

# BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED



FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT 2005/6



# BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC.

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Club Champions	2003–2004
AW Green Shield Premiers	2003–2004
AW Green Shield Premiers	2002–2003
First Grade Premiers	1999–2000
A. W. Green Shield Premiers	1999–2000
A.W. Green Shield Premiers	1998–1999
Second Grade Premiers	1997–1998
Foster's LightIce Cup Premiers	1997–1998
Diamond Draft Cup - Limited Overs	1995–1996
First Grade Premiers	1994–1995
First Grade Premiers	1993–1994
A W Green Shield Premiers	1990–1991
Third Grade Premiers	1989–1990
Poidevin Gray Premiers	1989–1990
A W Green Shield Premiers	1988–1989
Club Championship Winners	1987–1988
First Grade Premiers	1987–1988
A W Green Shield Premiers	1982–1983
Third Grade Premiers	1978–1979
Fifth Grade Premiers	1976–1977
Second Grade Premiers	1974–1975
Fourth Grade Premiers	1971–1972
A W Green Shield (Joint Premiers)	1969–1970
Club Championship Winners	1966–1967
Third Grade Premiers	1966–1967
Shires 'C' Division Premiers	1966–1967
A W Green Shield	1965–1966
A W Green Shield	1964–1965
A W Green Shield	1962–1963
Second Grade Premiers	1961–1962
Fourth Grade Premiers	1961–1962
Second Grade Premiers	1960–1961
Poidevin Gray Premiers	1960–1961
Club Championship Winners	1958–1959
First Grade Premiers	1958–1959
Second Grade Premiers	1957–1958
Poidevin Gray Premiers	1953–1954
Third Grade Premiers	1952–1953

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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**Notice is hereby given that the Fifty Fifth Annual General Meeting of the Bankstown District Cricket Club Inc. will be held in the Stephen and Mark Waugh Pavilion, Bankstown Memorial Oval, Chapel Road South, Bankstown, on Friday 21st July 2006 at 7.30pm.**

You are most cordially invited to attend.

## BUSINESS

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the Fifty Fourth Annual General Meeting.
2. To consider the Fifty Fifth Annual Report and Financial Statement from the Management Committee.
3. Presentations:
  - The W Silas Award
  - The Sid and Mary Boddy Memorial Award
  - The Roy Amson Memorial Award
  - The J L Lewis Club Fielding Award
  - The Jack Scully Memorial Award
  - Trophies to winners of team aggregates and averages
4. Election of Office Bearers for Season 2006 - 2007
  - Patrons
  - President
  - Honorary Secretary
  - Honorary Assistant Secretary
  - Honorary Treasurer
  - Delegate to SCA
  - Delegate to NSWCA
  - Honorary Auditor
  - Management Committee (12)
5. General Business and to transact any other business brought forward in conformity with the Rules and By Laws of the Club.

Nominations for Office Bearers must be in writing and received by the Secretary seven days before the Annual General Meeting.

M H Klumpp  
Honorary Secretary  
1st July 2006

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# BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC.

## OFFICE BEARERS

### Patrons

Kevin McCormick OAM.  
Daryl Melham MP

### President

BF Freedman OAM.

### Senior Vice President

P Gane

### Vice Presidents

The Directors of Bankstown District Sports Club, T Stewart MP. Max Treuer.

### Life Members

J H Fitzpatrick OAM (dec.), H Toohey (dec.), J L Lewis (dec.), S F Boddy (dec.), M Lilienthal OAM, L Theobald (dec.), J Theobald, N Murray, A Taylor, R Amson (dec.), A Amson (dec.), B Urry (dec.), Mrs M Boddy (dec.), W Silas (dec.), D Bourne, J Bull, I Gorman, L Pascoe, MC Stephenson, J Dunn, R J (Bob) Bower, K Ferris, K Scully, J Scully (dec.), G Crowfoot, M Klumpp, S Small, B Freedman OAM; E Dignam, D Freedman, W Holdsworth, S Waugh AM and M Waugh OAM.

### Honorary Secretary

M H Klumpp

### Assistant Hon. Secretary

I Gill

### Treasurer

E Dignam

### Delegate to the New South Wales Cricket Association

B Freedman

### Delegates to The Sydney Cricket Association

Messrs B Freedman and M Klumpp

### Management Committee

B Freedman, M Klumpp, E Dignam, D Freedman, I Gill, B Griffiths, F Smith, B Smith, P Gane, G Ettridge, L Roworth, M Grant, D Bourne, J Bull, G Beaven, G Dunn, R Shaw, S Grant and D Bourne.

### Delegates to Bankstown District Cricket Association

As appointed from the Management Committee

### Delegates to Bankstown Cricket Council

B Freedman, M Klumpp, E Dignam.

### Delegates from Bankstown District Cricket Association

B Griffiths; G Dunn, G Beaven.

### Selection Committee

D Freedman (Chairman) S Thompson; M Grant; J Bourne; G Spotswood; P Moy; G Beaven.

### Publicity Officer

M Stephenson

### Honorary Solicitor

K J Scully of Macree Scully Lawyers

### Honorary Auditor

Rodney B Schultz C.A.

## SUCCESSFUL CLUBS

### Club Championship "Sydney Smith" Cup

Sydney University CC

### PREMIERS

#### First Grade

Fairfield - Liverpool CC

#### Second Grade

Northern Districts CC

#### Third Grade

St George CC

#### Fourth Grade

Randwick Petersham CC

#### Fifth Grade

Randwick Petersham CC

#### Poidevin Gray Shield

Hawkesbury

#### A W Green Shield

Campbelltown Camden DCC

#### First Grade Limited Overs

Manly Warringah CC

### CAPTAINS

To the following gentlemen, your Committee extends the Club's appreciation for the sincere and dedicated manner in which you handled your respective teams.

**First Grade** - Scott Thompson

**Second Grade** - Mark Grant

**Third Grade** - James Bourne

**Fourth Grade** - Geoff Spotswood

**Fifth Grade** - Peter Moy

**Poidevin Gray Shield** - Pat Darwen

**A W Green Shield** - Andrew Spaul

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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The 2005/06 season will not be remembered as one of our greatest on the playing field with none of our teams making the play-offs. A disappointing result for a club which has such high expectations of itself.

1<sup>st</sup>. Grade only finished one win out of the top six, a position we would have considered satisfactory at the start of the season but after winning the initial five games, our expectations were somewhat elevated. The adage "the difference between a good season and a disappointing season is the close games you win" was never more evident than in the Mosman game and our younger players particularly, will benefit from these experiences.

Well done to Scott Thompson, who in his first year as captain did a great job in pulling this group of (very) young lads together with a few old heads into a formable and united force.

On the representative scene, Corey Richards was rewarded for his avalanche of runs in Grade and State League competitions with a recall to the State team while Aaron Bird became our 22<sup>nd</sup> First Class player and commenced a career at this level that we will all follow with great expectations. Simon Keen was honoured with selection in the Australian team for the ICC U/19 World Cup in Sri Lanka and Anthony Sams was rewarded for some excellent form in the Australian Championships with selection in the Australian U/17 Development team. Patrick Darwen and Daniel Burns

were integral members of the NSW team that were the undefeated winners of the Australian U/19 Championships.

The official opening of Grahame Thomas Oval in conjunction with the ING Cup match NSW vs SA was an outstanding success and highlighted how much has and can be achieved through the outstanding working relationships that exist between Bankstown City Council, Bankstown Sports Club and ourselves. The Memorial Oval precinct continues to blossom in a way that brings great pride the entire Bankstown community and be the envy of the cricket world. The good news is that planning for our new four lane indoor centre, situated between the two ovals, is continuing at a pace and a commencement date for its construction should be known before the start of the new season.

I encourage all members and supporters get a copy of our new Strategic Plan which clearly articulates the direction the club is planning to head in the coming years. One of the themes of the plan is to be a "good community citizen" and in this regard our campaign to collect and send used and unwanted cricket gear to the underprivileged cricketers in Uganda has proved to be such a great success, the committee has decided to repeat the campaign in the coming season.

Matthew Betsey, Peter Moy and David Drew announced their retirements as players at the end of the season. All have given sterling service for which we thank them and look forward to seeing them in

non playing roles in the years ahead.

My sincere gratitude goes to our wonderful group of volunteers who continue to be "the best of the best" in the cricket world. As I have articulated on many occasions, we are blessed to have pillars like Eris Dignam and Marty Klumpp to shoulder so much of the load of running the club. Eris is known, seen and loved everywhere. No better testament of Marty's vision, professionalism and dedication could be shown than his management of our ING match or his management of our indoor centre project which I can say without hesitation, would not and could not happen without him.

As noted previously, I will not be seeking re-election as President after 24 years in the role. I have been proud and honoured to lead the club during this time when we have enjoyed a good deal of success and generally moved forward.

Again I thank Marty and all who have assisted me but most of all I would like to thank my darling Rosie for her unwavering support and assistance. I could not have done it without her.

The time comes when we need new ideas, thoughts and direction and in Scott Grant's leadership, we will get all of these. I welcome him to the role and assure him of my total support.

**Brian Freedman**

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## FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT



I have pleasure in presenting the Fifty Fifth Annual Report and Financial Statement.

Last season marked the beginning of our transition to a new and exciting group of young players. This group has the potential to represent our club with distinction for the next decade. With Scott Thompson leading our on field efforts, supported by David Freedman, Mark Grant, Chris Gane and John Bull who drive our Cricket Operations Committee, there's not doubt we have a group of committed and experienced members driving the 'changing of the guard'.

After a wonderful run of victories by First Grade in the early rounds, perhaps we all thought this transition wasn't going to be as difficult as we thought. But as the season wore on the reality that such a transition requires time, patience and great effort was starkly evident.

In order to nurture the skills, abilities and attitudes of young players the Club must set realistic performance goals. And our young players need to accept that while they will get every possible support, there is a time to 'stand up and deliver' - to turn

promise into performance.

Our overall team results were somewhat at odds with what I felt was a well managed and implemented coaching and training program led by Shane Duff. Shane was capably supported by Steve Smith, Ray Hall and John Betsey. That such a high quality coaching program did not return the dividends it deserved cannot be simply written off to 'the inexperience factor'.

Shane and the coaching team, the Cricket Operations Committee and the general Management Committee have reflected hard on this issue and players will notice a change in emphasis for our coaching program in the new season.

We congratulate our players who achieved representative honours:

- **Corey Richards** - NSW Pura Cup and ING Cup
- **Aaron Bird** - NSW Pura Cup, ING Cup and Twenty20
- **Patrick Darwen** - NSW under 19 side and Australian U/19 squad tour to India

- **Simon Keen** - NSW U/19 side and Australian Under 19 side to Sri Lanka

- **Anthony Sams** - NSW Under 17 side, Australian Under 17 squad

As always our off-field effort was a tribute to the fantastic band of volunteers that is the heart of our Club.

We successfully managed the ING Cup match between NSW and South Australia in October. Broadcast nationally on Channel 9 this event incorporated the opening of the Grahame Thomas Oval (formerly Outer Memorial Oval.) We also hosted the final of the Australian Under 17 Championships, The Albert Cup (Second Grade) Final and the SCA Women's Final.

None of these fixtures could have been staged without the support of our volunteers. There are too many to thank here but I must mention these special contributors:

Always top of the list is **Rosie Freedman** who last season added 'inspirational' to the list of superlatives we've used over the years to describe her efforts. How could anyone fail to be inspired by the



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manner in which Rosie has challenged her illness. Her physical and mental strength is just amazing.

**Eris and Margaret Dignam** continued to contribute with distinction in so many ways. The management of our finances, ordering and stacking supplies for the canteen, training co-ordination and attending Cricket Council meetings and functions are just some of the many ways Eris and Margaret contribute to our operations.

**Mick Stephenson** is an iconic figure around the Club and his efforts with publicity are unmatched in Sydney Grade cricket. Mick is currently updating his book on the Club's history and we plan to publish 'Bankstown Cricket – 55 Not Out' later this year.

**Sherrol Gane** did a fantastic job as first grade scorer and maintaining statistics for all grades using a computerised database. The trial by the SCA of a new

internet based match scores reporting system resulted in a great deal of frustration across all clubs and Sherrol bore the brunt of that on our behalf. Despite the seemingly endless range of issues that cropped up Sherrol never lost her sense of humour and showed what a class act she is.

**David Clifton** is a newcomer to our Club volunteer ranks. David has designed new Club logos for use in publicity and advertising, taken photographs for special projects and more recently assisted with the graphic design layout for this Annual Report. When one considers that David was already contributing as a cricket volunteer in a number of areas his willingness to give so freely of his time to assist our club is greatly appreciated.

**Brian Freedman** is stepping aside as President after 24 years of selfless service to our Club and the wider cricket community. Brian's contribution to the development of our Club is without

equal. From the beginning Brian quietly set about raising the bar in terms of what we thought we could achieve as a humble little grade cricket club. His first goal was improving our finances and administration. Next on the list was upgrading our on-field playing facilities. Once those goals were achieved former local players began returning and quality new players wanted to join us. On-field success followed and we entered a period of unprecedented success. The final strategy was to redevelop our off-field facilities so that we could showcase our community and club regionally and nationally. That we are recognised as an innovative leader in Club cricket nationally and internationally is due to Brian's leadership. Brian isn't going away – he is committed to assisting President Elect Scott Grant and the Committee with the same enthusiasm and diligence that has marked his Presidency.

**Martin Klumpp**  
**HONORARY SECRETARY**





# SERVICE ROLL

<b>Year</b>	<b>President</b>	<b>Honorary Secretary</b>	<b>Honorary Treasurer</b>
1951-52	H Toohey	J H Fitzpatrick	S Swane
1952-53	H Toohey	J H Fitzpatrick	S Swane
1953-54	H Toohey	J H Fitzpatrick	S Swane
1954-55	H Toohey	J H Fitzpatrick	R Sloane
1955-56	R Sloane (resigned 8/12/55) J L Lewis (elected 13/12/55)	A C McKeon (resigned 6/12/55) S F Boddy (elected 9/12/55)	N W Wright
1956-57	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1957-58	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1958-59	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1959-60	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1960-61	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1961-62	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1962-63	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1963-64	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1964-65	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1965-66	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1966-67	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1967-68	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1968-69	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1969-70	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1970-71	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	D P Bourne
1971-72	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	D P Bourne
1972-73	J L Lewis	T T Radanovic	D P Bourne
1973-74	S F Boddy	F G Cicutto	D P Bourne
1974-75	S F Boddy	F G Cicutto	D P Bourne
1975-76	S F Boddy	J F Mackinnon	D P Bourne
1976-77	S F Boddy	J F Mackinnon	D P Bourne
1977-78	S F Boddy	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1978-79	S F Boddy	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1979-80	J Bull	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1980-81	J Bull	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1980-82	J Bull	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1982-83	B F Freedman	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1983-84	B F Freedman	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1984-85	B F Freedman	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1985-86	B F Freedman	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1986-87	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	D P Bourne
1987-88	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	D P Bourne
1988-89	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	D P Bourne
1989-90	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1990-91	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1991-92	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1992-93	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1993-94	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1994-95	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1995-96	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1996-97	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1997-98	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1998-99	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
1999-2000	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2000-2001	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2001-2002	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2002-2003	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2003-2004	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2004-2005	BF Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2005-2006	BF Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam

## SPONSORS

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We were delighted to again have Bankstown District Sports Club as major sponsor. The Sporties provide tremendous support to a wide range of charities and sporting organisations in the Bankstown Community.

Sports Club President Kevin McCormick, Secretary Manager John Mackay, Assistant Manager Mark Condi, Sports Director Dick Phillips, all Board Members and Staff assist us in every aspect of our operations. The Club's support during the hosting of the ING Cup was outstanding and enabled us to repay our loan to NSWCA.

We would like to place on record our thanks for contribution to this club and the Bankstown Community in general by retiring BDSC President Kevin McCormick. Kevin has been associated with the BDSC Board for over forty years and his 22 years as President saw the Club grow to its position as the pre-eminent Registered Club in NSW. The naming of the 800 seat grandstand at Bankstown Memorial Oval in Kevin's honour was a fitting tribute to recognise the contribution he has made to cricket and the wider Bankstown community.

Through the efforts of Scott Grant and Scott Thompson Toyota Australia continued its relationship with the Club last season. Toyota provided a generous package including club clothing and direct financial assistance. The special prize for hitting the 'Toyota' target signs at Bankstown Oval was not won and Toyota has generously agreed to donate the cash prize towards the fit-out of our (proposed) Indoor Centre.

Revesby Workers' Club President Norma Smith, Vice President Daryl Melham and board members Terry Semlitzky and John Gibbons are great friends of our Club and they continue to support functions and provide encouragement for our efforts both on and off the field.

## ACCREDITED COACHES

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The Club continues to support players and officials in gaining coaching qualifications.

### **National Cricket Coaching Program - Level Two coaches:**

- Ian Gill
- John Betsey
- Ray Hall
- Corey Richards
- Brian Griffiths
- Greg Beaven
- Graham Dunn

### **National Cricket Coaching Program - Level Three coaches:**

- David Freedman
- Matthew Betsey
- Geoff Spotswood
- Wayne Holdsworth
- Shane Duff (Club)

## UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

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To all umpires and to the NSWCUA officials, especially Secretary Peter Hughes, we thank you for your tireless efforts.

Umpires are an integral part of our game and we encourage the SCA and NSWCA to provide every possible support for NSWCUA to continue their outstanding contribution to the game.

## PUBLICITY

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Thanks to our local newspapers, "The Torch" and "The Express", for continued coverage of cricket.

Mick Stephenson continued to produce press reports of the highest quality. Mick's columns are posted at [www.bankstowncricket.com](http://www.bankstowncricket.com) and appear in the Torch and Express newspapers.

## CLUB GROUNDS

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The Club utilised Bankstown Memorial Oval for First and Second Grade, Grahame Thomas Oval for Third and Fourth Grade and Jensen Oval for Fifth Grade.

Warwick Starr and his hard working team continue to produce wickets, outfield and surrounds of the highest calibre.

Warwick again turned out the City's premier sporting field Bankstown Memorial Oval in excellent condition. A highlight was the hosting of a ING Cup match between NSW and South Australia with the ground receiving high praise from players and officials. Bankstown Oval also hosted the final of the Australian Under 17 Championships, the SCA Second Grade Final and the SCA Women's first Grade Final.

Officially opened in October 2005 Grahame Thomas Oval has already developed a reputation as a picturesque venue coupled with excellent quality wickets and outfield. The Oval supported Third and Fourth Grade, Women's Second Grade and a host of schoolboy's matches.

Jensen Oval supported Fifth Grade, Martin Shield, Weblin Shield and Watson Shield and Glenn Windshuttle's efforts ensured the ground again rated highly in Umpires assessments.



## APPRECIATIONS

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**Daryl Melham MP** for attending matches and events and offering advice on fundraising etc.

**Tony Stewart MLA**, Member for Bankstown, for supporting all aspects of our operations.

The Mayor of Bankstown, **Councillor Helen Westwood** and her fellow Councillors.

**President Kevin McCormick** and the Directors of the Bankstown District Sports Club.

**John Mackay** of Bankstown Sports Club for trusted and valued advice and support.

**Mark Condi**, Assistant Secretary Manager of Bankstown Sports Club and his staff for assistance with our staging of the ING Cup match and with our day to day operations.

**Mark O'Brien** and the staff of the Bankstown Express newspaper.

**Debbie Polson and Mark Kirkland** from the Torch newspaper.

**David Gilbert** CEO of Cricket NSW, **Ian Field** Cricket Operations manager and **Roy Formica** Secretary of the Sydney Cricket Association.

**David Freedman** the Chairman of Selectors and Chairman of the Cricket Operations Committee.

**Mark Grant, John Bull and Chris Gane** for their efforts as members of the cricket

Operations Committee.

**Brian Smith** for assistance with printing requirements (as well as everything else he does around the place!)

**Greg Beaven** for acting as Roving Selector.

**Ian Gill**, the coach of the A W Green Shield team and **David Drew** the team manager.

**Mark Grant** and **Chris Gane** who combined to form an effective coaching team for the Poidevin Gray Shield team and **Kevin Keen** for his efforts as PG Shield Manager.

**Frankie Smith** for assistance with the Annual Report production.

**Graeme Ettridge and Chris Ettridge** for their assistance with the staging of the Second Grade Final (on top of everything else they do around the place!)

**Greg Beaven, Brian Griffiths, Graham Dunn, Rob Shaw and all members** of the Bankstown Cricket Coaches and Managers Association for your great support of junior cricket development.

**Pam and Pat Gavin** for their untiring efforts on behalf of cricket.

The **mums, girlfriends and wives** for afternoon teas and general help in the canteen.

**Tania Spyridakios** of Bankstown City Council, for her courteous assistance with park bookings.

**Richard Colley**, GM of Bankstown City Council.

**Joan Warton** of Bankstown City Council.

**Chris Passanah, Julie Hayes and Kerry Sebio** of Bankstown City Council's Communications Department for their advice and practical support.

**Chris Richmond and Trevor Johnson** of Bankstown City Council for on-going support especially with the staging of the ING Cup match.

**Peter Montague and Sean Mooney** of Bankstown City Council for advice on general sporting and recreation issues and our planned building program.

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# BANKSTOWN SPORTS CLUB 'PLAYER OF THE YEAR'

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This year this Award was won by Life Member and much admired player David Freedman. This was the third time in his career that David has won this Award.

The prize for this contest is a return trip to either the USA or UK.

We thank the Directors and members of Bankstown District Sports Club for their continued assistance. Incentives of this type could not be provided without their support.



## Honour Roll

1982-83	I McRae
1983-84	G Patterson / P Kelly
1984-85	P Talbot
1985-86	R Bilimoria
1986-87	G Spotswood
1987-88	D Freedman
1988-89	P Talbot
1989-90	S Moss
1990-91	D Freedman
1991-92	S Thompson
1992-93	K Ferris
1993-94	K Roberts
1994-95	G Trevena
1995-96	DP Waugh
1996-97	D Magee / S Deitz
1997-98	S Thompson
1998-99	S Thompson
1999-00	G Spotswood M Betsey
2000-01	G Roden
2001-02	M Bright
2002-03	P Moy P Maraziotis
2003-04	A Bird.
2004-05	Corey Richards Mitchell Beaven
2005-06	D Freedman

# BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET ASSOCIATION

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The Bankstown District Cricket Association, sponsored by Bankstown District Sports Club, continued its tradition of providing a solid grounding for young cricketers of all abilities.

Pam and Pat Gavin continued to share the Honorary Secretary duties and their efforts are to be admired and applauded.

The Association's Coaches and Managers group does fantastic work for our young players. This group deserves much of the credit for the BDCA's outstanding results over many years in representative competitions.

Local competitions continued to supply

enjoyable cricket for everyone as well as providing the link to the NSW Districts Cricket Association Representative Series and the Sydney Cricket Association.

Our Club sees it as a high priority to provide on-going financial support to the BDCA. This includes requirements like turf wicket hire fees for Representative Teams, the activities of the Junior Development Program managed by the Coaches and Managers group and providing sponsorship to young local players selected for representative teams.

# FIRST GRADE THE BELVIDERE CUP

## Scott Thompson

Congratulations to Fairfield Liverpool on winning the 1st Grade Premiership and Manly on the One day competition - two very strong teams who deserve the spoils of victory.

I would like to thank the club for all their help and support throughout the year - what an amazing place to play cricket. The 'Bankstown mafia' led by Brian, Marty and Eris, you are the Bulldog's behind the spirit, thanks. To all the volunteers, there is no other support crew like you anywhere - you are what sets us apart.

A special thanks to Rosie & Margaret and the canteen crew. We really appreciate your efforts - it's always a great start to every morning cricket to see your smiling faces.

