

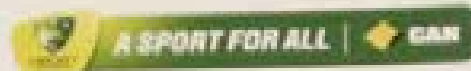


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SIXTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT 2016/17



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Max Treuer

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Association: B Freedman

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Cricket Operations Committee:

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Selection Committee:

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Kouventaris, M Kelly

Publicity Officer: M Stephenson

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Honorary Auditor: Scott Truashiem CA

SUCCESSFUL CLUBS

Club Championship:

"Sydney Smith" Cup Penrith

Spirit of Cricket Sydney University

PREMIERS

First Grade - Belvidere Cup Sydney University

First Grade - Limited Overs Penrith

First Grade - Twenty20 Cup Northern Districts

Second Grade Sydney

Third Grade Northern Districts

Fourth Grade Sydney

Fifth Grade Randwick-Petersham

Poidevin-Gray Shield Parramatta

AW Green Shield Sydney

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 Jarrad Burke

Second Grade Matthew Smith

Third Grade Andrew O'Brien

Fourth Grade Alex Kouventaris

Fifth Grade Mat Kelly

Poidevin-Gray Shield Brendan Smith

AW Green Shield Koby Layton

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(CRICKET ASSOCIATION OF NSW DISTRICTS)

Bankstown District Cricket Club

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service roll

Year	President	Honorary Secretary	Honorary Treasurer
1951-1955	H Toohy	J H Fitzpatrick	S Swane
1955-1956	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
1956-1961	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N W Wright
1961-1970	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	N L Murray
1970-1972	J L Lewis	S F Boddy	D P Bourne
1972-1973	J L Lewis	T T Radanovic	D P Bourne
1973-1975	S F Boddy	F G Cicutto	D P Bourne
1975-1977	S F Boddy	J F Mackinnon	D P Bourne
1977-1979	S F Boddy	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1979-1982	J Bull	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1982-1986	B F Freedman	R J Bower	D P Bourne
1986-1989	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	D P Bourne
1989-2006	B F Freedman	M H Klumpp	E Dignam
2006-2017	S A Grant	M H Klumpp	E Dignam

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annual general meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Sixty-sixth 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, 2017 at 7.30pm. You are most cordially invited to attend.

BUSINESS

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the Sixty-fifth Annual General Meeting.
2. To consider the Sixty-sixth Annual Report and Financial Statement from the Management Committee.
3. Presentations:
 - The Sid and Mary Boddy Memorial Award
 - The Jack Scully Poidevin-Gray Award
 - The Roy Amson Memorial Award
 - Awards to winners of team aggregates and averages
4. To consider any recommendation tabled by the Management Committee for Life membership of the Club.
5. Election of Office Bearers for Season 2017/2018
 - Patrons
 - President
 - Honorary Secretary
 - Honorary Assistant Secretary
 - Honorary Treasurer
 - Delegate to SCA
 - Delegate to NSWCA
 - Honorary Auditor
 - Management Committee (up to 12 members)
6. 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
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14th July 2017

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president's report



It was a privilege and an honour to serve as the club's President again this season.

2016/17 was a memorable season and productive as it was, I found it most difficult, if not impossible, to detail in this presidential report all that our club achieved. As you read the numerous reports submitted by the clubs leaders in this annual report I am sure you will agree with me that our members and committees are nothing but very active and productive. Given this, and knowing full well of the perils of singling out a few individuals and activities, I opted to go ahead and focus the majority of my comments this year on arguably the most significant event in our club's history – being crowned by cricket Australia (CA) the most outstanding Premier cricket club in Australia, or the “best of the best” I like to say.

The award, presented in front of Australia's cricket fraternity at the annual Cricket Australia community awards event in Melbourne, was significant recognition for many people on and off the field over many, many years of continuous effort. Whilst the award criteria covered all areas of the clubs' operations, on and off the field, in my mind, the award wouldn't have been possible without the long term support and involvement of the Bankstown Sports Club and the local council. As an amateur cricket club, we are naturally beholden to volunteers for which we couldn't survive without. However, we equally owe a debt of gratitude to our broader supporters, sponsors and the council who unreservedly provide 1st class facilities.

Our manifesto has always been to create an environment where our players are supported to be the best players they can be and great ambassadors for the game of cricket and our community. It is humbling and quite amazing that a little cricket club of some sixty years, in the heart of a working class area, that feels like family and cares and thinks like a community has been rewarded with such an honour. It reflects the inclusive, welcoming and driven nature of our local community and people. A more detailed description of the award is contained in this report and I urge you to read it with great pride.

The 2016/17 season was a continuation of what has been an amazing journey since opening the new indoor centre, investing in local talent and focusing on development pathways. This strategy has rewarded the club with a first grade squad that has had a continuous presence in 1st grade finals for some time now. Unfortunately beaten this season in the grand final, our first grade side played very well only to be overcome by time and some amazing individual performances. The first grade squad has dominated Sydney cricket for some years and in time, I'm sure these players will look back on this period as “their time” when collectively a group of lads came through the grades, and via green shield and PGs to contest at a first grade level in all forms of the game.

Many thanks again to the people that found it possible to step forward and volunteer - who we couldn't do without - and of course the management committee that devote so much energy and time to the smooth running of the club. In the coming season we will be looking for further volunteers, so if you can assist in any way, please put your hand up. Even a small contribution can make a big difference.

