catches during the season. Enough said for his brilliant fielding. He took 10 wickets and scored 140 runs, and even had a spell behind the stumps. An all rounder in the true sense. Unfortunately, this is Stuart's last year in Juniors and we wish him every success if he continues with the Seniors. A pleasure to coach and an asset to any team.

BEN TAYLOR: Ben is the most stylish opening bowler and very fast, but unfortunately had to contend with a bad

back during the season, which hampered his efforts. Ben took 9 fine wickets and deserved every one of them, plus 1 catch in the field. Ben is not a batsman (by his own short sighted admission), but he's a trier in all facets of the game. A good year Ben, hope next season is every better.

ADAM ER: Adam had a fine season and as a lower order batsman scored over 30 runs with 4 not outs, valuing his wicket at all times. Adam didn't bowl a great deal, however he took 4 wickets when he did bowl and 4 fine catches. Adam has the potential to be a great batsman given the chances. A great season Adam.

BRENDAN LOFTHOUSE: Last but not least Brendan, probably the hardest hitter in the team, when he keeps his head down, scored 36 runs at number 10 bat and fielded brilliantly taking 9 catches. Probably not Brendan's best year, however, he always gave his best and supported his team well. Brendan has the potential and enthusiasm to be a fine batsman and wicket keeper with a little work on his techniques. Keep up the good work in 1993.

JUDY LOFTHOUSE  
Manager

### 14A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS	-	ALL ROUNDER:	CHRISTOPHER LAKE
		BATTING:	DANIEL M. LAUCLAN
		BOWLING:	CRAIG BROWNSCOMBE
		FIELDING:	DARREN McOREA
		COACH'S:	SCOTT THOMPSON

A season which could be described as a little unlucky for the team. The statistics show 4 wins, 3 draws and 3 losses. Bad weather prevented 3 certain wins and 2 of our losses occurred when some of our best players were at metropolitan trials. Still, the team managed to finish 3rd and could have proven a very dangerous opponent for Caringbah Sports in the final.



Special features of the season were Chris Lake's and Daniel McLauchlan's batting, Darren Price's power-house batting displays, Darren McCrea's exoress bowling and Scott Thompson's improvement as a front line bowler and all rounder. The fielding was consistent with an "A" grade team, although some dropped catches early in the season cost the team dearly.

Special thank you to John Uebel for his management skills and timely advice, and Alan Brownscombe for a faultless job as scorer.

DANIEL McLAUCLAN (Captain): Exceptional all round cricketer, consistent batsman, left hand fast or spin bowler and brilliant fieldsman. Daniel's batting was very consistent with a number of scores over fifty. His bowling was always first class and he has added left hand orthodox spin to his many talents. Represented Sutherland in the Moore Shield (finalist) this season.

CHRIS LAKE (Vice Captain): Exceptional all round cricketer, brilliant batsman, right hand medium/fast bowler, brilliant fieldsman. Chris' batting was as usual in a class of its own, included in his batting displays was one century and a 93. His bowling developed swing this season, especially outswing and troubled all batsmen. Represented Sutherland in the Gee Shield (Premiers) this season.

DARREN MCCREA: Top order batsman, right hand fast bowler and brilliant fieldsman. Darren's bowling greatly improved this season and he has developed into a fine opening bowler. Darren's batting this season was disappointing and he is capable of scoring very high scores if the concentration is there. Represented Sutherland in the Moore Shield (finalist) this season.

CRAIG BROWNSCOMBE: Top order batsman, right hand bowler and good fieldsman. Craig did not have as successful a season as he usually does. His batting opportunities

were limited although the big scores did come towards the end of the season. His bowling as usual, accurate and consistently of a high standard. Represented Sutherland in the Gee Shield (Premiers) this season.

DARREN PRICE: "Crowd pleasing" batsman, right hand fast bowler, excellent fieldsman. A major success story season with some awesome powerhouse batting displays, good bowling and some excellent wicket returns. Darren held his own in "A" grade and should always consider himself an "A" player.

GREG UEBEL: Reliable middle order batsman, good right hand medium bowler and excellent fieldsman especially at square leg. A great team player, Greg again bowled consistently and late in the season developed more pace and bounce, and should do very well next season. Greg does need to develop his defensive batting technique a bit more, to be able to score the runs he is capable of.

SCOTT THOMPSON: Punishing right hand batsman, deceptive right hand bowler and good fieldsman. Scott filled in as wicket keeper and did a fine job. Late in the season gave some outstanding performances with both bat and ball. Scott does underestimate his cricketing ability and has a lot of potential if he is prepared to work hard at it.