Thanks also to Grahame and Rick for all their help throughout the year. And to Sherrol Gane who provided a first class approach to scoring. We are very privileged to have on our side. Thanks, your work is truly appreciated.

After my first year as Captain, I would like to say what an honor it was and something I had only dreamed of 17 years ago when I played my first grade game under Terry Davies. I've had some great Captains at Bankstown and hopefully I've learnt enough from all of them to continue to do the club proud in this role.

My approach to captaincy takes little slices from each of those mentors:

**Terry Davies** "These are the best days of your lives"

**Steve Small** "Determination, pride, winning attitude".

**Dean Waugh** "Enjoy your cricket, have fun, it's only a game".

**Kevin Robert** "Listen, think, strategise, respect".



Big shoes to fill but hopefully I applied a little of what I learnt from all of these great captains.

This year was all about getting back on track- revitalising the Bulldog Spirit, respecting the opposition, the club and our team mates. With a fairly young and inexperienced team 05/06 was always going to be challenging. I'm proud to say I think we achieved all of the above objectives, created a great foundation for the next few years and ensured the Bulldog spirit is back. Much of the success was thanks to two blokes, Shane Duff and Ken Hall.

Shane came back to club as Head Coach after a stint with the Sri Lankan team and provided a disciplined and professional approach. Shane was always available to any player who needed assistance whether that is skills based or mental application. His planning, organisation and execution at training is as good as I've seen in all my years in cricket.

Ken Hall is still the best player I've played with or against in grade cricket. Any time he gives to me and the club will always be treasured. His endless years of experience are absolutely invaluable and we all love having him around. Thanks EMU!

We started the year with a blaze of glory winning our first five games and were absolutely on fire and leading the competition table. But unfortunately it did not last and the wave we were riding crashed. And it crashed hard! We ended up losing the next four and turned for Christmas in fourth place. The run home was eventful with our batting being the major cause for concern. Poor shot selection, lack of patience and inexperience were all contributing factors in our poor batting performances.

At the end of the day, after all the hiccups, we only finished one win out of the qualifying finals! After much reflection by the team the experiences of 05/06 will better equip us for the challenges of the

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coming season.

## **Scott Thompson**

Scott is a class player who takes great pride in his personal and his team's performances. Despite being hamstrung with some niggling injuries Scott performed soundly with bat and ball scoring 403 runs at 26.87 and taking 28 wickets at 22.14 in the Belvedere Cup. I doubt anyone has ever coveted the captaincy of the Bankstown Club more than Scott Thompson. He is very passionate about the Club's history, its people and its future. Scott's preparedness to make the necessary personal sacrifices to his family and work life in order to give something back to the Club is the practical example of that passion. We shouldn't take it for granted.

## **James Allsopp**

Prince provided great support both on and off the field - a great team man with a great attitude. Prince had an excellent year behind the stumps with 32 catches and 4 stumpings. He was ever reliable and never let us down. With his continued hard work at training I feel the payoff for his batting is just around the corner after some promising signs this year.

## **Mathew Betsey**

Betts added his years of experience to a very inexperienced team and provided me with great support. Announcing his retirement this year after 13 years in first grade, the club and the Belvedere Cup will be definitely be weaker with his loss. It's been a pleasure to play with Betts and we wish him every success in the future.

## **Aaron Bird**

After many seasons as the most feared fast bowler in first grade, Aaron was rewarded with his permanent position in the NSW side. His attitude to training and approach to game day means Aaron is a professional cricketer in every facet. It has been great to watch him develop over the last couple of years and he

deserves all of his success.

## **Daniel Burns**

The next breed of cricketers has arrived - young, aggressive, confident and full of life. In his first year in the top grade 'Burnsy' showed he has the goods. With hard work and a focus on staying grounded there is a big future ahead. Who will ever forget his 5 wickets versus Balmain or his batting performance against Hawkesbury.

## **Pat Darwen**

Pat showed his true colors of grit and determination last season. After a tough start to the year with the ball Pat earned his spot back into first grade with the bat - a great achievement. With hard work Pat can become an all-rounder of the future in first grade. Keep putting the effort in at training and there is a bright future ahead.

## **Darren Ettridge**

The ultimate team man. After his first full year in first grade, Darren will be better for the experience. A Great attitude! Darren also showed promise with the ball with limited opportunity. I'm predicting 06/07 will be a big year for Darren.

## **Simon Keen**

Keeno is an exciting cricketer with a bright future. He will be the first to admit that 06/07 could have been better. Simon's game has improved out of sight and his learning from 06/07 will hold him in great stead for next season. Keeno's ability with the ball seemed to improve game by game. He generated great pace on occasions throughout the year and there are some great signs for the future. Keeno is a genuine all-rounder whose game will benefit from greater patience will both bat & ball.

## **Dean Magee**

After a bumper start to the year Deano showed no signs that opening the batting

was anything but his ideal position. A great team man who everyone loves being around. Dean's ability has never been questioned and this year we saw signs of how good he really could be. With more focus at training we could see this old dog learning some new tricks and turning in even higher levels of performance.

## **Clintin Price**

Clint is Mr. Reliable - throw him the ball and he will bowl all day. Pricey did a good job when presented with opportunity, but as many of our bowlers this year found, just not enough overs in the day. A good team man and great to have in the side.

## **Corey Richards**

What a remarkable player. Spoons showed us and the selectors just how good he really is early in the season with some stellar performances. He is truly a class player and some of his innings this year cemented that in all our minds. Becoming a father matured Corey and his approach to his cricket. A player with a great cricket brain who provided me with great assistance throughout the year.

## **Danny Waugh**

A top notch performance from a quality all-rounder. Danny was the glue who held our side together this year. He shored up many innings with the bat and provided many game breaking spells with the ball. Danny was a great support as my Vice Captain and I thank him for his assistance. His fielding was again first class.

## **David Freedman**

Freddy only came into the side for the last two games but quickly showed that he is still a top class bowler and the side benefited from his experience and enthusiasm. A quality player who still has a lot to offer.



## FIRST GRADE BATTING STATISTICS 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Runs	Avg
Richards, C	13	13	2	9	5	2	140*	704	64.00
Waugh, D	18	18	5	4	5	-	75*	616	47.38
Magee, D	18	19	-	8	4	-	68	515	27.11
Thompson, S	18	17	2	5	4	-	65*	403	26.87
Ettridge, D	14	14	1	5	1	-	61	256	19.69
Keen, S	14	14	1	4	1	-	58	234	18.00
Bird, A	13	10	3	3	2	-	61	175	25.00
Darwen, P	10	8	1	5	1	-	54	135	19.29
Allsopp, J	18	12	3	32	-	-	38	121	13.44
Small, C	5	5	1	1	1	-	56*	98	24.50
Gane, C	4	4	1	3	1	-	62*	89	29.67
Betsey, M	18	13	2	3	-	-	17	86	7.82
Ridley, C	4	4	-	2	-	-	26	49	12.25
Price, C	12	8	3	-	-	-	13*	48	9.60
Burns, D	15	9	6	9	-	-	19	45	15.00
Freedman, D	2	2	1	1	-	-	9*	10	10.00
Roworth, B	4	3	-	-	-	-	2	2	0.67

## FIRST GRADE PARTNERSHIPS BY WICKET 2005-06

Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	75	Ettridge,D	Magee,D	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Bankstown
2	124	Magee,D	Richards,C	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval
3	172	Richards,C	Waugh,D	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval
4	137	Keen,S	Richards,C	8-Oct-05	St George	Hurstville Oval
5	110*	Waugh,D	Gane,C	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown
6	102*	Waugh,D	Thompson,S	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval
7	29	Betsey,M	Bird,A	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University
8	28	Betsey,M	Allsopp,J	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown
9	45	Allsopp,J	Price,C	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Bankstown
10	52	Thompson,S	Burns,D	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown





## FIRST GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Richards,C	Waugh,D	3	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	172
Keen,S	Richards,C	4	8-Oct-05	St George	Hurstville Oval	137
Magee,D	Richards,C	2	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	124
Richards,C	Waugh,D	3	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	111
Waugh,D	Gane,C	5	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	110*
Richards,C	Ettridge,D	2	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Bankstown	109
Waugh,D	Thompson,S	6	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	102*
Magee,D	Richards,C	2	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Bankstown	92
Magee,D	Richards,C	2	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	78
Ettridge,D	Magee,D	1	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Bankstown	75
Richards,C	Waugh,D	3	20-Nov-05	Mosman	Bankstown	69
Keen,S	Bird,A	5	12-Nov-05	Manly-Warringah	Manly Oval	67
Thompson,S	Darwen,P	2	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown	66
Richards,C	Waugh,D	3	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University	65
Thompson,S	Waugh,D	3	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	60
Small,C	Keen,S	4	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Bankstown	59*
Ettridge,D	Magee,D	1	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Bankstown	59
Magee,D	Richards,C	2	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	54
Waugh,D	Richards,C	3	8-Oct-05	St George	Hurstville Oval	52
Ettridge,D	Magee,D	1	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown	52
Thompson,S	Burns,D	10	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown	52
Darwen,P	Waugh,D	3	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown	51

## FIRST GRADE WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Allsopp,J	18	32	4	36

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## FIRST GRADE BEST INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Richards,C	8-Oct-05	St George	Hurstville Oval	140*
Richards,C	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	123
Richards,C	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	96
Richards,C	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	85
Waugh,D	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	75*
Waugh,D	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown	73*
Waugh,D	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	71
Magee,D	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Bankstown	68
Thompson,S	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	65*
Thompson,S	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown	64
Magee,D	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	63
Gane,C	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	62*
Waugh,D	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	61*
Ettridge,D	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Bankstown	61
Bird,A	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Bankstown	61
Thompson,S	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	59
Keen,S	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Manly Oval	58
Waugh,D	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	56*
Small,C	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Bankstown	56*
Magee,D	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	56
Richards,C	20-Nov-05	Mosman	Bankstown	56
Bird,A	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Manly Oval	54
Richards,C	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Bankstown	54
Darwen,P	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown	54
Magee,D	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	52
Richards,C	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University	51
Thompson,S	15-Jan-06	Fairfield-Liverpool	Rosedale Oval	50

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## FIRST GRADE BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	5 Inn	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Bird,A	13	173.5	44	477	2	7-21	2.74	15.39	31
Thompson,S	18	202.5	31	624	-	4-36	3.08	22.29	28
Waugh,D	18	179.2	39	498	-	4-16	2.78	20.75	24
Betsey,M	18	259	75	666	-	4-26	2.57	27.75	24
Burns,D	15	181.2	30	610	1	5-65	3.36	25.42	24
Keen,S	14	135.5	30	412	1	5-7	3.03	21.68	19
Price,C	12	96	24	282	-	3-42	2.94	28.20	10
Freedman,D	2	38.3	6	129	1	6-51	3.35	16.12	8
Darwen,P	10	55	8	199	-	3-20	3.62	49.75	4
Ettridge,D	14	21	3	60	-	2-9	2.86	20.00	3
Small,C	5	7	1	18	-	1-9	2.57	18.00	1
Roworth,B	4	5.1	-	25	-	1-25	4.84	25.00	1

## FIRST GRADE BEST BOWLING IN AN INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Bird,A	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Bankstown	7-21
Freedman,D	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Bankstown	6-51
Keen,S	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Bankstown	5-7
Bird,A	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Bankstown	5-22
Burns,D	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Drummoyne Oval	5-65
Burns,D	20-Nov-05	Mosman	Bankstown	4-15
Waugh,D	20-Nov-05	Mosman	Bankstown	4-16
Betsey,M	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Waitara Park	4-26
Thompson,S	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Bankstown	4-36
Bird,A	8-Oct-05	St George	Hurstville Oval	4-44
Betsey,M	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Waverley Oval	4-47
Thompson,S	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown	4-56
Bird,A	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Bankstown	4-73
Thompson,S	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Bankstown	3-18
Darwen,P	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	3-20
Thompson,S	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Bankstown	3-25
Waugh,D	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Bankstown	3-31
Thompson,S	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Waitara Park	3-32
Burns,D	29-Jan-06	Western Suburbs	Bankstown	3-34
Bird,A	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Bankstown	3-38
Price,C	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bankstown	3-42



## FIRST GRADE LIMITED OVERS BATTING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Avg	Runs
Richards,C	6	6	2	3	2	1	140*	88.00	352
Magee,D	7	7	-	3	2	-	68	27.71	194
Waugh,D	7	6	1	3	1	-	71	32.60	163
Thompson,S	7	6	1	2	1	-	50	24.20	121
Keen,S	6	5	-	2	1	-	58	23.00	115
Bird,A	6	4	1	3	1	-	54	29.67	89
Ettridge,D	5	5	1	1	-	-	31	17.50	70
Darwen,P	4	3	-	1	-	-	37	12.33	37
Betsey,M	7	5	2	2	-	-	10	10.33	31
Ridley,C	1	1	-	-	-	-	12	12.00	12
Price,C	6	3	1	-	-	-	5	4.00	8
Allsopp,J	7	3	2	8	-	-	4*	4.00	4
Small,C	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	4.00	4

## FIRST GRADE LIMITED OVERS BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	5 Inn	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Bird,A	6	45.5	4	156	1	7-21	3.4	10.40	15
Waugh,D	7	36.4	2	132	-	4-16	3.6	14.67	9
Burns,D	5	18.2	4	60	-	4-15	3.27	8.57	7
Thompson,S	7	40.4	5	137	-	3-18	3.37	22.83	6
Keen,S	6	38	7	153	-	2-39	4.03	30.60	5
Betsey,M	7	55	13	172	-	2-9	3.13	34.40	5
Darwen,P	4	18	2	82	-	3-20	4.56	20.50	4
Small,C	1	2	1	9	-	1-9	4.5	9.00	1
Ettridge,D	5	4	-	20	-	0-20	5.0	0.00	0
Price,C	6	24	3	102	-	0-16	4.25	14.84	0

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# SECOND GRADE THE ALBERT CUP

## Mark Grant

In writing about our season I would first like to acknowledge Northern Districts as the 2nd Grade Premiers. Congratulations to Jonathon Tait and his team for winning the minor premierships before defeating UTS Balmain in a close final.

The 2005-2006 Season was not one of our club's best, sliding to ninth in the Club Championship. As was the case last season, there was only one award for anyone connected with Bankstown at the annual Sydney Cricket Association Awards evening. That being for Warwick Starr and his team, who ran third in the Ground of the Year competition. There were no Grade Premierships (no grade in fact made a Qualifying Final), no Club Championship, no Captains of the Year, no Green Shield trophy, No PG trophy, nothing. Surely off-season planning must focus on turning this around for next season.

I would like to thank Warwick Starr, his staff, and the volunteer brigade for both Bankstown grounds and for Jensen Oval, which were always presented to a very high standard indeed. It's a pleasure to train and play on such facilities.

The 2nd Grade season itself fell short of many expectations. Provided we could regularly score 270+ runs I thought we had the bowlers to do very well during the season. Our bowling attack consistently included Fred and Scott Truashiem, supported at times by Clint Price (1st grade), Patty Darwen, Michael Polson and Daniel Moy. Unfortunately, the season showed that in general, we could not score the 270+ runs, especially after Christmas when we did it only once.

We had some memorable matches. Close wins were fought with Campbelltown-Camden and Hawkesbury in particular, while comprehensive victories were secured against Parramatta, Manly, Sydney University and Blacktown. However, it was our inability to win closer matches that cost us dearly. As is so

often the case, the difference between a good season and one like ours is the win/loss ratio in the closer matches. This was best shown by narrow losses to St George, Easts and University of NSW, two of whom made the finals series. It is obvious to say, but our batting was found wanting against better opponents.

Four centuries graced our scorebook this season. One each to Pat Darwen (V Sydney University) and Chris Ridley (a mighty 185no against Parramatta), while Chris Gane secured consecutive centuries against Premiers Northern Districts (123) and North Sydney (109), consequently he spent the rest of the season in 1st grade. Contrasted with centuries being scored in four matches was the fact that on six occasions we were 5-55 or worse. It's hard to win matches from such positions. Statistics across the club show that batting was sub-standard, 2nd grade fared no better. Steve Smith, our Batting Coach, continues to pull his hair out.

Later in this report are the team's statistics, showing just three batsmen scored more than 330 runs (Chris Gane, Chris Ridley and myself) and a host of players averaging under 30. In the modern day of covered wickets, it is very ordinary for a batsman not to achieve either or both of these two targets. Needless to say then, our bowling was



our strength in 2005-2006. It could have been even better had we held our catches, most often whilst fielding on the fence. Bowlers regularly bowled well together, with our spinners Fred, Patty, Pols and Chris Small, together with developing quick Scott Truashiem, taking 2/3s of our wickets. The aforementioned spinners were generally competitive with the ball, even on unresponsive wickets, while Scott's first full season in 2nd grade shows he should be working to gain a place in 1st grade during next season. His 30 wickets, including seven in the match against Penrith, showed he could be a potent force with the new ball. Five wicket or better hauls were secured by Clint Price (6-43 V UTS Balmain), Steven Burt (5-17 V North Sydney) and Michael Polson (5-66 V Northern Districts).

Keeping for us was shared during the season between Chris Gane and Anthony Sams. Chris capably took 15 dismissals (8c, 7st) while Anthony never looked out of place when taking over to capture his 8 dismissals (7c, 1st). As you



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can see, most dismissals did not involve our two 'keepers.

No captain can have an enjoyable season without strong support. Special thanks to David Freedman and Chris Gane for their on and off-field assistance, but also to Daniel Moy, Pat Darwen and Brad Roworth for providing ideas and input throughout matches as their selections allowed. To Brian Freedman, Marty Klump, Eris Dignam and my colleagues on the Management Committee, thanks for again extending the opportunity to me to captain. My thanks also to the Selection Panel, chaired by David Freedman, who ensured all players were observed and given a fair hearing when determining team balance. The opportunity to think through various competing factors, and to debate and discuss cricket issues led to consistent selections 2nd grade players could understand, many thanks!

Special thanks must also go to all the ladies in the Canteen for preparing lunches and afternoon teas. It's just another reason why playing at Bankstown Oval is a wonderful experience. Last but not least, I want to thank Maree Truashiem and Lindsay Roworth for the assistance they provided the team through their scoring and managerial roles. To Lindsay go my thanks for the other thousand tasks asked of you at short notice. If I have left anyone out, my apologies. I do mean to thank anyone that assisted the team at any stage throughout the season.

Finally, I would like to thank all of the players who played 2nd Grade during this season. We enjoyed each others' company, but let ourselves down with our application, particularly batting and outfield catching. If all players, especially batsmen, looked at themselves in the mirror and thought about their performance, just 5% more application to the technical and mental skills of batting might have allowed us to compete in the Final series. These two aspects must be our goals for the 2006-2007 season. No-one can play the game for you!

Thank you one and all,  
Mark Grant

Captain

### **Mark Grant**

Mark made impressive contributions to the club on a number of levels but there's no doubt in my mind that preparing young players for first grade is his most important role. Mark again led by example on the field topping the batting averages with 342 runs at 38.0. Off the field he provided wise counsel and mentoring to help his young players cope with the challenge of playing against hardened senior grade cricketers. If our young players can emulate Mark's determination and ability to produce their best when the chips are down both their own and our Club's future success will be guaranteed. MHK

### **Ryan Beaven**

Beavo came into the team after good performances in 3rd grade before taking a top order batting position in the team. His ten innings @ 23.2 against the newer ball often showed good potential, with excellent, controlled aggression a feature of some innings. However, with 60% of dismissals being bowled or LBW, all after Christmas, this presents an obvious area for improvement in establishing himself as a top order batsman. Beavo was also a keen contributor in the field, with his ground fielding proving to be very reliable.

### **Chris Bennett**

Chris played his eight innings in the early part of the season, scoring 94 runs @ 11.8. Unfortunately, batting in either the opener or top order positions, other than his 63 v Eastern Suburbs, Chris struggled to get a start. Attention in the coming season needs to be given to getting a start (batting to 20) against the newer ball, particularly his proportion of LBWs and bowled. Chris always gave 100% in the field, possessing an excellent arm.

### **Steven Burt**

Steven is a likeable young quick who played the last four matches with us, earning his way into the team with credible performances in 3rd grade. With 5-17 against North Sydney, Steven showed the ability to bowl line and length while

swinging the newer ball. His challenge will be to play the coming season in 2nd grade and allow his natural growth to assist him in increasing his pace. Hard work will be needed on occasions on flat wickets against quality opposition, Steven possesses the will and drive to prove his ability at this level.

### **Patrick Darwen**

Patty's season was pretty much split between us and 1st grade. His 6 innings @ 38 included a century against Sydney University, earning him a return to 1st grade as a batsman in his own right. Patty's improvement in his batting overtook his all-rounder status, becoming dominant at the crease with an aggressive attitude for an opener. The goal for Patty is to temper this natural aggression with respect for the new ball to build consistency as an opener, essential in retaining 1st and/or 2nd grade selection in this key role. Very capable fieldsman in any position, though his excellent hands makes the slips cordon logical.

### **David Freedman**

Fred's an enormous asset to our side, and still bowls as well as ever. In fact, searching for a different bowling mix, 1st grade stole him for the last two rounds (where he snared eight wickets!). Fred's attacking bowling style, combined with his competitive nature, ensured he remained our strike bowler, returning 29 wickets @ 18. Not to be underestimated, Fred's catching at 1st slip remained at a very high standard, while his batting was at times very useful, best shown by a quick 25 against St George.

### **Chris Gane**

For most of the season Chris was our wicket keeper and high order batsman. His 'keeping was always tidy and enthusiastic, ensuring bowlers and fieldsmen alike were kept on their toes. Gane had a great second half of the season, finishing with consecutive centuries, earning promotion to 1st grade and getting a half century to boot. His 123 against Premiers Northern Districts showed the patience his game had adopted against better bowling,

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while the 109 V North Sydney blended defence with aggression. 1st grade only next season Chris.

## Byron Hackshall

"Ronnie" came from 3rd grade with consistent batting form, but really blossomed under the challenge of playing the higher grade. His 8 innings @ 29.5 often displayed his technical game, playing very straight down the ground and well under pressure. This was best shown in only his second innings, against Hawkesbury, where Ronnie was placed under pressure to form a partnership to win us the game. Also, once set, Ronnie showed the ability to accelerate the run rate. I anticipate Ronnie will develop into a heavy run scorer in 2nd grade next season.

## Daniel Moy

Daniel's 12 innings @ 20.3 is misleading, with game circumstances of needing quick runs leading to the loss of his wicket. Combined this with two unlucky run outs, and one gets the impression his batting was better. Daniel's bowling was very important to us, returning 14 wickets @ 21.4. His ability to swing the older ball, often the only bowler who could, was vital to us in several matches, none more so than his 4-23 against Campbelltown-Camden in a very tight one-dayer. Daniel gives 100% in any position in the field. Looking forward to 2006-2007 Daniel.

## Andy O'Brien

Andy played just four games with us, with work and the inability to train causing a much lower performance level than would normally be the case. With just 43 runs @ 10.8, this former high grade player grossly underperformed. Always alert and quick in the field, Andy gave 100% to his team-mates. Here's hoping for a return to the training routine and quality performances he is capable of.

## Michael Polson

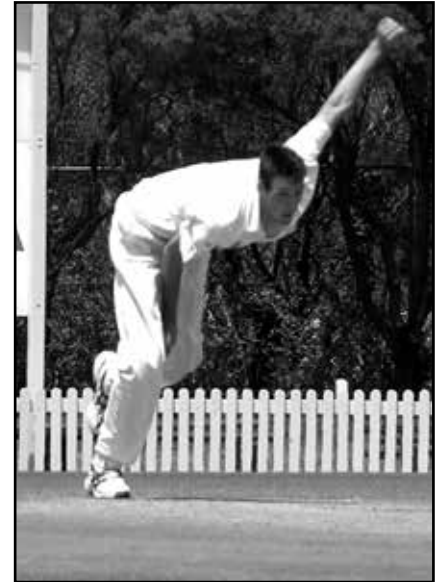
Mick should be disappointed with his 15 innings @ 20.6, he is capable of much, much better. His second innings 65 against UTS Balmain was outstanding under pressure, showing what he is capable of. Batting in both the middle order and as opener, Mick's task remains to convert the huge proportion of starts he gets to more than 30. With the ball though, Mick consistently bowled well to take his 19 wickets @ 26.8, including a best of 5-66 against premiers Northern Districts. A major feature of his bowling is his ability to bowl to the field set for him, especially when opening the bowling. Gives 100% in the field, but I'm looking for more runs next season Mick!