Best regards,

Scott Grant

BDCC President

sixty-sixth annual report



I have pleasure in presenting the Club's Sixty-Sixth Annual Report and Financial Statement. Last Season we competed in our fourth successive Belvidere Cup final and although a draw wasn't enough to take the title, the Club is very proud of the resilience shown by our First Grade squad. In April 2017 the Club won the inaugural Cricket Australia 'Premier Grade Club of the Year Award'. This Award speaks volumes to the unswerving commitment of our volunteer administrators; none more so than Brian Freedman, Scott Grant and Eris and Margaret Dignam whose special contributions over several decades underpins this achievement.

The club was again very lucky to have the services of dedicated coaching group led by Head Coach Gary Crowfoot, capably supported by Dean Burke. I find it hard to believe there's a more passionate head coach in the Premier Grade than Gary Crowfoot. His commitment and enthusiasm for developing the technical skills and cricket knowledge of our players is a big reason for our continued on-field success. It's a pleasure to work with Dean Burke; nothing is ever too much trouble for this affable and loyal clubman. Dean was recently been selected by Cricket Australia to complete his Level 3 qualification and the knowledge and skills he'll gain from this program will be a great asset for the club in years to come. Perhaps a measure of the efforts of our coaching team is the exceptional representation of Bulldogs players in the recently announced NSW U/19 and U/17 squads. Congratulations to Tom Sowden and Wallace Marshall in the 19s and Brad Simpson, Rhys Ward, Liam Marshall and Zeeshaan Ahmed in the 17s.

Club legend and all-round great bloke Ken Hall continued as First Grade Team Manager and he was ably assisted by Ray Richards. Ray is a no frills, head down, 'no task is too much trouble' contributor and it was great to have him back in the Bulldog kennel.

First Grade skipper Jarrad Burke's form with bat and ball was again top shelf; his hundred in the final helped give us a real shot at the title and he followed that contribution by bowling himself to a standstill for a day and a half; another effort that was applauded and respected in both teams.

Matthew Smith took over the reins as skipper in Second Grade and he will have gained a lot of confidence from the experience. A well respected clubman and good student of the game who really enjoys the camaraderie that comes from playing team sport. Matthew has plenty to offer the Club as a player and a leader and 2016/17 was just another phase of a journey that we hope will continue long into the future.

Third Grade skipper Andrew O'Brien is another committed Clubman and exactly the sort of person we need to help develop the technical and game awareness skills of our younger players. Andrew went very close to winning the SCA 'Third Grade Captain of the Year Award', reflecting the esteem in which he is held by officiating umpires and opposition clubs.

Alex Kouventaris stepped up to skipper Fourth Grade and at 19 years of age he was the youngest Captain in the competition by some margin. Alex deserves great credit for having the spirit to take on a role that many people his age would find too daunting. Chairman of Selectors Phil Kelly provided Alex with encouragement and practical tips but it's fair to say the Club needs to find ways of providing young leaders like Alex with more on-field support and mentoring. Thanks Alex, your contribution last season is greatly appreciated.

Mat Kelly again managed to re-arrange his personal and work life so he could skipper our young Fifth Grade side. Mat's great form with bat and ball saw him win the 'Bankstown Sports Club Player of the

Year Award' (tied with Mitch Brown) for the second year in succession, but his biggest contribution is developing the right attitudes in our young players, the majority of whom are being exposed to open level sport for the first time.

For the final round of the season Geoff Spotwood took over as Fifth Grade skipper and he was joined by a cast of Bulldog legends keen to celebrate his amazing contribution to grade cricket. I've been involved with Spottie for his entire Bulldogs career and there is no doubt he is one of the great characters of this club's history and also of the Sydney Cricket Association.

Mark Grant and Linsey Roworth headed up our Cricket Operations Sub-Committee with oversight of all on-field related matters (retention, recruitment, coaching structures, facilities etc). Mark and Linsey worked closely with Gary Crowfoot and Chairman of Selectors Phil Kelly to ensure our playing group had every opportunity to develop and compete at their best.

Rob Smith, Gary Penman and Justin Newman again provided effective leadership for Bankstown Sports Women's Cricket Club. Cricket Australia's strategies to re-shape Women's representative competitions and focus on growing participation levels is resulting in significant changes to the Premier Women's scene. This transitional period poses big challenges for Club administrators. Although the Club didn't win any Premier Level silverware last season, the tireless efforts of the Club's senior management group saw it grow participation numbers, adding one U13 and two U17 teams in the Spring Thunder Girls Cricket League Competition and one U17 and two U13 teams in the Summer Thunder Girls Cricket League Competition. The Club also fielded a Mollie (not Millie) Dive U13 District side (which won that competition) and a Margaret Peden U15 District side. These additions show the Club is actively supporting CA's call to grow the women's game at the grass roots level.

Everyone associated with Bankstown cricket was delighted in May 2017 when Sarah Aley and Ashleigh Gardner were named in the Australian World Cup Squad. Aley was part of Australia's squad for the series against NZ in February but did not play. Her selection for the World Cup squad is just reward for her outstanding first class form over many seasons. A wonderful leader, Sarah takes great pride in making a contribution at Premier Grade Club level. At the other end of the experience scale, the richly talented 19 year old Ashleigh Gardner made her debut for the national team against NZ in February. She impressed many keen judges at the recent squad camp in Brisbane and we will be watching her continued development at National, State, WBBL and Club level with great anticipation.

Whether it is providing Mum's or Dad's taxi for our young players, scoring matches, hauling covers on and off the ground or providing afternoon teas

at BDCC we value highly every contribution made by our volunteers. But on behalf of all players and supporters, it's appropriate to make special mention of the following people who go the extra metre, kilometre or in some cases on a life long journey:

Scott Grant and Meegan Grant

Despite their busy corporate roles, Scott and Meegan take every opportunity to volunteer time and effort towards maintaining and improving this Club. Meegan and Scott don't just provide quality business thinking skills to improve the governance and professionalism of the Club, they are 'hands-on' contributors, working the canteen, cleaning the bins, running errands etc. and just talking with people and being genuinely interested in them and their lives away from cricket.