STEPHEN CARLISLE: Right hand batsman, right hand medium bowler, consistent fieldsman. Stephen had limited opportunities this season, however he did pick up wickets and has a lot of potential. Certain to be a success in his second year in the U14 grade. Represented Sutherland in the Gee Shield (Premiers) this season.

EVAN GANNELL: Left hand batsman, right hand bowler and excellent fieldsman. Evan had an unlucky season with injury and only played a handful of games. As usual, he was our most enthusiastic player and hardest worker at practice. His bowling was consistent and his



batting is starting to develop a bit more power. If ever a player deserves success, it is Evan.

ADAM GALAS: Right hand batsman, right hand bowler and consistent fieldsman. Adam had limited opportunities this season, however, he was used as an opening batsman on occasions because of his defensive technique. He is also a very deceptive bowler and is another player who should be a success next season.

AARON PALMER: Right hand batsman, right hand bowler and good fieldsman. Aaron was our second wicket keeper during the season and handled the job well. His batting was always powerful and he figured in a number of good partnerships. Another good trainer at practice and deserves the success that comes his way.

CHRIS EYRON: Left hand batsman, right hand bowler and good fieldsman. Chris' batting was very consistent especially early in the season. His bowling was accurate and his attitude to training was excellent. Another player who should do well next season.

IAN McCREA

#### 14C TEAM REPORT

AWARD LINERS - ALL ROUNDER: DARREN HOCKEY  
BATTING: KIERAN BERNIE  
BOWLING: TROY BONNITCHA  
FIELDING: ASHLEY FRASER  
COACH'S: GAVIN CATO

What a fantastic season for a talented bunch of boys who performed well right from the first game, scoring 5 wins (2 outright), 2 draws and only 2 losses and with a bit of luck and effort, we could have won them also. A season where the older boys shone and the younger less experienced boys backed them up all the way

making it a very rewarding season for them all. It was not an easy competition as the final points tally showed, and the fact that they had to win their last round game outright showed this team wanted to win.

Some of the boys didn't get an opportunity to show their skills, but their turn will come next season. Every boy should be proud of his effort throughout the season and in winning the competition, defeating Sports who fought all the way in a game worthy of a final.

Thanks fellas for a very rewarding season for me also. Well done.

Special thanks must go to Alan Slack, our Manager come scorer for all his efforts and to the parents for all their help also. My thanks to Helmut Baggeler helping out with the umpiring and at practice.

Congratulations also to the 12C's on their great win.

MATTHEW BAGGELER: With very limited opportunities this season, Matthew applied himself well and did everything asked of him. Taking some fine catches and four wickets contributed well to his team.

TROY BONNITCHA: "Whoosh" had his usual season with the bat, not being able to contain himself, but it was his bowling where he really shone. Troy nabbed 16 wickets this season including 5 in one innings, to take out the Bowling award. That's before he busted his wrist. Next time wait until the season's finished before you have a break. Well done Troy.

TREVOR HUNGERFORD: Trevor also shone in the fielding department as he did last season, but was also restricted in his opportunities with bat and ball. Nonetheless a fine effort from this little eager beaver.

SCOTT LEACH: Unfortunately Scott did not finish the season with us. A fine opening bat and a very handy



bowler. We hope to see Scott next season.

STUART SLACK: A stylish and competent batsman, Stuart had a good season getting 99 runs and also taking 6 wickets. The talker of the team and not lacking in confidence, always put in 100% effort, Stuart will keep on improving.

MARK SUTTON: Another with very limited opportunities this season. Mark when given the chance made some fine contributions to the team. With more practice, he will develop further. Well done Mark.

ASHLEY FRASER: A great season with the ball saw Ashley claim 12 wickets with his accurate arm, so accurate that he bowled some 21 maidens. No "slouch" with the bat, he managed over 30 runs with a top score of 45 in one game when most needed. Ashley's strong arm and safe hands made many batsmen think twice about their runs and earned him the Fielding award.

DANIEL JACKWITZ: Daniel was our wicket keeper this season and although it was an up and down season for him, he never complained. His batting was the big improver hitting the ball much harder and reaching double figures in the few innings he did bat. Through his dedication and commitment, Daniel is a delight to coach. Top effort Daniel.