## Clint Price

Clint played a third of the season with us, with the bulk of his time spent in 1st grade. Clint was a much more valuable player than his 12 wickets @ 32.8 and nine innings @ 23.3 showed. He generally bowled with certainty and authority, hitting good lengths and lines early on with the new ball, though not always getting the return deserved. However, it was Clint's batting that provided some surprises for himself and the team, often showing the type of determination and application missing from our team's batting. While in 2nd grade, Clint is very much a genuine all-rounder and an experienced, leading player in our team.

## Chris Ridley

Chris was our leading run scorer, with 388 runs @ 35.3. In his first season in 2nd grade, Chris showed plenty of patience in the opening role, with none better than his 185 not out against Parramatta. Chris's concentration and application, and respecting the new ball then working it around, was a feature of his batting. If he can consistently bat long periods of time will develop into a prolific high grade run-scorer for the club. His challenge to this is to eliminate being judged LBW, with a technical flaw the



major contributor. Chris has great hands in the slips and gives 100% in the field.

## Brad Roworth

Brad fought hard throughout the season to consistently score runs. At times he showed he could play well under pressure (70 V Campbelltown-Camden) yet could be controlled while attacking (55 V Parramatta, 84 V Uni NSW). Whenever there was a dubious decision given, Rowie was often on the end of it, causing his statistics to be worse than is fair. Rowie's bowling remained useful, though it is fair to say played second fiddle to his batting talent. With luck next season Brad should reap a much better return on his batting endeavours. Gives 100% anywhere in the field.

## Anthony Sams

Samsy came in to the side to keep in the last four matches, and didn't let anyone down. His 'keeping was sharp, with concentration for the longer form of the game seemingly not a problem. He was equally capable when standing over the stumps or when keeping back to the quicks. Anthony's batting was also very useful to us, with his determined batting never better than against Penrith. In fact,

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his concentration and application was a model many other batsmen could follow. Keep working hard Samsy!

### Chris Small

Chris played his first season in the high grades, spending some time early in the season in 1st grade before dropping back. Batting in the top five, Chris's 13 innings @ 18.5 was disappointing, but given his age and potential, everyone is hoping for a much more impressive return next season. With 50% of dismissals seeing him caught between 'keeper and gully there is an obvious technical flaw to be addressed. On a more positive note, Chris bowled his leg spin with great effect, snaring 7 wickets at 25.9 from his 42 overs. This is an area for further development next season.

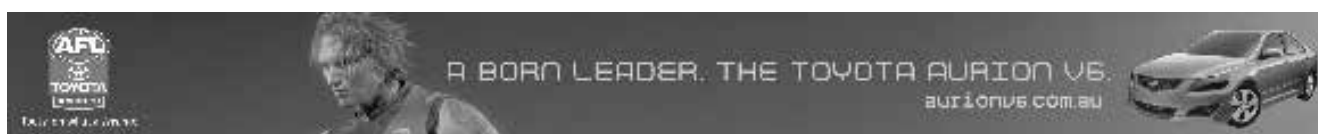
### Scott Truashiem

Scotty was our leading wicket taker, with 30 wickets @ 21.7. He also was often the bowler responsible for leading our bowling attack, a tough ask in your first full 2nd grade season. However, Scotty did everything asked of him, giving 100% with old and new ball. If he can consistently bowl that awkward length, in a good line, he will soon be in 1st grade. Scotty began to work on his batting throughout the season with Chris Gane, greatly improving Chris' game and his own! With increased strength work in the off-season, Scotty can only get better. One of the few players who worked hard on his batting, bowling and fielding.

### Bevan Van Blerk

Bev played five games with us, with no-one giving more effort. Bev bowled better than his five wicket return would indicate, often being the unlucky bowler. However, his effort with the new ball against St George was outstanding, returning 1-21 from his 10 overs. While his batting showed glimpses of form, it never reached the heights he often spoke of, providing an obvious area for improvement in the coming season.

Many thanks to the following players who played three matches or less during the season: Mitch Beaven, Daniel Burns, Shane Duff, Kain Harmsworth, Luke James, Emil Kolojeck and Brendan Small.





## SECOND GRADE BATTING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Avg	Runs
Ridley,C	9	12	1	6	1	1	185*	35.27	388
Grant,M	15	15	6	6	1	-	63	38.00	342
Gane,C	12	12	1	8	-	2	123	30.73	338
Polson,M	13	15	1	6	2	-	65	20.57	288
Roworth,B	10	12	-	5	3	-	84	22.17	266
Moy,D	12	12	-	9	2	-	64	20.33	244
Beaven,R	8	10	-	-	2	-	68	23.20	232
Darwen,P	5	6	-	8	1	1	102	38.00	228
Small,C	10	13	1	2	2	-	59	18.50	222
Price,C	7	9	1	2	-	-	39	23.25	186
Hackshall,B	8	8	2	2	1	-	74*	29.50	177
Bennett,C	7	8	-	4	1	-	63	11.75	94
Freedman,D	11	9	4	7	-	-	25	15.60	78
Sams,A	4	3	2	7	-	-	30*	63.00	63
O'Brien,A	4	4	-	2	-	-	43	10.75	43
Beaven,M	3	3	-	1	-	-	34	14.33	43
Van Blerk,B	5	5	1	-	-	-	19	7.00	28
Harmsworth,K	1	1	-	1	-	-	27	27.00	27
Truashiem,S	15	8	5	7	-	-	7	4.00	12
Small,B	1	1	-	-	-	-	11	11.00	11
Duff,S	1	1	-	2	-	-	11	11.00	11
Burt,S	4	2	-	-	-	-	5	5.00	10

## SECOND GRADE PARTNERSHIPS BY WICKET 2005-06

Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	148	Darwen,P	Polson,M	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown
2	138	Beaven,R	Ridley,C	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings
3	82	Beaven,R	Small,C	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown
4	119	O'Brien,A	Gane,C	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Bankstown
5	77	Price,C	Ridley,C	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings
6	110	Moy,D	Grant,M	8-Oct-05	St George	Bankstown
7	91	Roworth,B	Grant,M	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Raby No 1
8	100	Polson,M	Price,C	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown
9	39*	Sams,A	Grant,M	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Caringbah Oval
10	17	Van Blerk,B	Truashiem,S	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown

## SECOND GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Darwen,P	Polson,M	1	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	148
Beaven,R	Ridley,C	2	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	138
O'Brien,A	Gane,C	4	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Bankstown	119
Small,C	Gane,C	4	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	North Sydney Oval No2	111
Moy,D	Grant,M	6	8-Oct-05	St George	Bankstown	110
Polson,M	Price,C	8	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown	100
Ridley,C	Beaven,R	2	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Bankstown	96
Roworth,B	Grant,M	7	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Raby No 1	91
Polson,M	Bennett,C	1	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Bankstown	89
Roworth,B	Moy,D	7	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Village Green	84
Beaven,R	Small,C	3	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	82
Moy,D	Hackshall,B	6	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	81
Price,C	Ridley,C	5	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	77
Roworth,B	Ridley,C	6	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	74
Polson,M	Ridley,C	1	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	69
Price,C	Ridley,C	3	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	63
Grant,M	Sams,A	7	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Howell Oval	61
Polson,M	Beaven,R	2	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	58
Grant,M	Hackshall,B	6	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Owen Earle Oval	55*
Moy,D	Grant,M	8	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Village Green	52
Polson,M	Roworth,B	6	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Village Green	50



## SECOND GRADE BEST INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Ridley,C	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	185*
Gane,C	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Bankstown	123
Gane,C	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	North Sydney Oval No2	109
Darwen,P	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	102
Roworth,B	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Village Green	84
Ridley,C	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	83
Hackshall,B	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	74*
Roworth,B	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Raby No 1	70
Darwen,P	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Howell Oval	70
Beaven,R	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	68
Polson,M	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown	65
Moy,D	8-Oct-05	St George	Bankstown	64
Polson,M	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	64
Bennett,C	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Bankstown	63
Grant,M	8-Oct-05	St George	Bankstown	63
Beaven,R	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	60
Moy,D	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Village Green	60
Small,C	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	59
Roworth,B	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	55
Small,C	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	North Sydney Oval No2	54



## SECOND GRADE BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	5 Inn	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Truashiem,S	15	188.1	33	650	1	5-43	3.45	21.67	30
Freedman,D	11	193.1	48	523	1	8-44	2.71	18.03	29
Polson,M	13	167.5	39	509	1	5-66	3.03	26.79	19
Moy,D	12	96	22	299	-	4-23	3.11	21.36	14
Price,C	7	107	18	394	1	6-43	3.68	32.83	12
Small,C	10	42	4	181	-	2-16	4.31	25.86	7
Roworth,B	10	51	3	243	-	3-30	4.76	34.71	7
Burt,S	4	32	2	109	1	5-17	3.41	18.17	6
Van Blerk,B	5	59	5	230	-	2-40	3.9	46	5
Burns,D	2	14	2	57	-	3-30	4.07	19	3
Hackshall,B	8	19.1	2	90	-	2-41	4.7	30	3
Darwen,P	5	43	4	175	-	1-20	4.07	87.5	2
Beaven,M	3	16	-	74	-	2-19	4.62	37	2
James,L	1	2.4	1	13	-	2-13	4.88	6.5	2
Bennett,C	7	15	1	65	-	1-22	4.33	65	1
Small,B	1	10.5	3	19	-	1-19	1.75	19	1
Grant,M	15	1	-	3	-	0-3	3	0	0
Kolojeck,E	1	3	-	21	-	0-21	7	0	0
Harmsworth,K	1	2	-	17	-	0-17	8.5	0	0



## SECOND GRADE BEST BOWLING IN AN INNINGS 2005-6

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Freedman,D	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Bankstown	8-44
Price,C	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown	6-43
Burt,S	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	North Sydney Oval No2	5-17
Truashiem,S	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Howell Oval	5-43
Polson,M	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Bankstown	5-66
Moy,D	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Raby No 1	4-23
Truashiem,S	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	4-42
Freedman,D	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Bankstown	4-52
Polson,M	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	4-76
Freedman,D	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Bankstown	3-12
Truashiem,S	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Owen Earle Oval	3-18
Moy,D	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	3-20
Truashiem,S	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Bankstown	3-25
Burns,D	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Bankstown	3-30
Roworth,B	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Caringbah Oval	3-30
Freedman,D	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Coogee Oval	3-32
Freedman,D	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Old Kings	3-39
Polson,M	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	3-41
Price,C	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	3-61
Price,C	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Joe McAleer Oval	3-73

## SECOND GRADE WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Gane,C	11	8	7	15
Sams,A	4	7	1	8

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# THIRD GRADE

## THE MITCHELL CUP AND PLAYER PROFILES

### James Bourne

Congratulations to Randwick-Petersham on winning the competition.

The third grade season did not begin as well as we would have liked only winning two games before Xmas. After Xmas we improved and became much more competitive winning four games; unfortunately this was not good enough to make the finals.

This season third grade consisted of mainly younger players some of whom had only played a handful of grade games but we were boosted after a few games with David Thompson coming out of retirement and adding much needed experience to our team. It was easy to understand our slow start as the younger players strived to adjust to the rise in grades but as the season progressed they became more confident which showed in their performances in the second half of the season.

Pleasing batting performances were Luke James with 329 runs at an average of 33, David Thompson 325 at 33 and Chris Bennett 222 at 32. Our batsmen overall however need to work on batting time and improving shot selection. The best of the bowlers were Bevan Van Blerk with 19 wickets at an average of 21, Brendan Small 19 at 30 and Emile Koloczek 19 at 21 including a haul of 5-48.

I would like to thank the parents, Mr Burt, Mr Koloczek, Mr Sams and Smithy who helped with the covers, putting up the sight screens and scoring throughout the year. You made our job easier on the field and your contributions were much appreciated.

To Marty Klumpp, Eris and Brian Freedman and all of the Committee thanks for your efforts off the field; you guys really make this the Club we love playing for. Finally to the coaching staff especially Steve Smith and Shane Duff your contribution was first class and hopefully we can repay you next year by winning some competitions.



### James Bourne

In his first year as Captain James got to experience the highs and lows of leadership as he set about the task of moulding a group of inexperienced players. His 324 runs at 23 average belies his true ability but it was only reasonable to expect his personal form might suffer after taking on the lessons from season 05/06 and with his re-appointment for next season we will see the best of him with the bat and as skipper. A loyal clubman who is well liked by all.

### M Beavan

Beavo's performances this year in third grade were average for someone of his ability although he did get the team off to a good start on many occasions. Hopefully next season you will capitalise on your starts with some big scores of which are more than capable. Also we might get to see your Pommy friend!!

### S Burt

The rockstar!! One of our young quicks who came from 5ths last year. Burti bowled with good pace throughout and as the year progressed he got better and better. Looking forward to next season when you can bowl more than 6 over spells. You have a bright future with the Dogs.

### E Kolojeck

The HR of the team. Another young quick who bowled well. Emile's direction and ability to swing the new and old ball enabled him to win the bowling average. A great competitor on the field who has a lot of bulldog in him. Will only get better next year.

### A O'Brien

Not Andy's best season on the field but from all reports I have heard he is hitting them quite well off the field. On a serious note "OBI" thanks for your support this year mate and hope to see you again next season. Very good Lebanese dancer.

### B Small

BJ is another young quick with a very bright future at the Dogs. Brendon captured 19 wickets and he has the ability to play higher grades. With a little extra pace he will be a very difficult proposition for any batsman to counter. A handy lower order batsman. BJ also uses his height to his advantage at Northies.

### D Thompson

Thommo was not the youngest player in the team but he still scored 325 runs despite a late start to the season. He

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displayed a lot of aggression with the bat and has the ability to turn a game in a matter of overs. His experience was invaluable to me and the team. Congratulations Tom on amassing 7000 Bulldog runs ; hope to see you next year in the blue and whites. Thanks mate.

### **L James**

Luke made a major contribution to the team and was probably the 3rd grade player of the year with his attacking batting and aggressive bowling. His enthusiasm was infectious. A great team man who is all Bulldog.

### **B Van Blerk**

Rodger/Dad. Bev like the younger players got better as the season went on. Last round against Sutherland he bowled as quick as I have seen him bowl. A great clubman and really interesting guy to play with. Thanks for all your help and hope to see you next season. You will need a rest from the wife and new babe.

### **L Smith**

Smithy came up from fours and played some real good cricket. He has the ability to play higher grades as a spinner and with some work on his concentration as a batter he can be a valuable all-rounder as he is a very clean striker of the ball. BJ's right hand man at Northies.



### **A Sams**

Prince's five eighth. Samsy had a real good year for us as a keeper and opening bat in the 7 games he played before forcing his way into second grade. Has a very bright future in the game. All the best, mate.

### **C Bennett**

Chris had a fine season with the bat and also impressed with his bowling. With a little bit more work on his bowling could become a very valuable allrounder for the Club. A very good prospect.

Many thanks to all the other lads who played in thirds at some stage during the season. In all, 28 players represented the Club in thirds over the season and it was a pleasure to be your captain. I look forward to seeing you all next season.



## THIRD GRADE BATTING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Avg	Runs
James,L	11	11	1	5	3	-	87	32.90	329
Thompson,D	10	11	1	3	2	-	79*	32.50	325
Bourne,J	14	14	1	5	1	1	129*	24.38	317
O'Brien,A	8	8	-	3	3	-	64	28.50	228
Beaven,R	5	5	-	-	3	-	63	45.60	228
Bennett,C	7	7	-	4	2	-	78	31.71	222
Smith,L	8	8	-	5	1	-	79	26.38	211
Beaven,M	11	11	-	2	-	-	37	17.91	197
Ridley,C	3	3	-	1	-	1	115	56.00	168
Sams,A	7	6	2	5	1	-	56	41.50	166
Hackshall,B	6	5	-	3	1	-	51	26.60	133
Van Blerk,B	10	8	4	3	-	-	31*	23.50	94
Small,B	13	10	2	4	-	-	23*	10.38	83
Griffiths,R	5	6	1	3	-	-	47	14.60	73
Kolojeck,E	12	9	2	3	-	-	20	7.00	49
Wise,S	4	3	2	3	-	-	27*	49.00	49
Burt,S	9	8	5	-	-	-	13*	10.33	31
Scott,B	2	2	1	2	-	-	16	31.00	31
Ridley,I	2	2	1	1	-	-	17	24.00	24
Hopkins,M	4	4	-	-	-	-	11	5.75	23
Shaw,S	3	3	-	-	-	-	6	4.33	13
Dunn,C	4	2	-	1	-	-	7	6.00	12
Gersbach,J	1	1	-	-	-	-	8	8.00	8
Doab,M	2	2	1	-	-	-	8	8.00	8
Drew,D	3	3	1	-	-	-	5	3.50	7
Baker,M	1	1	-	-	-	-	6	6.00	6
Freedman,D	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	3

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Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	75	Bennett,C	O'Brien,A	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Grahame Thomas
2	124	Ridley,C	Beaven,R	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas
3	113	Beaven,R	James,L	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval
4	39	O'Brien,A	Thompson,D	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Grahame Thomas
5	95	James,L	Bourne,J	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval
6	66	Thompson,D	James,L	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas
7	80	Hackshall,B	Van Blerk,B	12-Nov-05	Manly-Warringah	Grahame Thomas
8	34	Smith,L	Scott,B	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Grahame Thomas
9	228	Kolojeck,E	Thompson,D	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2
10	21	Van Blerk,B	Thompson,D	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2

## THIRD GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

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Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Kolojeck,E	Thompson,D	9	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2	228
Ridley,C	Beaven,R	2	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas	124
Beaven,R	James,L	3	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval	113
O'Brien,A	Bennett,C	2	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	99
James,L	Bourne,J	5	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	95
Hackshall,B	Van Blerk,B	7	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Grahame Reserve	80
Bennett,C	O'Brien,A	1	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Grahame Thomas	75
Ridley,C	Beaven,M	1	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Cahill Park	72
Beaven,M	Ridley,C	1	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas	70
Bourne,J	Beaven,R	3	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Grahame Thomas	70
James,L	Wise,S	7	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas	69*
Ridley,I	Hopkins,M	1	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Asquith Oval	67
Thompson,D	James,L	6	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas	66
Bennett,C	Bourne,J	3	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	61
Smith,L	Van Blerk,B	9	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Grahame Thomas	60
Beaven,M	James,L	1	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Grahame Thomas	57
Hackshall,B	Freedman,D	7	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval	54
Smith,L	James,L	5	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas	50



## THIRD GRADE BEST INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Bourne,J	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	129*
Ridley,C	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas	115
James,L	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Asquith Oval	87
Thompson,D	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2	79*
Smith,L	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Grahame Thomas	79
Bennett,C	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	78
James,L	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Graham Thomas	76*
Bourne,J	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval	74
Bennett,C	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas	67
James,L	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	GrahameThomas	66
O'Brien,A	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Grahame Thomas	64
Beaven,R	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas	63
O'Brien,A	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2	59
Beaven,R	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Grahame Thomas	58
Beaven,R	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval	56
Sams,A	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Asquith Oval	56
Thompson,D	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Grahame Thomas	54
Hackshall,B	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Grahme Reserve	51
O'Brien,A	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	51

## THIRD GRADE WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Sams,A	6	5	1	6
Griffiths,R	5	3	1	4
Wise,S	3	3	-	3



## THIRD GRADE BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	5 Inn	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Van Blerk,B	10	132.5	24	392	-	4-20	2.95	20.6	19
Small,B	13	145.4	23	568	-	4-48	3.9	29.9	19
Kolojeck,E	12	96.5	10	395	1	5-48	4.08	20.8	19
Smith,L	8	96.1	9	425	-	4-105	4.42	32.7	13
Burt,S	9	89	13	381	-	4-43	4.28	29.3	13
Beaven,M	11	75	6	360	-	3-46	4.8	32.7	11
James,L	11	70	8	266	-	4-35	3.8	24.2	11
Bennett,C	7	25	-	104	-	3-48	4.16	17.3	6
Freedman,D	1	25	6	71	-	4-71	2.84	17.8	4
Hackshall,B	6	32	2	162	-	1-34	5.06	81.0	2
O'Brien,A	8	3	-	21	-	1-21	7	21.0	1
Drew,D	3	14	3	56	-	1-22	4	56.0	1
Doab,M	2	16	1	66	-	1-47	4.12	66.0	1
Bourne,J	14	5	-	28	-	0-28	5.6	0.0	0
Dunn,C	4	10	-	78	-	0-17	7.8	0.0	0
Leichsenring,D	1	10	-	35	-	0-35	3.5	0.0	0
Ridley,I	2	13	-	85	-	0-20	6.54	0.0	0
Gersbach,J	1	2	-	22	-	0-22	11	0.0	0
Scott,B	2	13	1	41	-	0-17	3.15	0.0	0

## THIRD GRADE BEST BOWLING IN AN INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Kolojeck,E	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Grahame Thomas	5-48
Van Blerk,B	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Grahame Thomas	4-20
Kolojeck,E	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Grahame Thomas	4-24
James,L	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	4-35
Burt,S	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Grahame Thomas	4-43
Van Blerk,B	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Grahame Thomas	4-46
Small,B	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Cahill Park	4-48
Burt,S	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Grahame Thomas	4-65
Freedman,D	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Ryde Oval	4-71
Smith,L	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Tunks Oval	4-105
James,L	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Grahame Thomas	3-21
Burt,S	7-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Grahame Thomas	3-22
Van Blerk,B	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Grahame Thomas	3-32
Kolojeck,E	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Grahame Thomas	3-43
Beaven,M	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Grahame Thomas	3-46
Bennett,C	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Grahame Thomas	3-48
Smith,L	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No2	3-50
Small,B	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Grahame Thomas	3-60
Smith,L	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Asquith Oval	3-79



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# FOURTH GRADE THE REID CUP

## Geoff Spotswood

Congratulations to Marty – who won? on winning the Fourth Grade premiership. The season was productive on many fronts with the emergence of several players who performed well and established themselves as potentially higher grade players.

On the field, the Fourth Grade team proved to be competitive in most matches. However, it was frustrating to have a talented group of players who were unable to exert consistent pressure on the opposition resulting in many missed opportunities.

With the bat, the team scored over 200 runs on only six occasions and no batsman scored 300 runs for the season. This was disappointing as the talent in the team was capable of far greater aggregates than were recorded. Best performed batsmen were Luke Reece 295 runs, Brendan Scott 236 runs and Iain Ridley 233 runs. There were some outstanding individual performances which demonstrated the ability in the team, but unfortunately these were few and far between. Building an innings through patient and mature shot selection is an area of concern which needs to be addressed as a matter of priority. A successful team needs to score in excess of 250 runs per innings consistently and this must be the aim for next season.

The modest team totals recorded by our batsmen on generally consistently true wickets posed a great challenge for the bowlers. Pressure was constantly on our attack to take wickets whilst bowling economically. Courageous efforts were recorded by Darren Leichensring, Matthew Doab and Brendan Scott week in and week out but with only meagre team totals to defend it was an imposing task to regularly dismiss opposition teams.