Eris and Margaret Dignam

Stalwarts of the Club and the wider Bankstown-Canterbury community, Eris and Margaret's contribution is legendary and a pivotal piece of the puzzle that led to us winning the 'Premier Cricket Club of the Year Award. Treasurer duties, book-keeping records, club practice co-ordination and canteen operations are just some of the practical roles Margaret and Eris has contributed for two and a half decades. Champions.

Brian Freedman

In my view, Brian's commitment over three and a half decades was the single most important factor in us winning the Premier Club of the Year Award. Whether it has been at club, local association, women's club, SCA Committee of Management, CNSW Board or Cricket Australia Board level, Brian has never shirked the hard decisions, he's never compromised his personal integrity and he's always given his absolute all for the good of his club, his association or the game in general. And then of course there's the small matter of our Uganda Project for which Brian is the major contributor. Eleven shipping containers of cricket, general sports and school equipment and resources that have made untold improvement to the lives of so many people in Uganda – of itself worthy of an Award, but when coupled with everything else it gives real perspective to the scale of Brian's contribution.

David Clifton

Despite being under pressure with University commitments and starting his own charity in Fiji, this committed Life Member continues to make a very important contribution across our operations. David has always ensured we always present ourselves professionally and our Annual Report is seen as the benchmark for Premier Grade Clubs in Australia. I regularly get feedback from professional sports clubs and bodies that are amazed a volunteer-based organisation like BDCC can deliver an Annual Report so rich in quality images and general presentation. David also provides photography for social media and

the photos he provides for the TORCH newspaper provides invaluable exposure for our major sponsor Bankstown Sports Club. But David's co-ordination of the All Abilities Cricket Program, in partnership with the RSAC Group, is the crown jewel of his contribution for the Club. This Program goes from strength to strength and I urge all members and supporters to pop down one Sunday and watch one of the sessions, as it will leave you feeling pretty good about the Club's efforts to be a good member of our community.

Geoff and Michelle Price

Geoff is jovial and loyal first grade scorer, management committee member and training coordinator. He's also our Mr Logistics when it comes time to pack the shipping container for Uganda and his understanding of how to pack the hundreds of odd shaped boxes and kit bags ensures we get best bang for our buck on shipping costs. Michelle continued to provide valuable support in the canteen and at presentation nights and is a pleasure to have around the place.

Phil Kelly

PK is stepping down after four years as Chairman of Selectors and we are very grateful for his contribution. In recent years the Chairman of Selectors role has been very challenging due to issues like the increased amount of senior representative cricket and the Club having a very young playing roster. Increasing professionalism means representative level players are subject to far greater scrutiny from CNSW physiotherapists and are often ruled out of Premier Grade cricket as a result of strains and sprains suffered in mid-week matches. Additionally, school and part time work demands and lifestyle choices, means many young players find it difficult to make a 100% commitment to Premier Level cricket. These factors make the Chairman of Selectors role very time consuming and challenging. Despite this PK 's enthusiasm and professionalism never waned. In fact, he was always the first to put his hand up when a special project landed on the Committee table. Karen Kelly's unwavering support of Phil's efforts also deserves recognition, as is the enthusiastic help she provides for catering and cleaning duties at club functions.

The 2017/18 season is already shaping as a very challenging one for players, coaches and administrators. We are aware there will be some key changes in senior playing personnel. This change undoubtedly provides new opportunities for several of our very talented young players; but experience has shown us there is no formula for success as good as having the right blend of experience and youth in our playing roster. This is a relevant to first grade as it is in fifth grade.

On the administrative side we are continually on the lookout for members to join the Management Committee. We have many volunteers who are willing helpers on training and match days and this effort is highly valued. However it would be a really positive move

if we can get more volunteers involved at Management Committee level. This will ensure our plans and activities are in touch with the needs of young players and their families, as well as allowing them to contribute to the growth of the club and the game as a whole.

BDCC has a rich tradition of meeting challenges head on and I'm sure a combination of effort, smart thinking and an enduring sense that, after all is said and done, it's meant to be 'fun', will ensure we continue to represent our community with pride.

SPONSORS

Bankstown Sports Club provides the financial assistance that enables us to deliver on our goal of being one of the leading amateur sporting clubs in Australia. We thank **BSC President John Murray, Vice President Richard Phillips and all Board Members** for their support. BSC plays a vital role in the Bankstown Canterbury community. BSC supports 43 internal sporting clubs and scores of charitable and non-government organizations' in the pursuit of their goals. Indeed, like our own club, many of these organizations' would not exist without BSC's generous financial assistance.

Mark Condi, Chief Executive Bankstown Sports Club, continued to provide our Executive Committee with excellent business management advice. We would not have won the Cricket Australia 'Premier Cricket Club of the Year' Award without Mark's wise counsel over many years.

Marie Kanaan, Executive Manager Sport and Community Development, Bankstown Sports Club. Thank you for your advice and support – it's a pleasure to deal with such a committed and good natured person. Thanks also to your hard-working team Josh Carmichael, Fritz Van Hoff and Shannon Harley for all they do to help local sporting and community groups.

Chris Passanah, Executive Manager Media and Community Development at BSC, a self confessed 'cricket tragic', Chris has also provided wise counsel over many years. Your continued support is much appreciated Chris.