GAVIN CATO (Captain): Had a great season scoring over 200 runs including a 93 not out, as well as taking 8 wickets with some fine bowling spells. His determination and dedication to the game is 100%. Taking 7 catches along with his captaincy skills showed he is an all round cricketer. His efforts were rewarded by getting the Coach's award. Well done Gavin.

GRAHAM PRICE: Another with limited opportunities, Graham in his 5 innings had 4 not outs, showing he has matured in his batting and values his wicket. His not out innings were all in double figures, which gave him the best batting average of the team and with more opportunity next season, will go well.

JAMES SHORTT: After missing a few early games, James did well with limited opportunities. He did well with the bat making 70 runs and with some fine bowling took 7 wickets. A safe pair of hands and an accurate arm made James an all rounder with plenty of potential. Great season James.

KIERAN BERNIE: Having followed this fella for a couple of seasons now, it is very pleasing to see Kieran improve with every game and take out the Batting award. Opening the batting, Kieran made over 170 runs and took 7 wickets. He puts everything into his fielding and catching and is willing to listen and learn. I am sure he will go on and succeed in his future cricket.

DARREN HOCKEY: I don't know who was the most nervous each game, Darren or his Coach. In a fine effort this season, Darren was the highest wicket taker with 19 and our opening bat scoring over 180 runs, with his highest score being 61. A worthy winner of the All Rounder award, Darren always tried and gave 100% and is a talented all rounder. Excellent effort Darren.

BOB PRICE

### 12C TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - ALL ROUNDER: KEVIN STEWART  
BATTING: BRAD BERRYMAN  
BOWLING: MICHAEL CALLANDER  
FIELDING: DEAN CONN  
COACH'S: JEREMY VICKERS

A diverse bunch of boys, half who had not played before, were to learn that playing as a team and supporting each other would be the key to a premiership. There were some great individual performances, but all who watched the 12C's would comment on the level of concentration on the field, enthusiasm and mutual support which led to excellent catching and fielding for ever-improving bowling. This excellence took pressure off



the batting and allowed each boy to grow in confidence. Although no match was lost, the 12C's almost missed the final. The rain affected matches worked against the team. An error on my part with the number of overs for one bowler in a rain-shortened match, saw 8 points deducted and the team in third position going into the last round. Only an outright win would guarantee a spot in the final. Another excellent bowling performance saw the opposition fall for 53 and at stumps on day one we were 4-29. Day two saw the score move to 4-58 and a declaration. Knowing what had to be done, the team rose to the occasion with accurate and penetrative bowling and some brilliant catching to dismiss the opposition for just 23 and leave themselves fifty minutes to force a great outright result.

The rest is history. In the final, we won the toss and the bowling was just too tight and the fielding too skilful for Gymer, who batted until the fiftieth over when they were all out for just 73. The record opening wicket partnership of 44 led the team to victory, eventually scoring 134 from their fifty overs.

Many thanks must go to Ross Knowles who coached the boys each Wednesday, Raylene Ring for scoring and all the parents who were enthusiastic and as well disciplined in support as their sons were on the field.

To the players, well done, congratulations, a thoroughly deserved victory. A great team effort.

ANTHONY BEVAN: Developed as a batsman to play several important innings at the end of the season to get the team to and win the final. A good pair of hands resulted in a number of sharp close-to-the-wicket catches.

BRAD BERRYMAN: Played a number of long, high scoring innings to enable the team to post big first innings scores. Winner of the Batting award. Bowled well throughout the season and bagged some big hauls of wickets in a few matches.

MICHAEL CALLANDER: In his first year of cricket,

continued to improve in both batting and bowling. Able to bowl with pace and swing, he not only increasingly took wickets but was very difficult to score from. A hard hitter of the ball, some really big scores are about to happen. Took some great catches.

BRAD COLLINS: Batted well and showed the maturity to play longer innings towards the end of the season. A fine fieldsman who took a number of catches close to the wicket. Will be a strong player in the under 12's next season.

DEAN CONN: The most improved bowler in the team. His pace and accuracy will be a thorn in any team in the 12's next season. A reliable pair of hands saw a catch taken in every match to win the Fielding award.

MICHAEL GORE: Played a number of long innings to help the team build big totals as seen in his name appearing in six of the ten partnership records. Took some wickets with his spinners and three spectacular first slip catches in the one innings to help the team into the final.

LINCOLN HUNT: Kept wickets well throughout the season and took a number of fine catches. Showed a lot of potential with the bat and produced some good innings in difficult circumstances to give the team a strong start.