In fact all ten wickets were taken on only three occasions during the season! The side was without a finger spinner all season which put additional pressure on



the team's leg spinners who rarely had the luxury of a good first innings total to defend. Fielding was generally a pleasing aspect of the team's play and special mention must be made on the consistent efforts of Matthew Hopkins, Brendan Scott and Steve Shaw who led the way in the field.

Trainings this season were professionally conducted under the experienced leadership of "Coach Duff". Shane was well organised and he impressed all players with the professionalism and energy he brought to the challenging task of coaching a grade club. Shane challenged the players to adopt greater responsibility with their training and this was significant as it laid the foundation for seasons to come. Shane was well supported by Ray Hall, John Betsey and Steve Smith who combined well to prepare the players during the season.

Eris ensured trainings were well organised as was the canteen where he thought he ruled the roost and all and sundry are to be congratulated for perpetuating the myth that he was indispensable! Roe and Margaret deserve special mention for managing the canteen and Eris.

Eris was everywhere and as usual tasks were completed with a minimum of fuss and with little stress. His cool, cordial and pleasant manner would not be out of place in the diplomatic corps. Brian and Marty steered the club on a steady course and there are some exciting projects on the horizon as these two work to reinforce the Bulldog's reputation as the number one ranked club in Sydney. The club is eternally indebted to Brian and Marty for their outstanding contribution over many seasons of faithful and loyal service.

Home games were staged at Graham Thomas Oval for the first full season and this resulted in better club spirit with players mixing more socially after games at the Steve and Mark Waugh Pavilion. The development of this ground in a short period of time from a bumpy local park to an award winning wicket and outfield demonstrates the vision and resourcefulness of Brian and Marty.

The club was ably led by Scott Thompson, Mark Grant, James Bourne and Peter Moy who captained the club this season. Each brought their own unique style of leadership to the task with Scott and James performing well in their stint in the job.

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### Geoff Spotswood

As an experienced campaigner Geoff would be disappointed with Fourth Grades results last season. However as a realist he also understands that the Club is going through a rebuilding phase and that last season was an investment in the future. Personally Geoff's form was solid returning 293 runs at 20.0 average with the bat and 15 wickets at 18.0 average to capture the team bowling awards. It is still a delight to watch Spottie in action. As Steven Wise remarked at the end of season dinner Spottie's modus operandi of 'when in trouble, create more trouble' adds character to any match!

### Mitchell Baker

Mitchell displayed a refreshing attacking attitude with the bat and provided he is able to develop the defensive part of his game he has the potential to become strong contributor for the Doggies. He had limited opportunities this season but needs to be more patient especially early in his innings.

Mitchell is an energetic cricketer with a good sense of humour who gained valuable experience this season. His legspinners show promise and I encourage him to work hard at this area of his game.

### Mitchell Davis

Mitchell is a talented sportsman who also excels in golf and should be encouraged to play in both this and his cricket. This season Mitchell gained valuable confidence and made significant contributions with his batting and wicket keeping. His potential with the bat was demonstrated in his outstanding innings

Mark Grant and Peter Moy continued to guide the players in Second and Fifth Grades as they have done with distinction for the past few seasons. Peter retired at the end of the season and he will so sorely missed. Peter will be remembered as a dedicated player and captain and a fiercely proud Bulldog.

I played my first and only game with Peter this season when he reluctantly left his beloved Fifth Grade team to help Fourth Grade. Long will I remember Peter opening the bowling and completing a marathon spell of twenty overs. Final analysis, Peter Moy, 5 wickets for 33 and Northern Districts all out for 124. Thanks, Pete.

In conclusion, although the Doggies didn't figure in the finals this season, I'm confident it's only an aberration and with the talented players at the club, outstanding coaches, administrators and volunteers the club is well placed to challenge for premierships next season. The team was well supported by a loyal and hard working group who assisted with the off field duties. My thanks to Eris Dignam who marshalled the troops each Saturday at home games to ensure players only had to worry about playing cricket. Thanks also Mrs. Hopkins, Graham Dunn, Wendie Ridley and the parents, wives and girlfriends who helped with afternoon teas, drinks, scoring, sight screens and other player and team needs.

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against Penrith where his 71 almost won the match when the team was set 340 to win. Mitchell showed himself to be a good team man and assisted team harmony with his friendly and easy going attitude.

## **Matthew Doab**

Matthew played consistently well all season with bat and ball. Injury forced him out of the final rounds of the season when his presence was sorely missed. Whether opening the bowling or first change, Matthew regularly beat the bat with his seamers. His desire to perform to the best of his ability was an inspiration to his team mates. Matthew also batted with aggression and regularly scored vital runs in fine style as demonstrated with his lone effort of 89 out of 177, batting at number nine against Balmain. With his new found enthusiasm and application to training Matthew showed that he has the ability to become a reliable allrounder for the club.

## **David Drew**

David is a pleasure to play with and all members of the team benefited from his experience and nurturing approach. David was missed when not playing and on these occasions it showed how vital an experienced veteran is to a team.

David bowled some very useful spells and was unlucky with the bat. The fighting and proud Bulldog spirit that David takes onto the field is a quality that team mates and opposition admire and respect. As well as playing this season, David took on the onerous task of managing the Green Shield team where the next generation of Doggies were fortunate to be exposed to David's experience and coaching. David has indicated he is retiring and I wish him all the best for the future but I'm sure it isn't the last we will see of this great club man.

## **Cameron Dunn**

Cameron continued his development of his unique skill of leg spin bowling and was rewarded during the season with promotion to Third grade. A more physically mature bowler emerged this season and with improved accuracy he

will be able to exert even more pressure on batsmen. This will result in greater economy and more wickets. Cameron showed pleasing commitment with the bat and proved difficult to dismiss. He was prepared to place a high price on his wicket which included a fighting 21 not out to hold the opposition at bay. Cameron is a reliable fieldsman with a safe pair of hands.

## **Matthew Hopkins**

Mathew emerged as one of the success stories of the season. His batting was outstanding during the Green Shield which resulted in his selection in the combined team. Matthew continued his fine batting into the grade season where he finished the season in Third Grade. Matthew opened the batting where he displayed a determination that was an example to his following team mates.

The challenge for Matthew next season is to increase the momentum of his innings the longer he bats by being more positive in his stroke play & running between the wickets. Matthew should feel proud of his achievements this season and prepare well so he can start the coming season where he left off. A responsive and reliable team player who fields well.

## **Shah Khan**

Shah performed well in his limited opportunities this season. His bowling displayed promise and as his accuracy improves more wickets will follow as batsmen are subjected to greater pressure. Shah's batting was solid and culminated in a match winning innings against Blacktown where he figured in a tent wicket partnership of 85 with Brendan Scott. This was one of the most memorable performances of the season. Shah is a reliable fieldsman and a cooperative team member.

## **Chris Khoury**

Chris made an instant impact on his team mates and opposition when he was selected for Fourth Grade with his determined and aggressive play and attitude. His batting is technically sound and he has the admirable ability of being able to build the momentum and tempo

the longer he bats. Chris combined in a great partnership with Mitch Davis against Blacktown where he scored 91 which almost won the game. Chris fields well and has a strong throwing arm which combined with his ability to bowl some handy overs makes him an asset to any team. Chris provided a good role model for the younger members of the team.

## **Darren Leichsenring**

Darren bowled very well at times this season in his role as an opening bowler. When he has his rhythm, pitches the ball up and allows it to swing he is a most dangerous bowler. Darren beat the bat often and at times the batsmen were unable to find the edge. Darren needs to ensure he gives himself every opportunity to succeed by preparing well during the preseason. He is affine player who we are yet to see the best of. He is a popular team member who assists in the development of harmony and spirit. Darren has the ability to play higher grade cricket.

## **Cameron Phelps**

Cameron displayed an undoubted ability with bat and ball in his limited appearances in Fourth Grade this season. He was always keen to contribute in any way to assist the team and this confidence was an example for his team mates. Cameron loves to attack the bowling when batting and when he gives himself the chance to settle in and build an innings fireworks are bound to eventuate. This occurred against Northern Districts where he scored 54 in quick time in an innings which demoralised the opposition. Cameron is a reliable and team focussed player and is an outstanding fieldsman.

## **Luke Reece**

Luke had a very good season where he established himself as a potential higher grade player. Luke scored an aggressive century against Northern Districts and this combined with a series of other good innings produced a season that he should be proud of. Luke is an aggressive batsman who when in the mood can take an attack apart. He is not afraid to hit through the line and loft the ball which

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displays a confidence and maturity. There is a risk with this approach and Luke needs to work hard at selecting the appropriate shot to play and resist the temptation to decide to attack before the ball is bowled. Pre-emptive strikes should be left for the military! Luke is a solid bowler and fieldsman who would benefit from some preseason sprint training. Luke is a keen team man who enjoys the camaraderie of the team environment.

### Iain Ridley

Iain had bright start to the season with an attacking 92 against Eastern Suburbs. Although he was unable to maintain this form Iain compiled a creditable aggregate 233 runs. Iain is a talented batsman who works hard at his game at training but unfortunately this season work commitments restricted his attendance. Iain is a great team man who has an astute tactical understanding of the game and his team mates benefited significantly from his insightful observations and unselfish play.

### Anthony Sams

Anthony had a fine season and after spending the early part of the season in

Fourth grade he was promoted to the higher grades. Anthony's wicketkeeping and batting indicated he has a big future in the game. I encourage him to continue to work hard and listen to the advice and assistance offered by his coaches and higher grade teammates.

### Brendan Scott

Brendan has made pleasing progress this season and was rewarded with selection in Third Grade. Brendan's bowling was accurate and he toiled hard on unresponsive wickets in most matches. A willingness to accept and act on advice was a feature of Brendan's personality and I encourage him to always be responsive to those who have his best interests at heart. With increased pace and movement, Brendan should have a bumper season in 2006-07. Brendan's batting was a revelation where he consistently scored valuable runs in good style in compiling 236 runs at an average of 26. Scorching drives off the front foot are a feature of Brendan's batting and his match winning 81 in a tenth wicket partnership with Shah Khan where they put on 85 runs is a testament to his ability.

### Steven Shaw

Steven played some valuable innings this season but too often he lost his wicket before he had a chance to produce the performances worthy of his ability. He is a stylish stroke maker when in full flight and has the potential to play higher grade cricket. In order to do this he needs to work on building an innings by playing straight early and working on the mental side of his game. Steven is an outstanding fieldsman and a reliable team man.

### Steven Wise

Steven batted at number three for most of this season and displayed the grit and determination for which he is renowned. His aggregate doesn't reflect the valuable contributions he made at the top of the order where he bore the brunt of the opposition's attack. Steven is always willing to assist his team and the club and this was demonstrated when he kept wickets when required for Third and Fourth grades. Many players benefited from Steven's wise counsel and experience and his tactical input was crucial to the team. Steven is a genuine and loyal club man





## FOURTH GRADE BATTING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Avg	Runs
Reece,L	8	9	1	2	1	1	111*	36.88	295
Spotswood,G	14	16	2	2	1	-	50*	20.93	293
Scott,B	13	11	2	2	1	-	81	26.22	236
Ridley,I	11	14	-	6	1	-	92	16.64	233
Hopkins,M	8	10	1	1	1	-	61	20.89	188
Doab,M	11	8	1	5	1	-	89	21.29	149
Shaw,S	8	9	-	8	1	-	57	16.11	145
Wise,S	11	12	3	9	-	-	39	14.11	127
Khoury,C	3	3	-	1	1	-	91	39.33	118
Hackshall,B	3	3	-	1	1	-	60	35.00	105
Phelps,C	3	3	-	1	1	-	54	33.67	101
Sams,A	5	6	2	9	-	-	29	23.00	92
Addison,D	2	2	1	-	1	-	71*	89.00	89
Davis,M	4	4	-	1	1	-	71	21.25	85
Smith,L	4	4	1	-	1	-	52*	26.67	80
Christensen,B	2	2	-	-	-	-	45	31.50	63
Gersbach,J	4	4	-	1	-	-	19	12.75	51
Khan,S	4	4	1	1	-	-	31*	16.67	50
Grant,S	1	1	-	2	-	-	47	47.00	47
Dunn,C	8	7	5	-	-	-	21*	19.50	39
Drew,D	7	7	-	2	-	-	23	5.29	37
Leichsenring,D	12	7	1	-	-	-	15	5.83	35
James,L	1	1	1	1	-	-	33*	-	33
Baker,M	4	4	-	1	-	-	25	7.00	28
Buchanan,I	2	2	1	1	-	-	17	25.00	25
Donovan,R	4	4	-	1	-	-	13	5.50	22
Vella,J	2	2	1	-	-	-	10	19.00	19
Spaul,D	1	1	-	1	-	-	10	10.00	10
Cusick,S	1	1	-	-	-	-	7	7.00	7
Hopkins,J	2	2	-	2	-	-	5	2.50	5
Vella,T	2	1	1	-	-	-	2*	-	2
Moy,P	1	1	1	-	-	-	1*	-	1



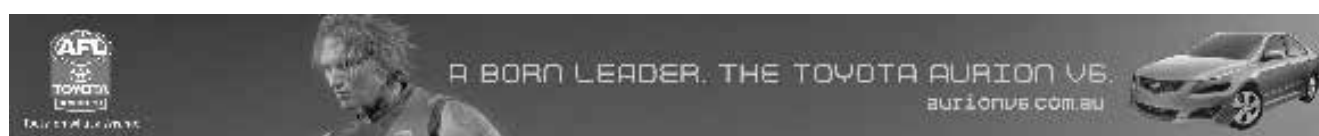


## FOURTH GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS BY WICKET

Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	82	Sams,A	Ridley,I	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas
2	95	Spotswood,G	Reece,L	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park
3	99	Hackshall,B	Ridley,I	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas
4	48	Hackshall,B	Donovan,R	8-Oct-05	St George	Grahame Thomas
5	65	Hopkins,M	Spotswood,G	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth
6	77*	Wise,S	Smith,L	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas
7	160	Khoury,C	Davis,M	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park
8	74	Phelps,C	Reece,L	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Grahame Thomas
9	80	Khan,S	Reece,L	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Grahame Thomas
10	89	Doab,M	Dunn,C	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Grahame Thomas

## FOURTH GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Khoury,C	Davis,M	7	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park	160
Hackshall,B	Ridley,I	3	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Graham Thomas	99
Spotswood,G	Reece,L	2	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park	95
Doab,M	Dunn,C	10	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Graham Thomas	89
Scott,B	Khan,S	10	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Whalan	85
Sams,A	Ridley,I	1	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Graham Thomas	82
Khan,S	Reece,L	9	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Graham Thomas	80
Addison,D	Scott,B	9	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Graham Thomas	78*
Wise,S	Smith,L	6	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Graham Thomas	77*
Phelps,C	Reece,L	8	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Graham Thomas	74
Ridley,I	Hopkins,M	1	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Graham Thomas	66
Hopkins,M	Spotswood,G	5	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth	65
Wise,S	Hopkins,M	2	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth	62
Drew,D	Shaw,S	6	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Sutherland Oval	60
Reece,L	Christensen,B	3	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Whalan	57
Grant,S	Wise,S	2	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Graham Thomas	56



## FOURTH GRADE BEST INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Reece,L	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Grahame Thomas	111*
Ridley,I	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas	92
Khoury,C	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park	91
Doab,M	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Grahame Thomas	89
Scott,B	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Whalan	81
Addison,D	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Grahame Thomas	71*
Davis,M	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park	71
Reece,L	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Cook Park	62
Hopkins,M	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth	61
Hackshall,B	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas	60
Shaw,S	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Sutherland Oval	57
Phelps,C	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Grahame Thomas	54
Smith,L	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Grahame Thomas	52*
Spotswood,G	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth	50*

## FOURTH GRADE BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	5 Inn	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Spotswood,G	14	108	30	282	-	3-9	2.61	18.8	15
Leichsenring,D	12	125.1	12	448	-	3-27	3.58	37.33	12
Scott,B	13	120.2	13	453	-	2-32	3.76	37.75	12
Dunn,C	8	83	14	322	-	3-51	3.88	35.78	9
Drew,D	7	64	13	173	-	2-15	2.7	21.62	8
Doab,M	11	100	17	322	-	3-38	3.22	40.25	8
Moy,P	1	20	9	33	1	5-33	1.65	6.6	5
Christensen,B	2	17.3	2	67	-	3-42	3.83	13.4	5
Buchanan,I	2	14	2	57	-	4-25	4.07	11.4	5
Ridley,I	11	35	3	151	-	2-25	4.31	37.75	4
Phelps,C	3	48	7	118	-	3-36	2.46	29.5	4
Khoury,C	3	15	3	47	-	4-15	3.13	11.75	4
Vella,J	2	28	4	97	-	3-51	3.46	24.25	4
Hackshall,B	3	31	5	84	-	2-35	2.71	28	3
Addison,D	2	22	3	88	-	2-49	4	29.33	3
Reece,L	8	16	1	72	-	2-47	4.5	24	3
Khan,S	4	26	7	83	-	2-31	3.19	41.5	2
Smith,L	4	5	1	20	-	1-12	4	20	1
Baker,M	4	6.1	-	21	-	1-10	3.41	21	1
Vella,T	2	18	4	71	-	1-40	3.94	71	1
Kolojeck,E	1	11	2	47	-	1-47	4.27	47	1

## FOURTH GRADE BEST BOWLING IN AN INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Moy,P	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Graham Thomas	5-33
Khoury,C	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Sutherland Oval	4-15
Buchanan,I	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bensons Lane 2	4-25
Spotswood,G	14-Jan-06	North Sydney	Graham Thomas	3-9
Spotswood,G	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Bensons Lane 2	3-25
Leichsenring,D	19-Nov-05	UNSW	David Phillips Nth	3-27
Leichsenring,D	8-Oct-05	St George	Graham Thomas	3-35
Phelps,C	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Graham Thomas	3-36
Doab,M	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Graham Thomas	3-38
Spotswood,G	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	Graham Thomas	3-41
Christensen,B	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Whalan	3-42
Dunn,C	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Merrylands Oval	3-51
Vella,J	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Whalan	3-51

## FOURTH GRADE WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Sams,A	5	9	-	9
Wise,S	6	6	-	6
Davis,M	2	1	1	2
Shaw,S	1	2	-	2





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# FIFTH GRADE THE DAVID SHERWOOD CUP

## Peter Moy

In writing about the Fifth grade season the team would firstly wish to congratulate the Randwick-Petersham club for winning the Fifth grade premiership.

This years Fifth grade made the change from the Punchbowl Oval facilities to the excellent facilities at Jensen Oval which was a good opportunity for our young batsmen to show their wares but not so good for our inexperienced bowlers.

The 2005/06 season saw 35 players turn out for the Bulldogs which is the most number of players in a single season for the ten years that I have been playing for the club and the results for the side are a reflection of this.

The Fifth grade team finished in about 14th position in the competition on 30 points with a total five wins, 2 draws and 8 losses, with two of the losses chasing 300 runs with the side just falling 2 runs short in heart breaking finishes. The team conceded 3339 runs taking 116 wickets at an average of 28.78 runs and scored 3313 runs for the loss of 141 wickets at an average of 23.49 runs.

The quality of the Jensen wicket shone through with the side compiling over 250 runs in 6 of the 10 matches that were played at home. On the flip side of the coin the team only managed to dismiss our opponents 6 out of the 15 rounds with this being mainly at Jensen which we all know is a very good batting wicket.

Not meaning to make excuses for the bowlers, but when the team drops on average five catches a match it becomes increasingly hard for the bowlers to produce that wicket taking ball especially when playing on Jensen oval.

The statistics for the Fifth grade team tell the story with only two batsmen qualifying for the averages this season namely Brad Christensen, 8 innings for 308 runs at an average of 37.75 and Mitchell Baker, 11 innings for 371 runs at 33.72 runs. The bowling average and aggregate



was taken out by yours truly with 23 wickets at 19.17 from 11 matches. Only one century was scored this season by Brad Christensen with a magnificent 153 against Penrith in round 13. Two other players went close to three figures namely James Hopkins with 97 against Northern Districts in round 8 and David Spaul with 96 against Eastern Suburbs in round 2.

As mentioned earlier, Jensen Oval is very good for batting and this is highlighted with 10 players recording half centuries these players being: Mitchell Baker 84, 69, 62 and 51; Lance Keen 77 and 62; Tharun Kaliyanda 83 and 65; James Hopkins 97 and 84; Tim Burns 54; Brad Christensen 65; Chris Khoury 56; David Spaul 96; Mitchell Davis 61 and Matt Hopkins 77.

The bowlers toiled away honestly all season but the inexperienced younger members of our attack found the going hard as they were not use to bowling tight lines and good lengths for long periods of time on excellent wickets to good batsmen who knew they would receive two balls an over with which to score off.

Twenty six bowlers were used during the season with a wide range of results for all the bowlers. Peter Moy took out the bowling honours with 23 wickets for

441 runs from 148 overs at an average of 19.17. Other bowlers to take wickets were Tim Burns with 9 wickets for 236 runs from 86 overs at an average of 26.22. Lance Keen with 9 wickets for 240 runs from 108 overs at an average of 26.66. Shah Khan with 9 wickets for 291 runs from 89 overs at an average of 32.33.

Wicket Keeping duties for the season were in the main were shared by Mitchell Davis and Mitchell Baker. Mitchell Davis 12 matches for 6 catches and four stumpings. Mitchell Baker 2 matches for 7 catches and one stumping.

Complete match statistics for the season can be found later in this report. To sum up the season this was the start of a very hard learning curve for many of our young players and hopefully you will be stronger better players for it.

I would like to thank club executive and management committee for again giving me the chance to skipper the fifth grade team and although we did not perform that well I again enjoyed playing cricket for the best club in Sydney.

I would now like to thank Brain Freedman, Marty Klumpp and Eris Dignam for all their support throughout the season as well as my fellow captains and the supporters of the fifth grade side.

# FIFTH GRADE PLAYER PROFILES

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I wish to thank in particular the many family members of the players for the off field support with afternoon teas , scoring and cleaning up of the tea room facilities your assistance was greatly appreciated.

To Lance Keen, who took over the captain's job in my absence during the season, I thank you for all the support you gave not only me, but the club and players of the fifth grade team.

A special mention to three players in particular: **Brian Smith , Rob Shaw and James Vella** who at very late notice pulled on the whites for fifth grade this season to bring our team up to eleven players just before the start of play due to problems with some of our younger club members.

Finally to all the 36 players who took the field this season for the Bulldogs thank you of all your efforts throughout the season not only on the park but also your efforts with the afternoon teas. I think the spirit of the players and supporters was great with this being reflected in the spirit of cricket scores where we averaged 2.27 out of three for each game well done.

A special mention goes to some of the ladies of the club these being Sherrol Gane for all her work in keeping the statistics for the club in such great order and to Rosie Freedman and Margaret Dignam and the ladies of Bankstown oval for the fresh rolls we enjoyed throughout the season I thank you very much.

## **Peter Moy**

It's X years since I half jokingly said to Peter " Why don't you come and have a run at the Grade Club" fully expecting that the time commitment required would make it very difficult for Peter to accept. 709 runs, 239 wickets and one and a half heart attacks later, Peter is hanging up his boots after XX seasons in the most difficult role at the Club. It's difficult because he never gets to take the same team of players onto the park from match to match. Difficult because the makeup of the side can change right up until match time due to team changes in higher grades. Difficult because a majority of his players have a limit on the

number of overs they can bowl in an effort to reduce back injuries. Despite all these issues Peter always carried out his duties with the best interests of his players and his club in mind. His administrative work was impeccable and our publicity officer Mick Stephenson will attest to Peter's diligence in ensuring match details were always phoned through. Peter, along with Loretta, was always a willing volunteer when the Club needed support off the field and he was especially helpful looking after ticketing and crowd control at representative matches.