Karthik Chidhambaram and the BSC Events team, thank you most sincerely for your professional and courteous help. Nothing is ever a problem for Karthik and his team and we are delighted that our testimonials have meant many cricket organisations now regularly hold their dinners and events at BSC.

Maris Azzi, General Manager Member Services, Development Bankstown City Credit Union (Bankstown City Unity Bank), your support for so many community groups is outstanding. It's a pleasure to work with you. We hope to continue and grow our relationship following BBCU's recent merger with Unity Bank.

President Daryl Melham and the Directors of Revesby Workers' Club, we thank you for your support and hope we can continue to work together to do good things for our community.

APPRECIATIONS

Jason Clare MP, Member for Blaxland, for advice and on-going support.

Tania Mihailuk MP, Member for Bankstown, your enthusiastic support for our community and on-going support for this club is much appreciated.

Richard Colley, Administrator, Canterbury Bankstown City, it's been great to re-kindle an old friendship and we remain grateful for your practical support of our endeavours.

Matthew Stewart General Manager Canterbury Bankstown City, thank you for your on-going advice, support and professionalism despite the pressure of the Council merger process.

Graeme Beattie, Director Community Services, Canterbury Bankstown City for your on-going support of our facilities upgrade projects and special events.

Eddie Rogers, Manager Parks, Canterbury Bankstown City for your efforts with implementation of the new centre wicket square at Memorial Oval and the planning of upgraded turf training wickets at Grahame Thomas Oval.

Jim Everett and the team of CB City electricians for your skill and perseverance with electrical issues at Memorial Oval, especially maintenance and trouble shooting on the digital scoreboard.

Elijah Chan, Kaylee Nettleton and Linda Wright from Canterbury Bankstown City for your support and assistance with facilities bookings and general recreation and sports development administration matters.

Phil Kelly, our hardworking and diligent Chairman of Selectors.

New South Wales Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association. All players, supporters and volunteers at BDCC would like to sincerely thank the NSW Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association, led so ably by the amazing Darren Goodyer. The Association is always recruiting new umpires for its ranks and provides a wide array of support resources to assist prospective umpires achieve their qualifications. Details of the Association's upcoming courses can be obtained from their website or by contacting Umpires Administration Manager Troy Penman at Cricket NSW.

Bankstown District Cricket Association, sincere thanks to key administrators **Pat and Pam Gavin and Ray and Christene Benham and Secretary Dianne Ford** for your continued stewardship of the Association.

Bryden Sharp coordinator for the BDCA Representative Teams for your help in making the fourth year of the Bulldog Pups Academy such a success. We hope to make it even better in 2017 off-season!

James Bourne and Dean Magee for your support of our Poidevin-Gray Shield team.

Ray Hall our AW Green Shield coach for your commitment to junior representative cricket. Ray was ably supported by **Michael Polson** who is a fantastic mentor for our emerging Premier Grade players.

Michael Simpson, our enthusiastic AW Green Shield Manager who went well beyond what was required to ensure that the team administration and general off-field operations were handled in a thoroughly professional way. A terrific contributor.

Darren Sowden for your willingness to always help out in whatever way you could, but especially your support with electronic scoring.

David deBono for picking up the electronic scoring challenge; really appreciate you adding to our goal to have all grades scored electronically.

Ron Heward, David Setter, Steve Hunt, Joe Melham, Daniel Ward, Bill Zamagias and Roy O'Brien for the range of contributions you made to allow Team Captains and players to concentrate on preparing for, and playing, the game.

Andrew Jones, CEO of Cricket NSW.

Roy Formica, Premier Cricket Manager, CNSW for your on-going advice and support.

Bruce Whitehouse, Secretary Sydney Cricket Association, for your help with all things administrative.

Craig McLean, Development Leader Thunder Metro for Cricket NSW, for on-going advice and support. We look forward to implementing some new plans to re-invigorate participation numbers in this area in coming years.

Matt Mifsud, Senior Development Officer Sydney South West, for your efforts developing the game in this region. We have received many positive comments about your enthusiasm and professionalism and look forward to working with you to help the BDCA build junior participation rates in coming years.

Jessica Lozinski, your reliability and affable manner running the Club's canteen was greatly appreciated by all Bulldogs and visiting teams.

Matt Clifton, Jake Grove and Maurice Loughlin for giving up so much leisure time to support the RSAC Cricketers with a Disability program. Your efforts bring lots of joy for the participants and their families and certainly helps BDCC fulfill our community service obligations.

uganda



The generosity of the New South Wales cricket community has seen the collection of gear and cricket clothing continue unabated and on present indications the club will ship its 12th container in the coming months.

When this scheme was initiated in 2005 the focus was entirely on cricket gear but has progressively been widened to include cricket clothing, much of which has been donated when clubs and associations have had a change in sponsorship.

Teams at every level in Uganda who previously played without uniforms now proudly wear the strips of NSW and Sydney teams including the Speed Blitz Blues.

We have also accepted donations of other sporting goods such as footballs, football boots and school uniforms which the Uganda Cricket Association distribute to the most underprivileged schools and orphanages.

Commenting on the receipt of a recent shipment the chief executive of the Uganda Cricket Association Justine Ligyalingi said participation registrations spread across schools, universities and leagues had increased fivefold since this scheme commenced. "this gear does magic in increasing cricketers in all categories"

Mr Ligyalingi said the gear has benefited many disadvantaged and disabled youth.

"It has evolved great excitement in kids as we see scores of smartly dressed children during competitions and coaching activities " adding " we happen to distribute some to orphanages and homes with people with disabilities".