RYAN IYALOO: Played with great enthusiasm and improved in all aspects of the game. Will benefit from the experience and show improvement next season.

JAMES RING: Saved the team from defeat in round two with an unbroken partnership of 44 with Michael Gore when the team was 8-66 chasing 101. Bowled his deceptive right arm round the wicket balls effectively to take some wickets.

KEVIN STEWART: A season to remember for a great all



rounder. Bowled left arm over with swing and cut to capture lots of bags of wickets. His bowling will cause havoc in the 12's next season. Some fine hard hitting batting performances gave the team some big scores.

ANDREW TILLET: A fine batting technique was dogged by bad luck. There are a lot of runs around the corner for this fine cricketer. Consistent bowling and excellent catching make him a valuable team player.

JEREMY VICKERS: A strong batsman with second highest aggregate who was willing to sacrifice his wicket for quick runs and the team score. Kept wickets effectively and motivated the team with strong supportive comments and encouragement.

LEE WILSON: A gifted sportsman who on his day could bowl out any side. Played several fine innings towards the end of the season and was athletic in the field effecting a number of run-outs. Lots of potential still to be unleashed.

JOHN GORE

#### 10A TEAM REPORT

AWARD WINNERS - ALL ROUNDER: TIM MORELAND  
BATTING: TROY GLENNAN  
BOWLING: DANE HUNT  
FIELDING: TIM CUTLER  
COACH'S: LUKE STEVENS

The year started off with a few hard training sessions before the season's start. Tony and I saw some potential here for the makings of a very good team, but we feared we would be graded A grade, as we had 4 A grade experienced players. Fortunately, we started off in C's, where we annihilated our first 3 opponents. Our players were really improving well. The

Association thought we were too good for this grade, and promoted us to A grade.

This was a big jump for a lot of the boys and it wasn't made any easier as our first game was to be against the eventual competition winners, Caringbah. We put up a good fight, but went down. We also lost our next game, but on a pocket calculator. Our next game was against the then competition leaders, Gymea, and they didn't know what hit them, as our opening bowlers ripped through the side, bowling them out within the hour. We didn't lose another game after that until round nine and were in second position, but unfortunately lost our last two games, finishing a respectable fourth.

The team consisted of the following players. All statistics include C grade.

NATHAN ALTERATOR: Nathan was the smallest player on the field in the Shire, but had the biggest heart. If we had a team full of Nathans, we would win a lot more games because of his enthusiasm and keenness to improve his game. His batting, bowling and fielding all improved during the season and at training, showed some potential as a wicket keeper. 10 runs, 2 catches.

MATHEW BARNES: His early season form with both bat and ball was quite good, but up in A grade he found it a little harder. Mathew can bat well, but must learn to concentrate longer whilst batting, bowling and fielding. He has another year in the 10's, and will benefit from a year's A grade experience. 66 runs 5 wickets, 3 catches.

TIM CUTLER: Tim had a good season bowling left arm spin and medium pace, but must stick to spin if he wants to go further with his cricket. Showed great form with the bat in C grade, scoring 58 runs from the first three games, but struggled in A grade. A good reliable fielder. 68 runs, 13 wickets, 6 catches.



TROY GLENNAN: Troy was our captain, opening batsman, opening bowler, and when he finished bowling, he took over behind the stumps. His bowling was always right taking 14 wickets, at an average of 8.5, including 6-10 against Gyms. He scored 132 runs with a top score of 39 retired and will score a lot more if he improves his running between the wickets and puts away more loose balls. He took 4 catches and 6 stumpings and only let three byes through during the whole season as wicket keeper.

ANDREW HINE: Andrew had a good season with the bat, ball and in the field. He has a wide range of shots and when he becomes more patient, should be a very successful batsman. A reliable bowler and a very good fielder. With another year in the 10's, he should do very well next season. 93 runs, 13 wickets 2 catches.

DANE HUNT: Dane was the other opening bowler, who was arguably the fastest in the competition. When he becomes more accurate and keeps the ball pitched up, he will become a very good bowler as he has the ability to swing the ball. Dane is a hard hitting batsman, who also shows that he can be patient and build an innings, and will make some good scores next year. 97 runs, 13 wickets, 5 catches.

SHAYNE KENT: Shayne would have kept improving greatly had we stayed in C grade. Shayne has developed the basics in stance, grip etc. and must practice these to keep improving. He also showed improvement in bowling and fielding. 7 runs, 1 wicket, 1 catch.