**On behalf of the Committee, players and supporters I'd like to place on record our thanks to Peter for a job done superbly. A job that Peter and his family can be immensely proud of. Thanks Pete, we hope you'll still be around the club in some capacity because we can definitely use your enthusiasm and sense of doing the right thing.**

## **Lance Keen**

A captain's dream, Lance is a player who will bat anywhere in the order you need him and perform well. A very useful off spin bowler and handy fielder. Lance kept us going on and off the field especially in the dressing sheds he is a very positive player and was able to help some of our younger players lift their game. Lance is always ready to lend a hand no matter what the job. Thanks for all your efforts this season mate and good luck next season.

## **Matt Hopkins**

Matty started the season off with the fifth grade team and due to some very useful performances found himself in fourth game after only three games. Matt is a very useful top order bat who can also bowl lively medium pace.

## **Tim Burns**

Tim is one of the younger players in the team this season and has shown that he is a player to watch in future years. Due to Tims age he was restricted to only being able to bowl 10 overs a day in two five over spells. Tim performed well with his bowling in general and has a good outswinger but you must learn to bowl better lines with it and not give batsmen the room to see

it early and let them go. Keep working at getting closer to the stumps at the bowlers end and this will make you a bowler who will be very hard to play.

## **Mitchell Baker**

Mitchell is an explosive player with the bat and is capable of tearing any attack apart on his day. A player with a very good eye if you can learn to temper your aggressive nature with the bat and pick your ball a little better you will turn those fifties into 100's. Mitchell is a very good fielder and also took on the wicket keeping duties for us late in the season with some good results. Keep working at your game hard and the results will come your way.

## **Walter Butters**

A very aggressive middle order left hand batsman who has worked with the batting coaches well this season and his scores started to show this in the latter part of the season. Keep working hard on this aspect of your game Wal and your will progress up the grades. Walter is also a useful fielder who is quick across the ground and has a strong throwing arm.

## **Thruan Kaliyanda**

A season of very limited opportunities for Thruan but made the best of it when he came into the side late in the season with very good half centuries to his name. Thruan is a useful medium pace bowler and if you work hard on both aspects of your game I feel sure that more games will come your way next season.

## **Mitchell Davis**

A good top order bat Mitchell more often than not opened the innings for us this season and performed well putting high price on his wicket. A batsman who can play a variety of shots when he wanted to much to the annoyance of the opposing bowlers. The main wicket keeper for the side during the season kept us moving in the field and on the odd occasion gave his skipper some advice which is a part of his game he can develop further as he has the best view of what the bowlers are doing. Keep working on your game mate a good first season.

## Shah Khan

The quite man of the team, Shah is a more than useful opening bowler who possesses good pace and is able to move the ball in both direction. Shah has a very good yorker that he needs to use more often especially against the tail end batsmen. A very good fielder with a strong arm and more than useful lower order batsman. His season was interrupted by a trip overseas when he was coming into some form with both the bat and ball. A very good trainer in the nets put in 100% all the time.

## David Spaul

David was one of the more senior players of the team this season and also opened the innings on a number of occasions for the team. A good pair of hands in the slip area David also is a capable inswing bowler. Started the season of well with a very good 96 but suffered from some ordinary decisions during the rest of the year.

## Brad Christensen

Brad returned to the club this year and started off well with a very solid 49 with the bat but due to work commitments missed a few games after this and then an appendix operation really put his season on the back foot. After recovering from this Brad stood up and put two excellent performances on the board for the team with a solid 65 and then came out against the front running Penrith team and smashed a brilliant 153 to all parts of Jensen Oval playing what I would describe a faultless innings of pull shots , straight drives and drives through the covers driving the fielders mad by constantly find the gaps. Brads power was great to watch but also his touch and soft hands in finding the all important singles to retain the strike. A good return season Brad hope to see you on the park next season for an even better year.

## Ian Buchanan

Ian was one of the unlucky bowlers who toiled away honestly in every game he played but due to the number of dropped catches Ian's season suffered badly. A bold lower order batsmen he does like to feel the bat on the ball. You must be



able to put things like dropped catches and hot weather out of your mind when playing and keep running in and letting the ball go quickly.

## Trent Vella

Trent is a useful all rounder in that he can bat in the middle to lower order and at times frustrates the opposing captain with his unorthodox batting style. Trent is a very young spin bowler who has a lot to learn and with help from our coaching staff will improve this aspect of his game. Trent the coaches are there for you to make use of so you must approach them and talk about any problems you may be having and not leave it to the captain.

## Josh Gersbach

Josh had a season he would like to forget with a number of opportunities in the top order for big scores slipping by after doing the hard work and getting himself in only to find himself back in the sheds after getting that good ball as we sometimes do. Unfortunately Josh seemed to get it more often than not. Josh is a good top order left hand batsmen and I am sure that he can turn it all around in the up coming season and again be amongst the runs.

## Ryan Donovan

Ryan started the season off in fourth grade after a good previous season in fifth grade but found the going hard in taking that next step up. Ryan is a hard hitting top order batsmen who needs to temper his aggression and play a lot straighter when first going to the wicket. In the only innings where you did temper yourself , played straight and selected the ball to hit you scored 41 in good style. Ryan is a very good cover fielder who moves around the field well and has a good strong throwing arm.



## Curtis Leaman

A new player to the club this season Curtis started the year off in the train on squad and through his performance at training earned his position in the fifth grade side by working hard with the bat , ball and in the fielding drills. Curtis is a very useful left arm medium pacer who is able to move the ball both ways and with more practice and experience will become more consistent and trouble a lot of batsmen. A good first up season Curtis keep up the hard work.

## James Hopkins.

James came over from the Western Suburbs club this season and his first game produce a match winning 97 against the then competition leaders Northern Districts. James showed that he has what it takes to be a good opening/ top order batsman with a solid 84 shortly after his 97. James was given the opportunity to play fourth grade due to unavailability's of other players and gave his all for his new skipper and team mates in the higher grade. James also has a useful pair of hands in the slip region.

I would also like to thank the contributions given to the fifth grade team by the following players: **Liam Smith, Tim Ausseil, Dylan Addison, Luke Reece, Luke Bishop, David Allsopp, Ben Braun, Harry Finn, Cameron Phelps, Chris Khoury, James Vella, Jason Nguyen, Brian Smith, Cameron Dunn, Brad Roworth, Ian Ridley, Ben Aggar.**

In closing, I wish to thank the players and parents in round 15 for the warm reception I received when leaving the field for the last time as captain of the fifth grade team.



## FIFTH GRADE BATTING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	100s	HS	Avg	Runs
Baker,M	10	11	-	9	4	-	84	33.73	371
Christensen,B	7	8	-	1	1	1	153	37.75	302
Butters,W	7	8	1	1	2	-	82	35.29	247
Keen,L	14	13	1	3	2	-	77	20.5	246
Davis,M	12	11	1	6	1	-	61	23.8	238
Burns,T	13	14	2	1	1	-	54	19.67	236
Hopkins,J	5	6	-	1	2	-	97	34.17	205
Kaliyanda,T	5	4	1	2	2	-	83	58	174
Spaul,D	8	8	-	2	1	-	96	20.12	161
Hopkins,M	3	3	-	1	1	-	77	43.67	131
Khan,S	9	9	2	5	-	-	28	17.43	122
Gersbach,J	6	7	-	3	-	-	48	12.71	89
Vella,T	9	7	1	2	-	-	20	11.67	70
Donovan,R	6	6	-	4	-	-	41	10	60
Khoury,C	1	1	-	-	1	-	56	56	56
Shaw,S	2	3	-	1	-	-	38	17.67	53
Moy,P	11	9	3	1	-	-	17	8.67	52
Reece,L	2	2	1	-	-	-	42*	47	47
Phelps,C	2	2	-	1	-	-	32	20.5	41
Roworth,B	1	1	-	1	-	-	29	29	29
Buchanan,I	7	6	3	-	-	-	21*	9.67	29
Dunn,C	2	2	1	1	-	-	27*	28	28
Aussel,T	4	4	-	1	-	-	15	5.5	22
Leaman,C	6	6	3	1	-	-	10	7.33	22
Allsopp,D	1	1	-	-	-	-	14	14	14
Smith,L	1	1	-	-	-	-	11	11	11
Braun,B	1	1	-	-	-	-	9	9	9
Nguyen,J	3	3	1	-	-	-	6*	3	6
Ridley,I	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	4	4
Addison,D	1	1	-	1	-	-	4	4	4
Aggar,B	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	4	4
Vella,J	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
Bishop,L	3	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	1





## FIFTH GRADE PARTNERSHIPS BY WICKET 2005-06

Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	52	Davis,M	Gersbach,J	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen
2	188	Baker,M	Christensen,B	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Jensen
3	134	Spaul,D	Christensen,B	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen
4	90	Christensen,B	Baker,M	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen
5	75	Baker,M	Butters,W	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Jensen
6	143	Hopkins,J	Leaman,C	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Sommerville
7	61	Roworth,B	Kaliyanda,T	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen
8	38*	Khan,S	Buchanan,I	8-Oct-05	St George	Cahill Park
9	78	Kaliyanda,T	Dunn,C	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Jensen
10	51	Khan,S	Burns,T	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	ELS Hall

## FIFTH GRADE BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Baker,M	Christensen,B	2	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Jensen	188
Hopkins,J	Leaman,C	6	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Sommerville	143
Spaul,D	Christensen,B	3	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	134
Baker,M	Vella,T	6	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Jensen	117
Christensen,B	Baker,M	4	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	90
Baker,M	Davis,M	2	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	84
Shaw,S	Moy,P	4	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	81
Kaliyanda,T	Dunn,C	9	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Jensen	78
Baker,M	Butters,W	5	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Jensen	75
Baker,M	Donovan,R	4	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	73
Hopkins,J	Baker,M	3	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	66
Butters,W	Burns,T	3	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Jensen	62
Davis,M	Donovan,R	3	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	61
Roworth,B	Kaliyanda,T	7	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	61
Spaul,D	Butters,W	4	19-Nov-05	UNSW	Jensen	58
Keen,L	Butters,W	6	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Jensen	58
Butters,W	Roworth,B	6	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	56
Butters,W	Vella,T	7	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Jensen	54
Davis,M	Gersbach,J	1	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	52
Davis,M	Buchanan,I	7	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	51
Khan,S	Burns,T	10	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	ELS Hall	51
Khan,S	Davis,M	9	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Jensen	50
Christensen,B	Burns,T	3	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Jensen	50

## FIFTH GRADE BEST INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Christensen,B	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Jensen	153
Hopkins,J	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Sommerville	97
Spaul,D	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	96
Baker,M	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Jensen	84
Hopkins,J	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	84
Kaliyanda,T	11-Mar-06	Sutherland	Jensen	83
Butters,W	17-Dec-05	Hawkesbury	Jensen	82
Hopkins,M	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	77
Keen,L	29-Oct-05	Parramatta	Jensen	77
Butters,W	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	75
Baker,M	11-Feb-06	Penrith	Jensen	69
Christensen,B	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	65
Kaliyanda,T	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	65
Keen,L	15-Oct-05	UTS Balmain	ELS Hall	62*
Baker,M	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	62
Davis,M	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	61
Khoury,C	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No3	56
Burns,T	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Sommerville	54
Baker,M	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Jensen	51

## FIFTH GRADE BEST BOWLING IN AN INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Moy,P	1-Oct-05	Eastern Suburbs	Jensen	3-24
Moy,P	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	3-26
Moy,P	8-Oct-05	St George	Cahill Park	3-27
Khan,S	24-Sep-05	Campbelltown	Jensen	3-33
Moy,P	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	3-36
Spaul,D	12-Nov-05	Manly - Warringah	Jensen	3-38
Christensen,B	28-Jan-06	Sydney University	Sydney University No3	3-47
Allsopp,D	3-Dec-05	Northern Districts	Sommerville	3-49
Dunn,C	25-Feb-06	Blacktown	Jensen	3-53
Vella,T	21-Jan-06	North Sydney	Jensen	3-61



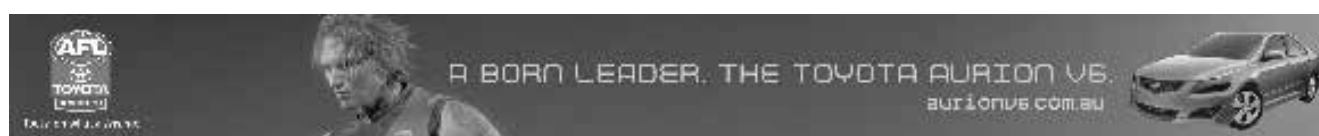


## FIFTH GRADE BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Moy,P	11	148	28	441	3-24	2.98	19.17	23
Keen,L	14	108	19	340	2-10	3.15	37.78	9
Burns,T	13	86.1	15	236	2-1	2.74	26.22	9
Khan,S	9	89	12	291	3-33	3.27	32.33	9
Vella,T	9	97	9	434	3-61	4.47	54.25	8
Spaul,D	8	49	7	200	3-38	4.08	33.33	6
Christensen,B	7	31	3	147	3-47	4.74	29.4	5
Dunn,C	2	18	1	106	3-53	5.89	26.5	4
Phelps,C	2	18	4	63	2-23	3.5	15.75	4
Kaliyanda,T	5	30	13	62	1-7	2.07	20.67	3
Allsopp,D	1	16	2	49	3-49	3.06	16.33	3
Roworth,B	1	14	3	39	2-39	2.79	19.5	2
Hopkins,M	3	21	5	50	1-22	2.38	25	2
Buchanan,I	7	66	12	246	1-39	3.73	123	2
Addison,D	1	16	3	52	2-52	3.25	26	2
Bishop,L	3	12	4	38	2-36	3.17	19	2
Nguyen,J	3	17	2	74	1-4	4.35	37	2
Smith,L	1	10	1	33	1-33	3.3	33	1
Aussel,T	4	31	6	108	1-41	3.48	108	1
Baker,M	10	5	-	19	1-19	3.8	19	1
Gersbach,J	6	5	1	7	1-7	1.4	7	1
Reece,L	2	1	-	6	1-6	6	6	1
Leaman,C	6	41	15	93	1-14	2.27	93	1
Finn	1	11	1	27	1-27	2.45	27	1
Aggar,B	1	3.3	1	17	1-17	4.86	17	1
Smith,B	1	2	-	17	0-17	8.5	0	0

## FIFTH GRADE WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Davis,M	12	6	4	10
Baker,M	1	3	2	5
Shaw,S	1	1	-	1





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## A.W. GREEN SHIELD REPORT 2005-06

Congratulations to Campbelltown-Camden on consecutive victories in the A.W. Green Shield Competition.

Unfortunately, the Bankstown campaign over the 2005/06 Season was nothing short of disappointing. An unusually poor preparation during the pre-season, caused by inclement weather, and the tight schedule with State and District cricket, meant that our usual development sessions did not take place, and our results tell the story.

Starting the campaign with a relatively young and inexperienced group of players, our task was made even more difficult by a first round loss to eventual finalists Gordon, followed by a close loss against Saint George, and a further loss to a strong Western Suburbs side. A victory in either of those games may have turned our season around, and the rounds after the Christmas break may have seen the boys go in with a more positive frame of mind, and in doing so, picking up a winning habit.

But, as our results will show, Rounds 4 to 6 did not do us any favours, losing to Manly-Warringah in Round 4, and then a loss to Fairfield-Liverpool in a rain shortened Round 5 clash at Jensen. A wash-out in Round 6 against Randwick-Petersham found us going in to the last Round against Mosman, without a victory. As things turned out, it was the boys best effort for the Season, resulting in a 76 run victory. However, a further disappointment was to unfold, with the Sydney Cricket Association docking us 6 points for an uncovered wicket in the Randwick-Petes game. This loss of points meant that we finished bottom of the table without any reward for the Seasons efforts.

Despite these setbacks, the 2005/06 Season provided us with a few highlights. Matthew Hopkins became the first player in Green Shield history at Bankstown to average over 100 with the bat. His 333 runs at an average of 111, a testament of his concentration and diligence over the Season. Matthew was also our only



player selected in the Combined City teams to play Country following the completion of the Green Shield series. We wish Matthew all the best in his endeavours to make the NSW U/17 team for the Australian Carnival in 2006/07.

Tim Burns, Shaun Mantle and Andrew Spaul all joined Matt in scoring 50's, Andrews 90 against Finalists, Gordon, being the Season highlight. Youngster Jason Nguyen excelled with the ball, taking out our bowling honours, and at only 14, he has a big future in the game. Jason, as well as Tim Burns and Matt Hopkins also represented Cricket NSW in the Emerging Blues, while Trent Vella was a member of the Cricket NSW U/17 squad.

The majority of our team members progressed to the senior Grade sides, and with this being the main aim of the Green Shield competition, it can be said that we again achieved our aims.

Finally, I would like to thank David Drew for his support over the Season, both as Manager and Assistant Coach during my work commitments, and also to Max Kaliyanda, who took on the role of scorer during the Competition. To captain, Andrew Spaul, thank you for your efforts



for a job performed under difficult circumstances. To all the parents, thank you for your support and assistance with transport, afternoon teas etc.; and to the Committee of the Bankstown Club, I thank you again for your support, and continued confidence in me as Green Shield Coach.

In closing, to the members of the side, thank you for your participation during the series and I wish you all well in your future cricket careers. To those boys returning in 2006/07, I look forward to seeing you next year, and hopefully, our performances will be so much better.

**Ian Gill**

# A.W. GREEN SHIELD PLAYER PROFILES - 2005-06

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## Andrew Spaul

Andrew captained the side this season, after being coaxed out of an early retirement. He undoubtedly has the talent to be a very good cricketer, but the pressure put on him after being such a highly regarded player through his junior ranks caught up with him during 05/06. As shown in his 90 against Gordon, Andrew still has the expertise needed to succeed at an elite level. Andrew, whichever career path you choose, I wish you well in your endeavours, and hope that one day, you will return to the game that you served so well.

## Matthew Hopkins

Matthew had an outstanding season with the bat, scoring 333 runs @ 111, so setting a new Bankstown record for the Green Shield series. Although not scoring a century, Matt can be happy with his final season in Green Shield, spending a lot of time at the crease, and being the backbone of many of our innings. Following his selection in the City 1sts team, Matt has been added to the NSW U/17 Pre Season squad, and on behalf of the Club, I wish him good luck through the selection process.

## Tim Burns

Tim's second year of Green Shield cricket did not prove as fruitful as his debut season in 2004/05. I am sure that he would be disappointed at the number of runs he scored, as well as taking only one wicket during the season. This is not a true reflection of Tims talents. He showed late in the Grade Season, what

an outstanding prospect he is going to be. We look forward to seeing the best of Tim in 2006/07.

## Trent Vella

Trent was another player who was unable to show his full potential during the 2005/06 campaign. His 5 wickets @ 46 probably does not tell the story of Trents season. Like Tim, he was unlucky at times with his bowling, and with a bit of luck, could have finished with a lot more wickets. Finished with three unbeaten innings through the series, and was a steadying influence on our lower order batting. Hopefully, Trent can pick up for 2006/07 and cement a spot in the lower grades.

## Tharun Kaliyanda

Having played his initial season of Green Shield in 04/05, big things were expected of Tharun this season. However, he caught the same bug as the rest of the players, and suffered with the teams poor form. A bag of runs at the end of the Grade Season showed the true Tharun. He is an accomplished batsman, and more than useful medium-pacer, and with his work ethic, will play high grades in 2006/07.

## Sean Mantle

Another player backing up for his second year of Green Shield. An entertaining 53 against Western Suburbs, when he put on an opening stand of 68 with Jack Fitzgerald was an innings of class, and a repeat of that type of batting will help Shaun in his exploits for Grade selection.

He spent most of the season playing 1st Grade shires, but he has the ability to play Grade cricket. He has a strong work ethic, and is a very coachable player. Good luck for Season 2006/07.

## Jason Nguyen

Jason was the youngest member of the side, but was definitely not overshadowed by his more senior team-mates. Took out the bowling honours with 6 wickets @ 11, with a best of 3/18, when he cleaned up their middle order. Jason represented Cricket NSW in the Emerging Blues during the Season, an indication of his talents. We will be looking for big things from Jason in 2006/07.

## Curtis Leman

Curtis was another of our younger boys, who was selected this season as a pointer to future campaigns. He cemented a spot in 5th Grade towards the end of the Season, and will be a good prospect for the Club. Took 5 wickets during the season, and will be called upon to play more of a senior roll with the 2006/07 Squad, both with ball and bat.

## Luke Bishop

Another two year boy. Luke has been an outstanding player at junior level, and just needs to make the step up now to the higher level. Was not required to bat much during the series, and only bowled a handful of overs. However, the experience gained will do him good for next year, and again, he will play an integral part in the 06/07 campaign.





## A.W. GREEN SHIELD BATTING AVERAGES 2005-06

Name	M	I	NO	HS	RUNS	AVG	C/S
Matthew Hopkins	6	6	3	79x	333	111.0	1
Tim Burns	6	6	0	53	152	25.3	1
Andrew Spaul	6	6	0	90	129	21.5	2
Sean Mantle	6	6	0	53	113	18.8	0
Trent Vella	6	6	3	30x	81	27.0	2
Mitchell Davis	6	6	0	27	65	10.8	5/2
Jack Fitzgerald	5	4	1	26x	56	18.7	0
Ben Braun	6	4	0	36	54	13.5	1
Tharun Kaliyanda	6	5	0	29	52	10.4	0
Luke Bishop	5	3	1	20	33	16.5	0
Jason Nguyen	5	2	1	12x	13	13.0	0
Harry Finn	4	1	1	7x	7	0.0	0
Curtis Leman	5	2	1	5x	5	5.0	1

## A.W. GREEN SHIELD BEST BATTING 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Score
Andrew Spaul	18.12.05	Gordon	90
Matthew Hopkins	12.1.06	Mosman	79x
Matthew Hopkins	22.12.05	St. George	75x
Matthew Hopkins	3.1.06	Manly Warringah	60
Matthew Hopkins	23.12.05	Western Suburbs	54
Sean Mantle	23.12.05	Western Suburbs	53
Tim Burns	23.12.05	Western Suburbs	53

## A.W. GREEN SHIELD HIGHEST WICKET PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Wicket	Score	Batsman	Batsman	Opposition	Time
1st	68	S.Mantle (53),	J. Fitzgerald (23)	Western Suburbs	62m
2nd	51	S.Mantle (32),	M.Hopkins (60)	Manly Warringah	57m
3rd	36	T.Kaliyanda (14),	A.Spaul (90)	Gordon	62m
4th	73	M.Hopkins (54),	T.Burns (53)	Western Suburbs	89m
5th	75	A.Spaul (90),	M.Hopkins (45x)	Gordon	56m
6th	57	T.Kaliyanda (29),	M.Hopkins (75x)	St. George	69m
7th	41	M.Hopkins (79x),	T.Vella (19)	Mosman	24m
8th	50u	M.Hopkins (75x),	J.Fitzgerald (26x)	St. George	31m
9th	27	T.Vella (8x),	L.Bishop (20)	Manly Warringah	20m
10 <sup>th</sup>	12u	T.Vella (8x),	H.Finn (7x)	Manly Warringah	13m



## A.W. GREEN SHIELD HIGHEST BATTING PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Score	Batsmen	Opposition	Time
75	A.Spaul (90), M.Hopkins (45x)	Gordon	56m
73	M.Hopkins (54), T.Burns (53)	Western Suburbs	89m
70	M.Hopkins (79x), M.Davis (27)	Mosman	59m
68	S.Mantle (53), J. Fitzgerald (23)	WesternSuburbs	62m
61	A.Spaul (90), T.Burns (37)	Gordon	48m
57	T.Kaliyanda (29), M.Hopkins (75x)	St George	69m
51	S.Mantle (32), M.Hopkins (60)	Manly Warringah	57m
50u	M.Hopkins (75x), J.Fitzgerald (26x)	St George	31m

## A.W. GREEN SHIELD BOWLING AVERAGES 2005-06

Name	M	O	M	R	W	AVG	BEST
Jason Nguyen	5	21	3	66	6	11.0	3/18
Matthew Hopkins	6	56.2	15	167	6	27.8	3/32
Curtis Leman	5	40	10	131	5	26.2	2/25
Trent Vella	6	69	8	230	5	46.0	2/40
Andrew Spaul	6	16	4	44	2	22.0	2/9
Luke Bishop	5	15	1	74	1	74.0	1/34
Tharun Kaliyanda	6	35.4	6	125	1	125.0	1/32
Tim Burns	6	47	11	172	1	172.0	1/24
Sean Mantle	6	1	0	8	0	0.0	0/8
Harry Finn	4	14	1	50	0	0.0	0/13
Jack Fitzgerald	5	20.4	3	74	0	0.0	0/4

## A.W. GREEN SHIELD BEST BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Figures
Jason Nguyen	5.1.06	Fairfield Liverpool	3/18
Matthew Hopkins	5.1.06	Fairfield Liverpool	3/32



## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD REPORT 2005-06

### Pat Darwen

I would like to thank the committee for appointing captain for this team. I consider it an honour to lead such a great bunch of lads.