Mr Ligyalingi said the Uganda Cricket Association was most grateful to the Sydney cricket community and the Bankstown District Cricket Club believing the relationship is "one in a million".

"We live in hope that one day this support shall be recompensed. We diligently work towards playing in a senior World Cup in the not too distant future and with these continuous shipments this will surely come to a reality".

The club would like to place on record its thanks to all who donate gear together with those who assist with the collections, repair and packing. The biggest thank you goes to the Bankstown Sports Club who has met the considerable cost of shipping every container to Uganda. Without the support of President John Murray, the Board of Directors and CEO Mark Condi this scheme would be no more than a dream.

"This gear does magic"



RIFA POLLS

Mulindwa should not stand in upcoming Fufa election



MOSES BANTURAKI

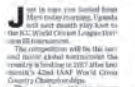
It has been a long time since we have seen a candidate who has not only been a member of the governing party but also a member of the opposition. This is the case with Moses Banturaki, who has been a member of the governing party for a long time but is now running for the opposition in the upcoming Fufa election.

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rsac all abilities cricket program

Recreation Sports and Aquatic Club (RSAC) cricket program

David and Matt Clifton



Yet another great year for our RSAC cricket group - as always the effort, commitment and playing standard was without question and a credit to all the players, their parents and carers. It is wonderful for the coaches to see the dedication all our players make to what is quite a difficult sport to master.

This year we were fortunate to have extra volunteer coaches join us - and they made a huge difference to the quality and quantity of training we could provide. Our very special thanks go to Jake Grove, Maurice Loughlin and Manjit Dhupar - as well as our new coaches Naveen Gopalakrishna and Josh Wason - for their ongoing training of the players, as we simply could not provide the quality and depth of training without you. Our sincere thanks to you all.

We also continued our relationship with the Commonwealth Bank sponsorship, as well as the unending support of Bankstown District Cricket Club and Bankstown Sports Club - who provide the backbone of this program with their generous donation of all the equipment and training facilities for our players - which are some of the best in the state.

We have been fortunate enough to be able to kit out all our players over the past few seasons - with helmets, pads, gloves, protectors and playing shirts - so players only have to get their own bat (if they want). It looks awesome at Special Olympics days when all our players show up in their distinctive RSAC gear! Indeed, our relationship with Special Olympics continues to grow and we were fortunate to have the 2016-17 Summer of Cricket launched at Bankstown Oval in October 2016. Our Bankstown Oval is now the start of each Special Olympics cricket season.

The success of our program - which revolves around Matt's training program - is relatively easy to measure - how many players return, how many improve and how many achieve higher goals. Our retention rate is very high - once people join, they rarely do not return (unless they play other sports on 'our days'!). This reflects the quality of the training our athletes receive. All players attempt drills with the same programs that Bankstown grade cricketers undertake. While not all players can execute the same drills as grade cricketers, they are expected (initially) and trained



to do so - often with a fun-filled atmosphere. This achieves two key things: 1. it ensures the athletes are attempting and achieving the highest-quality drills and cricket training; and 2. (and perhaps more importantly) it ensures the athletes are treated with the same respect as able-bodied cricketers. The level of personal self-esteem and confidence this provides athletes cannot be underestimated. Also, the improvement in all players' abilities is sometimes small and sometimes quite noticeable 'instantly'. The pleasure players get when they can do something today that was difficult last session or 10 minutes ago is priceless - and makes coaching easy.

Proof of the quality of this coaching program (if any is needed) was that in February this year our players won the Special Olympics NSW Player of the Year in both A grade: Omkar Dhupar, and, C Grade: Tim

Andrews and also Fielder of the Year: Matt Brown (also known as one of 'the octopuses' because of his fielding ability!). That is, of the three Special Olympics Annual Player of the Year awards, RSAC players won two, and Matt was best fielder. Really, really well done!

RSAC cricket also received national recognition in January 2017 when I (David) was awarded Australian of the Day as recognition of the commitment to the athletes and the quality of the program. Similarly, in May this year, Matt was appointed NSW Assistant Coach for Intellectually Disabled Cricketers for the Nationals in 2018 (which is great recognition of his skills), as well being a finalist for NSW Community Coach of the Year (results weren't known before we went to print). For Matt and I, it is a pleasure and a privilege to coach this group of cricketers!

David and Matt Clifton

bankstown: australia's premier grade club



Bankstown wins Cricket Australia 'Premier Grade Club of the Year 2017' Award. On 26th April 2017 Cricket Australia announced Bankstown District Cricket Club as the winner of its inaugural 'Premier Cricket Club of the Year' at the 'A Sport for All – Community Cricket Awards' function at the Melbourne Cricket Ground.



The Award was accepted on behalf of all players, sponsors and supporters by President Scott Grant along with long serving Club Executive members Brian Freedman, Eris Dignam and Martin Klumpp. Partners and hard working club volunteers Meegan Smith-Grant, Margaret Dignam and Maureen Klumpp also attended the function.

In winning the Award, the Club was deemed above all other nominees to have:

- demonstrated excellence as a Premier Grade Cricket Club;
- created sustainable participation in cricket and ensured a high quality experience for everyone; and
- shown a firm commitment to inclusion by ensuring that cricket is a sport for all Australians.

This Award is a fantastic result for the Canterbury-Bankstown community. It reflects favourably on the Club's tireless efforts to develop and maintain a strong club culture and deliver first class on-field and off-field facilities. The club's outstanding on-field

results over a long period are a credit to our dedicated coaching team and playing group. There is no doubt our 'Uganda Equipment Project' and support for the 'All Abilities Cricket Program' were key factors contributing towards winning the Award.