PHILLIP MACINTYRE: Phil is a hard hitting left handed batsman, who when he gets his footwork right, could become a good batsman. His bowling and fielding improved as the season went on. 26 runs, 1 wicket, 2 catches.

BRAD MORELAND: Brad's rate of improvement in C grade was great. By round 3, he had topped the batting and taken 3 wickets. When he got to the A's, however, he

found it a difficult when batting and bowling, but his fielding was always of a high standard and he always put in a huge effort.

TIM MORELAND: Tim was our other opening batsman and made the most of it, scoring 154 runs at an average of 41. He has a rock solid defence and scores positively, like against St. Pats. His off spin bowling was the best in the competition, but after a long season of reps., he came back bowling too quick and flat. He must bowl with more loop. He also did a good job at wicket keeper, taking two catches.

TROY SELVAGE: Troy was the quiet achiever of the team, and showed us all how determined he can be by his two hour long stint in our last game. His bowling and fielding were both reliable. Plays 10's again next year so he should do well. 5 runs, 4 wickets, 1 catch.

LUKE STEVENS: Luke was one of the big improvers this season over last season. His batting technique is quite good and when he acquires more attacking strokes he will become a very accomplished batsman. His running between wickets is of a very high standard. His bowling also improved and his fielding was excellent. A coach's delight as he never complained once, no matter how hard things got. 3 runs, 4 wickets 1 catch.

MATTHIAS WACKWITZ: Another hard hitting batsman who when his timing and footwork come together, will score a lot of runs. He came back after Christmas as a fast bowler and showed the potential to succeed. 39 runs, 2 wickets, 2 catches.

On behalf of the team, we would all like to thank Mrs. Barnes and Mr. Wackwitz for scoring, Mrs. MacIntyre for selling the drinks, Mr. Glennan for helping at training, and most of all, Mr. Gleeson for putting all his time and effort into coaching the team. His help



was appreciated not only by me and the players, but also the parents. See you all next year.

BRAD GLENNAN

Footnote: I think Brad has done a good job compiling this report, as he did in assisting me with the coaching duties throughout the season. He's only young yet he's full of ability and enthusiasm. Well done mate.

I would just like to add one parting comment on our 91-92 season - having 13 boys in a team requiring only 11 players was a handicap for me in trying to give as many players as I could a chance to participate in every game. Add to that the bad weather, which affected 5 of our 8 A grade games, plus the fact that we were up against A grade standard opponents, and I'm afraid not everyone got the opportunities they would otherwise have received.

It's always been a debatable issue as to how Under 10 and Under 12 "A" grade cricket should be played.

Do you give everyone a go with bat and ball and thereby, in all probability, surrender any reasonable chance of winning the game? Or do you strive to be competitive and at the same time give as many players as you can a chance to take part?

I've been coaching in this game for 20 years and I've tried it back and forth both ways and I can tell you it's impossible to satisfy everyone's expectations. It's a none too pleasant coach's dilemma and will remain that way until we change the mode of play for kids of this age.

TONY GLEESON

## MEN'S CRICKET

### SENIOR CLUB TEAM AWARDS

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>BATTING</u>	<u>BOWLING</u>
A1	Greg Heffernan	Neil Lovelock
B1	Paul Cameron	Jason Crimlisk
B2	Craig Tever	David Perritt
C1	Adam Bird	Michael Gotley

### CENTURIES

Greg Heffernan	A1	100 n.o. 119
Jeff Goodman	B1	108 n.o.
Paul Cameron	B1	107

## SENIOR TEAM REPORTS

### A1 TEAM REPORT

Once again, a case of so near and yet so far. After looking certainties to make the final with 5 rounds to go, we lost 4 of these games to miss out by 1 point. Maybe next year will be ours.

The season started brilliantly with our batting looking good. We were not seriously threatened in winning our first three games. Then along came the eventual premiers, Loftus, in a game we never really got into. This loss was quickly forgotten as we won the next 3 straight until the wheels fell off, as stated above.

There is little doubt that our problem was fielding. An unbelievable number of catches went to ground. The old saying "Catches win matches" certainly applied, as I believe missed catches cost us a place in the final. This is an area we will have to brush up on before next season commences. The batting was solid enough for the first half of the season, but fell away in the important last half of the season when the pressure was on. Maybe the lower order should have been given more of a chance earlier in the season to prove themselves, as they did in the second round when the top order failed. That situation will be looked at next year.