I would like to congratulate Hawkesbury who were undefeated and clearly the best team, on winning the competition.

Our PG campaign can best be described as the one that got away. We won convincingly against Mosman, Randwick-Petersham and Western Suburbs, lost by only two wickets to both Manly and Fairfield, lost heavily to St.George and had a wash-out against Gordon. Had we won the two close games we lost, we would have finished third on the table and as we all know, anything is possible from there.

The series most enjoyable for the players and a lot of credit for this goes to our management team. The coaching duties were shared by Mark Grant and Chris Gane who left nothing to chance in preparing us for each match. It is a great education for all young players to be able to experience their analysis and approach to the game. A big thank you also Kevin and Margaret Keen who managed and scored for us in a most efficient manner. Be assured the lads really appreciated your efforts.

The most encouraging fact to emerge from this season's campaign is that every lad in the squad is eligible to play PG's for a minimum of another two years and based on this year's performance, we should be able to give the premiership a real shake during this period.

### Patrick Darwen

In his first stint as PG Captain Patrick led the side from the front as evidenced by his 200 runs at 40.0 average and seven wickets at 25.57. Pat worked closely with team coach/managers Mark Grant and Chris Gane to devise match tactics and he again confirmed that he has natural leadership qualities. With two more PG campaigns left with a squad that will



remain basically unchanged it is not unrealistic to think that Patrick will lead the Club to a coveted premiership.

### Ryan Beaven

Ryan was our leading run scorer with 215 runs at a very respectable average of 53.75. His innings of 82 against manly was a class act and he evidenced his all round skills by taking three wickets with his 'wily' straight breaks. Ryan is a real talent who should look to dominate in this competition in coming seasons.

### Chris Bennett

Chris had a disappointing campaign and the harder he tried the more luck went against him. We all know what a talented player Chris is and his ability to bat for long periods is asset which will be of great benefit to the Club in years to come.

### Daniel Burns

Daniel's development and continuing maturity was evident in his PG performances. Taking eight wickets at 16.25 with an economy rate of just under three showed what an outstanding talent he is. Congratulations on your selection for the NSW Youth side tour to England in July.

### Byron Hackshall

Byron played four innings and scored 134 at 33.50 average and confirmed his status

at the most improved player in the Club this season. A great team man who always gives his best whether batting or fielding.

### Luke James

Luke did not get many opportunities due to the way matches panned out but we all know what a pugnacious competitor he is. Always keen to support his team mates Luke will play an important role in coming PG campaigns.

### Simon Keen.

Simon didn't play all matches because of his selection in the Australian Under 19 side but when he was available his obvious talents came to the fore. With 104 runs at 34.67 and nine wickets at a miserly 12.78 he showed just what talent he has to offer. With three PG campaigns yet to play Simon will obviously be a force to be reckoned with in the coming seasons.

### Chris Ridley

Chris had a solid year at the top of the order scoring 130 runs at 21.60. Chris also has three more years in this competition. With his ability to pace his innings I expect he can be a force in both the short and long form of the game.

### Anthony Sams.

Anthony could only play four matches due to his selection in the NSW Under

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17 side for the national Championships where he excelled resulting in him being named in an Australian Development XI. His keeping as always was really tidy. Because of the structure of the team he did not get many opportunities with the bat but we all know he has plenty to offer in that department as well.

### Chris Small

Chris had a solid campaign scoring 119 at 29.75 and taking five wickets at 29.80 with a very respectable economy rate of 3.5. His 33 runs against Fairfield in a 69 run partnership with Ryan Beaven almost got us over the line in a tight match.

Chris is one of our five representatives who dominated in the 2004/05 Under 17 National Championships and I expect he will be a key performer for us in coming PG campaigns.

### Scott Truashiem.

Stick was a mainstay of our attack taking six wickets at 28.30 with an amazing economy rate of 2.7. Generally bowled a good one-day line and length and generated plenty of pace at different times. It's fair to say Stick didn't get many opportunities with the bat but still managed to score more runs than wickets! Thanks to the following players who

represented in PG Shield during the season: Mitchell Beaven; Tim Burns; Steven Burt; Reece Griffiths; Emil Koloczek and Brendon Small.





## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD BATTING 2005-05

Name	Mts	Inn	NO	Ct	50s	HS	Avg	Runs
Beavan,R	6	5	1	3	3	82	53.75	215
Darwen,P	5	5	-	2	1	76	40.00	200
Hackshall,B	5	4	-	2	1	98	33.50	134
Ridley,C	6	6	-	3	1	53	21.67	130
Small,C	6	6	2	1	-	33*	29.75	119
Keen,S	4	4	1	-	1	60	34.67	104
Sams,A	4	3	-	-	-	19	10.33	31
Bennett,C	6	5	1	6	-	9	6.75	27
Burns,D	5	3	1	3	-	18	13.00	26
Griffiths,R	1	1	-	1	-	22	22.00	22
James,L	4	4	1	2	-	8	4.00	12
Truashiem,S	6	3	2	-	-	4*	7.00	7
Small,B	1	1	-	-	-	7	7.00	7
Burt,S	2	1	1	-	-	4*	-	4
Beavan,M	2	1	-	1	-	2	2.00	2

## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD - PARTNERSHIPS BY WICKET 2005-06

Wkt	Runs	Name	Name	Date	Opposition	Ground
1	108	Darwen,P	Ridley,C	8-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Petersham Oval
2	67	Ridley,C	Beavan,R	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval
3	152	Beavan,R	Hackshall,B	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval
4	98	Keen,S	Beavan,R	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval
5	19	Beavan,R	Darwen,P	6-Nov-05	Manly	Bankstown
6	87	Beavan,R	Hackshall,B	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval
7	18	Sams,A	Beavan,R	11-Dec-05	Fairfield	Bankstown
8	16	Burns,D	Griffiths,R	6-Nov-05	Manly	Bankstown
9	28	Burns,D	Sams,A	26-Feb-06	St George	Bankstown
10	178	Small,B	Truashiem,S	6-Nov-05	Manly	Bankstown

## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD WICKET KEEPING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Catch	Stump	Total
Griffiths,R	1	1	1	2
Sams,A	4	-	1	1

## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD BEST PARTNERSHIPS 2005-06

Name	Name	Wk	Date	Opposition	Ground	Runs
Small,B	Truashiem,S	10	6-Nov-05	Manly	Bankstown	178
Beavan,R	Hackshall,B	3	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval	152
Darwen,P	Ridley,C	1	8-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Petersham Oval	108
Keen,S	Beavan,R	4	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval	98
Beavan,R	Hackshall,B	6	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval	87
Small,C	Beavan,R	3	11-Dec-05	Fairfield	Bankstown	71
Ridley,C	Beavan,R	2	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval	67
Ridley,C	Small,C	2	8-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Petersham Oval	56
Keen,S	Small,C	3	6-Nov-05	Manly	Bankstown	55

## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD BOWLING 2005-06

Name	Mts	Overs	Mdns	Runs	BBowl	Econ	Avg	Wkts
Keen,S	4	30	1	115	3-20	3.83	12.78	9
Burns,D	5	45	8	130	3-40	2.89	16.25	8
Darwen,P	5	48.4	5	179	2-34	3.68	25.57	7
Truashiem,S	6	46.1	14	125	3-39	2.71	20.83	6
Small,C	6	42	3	149	3-34	3.55	29.80	5
Beavan,R	6	17.1	3	63	2-28	3.67	21.00	3
Burt,S	2	10	-	36	2-12	3.6	12.00	3
Burns,T	1	5	-	16	3-16	3.2	5.33	3
Koleczek,E	1	8	1	33	2-33	4.12	16.50	2
James,L	4	8.1	-	43	1-28	5.27	43.00	1
Beavan,M	2	8	-	27	1-18	3.38	27.00	1
Small,B	1	6	2	30	1-30	5	30.00	1
Hackshall,B	5	3	-	22	0-22	7.33	0.00	0

## POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD BEST BOWING IN AN INNINGS 2005-06

Name	Date	Opposition	Ground	Figures
Burns,T	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval	3-16
Keen,S	26-Feb-06	St George	Bankstown	3-20
Keen,S	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval	3-23
Small,C	8-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Petersham Oval	3-34
Truashiem,S	8-Jan-06	Randwick-Petersham	Petersham Oval	3-39
Burns,D	22-Jan-06	Mosman	Rawson Oval	3-40
Burns,D	19-Feb-06	Western Suburbs	Pratten Oval	3-42

# COACHING REPORT

## Shane Duff

The season 2005/06 will not go down in Bankstown DCC history books as one to remember from a results point of view, however, there were many encouraging signs that would suggest a return to the Bulldog winning ways in the very near future.

A large player turnover allowed many younger players in the club the opportunity to play cricket at a level that they had previously yet to experience. The learnings gained from this, will only help to improve them in all areas of the game. I anticipate significant individual improvements in the majority of players in the club next season, as a result of last season's experiences along with a commitment to quality, purposeful training and match preparation.

There was an excellent feeling and spirit within the club last season, which is greatly encouraging. It is very easy to maintain good spirit when you are winning, however, the true test arrives when you are not. We have passed this test and I can't wait to experience the feeling and spirit when our results turn around for the better.

Training was well attended on Wednesdays last season; however, I would be strongly encouraging players to reflect on their efforts on a Thursday, as attendances were poor. Once a week training is simply not enough to enable improvements to take place.

Steve Smith did an excellent job in his role as Batting Coach, spending a great deal of time with a variety of players in the club. We are very fortunate to have such a quality coach in this area and in time we will see the benefits in our young as well as our experienced batsman. I would like to thank him greatly for his efforts with the club as well as for the support, advice and loyalty he gave to me.

Ray Hall looked after our spin bowlers extremely well under adverse circumstances. Ray was not a well person last season but battled on regardless. It was fantastic to see his health improve towards the end of the year and I look forward to



working with him again next season.

Various players during the season contributed tremendously to the running of practice. James Allsop was outstanding in looking after our wicket-keepers. James ensured that our young 'keepers were able to perform to the best of their ability. Chris Gane was also instrumental in this. Lance Keen is a terrific club man and leader which were evident at practice when he often took responsibility for a group of players. At various times Aaron Bird when he was able, provided good advice to our bowlers which was highly valued. There were many other contributors to the running of practice which was greatly appreciated.

I would also like to thank our army of volunteers who make training run so smoothly. I don't believe know that players and coaches in any other club would be able to turn up to practice and have just about everything done for them like we do. We can never take this for granted. Thank you Eris Dignam, Graeme Dunn, Brian Smith and Errol Sams for everything you did for us. A special congratulations also to Eris for his Cricket Australia "Volunteer of the Year" award that was so richly deserved.

Finally I would like to thank our Captains,



members of the cricket committee and Bankstown Cricket Council for the tremendous amount of support attributed towards me in my role as Head Coach. I can't wait for next season to begin. I can sense good results and good times are heading Bankstown way.

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INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS



# BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB BALANCE SHEET

Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended 30th April 2006

Income	2006	2005	Assets	2006	2005
Donations	27,132	15,00	Cash	5,459	3,371
Membership Fees	20,082	13,825	Debentures-Sports Club	800	800
Coaching Grant NSWCA	9,000		Fixed Term Deposits	59,165	17,747
Canteen	34,685	30,804	Stock On Hand - Clothing	100	100
Sale of Club Clothing	404	54	Stock On Hand - Balls	548	548
Interest/Debenture Int	1,706	685	Bradman Bust	4,500	4,500
Pura Cup	436	65,535	Club Room Painting	3,125	3,125
Grant NSWCA	15,000	9,500	G/Stand/Building/Clubroom	17,327	27,716
Womens Cricket	12,272	14,600	Petty Cash	1,000	1,000
Sponsorship	79,545	85,750	Equipment	0	1,909
Century Club		39,902	GST Refundable	677	295
Club Dinners	2,077	1,170	Withholding Credits	118	
Grant A.C.B.	15,000	8,625	Grants Receivable		8,625
ING Cup	39,715			<b>92,819</b>	<b>69,736</b>
Sub Letting Grounds	1,725				
Administration Grant	20,833		Loan NSW Cricket Assoc	0	24,212
Indoor Sports Facility	9,500		Sponsorship In Advance	35,694	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>289,112</b>	<b>285,450</b>	Total Liabilities	<b>35,694</b>	<b>24,212</b>
<b>Expenses</b>			<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>57,125</b>	<b>45,524</b>
Late Fee Results	137	164	<b>Member's Funds</b>		
Cleaning Materials	650	550	Member's Funds at May 1st	45,524	43,589
Grandstand Fixtures		2783	Surplus for the year (Loss)	11,601	1935
ING Cup	34,704		<b>Total Member's Funds</b>		
Computer/Software	4,501	4208	<b>at April 30th 2006</b>	<b>57,125</b>	<b>45,524</b>
Coaching/Operations/Dev	30,173	13,674			
Fitness/Conditioning		2,327			
Depreciation	12,298	12,298			
Marketing/Advertising	1,009	330			
Canteen Purchases	22,589	24,320			
Pura Cup	4,201	49,336			
Issue Club Clothing	13,711	9,920			
Club Dinner	2,727	3,619			
Indoor Sports Facility	9,500	13,500			
Cricket Equipment	6,150	6,231			
Donations/Uganda	7,985	800			
Ground Rents	15,674	13,235			
Bank Fee	268	630			
Trophies/Player Year Award	5,894	1,819			
Coaching	34,736	33,723			
Presentations/Promotions	723	946			
Annual Report/AGM	4,610	4,170			
Insurance		450			
Repairs/Maintenance	2,030	6,655			
Administration Expenses	1,100	782			
Cricket Scholarship		2,000			
Telephone/Website	3,717	3,759			
Executive Officer	20,833				
Century Club		34,347			
Security	900	675			

I have reviewed the financial statement provided by Bankstown District Cricket Club for the period ended 30th April 2006 and declare them a true and fair view of the financial position of the club at this date.  
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## *A Silver day of cricket*

### *Cricket - our commitment*

Bankstown City Council is committed to the advancement of cricket - since the 1920s Bankstown has demonstrated its commitment to the advancement of the game and the people who play it.

Memorial Oval, named in honour of the city's soldiers who fought in the First World War, has continued to be developed and improved upon, with the first grandstand built in 1924 and expanded in 1947.

In 1961, the ground was increased again to make room for up to 7,000 supporters wanting to come to see Bankstown play at their home ground. In 1980, Council again improved the grounds with new drainage, a new scoreboard and fencing. Further works were completed in the early 1990s, which included new sub-surface field drainage and a new irrigation system.

In 1989/2000, \$1.3milion was spent building the Stephen and Mark Waugh Pavilion and the Kevin McCormick Grandstand.

More than \$530,000 has been invested to improve the newly named Grahame Thomas Oval, formerly known as the Memorial Outer Oval. This has included a new pitch, fencing, irrigation, lighting, pavilions, children's play equipment, practice nets and landscaping.

The works undertaken on both ovals has been thanks to the generous support of the cricketering community, Bankstown District Cricket Club, the Bankstown District Sports Club, Cricket NSW and Council.

But the City's plans for the entire cricketering precinct are not over yet.

Development has already began, in partnership with the Bankstown District Cricket Club, on establishing the Bankstown Cricket Academy to develop the skills and talent of players, coaches and umpires and generally improve the standard of cricket throughout southwest Sydney.

The team is to run the Academy through a purpose-built sports facility located between the two ovals. This includes a multipurpose facility for all-weather training which can also be converted to a hospitality venue, as well as a media centre for broadcasting games - thereby developing the Memorial Oval precinct into a regional 'Centre for Excellence'.



Cricket - our commitment

### The official naming of

## *Grahame Thomas Oval*

"It's a great thrill and a great privilege to have been part of the Bankstown District Cricket Club and to be their first Test cricketer. It is a great honour for me to have my cricketering achievements recognised and by the City of Bankstown in this way."

**Grahame Thomas**

### *Grahame Thomas - Records and highlights*

- a first-wicket stand with Noel Marks for NSW vs South Australia at the SCG (1958). This NSW record still stands today.
- shared a NSW record stand with Richie Bennett against Victoria, c. 255 in just 170 minutes with Grahame pounding 119 not out (1961). This NSW record still stands today.
- scored 229 runs off 200 balls against Victoria before eventually being run out (1961).

### *Our cricketering score card*

Bankstown District Cricket Club, formerly known as the Bankstown-Canterbury Cricket Club, has provided six Australian Test players and what an inspiring six they are. Grahame Thomas was the first, followed by Jeff Thomson, Len Faarooq, Steve Smith, Steve Waugh and Mark Waugh. They have all added immense pride to Bankstown's cricketering history. Bob Fullbrook and Ian Davis also played for Bankstown, not with other clubs when they represented Australia, while Wayne Holdsworth went on the 1993 Ashes tour to England but did not play a Test match. BDCCC has produced 21 NSW players and countless other representative players over the years. Information courtesy of the BDCCC.

## *A Silver year for Bankstown*

As Bankstown celebrates its 25th anniversary since it was declared a City, we reflect on Bankstown's history, praising and acknowledging the achievements of the many who have developed outstanding skills and talents here.

These talented Australians come from many different backgrounds, and often many different countries and cultures - before rising to the peak of their profession. From entertainers to athletes, swimmers to singers, a leader in women's rights, and a leader of the country.

## *Grahame Thomas - Bankstown's cricketing-great*

Grahame Thomas was born on March 21, 1938 at Creydon Park - part of the Canterbury-Bankstown sporting catchment area. He joined Bankstown District Cricket Club as a teenager in the summer of 1953, at the age of 15, and played with the Club until 1966.

It wasn't long before he was selected to play First Grade for NSW. At the age of 19 he was selected for the 1957-58 season and went on to play 100 first class matches for his home state.

His first chance to wear the huggy green caps was in 1964, when he was selected to play for Australia in a five-match away Test series against the West Indies - and became Bankstown's first Test cricketer.

Thomas went on to play against England in the Ashes the following season, eventually playing 8 tests for Australia, and totalling 325 runs.

Grahame will be remembered by countless cricket lovers as a quick scoring, devastating batsman. He has continued to give back to the game and maintained a strong interest in Bankstown cricket, assisting the Club with coaching and fundraising activities.

He has been described by England-great Dennis Compton as the best No.3 since Bradman, and by others as a *vigilant batsman whose hook shot was described as the best in the game*. Altogether he accumulated 5182 runs for Bankstown with 4244 of those in first grade, and 15 grade centuries for the club.

Excerpt from: *The History of the Bankstown District Cricket Club 1951-2001 '50 NOT OUT' by Mark Szymanski.*

# CURRENT PLAYERS - CAREER STATISTICS AT BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB

	RUNS			WICKETS				RUNS			WICKETS		
	1st	Lower	TOTAL	1st	Lower	TOTAL		1st	Lower	TOTAL	1st	Lower	TOTAL
<b>D Addison</b>		381	381		84	84	<b>L James</b>	627	627		30	30	
<b>B Aggar</b>		4	4		1	1	<b>T Kaliyanda</b>	174	174		3	3	
<b>J Allsopp</b>	471	281	752				<b>S Keen</b>	377	1409	1786	27	30	57
<b>D Allsopp</b>		125	125		4	4	<b>L Keen</b>	407	407		13	13	
<b>T Aussel</b>		443	443		4	4	<b>S Khan</b>	172			11	11	
<b>M Baker</b>		597	597				<b>C Houry</b>	179	179		2	2	
<b>M Beaven</b>		1512	1512		41	41	<b>E Koloczek</b>	62	62		26	26	
<b>R Beaven</b>		1279	1279				<b>C Leamen</b>	22	22		1	1	
<b>C Bennett</b>		1680	1680		9	9	<b>D Leichsenring</b>	254	254		91	91	
<b>M Betsey</b>	2107	17	2124	206	1	207	<b>D Magee</b>	1240	3391	4630	4	20	24
<b>A Bird</b>	985		985	165		165	<b>D Moy</b>	199	3522	3721		45	45
<b>L Bishop</b>		1	1				<b>P Moy</b>	709	709		239	239	
<b>J Bourne</b>	26	3329	3354		13	13	<b>J Nguyen</b>	6	6		2	2	
<b>B Braun</b>		9	9		9	9	<b>A O'Brien</b>	284	3389	3673		1	1
<b>I Buchanan</b>		107	107		23	23	<b>C Phelps</b>	247	247		14	14	
<b>D Burns</b>	45	21	66	24	21	45	<b>M Polson</b>	1963	1963		43	43	
<b>T Burns</b>		242	242		10	10	<b>C Price</b>	251	1107	1358	31	100	131
<b>S Burt</b>		59	59		26	26	<b>L Reece</b>		342	342		4	4
<b>W Butters</b>		327	327				<b>C Richards</b>	5950	0	5950	11		11
<b>B Christensen</b>		2274	2274		28	28	<b>C Ridley</b>	49	1252	1301			
<b>S Cusick</b>	215	4842	5057	14	304	318	<b>I Ridley</b>		742	742		53	53
<b>P Darwen</b>	227	1175	1402	16	70	86	<b>B Roworth</b>	548	1852	2400	16	100	116
<b>M Davis</b>		323	323				<b>A Sams</b>		573	573			
<b>M Doab</b>		875	875		145	145	<b>B Scott</b>		322	322		33	33
<b>R Donovan</b>		605	605				<b>S Shaw</b>		1064	1064			
<b>D Drew</b>		1966	1966		100	100	<b>C Small</b>	98	1481	1579	1	19	20
<b>S Duff</b>	1054	11	1065				<b>B Small</b>	249	249		45	45	
<b>C Dunn</b>		124	124		40	40	<b>L Smith</b>		1118	1118		67	67
<b>D Ettridge</b>	379	2032	2411	7	153	160	<b>B Smith</b>		6	6			
<b>H Finn</b>		0	0		1	1	<b>D Spaul</b>		326	326		9	9
<b>D Freedman</b>	1329	1569	2898	436	444	880	<b>G Spotswood</b>	714	7436	8060	32	355	387
<b>C Gane</b>	330	3176	3506		15	15	<b>S Thompson</b>	5917	561	6478	423	37	460
<b>J Gersbach</b>		426	426		1	1	<b>D Thompson</b>			7004			
<b>M Grant</b>	1033	7199	8232		19	19	<b>S Truashiem</b>		152	152		56	56
<b>S Grant</b>	279	2292	2571		12	12	<b>B Van Blerk</b>		1070	1070	2	294	296
<b>R Griffiths</b>		957	957				<b>T Vella</b>		87	87		15	15
<b>B Hackshall</b>		1100	1100		16	16	<b>J Vella</b>		12	12		3	3
<b>K Harmsworth</b>		27	27				<b>D J Waugh</b>	1826	1961	3787	50	79	129
<b>M Hopkins</b>		362	362		2	2	<b>S Wise</b>		1457	1457		5	5
<b>J Hopkins</b>		210	210										

# STATISTICS UPDATE AND HIGHLIGHTS

During the season, the SCA ruled that runs scored and wickets taken in the Diamond Draft and Light Ice Limited Over competitions held between 1992/3 and 1999/00 should be incorporated in club and association first grade records.