In his acceptance speech Scott Grant specifically thanked the Club's major sponsor, Bankstown Sports Club for its continued support of our on-field and off-field operations. He congratulated Bankstown Sports Club on its efforts to develop a strong sporting culture in the Canterbury Bankstown community and commented, "We could not win an Award of this type without BSC's unwavering financial and operational support".

He also mentioned the contribution of Canterbury Bankstown City's executive team led by Administrator Richard Colley and General Manager Matthew Stewart, who have worked co-operatively with BDCC over several decades to develop world-class cricket, general sporting and community facilities in the Bankstown Memorial Oval precinct.

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obituaries

Vale Dave Cathro (1941–2017)

David was a swashbuckling all-rounder, a hard-hitting batsman and fiery pace-man. His main weapon was a devastating out-swing, which brought about many dismissals that kept the slips cordon ever alert. Nicknames sometimes are intriguing and many could not work out why he was called Cuba. The answer was of course he was linked to Fidel Castro the Cuba numero uno because their surnames were so similar. David's cricket career was short circuited as he was transferred to Papua New Guinea with a work promotion. Cuba starred in the 1958-59 thirds with a batting average of 35 and a bowling average of 17. He also captained P-G and was described as a most able captain who was let down by his batsmen! In 60-61 he was an integral part of the premiership-winning seconds. Dave excelled with the ball and had the best bowling average of 14. He proved particularly hostile with 6-47 against St. George, which destroyed the Dragons. In 1959-60 David captained the P-G Premiers. Secretary Sid Boddy was full of praise for the young skipper and reported "David had a lethal out-slinger and was a heady and inspirational skipper. He was a sportsmanlike and gentlemanly leader who always attacked with plenty of zeal and

purpose". In the final Bankstown were in trouble against Manly at 7-146 but David blasted 38 to change the game. The Seagulls cruised to 0-49 in reply then Cuba crashed through with 3 quick wickets, which setup the win and a very well deserved



premiership. The shrewd skipper easily clinched the bowling honours with 13. In 1962-63 David easily won the P-G bowling averages with 9. He flew into the Magpies with the staggering figures of 8-31 and 5-20. Later on in his career, weight of wickets forced the pace-man into first grade. Ironically the quickie was replaced in second by none other than a raw boned pace-man. That youngster was destined to shake the cricketing world - Jeffrey Robert Thomson! The Club extends its deepest sympathy to the Cathro and Scully families on the passing of this much loved Bulldog and Bankstownian. (Mick Stephenson).

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Vale Max McLeay (1933–2017)



It is with much sadness that we advise of the passing of Max McLeay on 8th April 2017.

Max was a life member of Bankstown Sports Women's Cricket Club having been a dedicated member of the club from its formation in 1994. Max was also a valued contributor to the Bankstown District Cricket Association and the Men's Grade Club.

Max coached Bankstown District Cricket Association Junior representative teams for over three decades and was involved in the development of many elite representative players and a swag of players who went on to Captain grade sides (James Bourne, Daniel Moy, Aaron Klumpp and Steven Wise) to name just a few.

Max was the Bankstown Green Shield coach from 1978-1987 winning the Green Shield Premiership in 1982-83.

Max was a master at identifying spin bowlers – in fact to Max, everyone was a spin bowler! He loved David 'Freddie' Freedman from the first day he saw him bowl a ball and delighted in Freddie's representative level success. Max also spent countless hours coaching everyone from the newest and youngest player through to elite level players – Max would always be prepared to impart his guidance to everyone.

In addition to his Life Membership, Max was awarded a Service to Sport Medal from Bankstown Sports Club in 2015 in recognition of his contribution as a coach, mentor and committee member over countless years at Bankstown Sports Women's Cricket Club.

To the Bankstown Cricket Community Max was truly a legend and will be missed by players, parents and supporters. Our deepest sympathies are extended to Max's wife Dot and the extended McLeay family.

Vale Bev Pope (1944–2017)



The Club was saddened to learn of the passing of Bev Pope on 12th April 2017 aged 72 years.

Bev was the mother of 1st grade wicket-keeper / batsman Sean Pope, a much admired and record breaking Bulldog who also made important 1st grade contributions to the SCA with the Fairfield – Liverpool and Mosman Clubs.

When Sean was a Bulldog Pup earning his stripes in the lower grades, Bev and Bob Pope (RIP 2001) were terrific supporters not just of Sean but the club as a whole. At that time they lived in Mons Road Condell Park and their house had a huge swimming pool and the entire Dogs club would often retreat post-match to the Pope house for a BBQ and swim, the fun and camaraderie running well into the night. Bev also assisted in the Memorial Oval canteen for many seasons and always had an encouraging word for Bulldog and visiting team players.

The Club extends its deepest sympathy to Sean, wife Kim and Bev's much adored granddaughter Brooke.

club grounds and facilities



The Club was again lucky to have access to high quality on field and off field facilities that are the envy of all Premier Grade Clubs.

In April 2016 Canterbury Bankstown City Council in conjunction with Bankstown Sports Club and Cricket NSW funded the upgrading of a new wicket square at Memorial Oval. The laying of the new square, including two extra pitches taking the total to nine, was completed in early May and was followed by one of the highest June rainfall recording in history.

The east coast low weather system was so intense that the amount of groundwater caused the newly laid square to lift above ground level – particularly the two new pitches on the eastern and western edges of the square!