Our poor bowlers must have felt so frustrated watching catches being dropped which should have been taken. To their credit, they bounced back and were only taken to in the one game against Loftus. Our bowlers can hold their heads high as they certainly didn't let the side down.

This should have been our year fellas, and everyone in the side should feel very disappointed in not making the final. It was good to see the new recruits, Derek Spencer and Chris Gaskell fitting into the side so well and I hope they enjoyed the season. Although we didn't get the result in the end, our golf days were successful

and helped with team morale. These days are enjoyable and thanks to Pricey for again offering the house for the barbecue.

Congratulations to the club for another well run season. Hopefully everyone will be back again next season for a shot at that elusive premiership.

GREG HEFFERNAN

### B1 TEAM REPORT

Once again, we had a very successful season. We finished second after a great fightback towards the end of the season. We had to win the last four games to make the final, which we proceeded to do in great style. However, having made the final for the second year in succession, we then lost for the second year in succession.

However, there was much to be pleased about from the season. All of our younger players improved and established themselves as fully fledged men's cricketers.

The team was : Adrian Vannan, Scott Rowe, Paul Cameron, Jason Crimlisk, Ross Stuart, Adam Mackrell, Mark McManus, Greg Knowles, David Hine, Darren Crossley, Ray Cowan, Bill Knowles and Jeff Goodman,

JEFF GOODMAN

### B2 TEAM REPORT

Well, what a season. For a "cricket" team of misfits, has beers and try hards, put together in a week over a few beers at Engadine Hotel, we didn't do too badly.

Firstly, on behalf of the Legends, I would like to apologise to all our supporters who stood by us throughout the season. We know how painful this must have been at times. However, the incentive of the "G.J."



Award for supporter loyalty was keenly contested with Tanya coming out on top.

The start of the season saw the Legends come out firing. The designer label shirts looked a \*Mill\* and spectators numbering in the twenties waited with baited breath. A great victory first off with the "Man of the Match" going to Keith "I'm Batman" Hughes and the inaugural "T.F.C." award to Aaron.

As the season progressed, we found ourselves sitting in second place at the halfway mark. Was it too much Christmas cheer? Was it the absence of "BF" (The Sheriff)? Was it lack of cricketing ability? These questions will never be answered, but after the Christmas break, the wheels fell off as we lurched from one defeat to the next.

However, there were some awe-inspiring moments in the second round, notably an innings of superb concentration by a player, who shall remain nameless, who batted for 1½ hours for 6 runs. Also the amazing spell of spin bowling by the "spin twins" - 'Bishen' Hughes and 'Asif' Jackson in the last game to almost beat S.U.S.C. outright to knock them out of the final. Special thanks must go to Paul "Meggsy" Aston for his unselfish and tireless work in building up the team kitty, by dropping as many catches as possible and producing ducks (golden, if possible). We felt that 55% of \$152 was a fine team effort.

The dress code was of the highest standard, with all Legends neatly dressed in official cricket shirts, with the blue formal shirts ready for the many social functions. However, during the season some Legends had their own ideas on dressing with Bart Simpson boxer shorts, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle socks, with the infamous Santa hats being the most notable.

Overall, a great year of cricket, without dwelling too much on what might have been.

THE SKIPPA

## C1 TEAM REPORT

This was a season of mixed results. We had a good start with an outright and first innings win in the first two games, and then fell in a hole with two outright losses. This set the trend for the season, where we would win one week and lose the next. As a result, we finished in the middle of the table, well out of contention for the final.

The final results for the season were 7 wins, 6 losses and 3 draws.

Our bowling was always of a high standard, which allowed us to be competitive in every game. Unfortunately the same could not be said of our batting, which lacked commitment on a number of occasions.

Only four batsmen scored more than 200 runs for the season. They were Adam Bird 330, Michael Gotley 244, Mark Vannan 205 and Jackson Mall 200.

10 wickets or better were taken by Michael Gotley 37, Wally Waddell 24, Bill Ziegler 15, Richard Fogarty 14, Mark Noakes 11, Dennis Thomas 10.

The other members of the team not mentioned above were - Paul Bouttell, George Corley, Alan Lofthouse, Trent Masters, Nathan McGuirk and Mark White.

Many thanks to our scorer, Judy Lofthouse, and to her son Brendan who fielded for us when we were short on a number of occasions.

Just a note for those of you wondering who finished the season being involved in the most run-outs. It was a tie between Wally and Adam, both with four. Wally will have to learn to ground his bad and Adam to back up.

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