Previously, the club has ignored these performances in its records but has now incorporated the adjustments into this season's updates.

Highlights from this season's performances and the adjustments include...

### **Corey Richards**

Has now scored 5950 first grade runs, including sixteen centuries. He is currently third in the all time history of the club for first grade runs scored, behind Dion Bourne (8149) and Bruce Urry (6089) and has scored the most first grade centuries.

### **Scott Thompson**

Has now scored 5917 first grade runs and taken 423 first grade wickets and is currently third in the all time history of the

club in both batting and bowling.

### **Wayne Holdsworth**

Has now taken 511 first grade wickets, the club record, and 599 wickets in all grades.

### **David Freedman**

Has now taken 436 first grade and 880 all grade wickets and is the second highest wicket taker in both areas behind Wayne Holdsworth and Arthur Taylor respectively.

### **Matthew Betsey**

Has now taken 206 first grade wickets and is therefore elevated to the Honour Board.

### **Mark Grant**

Has now scored 8232 runs in all grades which is third in the history of the club.

### **Geoff Spotswood**

Has also passed the 8000 barrier with his 8060 runs in all grades being fourth in the history of the club.

### **David Thompson**

Has now scored 7004 runs in all grades, making him ninth in the history of the club.

Looking to make the Honour Board next season are...

### **Dean Magee**

4630 runs in all grades

### **Bevan Van Blerk**

296 wickets in all grades

### **Aaron Bird**

165 first grade wickets.

Stalwarts who announced their retirement at the conclusion of the season are

### **David Drew**

1996 runs and 100 wickets in all grades.

### **Peter Moy**

239 wickets and not many runs in all grades.







### NEW SOUTH WALES COLTS

R Nay	1955-56
B Bates	1961-62
R LeFevre	1965-66
I Gorman	1968-69
T Radanovic	1968-69
L Pascoe	1968-69
B Thebridge	1971-72
R Vidler	1979-80
G Pitty	1979-80
R Bower	1979-80
S Smith	1979-80
B McKirdy	1979-80
G Crowfoot	1983-84
S Waugh	1984-85
M Waugh	1984-85
D Freedman	1984-85
S Prestwidge	1986-87
W Holdsworth	1988-89
S Thompson	1992-93
G Trevena	1994-95
S Deitz	1995-96
N Bracken	1995-96
J Allsopp	2001-02
A Bird	2002-03
M Bright	2003-04

### AUSTRALIAN UNDER 19

S Waugh	1983-84
M Waugh	1983-84
S Prestwidge	1986-87
W Holdsworth	1986-87
N Bracken	1995-96
A Bird	2002-03
M Bright	2002-03
S Keen	2005-06

### NEW SOUTH WALES UNDER 19

S Waugh	1981-82
M Waugh	1982-83
D Freedman	1982-83
S Prestwidge	1985-86
D Mitchell	1985-86
W Holdsworth	1986-87
G Lovett	1986-87
R Luc	1991-92
G Trevena	1992-93
V Williams	1994-95
N Bracken	1994-95
S McKiernan	1996-97
K Beazleigh	1997-98
T Brown	1999-00
B Roworth	2001-02
J Allsopp	2001-02
M Bright	2002-03
A Bird	2002-03
S Jamieson	2003-04
P Darwen	2004-05

S Keen	2005-06
D Burns	2005-06

### NEW SOUTH WALES UNDER 17

C Hughes	1986-87
B Hugo	1986-87
S Collins	1990-91
D J Waugh	1991-92
G Trevena	1991-92
S Deitz	1991-92
S McKiernan	1995-96
L Piper	1995-96
B Roworth	1999-00
J Allsopp	2000-01
S Jamieson	2001-02
S Keen	2002-03
P Darwen	2003-04
R Beaven	2003-04
C Bennett	2004-05
D Burns	2004-05
C Ridley	2004-05
C Small	2004-05
A Sams	2005-06

### NEW SOUTH WALES UNDER 16

S Grant	1983-84
W Holdsworth	1984-85
G Lovett	1984-85
D P Waugh	1984-85

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## PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED 3000 RUNS IN 1ST GRADE

Name	Seasons	Innings	NO's	Runs	Avg.
D P Bourne	1960/61 – 1979/80	305	24	8149	29.00
B Urry	1951/52 – 1966/67	218	24	6089	31.00
C Richards	1996/97 – 2005/06	150	23	5950	46.85
S Thompson	1990/91 – 2005/06	206	27	5917	33.05
D P Waugh	1987/88 – 1997/98	190	24	5903	35.56
S Small	1973/74 – 1995/96	165	29	5297	35.94
G Crowfoot	1979/80 – 1992/93	186	19	4984	29.84
R Bower	1977/78 – 1985/86	142	19	4918	40.00
T McDonald	1972/73 – 1984/85	198	20	4739	25.60
R Briggs	1951/52 – 1964/65	148	10	4728	43.80
K Roberts	1993/94 – 1999/2000	123	17	4960	44.24
G Thomas	1954/55 – 1965/66	103	22	4244	52.40
R Vidler	1974/75 – 1986/87	196	27	4204	24.90
P Maraziotis	1999/00 – 2004/05	110	22	4129	46.92
J Dunn	1963/64 – 1977/78	194	21	3889	22.50
M Waugh	1982/83 – 2003/04	110	9	3899	38.60
J Giffen	1951/52 – 1958/59	110	11	3436	34.70
R Madden	1958/59 – 1971/72	148	10	3316	24.00
V Williams	1993/94 – 2004/05	90	4	3093	35.96

## PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED DOUBLE CENTURIES IN 1ST GRADE

Name	Score	Opponent	Season
Dean Waugh	226 no	Hawkesbury	1991/92
	210	North Sydney	1995/96
S Smith	215 no	Sydney	1981/82
S Pope	275	Hawkesbury	1993/94
C Richards	203 no	Western Suburbs	1996/97
	200 no	Gordon	2004/05

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## PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED 5000 RUNS IN ALL GRADES

Name	Seasons	Innings	NO's	Runs	Avg.
D P Bourne	1960/61 – 1980/81	346	31	9131	28.98
K Ferris	1968/69 – 1997/98	442	66	8820	23.45
M Grant	1981/82 – 2005/06	291	79	8232	38.83
G Spotswood	1977-78 – 2006/06	327	46	8060	28.68
J Dunn	1960/61 – 1983/84	369	36	7911	23.75
D P Waugh	1982/83 – 1997/98	264	30	7731	33.03
G Crowfoot	1975/76 – 1995/96	290	47	7323	30.13
S Small	1975/76 – 1996/97	232	37	7075	36.28
D Thompson	1976/77 – 2006/06	311	24	7004	24.40
MC Stephenson	1962/63 – 1984-85	308	19	6642	22.98
B Urry	1951/52 – 1974/75	244	26	6574	30.15
S Thompson	1987/88 – 2005/06	237	29	6478	31.14
J Theobald	1951/52 – 1970/71	233	36	6281	31.88
R Bower	1974/75 – 1985/86	200	29	6111	35.73
S Dignam	1984/85 – 2003/04	228	17	6003	28.45
C Richards	1996/97 – 2005/06	150	23	5950	4685
A Divall	1980/81 – 1996/97	215	16	5831	29.30
A Smith	1990/91 – 2004/05	203	12	5745	30.07
A Ellis	1953/54 – 1968/69	225	35	5605	29.50
D Mitchell	1982/83 – 1993/94	195	26	5202	30.84
G Thomas	1953/54 – 1965/66	125	28	5182	53.42
T Mc Donald	1972/73 – 1986/87	213	20	5127	26.56
K Roberts	1993/94 – 2000/01	135	19	5108	44.03
S Cusick	1981/82 – 2005/06	239	38	5057	25.15
R Vidler	1972/73 – 1986/87	236	34	5050	25.00

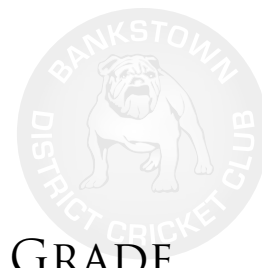
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# PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED CENTURIES IN 1ST GRADE

player score/s	opposition	season	player score/s	opposition	season
<b>C Richards</b>			<b>G Thomas</b>		
154	Balmain	1997/98	139 no	Paddington	1956/57
115	St George	1997/98	110 no	Petersham Marrickville	1957/58
104	St George	1999/00	125	North Sydney	1958/59
108	Fairfield	1999/00	113 no	Gordon	1960/61
117	Balmain	2000/01	155 no	Northern District	1961/62
130	Northern District	2000/01	151	Paddington	1962/63
112	University of NSW	20002/03	147	University	1962/63
125	Gordon	2002/03	100	Mosman	1962/63
126	Northern District	2002/03	143	Cumberland	1963/64
162no	Randwick Petersham	203/04	105	Glebe	1963/64
120	St George	2004/05	102	Paddington	1963/64
101	Balmain	2005/05	162	Petersham Marrickville	1964/65
123	Eastern Suburbs	2005/06	<b>R Bower</b>		
140	St George	2006/06	100 no	Petersham Marrickville	1982/83
<b>P Maraziotis</b>			101 no	Cumberland	1982/83
109 no	Hawkesbury	2000/01	101 no	Northern District	1982/83
138 no	Manly	2000/01	109 no	University of NSW	1983/84
119 no	Sutherland	2000/01	122	Sutherland	1983/84
115 no	University of NSW	2001/02	143	Mosman	1983/84
110 no	Northern District	2001/02	115	St George	1984/85
137	Campbelltown	2001/02	116	University of NSW	1984/85
135	St George	2001/02	124	Gordon	1985/86
162 no	Blacktown	2002/03	176	Balmain	1985/86
106 no	Parramatta	2002/03	<b>Dean Waugh</b>		
125 no	Campbelltown	2002/03	100	Fairfield	1988/89
186	Gordon	203/04	125no	Campbelltown	1991/92
101	C a m p b e l l t o w n Camden	2003/04	114	Mosman	1992/93
102no	Mosman	2003/04	110	St George	1992/93
<b>K Roberts</b>			104	Balmain	1994/95
115 no	Campbelltown	1993/94	167	Campbelltown	1995/96
134	Balmain	1993/94	106 no	Waverley	1995/96
131	North Sydney	1993/94	131	Campbelltown	1996/97
139	Parramatta	1993/94	<b>J Giffen</b>		
160	Penrith	1994/95	109	Waverley	1951/52
133 no	Petersham Marrickville	1994/95	114 no	Glebe	1953/54
134	Northern District	1995/96	102	St George	1953/54
119	Sydney University	1995/96	102	Gordon	1953/54
107	St George	1996/97	103	University	1955/56
116 no	St George	1997/98	124	Paddington	1955/56
119	Gordon	1997/98	117	University	1956/57
102	Hawkesbury	1998/99	118	Northern District	1956/57
163	Campbelltown	1998/99	109	University	1957/58



## PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED CENTURIES IN 1ST GRADE

player  
score/s                      opposition                      season

### S Small

128 no	Waverley	1977/78
129 no	Western Suburbs	1987/88
145	Fairfield	1988/89
105	North Sydney	1988/89
103 no	Gordon	1990/91
116	University	1993/94
113	Parramatta	1993/94
140 no	North Sydney	1994/95

### G Crowfoot

107	Western Suburbs	1980/81
124	University of NSW	1981/82
100	Petersham	1981/82
124	Manly	1983/84
118 no	Manly	1985/86
118 no	Hawkesbury	1985/86
135	Mosman	1986/87
102	Sutherland	1987/88

### M Waugh

108	Mosman	1983/84
102	Manly	1984/85
177	Petersham	1985/86
113	Penrith	1985/86
146	Northern District	1986/87
119 no	Parramatta	1987/88
113	Northern Districts	1994/95
136	Randwick Petersham	2003/04

### V Williams

140	University of NSW	1999/00
177	Penrith	1999/00
100	Northern District	1999/00
113	Eastern Suburbs	2001/02
128	Gordon	2001/02
108	Fairfield	2001/02
104	St George	2004/05

### S Thompson

100	Waverley	1993/94
129	St George	1993/94
103	Petersham Marrickville	1994/95
100	Randwick	1997/98
114	Randwick	1997/98
161 no	Gordon	1998/99

### D Bourne

player  
score/s                      opposition                      season

111	Northern District	1963/64
162	Randwick	1967/68
119	Gordon	1967/68
101	Gordon	1970/71
100	North Sydney	1971/72

### R Briggs

151	University	1951/52
114	Gordon	1951/52
103	Cumberland	1951/52
124	Northern District	1953/54
140	Petersham Marrickville	1957/58

### S Waugh

127 no	University	1983/84
110	Waverley	1984/85
136 no	Gordon	1984/85
141	University	1992/93
182	Northern District	1995/96

### A Divall

113	University	1986/87
109	Western Suburbs	1990/91
102	Penrith	1991/92
116	University of NSW	1993/94

### S Smith

162	St George	1981/82
181 no	Western Suburbs	1987/88
151	Mosman	1988/89

### R Amson

127	Cumberland	1952/53
103 no	North Sydney	1952/53
116	Glebe	1952/53

### B Urry

101 no	Manly	1953/54
103	Cumberland	1960/61
112	Waverley	1964/65

### S Deitz

122	Petersham Marrickville	1996/97
109 no	Hawkesbury	1996/97
101 no	Sutherland	1996/97

### K Rogers

103	Northern District	1956/57
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## PLAYERS WHO HAVE SCORED CENTURIES IN 1ST GRADE

player score/s	opposition	season
101	University	1959/60
<b>R Madden</b>		
130 no	Glebe	1958/59
135	Petersham Marrickville	1959/60
<b>J Dunn</b>		
100 no	University	1967/68
103 no	Manly	1970/71
<b>T McDonald</b>		
100 no	University	1972/73
102	Penrith	1979/80
<b>I Davis</b>		
113	Balmain	1977/80
115	Petersham Marrickville	1979/80
<b>S Pope</b>		
135	Fairfield	1994/95
110	Petersham Marrickville	1994/95
<b>Daniel Waugh</b>		
104 no	University of NSW	1996/97
105 no	Mosman	1997/98
<b>W Gibson</b>		
111 no	Balmain	1956/57
<b>A Ellis</b>		
101 no	Balmain	1964/65
<b>L Johns</b>		
106	Sydney	1966/67
<b>K Jones</b>		
104	Western Suburbs	1968/69
<b>J Convery</b>		
101 no	North Sydney	1968/69
<b>M Fisher</b>		
173 no	North Sydney	1974/75
<b>K Thorpe</b>		
105	Randwick	1975/76
<b>R Vidler</b>		
117 no	University	1977/78

player score/s	opposition	season
<b>K (Emu) Hall</b>		
102 no	Parramatta	1993/94
<b>Ben Smith</b>		
101 no	Gordon	1994/95
<b>S Grant</b>		
104	North Sydney (Final)	1994/95
<b>S Duff</b>		
122	Campbelltown	1998/99
<b>M Betsey</b>		
115	Petersham Marrickville	1999/00
<b>G Trevena</b>		
104 no	Petersham Marrickville	1999/00
<b>A O'Brien</b>		
106	Blacktown	2002/03
<b>C Parkinson</b>		
125	Penrith	2003/04
<b>D Magee</b>		
133	Penrith	2004/05

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## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 200 WICKETS IN 1ST GRADE

Name	Seasons	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Avg.
W Holdsworth	1986/87 – 2001/02	3495	717	10844	511	21.19
D Freedman	1984/85 – 2005/06	3056	658	9982	436	22.59
S Thompson	1990/91 – 2005/06	2821	559	9069	423	21.43
L Pascoe	1968/69 – 1983/84	1821	277	6798	393	17.30
K Hall	1990/91 – 2004/05	33839	1337	8794	380	23.14
B Urry	1951/52 – 1963/64	2026	191	8340	372	22.42
T Radanovic	1968/69 – 1977/78	1716	271	6170	268	22.78
P Talbot	1979/80 – 1994/95	1992	687	5950	261	22.79
B Thebridge	1970/71 – 1974/75	1182	166	4152	214	19.40
W Britton	1952/53 – 1963/64	1153	90	4565	212	21.53
B McKirdy	1979/80 – 1983/84	1541	380	3542	205	17.27
M Betsey	1999/00 – 2005/06	1556	269	4816	206	23.37

## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 300 WICKETS IN ALL GRADES

Name	Seasons	Overs	Maidens	Wickets	Runs	Avg.
A Taylor	1952/53 – 1978/79	4978	689	1188	17286	14.55
D Freedman	1980/81 – 2005/06	5626	1190	880	18525	21.05
W Holdsworth	1983/84 – 2001/02	4195	894	599	12709	21.21
P Talbot	1973/74 – 1999/00	4101	1306	586	11621	19.83
L Pascoe	1965/66 – 1983/84	2370	389	528	8363	15.84
P Kelly	1975/76 – 1997/98	3221	754	511	8320	16.28
S Thompson	1987/88 – 2005/06	3076	638	460	9784	21.26
J Bull	1965/66 – 1981/82	2256	634	440	5992	13.61
K Tyson	1959/60 – 1977/78	2070	416	417	7016	16.82
B Urry	1951/52 – 1974/75	2195	208	403	8903	22.09
G Spotswood	1977/78 – 2005/06	3939	704	387	8481	21.91
K Hall	1990/01 – 2004/05	3829	1337	380	8794	23.14
G Trevena	1989/90 – 2001/02	2588	563	363	7943	21.88
N Morrissey	1957/58 – 1966/67	1781	343	354	5073	14.33
W Silas	1951/52 – 1970/71	1325	91	349	4970	14.24
T Cramer	1982/83 – 1997/98	2501	643	329	8333	25.32
D Bull	1988/89 – 2002/03	2790	871	321	6807	21.20
S Cusick	1981/82 – 2001/02	2337	328	318	6920	21.76
N Seach	1955/56 – 1967/68	1602	283	313	5266	16.82
T Radanovic	1968/69 – 1973/74	2283	753	312	6784	21.74



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## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 9 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

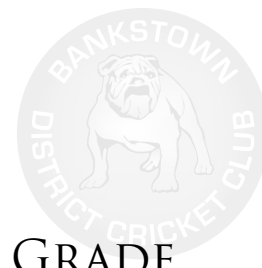
<b>Name</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Season</b>
K Gray	9/43	Petersham Marrickville	1959/60
L Pascoe	9/59	Sydney	1978/79
A Bird	9/33	Manly	2003/04

## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 8 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

<b>Name</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Season</b>
K Lang	8/100	North Sydney	1952/53
R Holland	8/55	University	1970/71
B Thebridge	8/53	Randwick	1973/74
L Pascoe	8/57	Sutherland	1978/79
S Thompson	8/29	Fairfield	1993/94

## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 7 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

<b>Name</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Season</b>
L Pascoe	7/24	Sutherland	1975/76
	7/45	University of NSW	1975/76
	7/76	University of NSW	1976/77
J Thomson	7/34	Gordon	1968/69
	7/44	Gordon	1972/73
W Holdsworth	7/40	Mosman	1995/96
	7/38	North Sydney	1997/98
	7/62	North Sydney	1999/200
B McKirdy	7/46	University of NSW	1982/83
	7/33	Mosman	1982/83
P Talbot	7/39	Sutherland	1987/88
	7/56	Gordon	1988/89
D Freedman	7/102	University	1992/93
	7/143	Manly	1997/98
A Bird	7/21	Randwick	2005/06
F Johnston	7/84	Randwick	1951/52
E Miller	7/75	University	1951/52
K Lang	7/85	North Sydney	1952/53
D Lonsdale	7/47	Balmain	1956/57
W Britton	7/60	St George	1958/59
T Radanovic	7/64	Randwick	1968/69



## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 7 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

T McDonald	7/34	Northern Districts	1974/75
G Pitty	7/95	Northern Districts	1977/78
A Bird	7/35	Manly	2003/04

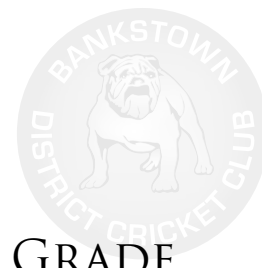
## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 6 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

<b>Name</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Season</b>
D Freedman	6/122	Northern Districts	1990/91
	6/31	Western Suburbs	1993/94
	6/76	Campbelltown	1994/95
	6/18	Mosman	1994/95
	6/35	Parramatta	1995/96
	6/45	Penrith	1998/99
	6/42	Parramatta	1999/00
	6/44	Eastern Suburbs	2000/01
	6/51	Blacktown	2005/06
B Urry	6/71	Glebe	1951/52
	6/82	North Sydney	1955/56
	6/53	Randwick	1956/57
	6/56	North Sydney	1962/63
	6/35	Sydney	1965/66
	6/58	Western Suburbs	1965/66
	6/54	Balmain	1966/67
T Mc Donald	6/46	Mosman	1980/81
	6/39	University of NSW	1980/81
	6/52	Randwick	1980/81
	6/28	Manly	1980/81
	6/27	St George	1982/83
	6/43	Waverley	1982/83
W Britton	6/44	North Sydney	1956/57
	6/28	Waverley	1957/58
	6/49	Waverley	1958/59
	6/73	Western Suburbs	1958/59
	6/33	Mosman	1959/60
W Holdsworth	6/48	North Sydney	1986/87
	6/77	Penrith	1987/88
	6/33	Western Suburbs	1991/92
	6/34	Western Suburbs	1881/92
	6/75	Sutherland	1998/99



## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 6 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

J Thomson	6/44	Western Suburbs	1968/69
	6/75	Mosman	1971/72
	6/31	Mosman	1973/74
	6/66	Penrith	1973/74
L Pascoe	6/37	Manly	1972/73
	6/31	North Sydney	1975/76
	6/55	University of NSW	1975/76
	6/41	Northern Districts	1983/84
T Radanovic	6/89	Cumberland	1969/70
	6/107	Randwick	1969/70
	6/65	St George	1971/72
	6/31	University of NSW	1974/75
B McKirdy	6/50	Petersham Marrickville	1981/82
	6/22	Sutherland	1981/82
	6/48	Sutherland	1982/83
	6/59	Mosman	1983/84
E Miller	6/94	North Sydney	1951/52
	6/45	Western Suburbs	1952/53
	6/84	Gordon	1953/54
P Talbot	6/56	Northern Districts	1988/89
	6/58	Penrith	1988/89
	6/45	Fairfield	1990/91
K Hall (Snr)	6/27	Randwick	1962/63
	6/32	Paddington	1963/64
N Morrissey	6/36	North Sydney	1963/64
	6/37	Paddington	1963/64
I King	6/47	Northern Districts	1967/68
	6/72	Cumberland	1967/68
G Pitty	6/79	Penrith	1978/79
	6/92	Petersham	1984/85
K Hall (Emu)	6/75	North Sydney	1990/91
	6/31	Parramatta	1992/93
N Bracken	6/49	Balmain	1995/96
	6/14	Western Suburbs	1998/99
S Thompson	6/35	Balmain	1997/98
	6/104	Mosman	1998/99
	6/26	Hawkesbury	2003/04
M Betsey	6/34	North Sydney	2001/02
	6/31	North Sydney	2001/02