In addition to the record June rainfall a period of unusually cold spring nights slowed growth of the turf roots in the lead up to the scheduled early season Matador Cup and Premier Grade fixtures. Warwick Starr threw every trick in the horticultural manual at the wicket square and managed to get some early season match wickets prepared, but the root growth simply wasn't strong enough to sustain consecutive

days of play. The decision was taken to shift some first and second grade matches to Jensen Oval. The new square gradually responded to lots of hard work from Warwick and his team and later in the season was the venue for a NSW Second XI v Canterbury NZ representative match and the Belvidere Cup final where 800+ runs were scored over three days. Warwick has carried out a range of maintenance tasks on the square following the Belvidere Cup final; the new side wickets have settled and there is a strong belief that the square will provide exceptional pace, bounce and carry in 2017/18 season.

Jensen Oval was again in superb condition hosting first, second and third Men's Premier Grade, AW Green Shield, Premier Women's Grade and NSW Districts Association Junior and Senior Representative matches. Canterbury Bankstown City Council 's strategic Plan includes developing a Football Centre of Excellence at Jensen Oval and the turf cricket facilities will eventually be removed. New turf wicket facilities will to be laid at Kelso Park East Hills in September 2017. This project will add another dimension to Kelso Park sports precinct, which currently supports softball, baseball and AFL.



If the project goes to plan we will play some lower grade matches at Kelso in early 2018 and depending on the behaviour of the wickets, a decision will be made about when to start playing lower grade matches there permanently. The turf wicket square at Jensen Oval won't be removed until Council is 100% satisfied that Kelso is fully operational.

Grahame Thomas Oval is a not an enclosed ground and its location within a high density housing area means it gets a huge amount of recreational use. Despite this constraint, Warwick and his team always ensure that grade training facilities and match wickets at GT Oval are of the highest order. Canterbury Bankstown City Council has issued a tender for the redevelopment of the GT Oval turf practice area, adding AstroTurf run-ups, raised fencing and lockable gates. Council's goal is for the new facilities to be operational for the start of next seson.

The Club places on record its grateful thanks to Head Curator Warwick Starr who is ably supported by Nick Mamolis, Shaun Thornton and Darryl Thatcher. We value the efforts of this group and appreciate

very much the high quality working relation that has been established over many years. The support of this group was never more evident that in January when Memorial and GT Ovals hosted the Michael Clarke Cricket Clinic attended by over 900 boys and girls from 6 – 15 years of age. Despite the 40 degree temperature the venue was presented in perfect condition and the Clinic was a huge success attracting positive media coverage. Events like Michael Clarke's Cricket Clinic fit perfectly with the City of Canterbury Bankstown's new brand – 'Where Interesting Happens', which is why we are very happy to provide volunteer support to them.

The Club also manages under license from CB City Council the John Mackay Centre, The Sporting Hall of Fame and Stephen and Mark Waugh Pavilion. These facilities support Men's and Women's Premier Grade Clubs as well as a range of other community hirers including Bankstown Public School, Bankstown Girls High School, Berala Public School, RSAC Disabled Cricket and NSW Blind Cricket Association.



Bankstown Sports Club Player of the Year

Honour Roll

1982-83	I McRae	2000-01	G Roden
1983-84	G Patterson	2001-02	M Bright
	P Kelly	2002-03	P Moy
1984-85	P Talbot		P Maraziotis
1985-86	R Bilimoria	2003-04	A Bird
1986-87	G Spotswood	2004-05	C Richards
1987-88	D Freedman		M Beaven
1988-89	P Talbot	2005-06	D Freedman
1989-90	S Moss	2006-07	B Van Deinsen
1990-91	D Freedman		D Ettridge
1991-92	S Thompson	2007-08	A Bird
1992-93	K Ferris	2008-09	S Keen
1993-94	K Roberts	2009-10	J Burke
1994-95	G Trevena	2010-11	E Leten
1995-96	DP Waugh	2011-12	J Burke
1996-97	D Magee	2012-13	P Wells
	S Deitz	2013-14	J Burke
1997-98	S Thompson	2014-15	P Wells
1998-99	S Thompson	2015-16	M Kelly
1999-00	G Spotswood		
	M Betsey		

This year marked the 35th year of this great competition. The winner is decided by each of the five grades awarding 3, 2 and 1 point(s) to the best contributors in each grade where all grades play.

A batting bonus point can be earned for scoring 50 with a further point for every 25 thereafter.

Bowlers and wicketkeepers earn a bonus point for taking three wickets or dismissals with an additional point awarded for each further wicket and each team decides a fielding point for each match.

The leading Player of the Year points scorers after the conclusion of round 10 were:

33	M. BROWN
28	KELLY
25	McANDREW
24	SIMPSON
21	WELLS

After 15 rounds the top five are on the next page...



6th place on 21 points

Philip Wells

The backbone of our batting and a huge contributor to our success over the past four seasons. His preparation is a fantastic example for every young cricketer to follow.



5th place on 24 points

Jarrad Burke

One of the great warriors of Sydney Premier Cricket Jarrad leads from the front and in career of which he should be immensely proud the coming season should see him achieve 10,000 runs and 600 wickets in first grade.



4th place on 33 points

Matthew Simpson

In a difficult year for second grade Matt stood out like a beacon with his keeping and especially his batting. He continually did his best work when the chips were down and showed the type of attitude required to achieve higher levels.



3rd place on 35 points

Nathan Mc Andrew

An outstanding cricketer with a fabulous attitude and approach Macca is now reaping the benefits of his hard work. He did not miss the opportunity to show his worth with the bat when he worked his way up the order.