## PLAYERS WHO HAVE TAKEN 6 WICKETS IN FIRST GRADE

H Dannaoui	6/48	Campbelltown	2002/03
	6/33	Hawkesbury	2002/03
W Pickles	6/58	Cumberland	1960/61
D Cathro	6/25	Glebe	1963/64
B Lewis	6/57	Balmain	1964/65
K Ferguson	6/37	Balmain	1965/66
R Le Fevre	6/89	North Sydney	1965/66
B Thebridge	6/39	Mosman	1971/72
K McDonald	6/41	Cumberland	1974/75
R Lamaro	6/46	Sutherland	1976/77
C Hogan	6/71	Sydney	1981/82
S Waugh	6/53	Sydney	1984/85
C Sinclair	6/61	Waverley	1984/85
M Waugh	6/63	Balmain	1985/86
T Sullivan	6/61	Hawkesbury	1985/86
G Smith	6/53	University of NSW	2002/03
A Bird	6/75	University of Sydney	2002/03

## LEADING ALL-ROUNDERS IN FIRST GRADE

	<b>Runs</b>	<b>Wickets</b>
B Urry	6089	372
S Thompson	5917	423
T McDonald	4739	194

## MOST DISMISSALS BY A WICKETKEEPER IN FIRST GRADE

<b>Player</b>	<b>Catches</b>	<b>Stumpings</b>	<b>Total Dismissals</b>
L Andrews	263	33	295
I Gorman	152	46	198
S Deitz	115	35	150
J Allsopp	134	12	146
T Davies	113	30	143
S Pope	81	41	122
S Duff	98	18	116

# PREMIERSHIP POSITIONS

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Year	Club Championship	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	PG	AWG	1st Grade Ltd Overs
1951/52	10	9	12	5	4				
1952/53	5	9	4	1	2				
1953/54	9	9	14	5	7		1		
1954/55	13	14	10	15	11				
1955/56	9	3	14	3	4				
1956/57	13	11	14	14	9				
1957/58	3	4	1	2	9				
1958/59	1	1	5	6	2				
1959/60	3	5	4	8	7				
1960/61	2	3	1	8	5		1		
1961/62	4	14	1	2	1				
1962/63	8	12	4	6	5			1	
1963/64	4	6	4	9	12				
1964/65	8	7	7	10	5			1	
1965/66	11	15	9	5	3			1	
1966/67	1	10	3	1	4				
1967/68	6	7	10	7	2				
1968/69	9	11	7	11	5				
1969/70	15	15	10	14	7	11		1	
1970/71	7	7	8	9	7	3			
1971/72	8	9	14	15	1	5			
1972/73	10	10	13	11	2	3			
1973/74	14	12	17	6	13	3			
1974/75	10	9	1	10	15	5			
1975/76	7	2	5	13	12	3			
1976/77	8	4	13	7	3	1			
1977/78	3	8	5	3	5	3			
1978/79	3	9	8	1	6	2			
1979/80	17	16	8	16	11	9			
1980/81	4	9	3	5	2	11			
1981/82	11	10	10	5	17	3			
1982/83	4	2	4	5	13	3		1	
1983/84	3	7	8	2	3	2			
1984/85	4	6	3	15	3	7			
1985/86	6	13	6	5	12	2			
1986/87	9	13	4	7	15	9			
1987/88	1	1	3	3	7	4			

## PREMIERSHIP POSITIONS

Year	Club Championship	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	PG	AWG	1st Grade Ltd Overs
1988/89	4	4	9	6	3	11		1	
1989/90	9	13	8	1	17	8	1		
1990/91	17	8	15	19	9	16			
1991/92	12	10	14	7	10	6			
1992/93	16	11	11	19	15	7			
1993/94	2	1	9	7	5	13			5
1994/95	2	1	6	2	3	6			3
1995/96	2	2	2	9	7	14			1
1996/97	3	2	6	14	13	12			2
1997/98	3	1	4	10	9	17			1
1998/99	5	2	9	9	14	12		1	5
1999/00	4	1	8	17	5	10		1	5
2000/01	7	12	11	5	16	9			11
2001/02	3	7	3	8	17	12			3
2002/03	11	13	10	6	19	3	10	1	9
2003/04	1	3 Minor Premiers	2	4	3	12	2 MP	1 MP	3 Minor Premiers
2004/05	5	8	7	12	12	12	8	2	6
2005/06	15	9	13	12	13	15	8	20	7



# CLUB RECORDS

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Qualifications: Batting - 7 Innings And 250 Runs, Bowling - 15 Wickets

## HIGHEST BATTING AVERAGE BY GRADE

First Grade	G. THOMAS	87.60	1960 61
Second Grade	M GRANT	95.00	2001-02
Third Grade	J BOURNE	67.50	2003-04
Fourth Grade	H. KELLY	94.00	1954-55
Fifth Grade	P. AMSON	91.50	1977-78
A W Green Shield	S McKIERNAN	108.40	1994-95
Poidevin Gray Shield	R. BOWER	183.50	1980-81
C. Shires	I. MADDEN	31.60	1965-66

## HIGHEST BATTING AGGREGATE BY GRADE

First Grade	K. ROBERTS	1168	1993-94
Second Grade	G. SPOTSWOOD	876	1986-87
Third Grade	G. SPOTSWOOD	717	1997-98
Fourth Grade	C GANE	802	2003-04
Fifth Grade	E. BAKER	591	1971-72
A W Green Shield	C RIDLEY	668	2003-04
Poidevin Gray Shield	R. BOWER	367	1980-81
C. Shires	R. CLARKE	350	1965-66

## HIGHEST INDIVIDUAL SCORE BY GRADE

First Grade	S. POPE	275	1993-94
Second Grade	G. BALDWIN	205no	1997-98
Third Grade	L. STERREY	198	1982-83
Fourth Grade	BEN THORPE	170	1995-96
Fifth Grade	P. CROSSAN	207 no	1994-95
A W Green Shield	V. WILLIAMS	211 no	1993-94
Poidevin Gray Shield	S. SMITH	201 no	1981-82
C. Shires	J. CHIPPENDALE	148	1968-69

## BEST BOWLING AVERAGE BY GRADE

First Grade	P. TALBOT	8.38	1987-88
Second Grade	R. INGHAM	7.10	1961-62
Third Grade	W. BRITTON	4.60	1955-56
Fourth Grade	J. BULL	6.25	1968-69
Fifth Grade	K. EVERSON	7.10	1977-78
A W Green Shield	P. GRAHAM	5.00	1971-72
Poidevin Gray Shield	D. STANLEY	5.00	1953-54
C. Shires	R. WADDINGTON	6.67	1966-67



## CLUB RECORDS

Qualifications: Batting - 7 Innings And 250 Runs, Bowling - 15 Wickets

### MOST WICKETS BY GRADE

First Grade	A BIRD	68	2003-04
Second Grade	P. TALBOT	55	1984-85
Third Grade	A. TAYLOR	73	1957-58
Fourth Grade	H. BUNTON	77	1961-62
Fifth Grade	P. MOY	50	2002-03
A W Green Shield	G. SARGENT	35	1982-83
Poidevin Gray Shield	G. PITY	30	1975-76
C. Shires	R. WADDINGTON	59	1966-67

### MOST DISMISSALS BY WICKETKEEPER BY GRADE

		Catches	Stumpings	
First Grade	S. POPE	29	18	1994-95
Second Grade	S. JAMIESON	36	10	2003-04
Third Grade	I. GORMAN	28	13	1966-67
Fourth Grade	L. ANDREWS	27	11	1969-70
Fifth Grade	A. COOPER	23	10	1986-87
A W Green Shield	J. MORRICE	16	11	1965-66
Poidevin Gray Shield	S. POPE	12	8	1990-91

### BEST WICKETKEEPING PERFORMANCE IN SEASON

			Catches	Stumpings
1957-58	B. Walsh	3rd Grade	10	8
1958-59	J Clift	1st Grade	10	4
1959-60	C. Smithers	3rd Grade	8	8
1960 61	J. Clift	Second Grade	8	2
1961 62	R. Justice	First Grade	9	3
1962 63	J. Dunn	Second Grade	12	11
1963 64	J. Dunn	First Grade	14	4
1964 65	R. Bain	Third Grade	19	7
1965 66	I. Gorman	Fourth Grade	16	
1966 67	I. Gorman	Third Grade	28	13
1967 68	R. Justice	Fourth Grade	19	7
1968 69	R. Justice	Second Grade	29	10
1969 70	L. Andrews	Fourth Grade	27	11
1970 71	L. Andrews	Second Grade	20	7
1971 72	I. Gorman	First Grade	21	7
1972 73	I. Gorman	First Grade	19	4

# CLUB RECORDS

Qualifications: Batting - 7 Innings And 250 Runs, Bowling - 15 Wickets

## BEST WICKETKEEPING PERFORMANCE IN SEASON

			Catches	Stumpings
1973-74	L. Andrews	Second Grade	20	7
1973-74	P. Taylor	Fourth Grade	20	5
1974-75	L. Andrews	First Grade	17	4
1975-76	L. Andrews	First Grade	33	2
1976-77	L. Andrews	First Grade	37	3
1977-78	L. Andrews	First Grade	30	5
1980-81	T. Davies	First Grade	23	3
1980-81	P. Summers	Second Grade	23	3
1981-82	L. Andrews	First Grade	26	3
1982-83	L. Andrews	First Grade	43	1
1983-84	S. Sydes	Third Grade	36	-
1984-85	L. Andrews	First Grade	32	5
1985-86	M. Freedman	Third Grade	18	3
1986-87	A. Cooper	Fifth Grade	23	10
1987-88	S. Pope	Third Grade	29	8
1988-89	T. Davies	First Grade	22	5
1989-90	D. Cullen	Fifth Grade	26	3
1990-91	S. Pope	Second Grade	27	13
1991-92	S. Pope	First Grade	20	9
1992-93	S. Pope	First Grade	20	3
1993-94	T. Davies	First Grade	23	12
1994-95	S. Pope	First Grade	29	18
1995-96	S. Deitz	First Grade	38	4
1996-97	S. Deitz	First Grade	26	12
1997-98	S. Deitz	First Grade	31	15
1998-99	S Duff	First Grade	33	4
1999-00	S Duff	First Grade	34	3
2000-01	S Duff	First Grade	27	9
2001-02	J Allsopp	First Grade	31	4
2002-03	J Allsopp	First Grade	34	4
2003-04	S Jamieson	Second Grade	36	10
2004-05	J Allsopp	First Grade	37	2
2005-06	J Allsopp	First Grade	32	4





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### FIRST GRADE

	<b>Best Batting Average</b>		<b>Most Runs in Season</b>		<b>Best Bowling Average</b>		<b>Most Wickets in Season</b>	
2000-01	P Maraziotis	64.18	P Maraziotis	706	K Hall	18.85	W Holdsworth	34
2001-02	P Maraziotis	74.53	P Maraziotis	969	M Betsey	20.18	M Betsey	43
2002-03	P Maraziotis	52.13	P Maraziotis	782	A Bird	19.73	H Dannaoui	42
2003-04	P Maraziotis	40.76	P Maraziotis	856	A Bird	18.92	A Bird	68
2004-05	C Richards	49.11	C Richards	884	S Thompson	16.00	S Thompson	38
2005-06	C Richards	64.00	C Richards	704	A Bird	15.39	A Bird	31

### FIRST GRADE HIGHEST PARTNERSHIPS

<b>Wkt</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Opposition</b>	<b>Batsman 1</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Batsman 2</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Year</b>
1	246	Paddington	G. Thomas	151	A. Kelly	85	1962-63
2	228	Mosman	R. Bower	143	M. Waugh	70	1983-84
3	314 u/f	Western Districts	S. Smith	181	S. Small	123	1987-88
4	191	Campbelltown	D.P. Waugh	126	S. Small	58	1995-96
5	162	Campbelltown	D.P. Waugh	79	S. Pope	81	1996-97
6	164	North Sydney	S. Small	80	S. Grant	80	1994-95
7	124	Balmain	K Hall	37	C Richards	78	1997-98
8	118	North Sydney	K Hall	63	G Trevena	51	1999 -00
9	118	Parramatta	W. Holdsworth	71	K. Hall	44	1993-94
10	79	Randwick	J Convery	51	R. Le Fevre	28	1965-66

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## SECOND GRADE

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	S McKiernan	52.00	A O'Brien	340	R Snape	24.95	R Snape	20
2001-02	M Grant	95.00	M Bright	625	M Bright	23.80	M Bright	46
2002-03	A Smith	43.00	A Smith	387	D Freedman	18.60	D Freedman	25
2003-04	M Grant	76.29	M Grant	534	H Dannaoui	17.76	D Freedman	34
2004-05	M Grant	51.25	M Grant	410	S Truashiem	18.69	D Freedman	30
2005-06	M Grant	38.00	C Ridley	388	D Freedman	18.03	S Truashiem	30

## SECOND GRADE HIGHEST PARTNERSHIPS

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	338	North Sydney	G. Baldwin	168no	A. Smith	147	1997-98
2	274	Western Suburbs	J Bourne	179	G Scuglia	87no	2002-03
2 equal	196	Northern District	G. Baldwin	100no	K. Beazleigh	82	1997-98
3	202	Randwick-Petersham	C Parkinson	103	A O'Brien	80no	2001-02
4	186	Manly	B. Smith	95	D.J. Waugh	91	1993-94
5	188	Parramatta	M. Parkins	116	D.J. Waugh	68	1992-93
6	236	North Sydney	S Cusick	129	V Williams	96	1994-95
7	202	Manly	G. Spotswood	138	D. Freedman	63	1986-87
8	229	Sydney Uni	D. Magee	162no	G.Trevena	59no	1996-97
9	99	Manly	S Wise	24	A Smith	72no	2002-03
10	69 u/f	Sutherland	K. Ferris	40	D. Freedman	29	1983-84

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### THIRD GRADE

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	K Roberts	41.80	K Roberts	418	G Roden	12.60	G Roden	34
2001-02	D Bull	65.25	G Spotswood	353	D Ettridge	17.61	D Ettridge	21
2002-03	M Grant	53.59	M Grant	536	G Atkin	18.52	J Thackray	32
2003-04	J Bourne	67.50	J Bourne	405	J Thackray	15.24	J Thackray	29
2004-05	C Bennett	29.22	M Polson	312	M Polson	19.37	J Thackray	22
2005-06	L James	32.90	L James	329	B Van Blerk	20.63	B Van Blerk	19
							B Small	19
							E Koloczek	19

### THIRD GRADE HIGHEST PARTNERSHIPS

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	187	Sutherland	G. Crowfoot	101	M.J. Stephenson	65	1977-78
2	192	Randwick	K. Ferris	98	M. Grant	84	1983-84
3	178	University of NSW	S. McKiernan	108	S. Dignam	70	1995-96
4	232	Northern District	R. Grange	124	C. Formston	108	1965-66
5	201	Penrith	M. Waugh	103	M.C. Stephenson	98	1980-81
6	176	St George	G Roden	116	K Roberts	86 no	2000-01
7	103	Sydney	S. Sydes	83	G. Tyndall	20	1977-78
8	149	Hawkesbury	M Grant	67	S Wise	71no	2002-03
9	100	Randwick Petersham	A Matsoukis	na	L James	na	2003-04
10	68	Western Suburbs	R. Monaghan	37	D. Stocks	28	1982-83

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## FOURTH GRADE

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	M Coton	33.60	M Coton	336	K Minard	13.96	K Minard	24
2001-02	J Hart	42.30	J Hart	381	T Roarty	25.70	T Roarty	12
2002-03	G Spotswood	24.07	G Spotswood	313	D Drew	22.00	G Spotswood	27
2003-04	C Gane	57.29	C Gane	802	C Gane	16.46	D Drew	27
2004-05	C Ridley	46.00	C Ridley	368	M Beaven	24.00	M Beaven	19
2005-06	L Reece	36.88	L Reece	295	G Spotswood	18.80	G Spotswood	15

## FOURTH GRADE HIGHEST PARTNERSHIPS

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	211	Mosman	M. Davis	118	M.J. Stephenson	81	1981-82
2	126	Mosman	C. Hancock	69	R. Cubitt	57	1990-91
3	189	Hawkesbury	B. Thorpe	127	J. Byrom	57	1995-96
4	156	Penrith	M Coton	569	P Dugmore	101	1999-00
5	182	Balmain	V. Williams	109	M. Smith	50	1993-94
6	181	Manly	R. Schultz	100	K. Ferris	79	1993-94
7	126	Balmain	D Ward	59no	J Way	150no	1999-00
8	102	Manly	S. Butler	60	D. Gunning	42	1992-93
9	85	Manly s/f	L Tucker	50	A Sidie	33	1999-2000
10	110	Petersham-Marrickville	K. Dixon	78	D. Lister	32	1968-69

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### FIFTH GRADE

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	G Atkin	34.55	G Atkin	311	G Atkin	8.89	G Atkin	28
2000-01 equal							P Moy	28
2001-02	S Keen	30.50	S Keen	305	A Matsoukis	14.47	M Doab	24
2002-03	T Johnson	38.22	R Beaven	449	P Moy	13.80	P Moy	50
2003-04	C Ridley	43.12	T Hunter	362	D Leichsenring	9.87	D Leichsenring	23
2004-05	R Donovan	39.12	R Donovan	313	M Doab	15.80	B Small	24
2005-06	B Christensen	37.75	B Christensen	302	P Moy	19.17	P Moy	23

### FIFTH GRADE HIGHEST PARTNERSHIPS

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	181 u/f	Parramatta	M. Smith	95	S. Ryan	79	1995-96
2	188	Penrith	M Baker	69	B Christensen	153	2005-06
3	161	Mosman	A. O'Brien	103	D. Moy	58	1995-96
4	248 u/f	Fairfield	P. Crossan	148	L. Stevenson	100	1994-95
5	210	Randwick	A. Dunn	107	D. Angel	102	1984-85
6	148	Balmain	T Johnson	87	R Beaven	56	2002-03
7	107	Campbelltown-Camden	A Tonkin	50	C Small	52	2001-02
7 equal	107	Fairfield Liverpool	T Johnson	36	C Stenhouse	64	2002-03
8	86	Petersham-Marrickville	F. Theodore	54	P. Raymond	30	1985-86
9	47	Campbelltown	B Sweetnam	25	A Best	17	1998-99
10	78	Randwick	P. Taylor	34no	A. Klumpp	37	1996-97

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### GREEN SHIELD

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	G Atkin	57.00	G Atkin	285	G Atkin	6.18	G Atkin	17
2001-02	S Keen	76.00	S Keen	608	T Finn	18.50	A Matsoukis	8
2002-03	L James	56.40	R Griffiths	361	P Darwen	13.10	P Darwen	19
2003-04	C Ridley	95.43	C Ridley	668	D Burns	17.35	D Burns	17
2004-05	A Sams	32.40	A Sams	324	E Koleczek	11.22	T Vella	19
2005-06	M Hopkins	111.00	M Hopkins	333	J Nguyen	11.00	J Nguyen	6
							M Hopkins	6

### POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2000-01	K Beazleigh	51.00	K Beazleigh	306	K Minard	13.96	D Moy	10
2000-01 equal							D Ettridge	10
2001-02	P Dugmore	37.16	D Ettridge	227	T Roarty	25.70	D Ettridge	14
2002-03	B Roworth	46.50	B Roworth	186	D Drew	22.00	T Brown	8
2003-04	B Roworth	40.75	P Dugmore	233	C Gane	16.46	A Bird	19
2004-05	A Bird	49.50	A Bird	297	M Beaven	24.00	A Bird	8
2005-06	R Beaven	53.75	M Beaven	215	G Spotswood	18.80	S Keen	9

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# BANKSTOWN SUPER CRICKET CAMP - JANUARY 2006



FORMER Australian cricket captain Brian Booth will be among experts who will host the Bankstown Super Cricket Camp next week.

Joining him throughout the three days from January 23 to 25, will be Bankstown first grade cricketer and coach, Barry Hall; NSW representative David Freedman; and Barry Davison who has been on the cricket board for 30 years and the NSW coaching panel and also been a Pura Cup and NSW fielding coach.

The camp will be for boys and girls aged 8-14 and will be held at Bankstown Memorial Oval. It is open to anyone who would like to improve their cricket skills and knowledge and costs \$120 which includes drinks, a shirt and trophies.

For more information contact Greg Beaven or Eris Dignam, 9774 2699.

Pictured preparing for the camp are Shane Duff, Brian Booth and David Freedman.

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# CRICKET MASALA

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The inaugural Commonwealth Bank Cricket Masala was played on 9th April and a crowd of over 3200 at Bankstown Oval witnessed the Rest of the World led by Southern Stars vice captain Lisa “Shaker” Sthalekar, defeat the NSW Aboriginal Allstars in a thrilling final to become the Open Commonwealth Bank Cricket Masala Champions. In the Under 18’s tournament the Combined Pakistan-Afghan team downed fellow underdogs Bangladesh in a see-sawing struggle.

In a frenetic day of action, a total of 64 sixes were hit and the NSW Aboriginal Allstars fell 4 runs short of the mythical 100 run total against India. (Off 5 overs)

Geoff Coates, Executive General Manager - Business Development, International Financial Services today said “We are very happy with the outcome of the event and the way it was conducted. We are happy to be involved again.”

In a compelling final, the Rest of the World team, avenging an earlier pool loss to the Allstars, unleashed their bombers Kevin Pillay and Richard Chee Quee who

rained down the sixes to post 71. Man of the tournament, NSW Aboriginal Allstars Captain Daniel Christian led the chase valiantly with power hitter Jeff Cook but following the key dismissal of Christian by Rest of the World Captain Lisa Sthalekar, the Allstars fell just short with a reply of 65.

Both Cook and Christian tied for the highest number of sixes with 7 each but the day belonged to Sthalekar and the Rest of the World team “When we first started playing it was all a bit of fun but as the day went on we got serious as we started to think we could win it and I can’t believe we won. A big thanks to all of my teammates, particularly Kevin Pillay and Richard Chee Quee and also to Mel, Ardil, Brad and Vilen and everybody involved. Thanks to the organizers and also to Commonwealth Bank for their ongoing support of cricket.”

In the individual honours Jeff Cook topped the batting with 131 runs closely followed by Richard Chee Quee, Jay Poria of India Sports Club and Daniel Christian. NSW 20/20 rep, Sri Lanka’s Jarrad Burke won the bowling award with a miserly 4 for 30 from 4 overs.

Mark Waugh, ex Australian batsman and Event VIP said “What a fantastic day and thanks to the organisers. The South Asian passion for cricket now has an outlet in Sydney and the more community events like these the more our communities will come together.”

In the Under 18’s final a star was born in Bangadeshi allrounder Kurab Akhter but even he could not stop the Pakistan Afghan Juggernaut led by captain Riz

“Shiz” Amir Khan and Auburn’s Afghan Australian dynamo Abdul W. Kherkhan as together they posted an imposing 80 run total. In a compelling run chase Akhter almost pulled off a sporting miracle with Bangladesh Under 18’s falling just short with a reply of 73. In the individual honours both Abdul W. Kherkan and Akhter tied for the most sixes hit with 3 each, Akhter and Junaid Alamgir took the most wickets whilst Akhter was head and shoulders above the rest with a total of 126 runs in 4 games followed by Rizwan Amir Khan with 69.

Gambhir Watts, president of Bhavan Australia was thrilled with the event. “Bhavan Australia is delighted with the response to the first Commonwealth Bank Cricket Masala. The cricket was of a high standard, the variety of entertainment was excellent and the food was sumptuous. Our special thanks to our partners Bankstown Cricket Club, Bankstown City Council and partner sponsor Commonwealth Bank. Also a big thanks to our major sponsors SBS, Dilmah Tea, Milo, Panglobal TV, India Tourism, New South Wales Government through the Community Relations Commission, Bankstown Sports Club, Kingsgrove Sports, Cumberland Newspapers, and Indian Link.”

In Bankstown Gardens, Kamahl, Gulam Abbas, Guinn Ragel, Avijit Sarkar, Jazba, Raga Rocks, and Farah Shah’s Mango Dance Bollywood troupe entertained the crowd while a variety of South Asian food and drinks stalls looked after their palate.