Bankstown Sports Club

Joint Players of the Year 2016/17

Mat Kelly and Mitch Brown

Joint players of the year on 39 points

Mathew Kelly

Mat followed up his win last season with another sterling allrounder display. Captaining fifth grade is probably the most difficult job in the club with a very inexperienced team that changed every round but Matt managed to lead from the front with both bat and ball despite the difficult work conditions which interferes with his preparation.

Mitchell Brown

In his first season with the club Mitch proved to be Mr Reliable heading up the first grade batting average and aggregate and chiming in with important wickets on numerous occasions. Mitch's centuries against Sutherland and Gordon in the semi final were terrific examples of the part he played in the team's success.

Mat and Mitch are worthy winners of the Bankstown Sports Club Player of the Year 2016/17.







mitch brown

841 runs at 56.07
highest score 161
3 centuries • 4 fifties
4s: 92 • 6s: 12
2 not outs

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jarrad burke

37 wickets at 19.68
best bowling 7/58
305 overs
102 maidens
2.39 economy



The 2016-17 season was another great year for the 1st grade boys participating in our fourth Belvidere Cup final in consecutive seasons. We managed to finish the regular season in third spot and progressed to the final with a big win in the semi-final over Gordon, highlighted by a magnificent Mitch Brown century. I was so proud of the fight we put up in the final. We were able to put a huge total on the board but unfortunately were unable to bowl Sydney Uni out. But, not without an enormous effort from all the bowlers on a batting friendly wicket. If not for an unbelievable innings by NSW batsman Ryan Carters we may have held up our 2nd Belvidere cup title in a row.

Although we were not able to hold up the trophy this group of players can cherish what we have been able to achieve in the last 4 or 5 years. We have been the most consistent team in the competition and a team that all clubs come hard for and want to beat.

This year like the last 4 or 5 seasons we had some fantastic individual performers in our team. Phil Wells and Mitch Brown both passed 900 runs in the year and Wellsy continued to be the cornerstone of what we do with the bat. Brownny was a sensational acquisition to the side and fitted into the group so well from the word go. I can't recall too many games where he did not contribute with either bat or ball.

Nathan McAndrew continued to dominate again this year and it was very pleasing to see his batting come on. Macca forced his way into the top 6 staking his claim as a genuine all-rounder.

It was also very pleasing this year to see the emergence of two of our young guns in Tommie Sowden and Brendan Smith. Both players showed that they will be the future of the club and displayed that they have the skill to dominate at 1st grade level in the not too distant future.

I would like to thank Gary Crowfoot and the coaching team for their dedicated efforts again this season in preparing the playing group. They lead the way in work ethic and professionalism.

I would also like to acknowledge our fantastic committee and management team. The support they provide is second to none and this was recognised this year when the Club won the inaugural Cricket Australia 'Premier Club of the Year' Award, something that everyone involved at the club is very proud of.

Geoff Price again done a great job as scorer for us. He is a top man to have around and an important part of our team.

Kenny Hall again did a super job as our manager; his presence in the dressing room is vital to our success and reinforces what it means to wear the Bulldogs Cap. Kenny had great support this year from Ray Richards who gave up his time to assist the team also. Ray was always encouraging and made my life as skipper a whole lot easier off the field.

Thanks to all the other Captains for their support this year. Although we didn't get the results we may have desired you can each hold your head high for the time, effort and passion you put into your teams.

Last but not least I would like to thank Chairman of Selectors Phil Kelly for all of his support in the last five years. Phil has been a great bloke to work with and has dedicated himself to one of the toughest roles in the club. Although he is stepping down from the Chairman's role, it's great to hear that he will still be on the committee and a part of the club, as he is big part of the Bulldogs structure.



PLAYER PROFILES

Phil Wells

Wellsy was again fantastic passing 900 runs for the 4th season in a row. He was again the cornerstone of our batting and this year became the highest ever run scorer in 1st grade finals history, which is an unbelievable effort. His 95 in the final was a great knock and showed his class against a strong Sydney Uni attack.

Mitch Brown

Brownny was a fantastic addition to our team this year. He was rewarded for his great season by winning our Player of the Year Award. He scored over 900 runs and took over 20 wickets and was always contributing to the team in one way or another. Mitch is a quite achiever who has been one of the most consistent players in the competition for a number of years now. Definitely an underrated player and he would not be out of place at the next level given the opportunity.

Tom Sowden

Tommie had his first full season in 1st Grade this year and showed that he is one of the most promising young players in the State. He was used this year more for his bowling and showed amazing skill and talent for a kid that had not turned 17 yet. His 4/14 against Sydney Uni was all class, dismissing some of the best batsman in the competition. He is equally or if not more gifted with the bat which he will display in the coming year when more opportunity presents itself up the order. A youngster with a massive future.

Brendan Smith

Smithy is another young gun who fitted into the team

really well this year. Although he wasn't presented with a lot of opportunities, I feel that the back end of the year was a great learning experience for him and his performances became consistent, particularly at the back end of the innings on many occasions. The most pleasing thing for me was to see what a great team man Brendan is. He always put the team before himself which is a great trait to have. Smithy is also a dynamic fieldsman and added a lot of energy to the team. I can't wait to see him in full flight next season when he is presented with more opportunity and responsibility.

Mitch Phelps

A tough year on and off the field for Mitch but considering the circumstances he always turned up and gave 110% and wore his heart on his sleeve. A very popular member of the side and at the Cub generally and a great man to have around. Looking forward to seeing Mitch back to his best in the coming season.

Nathan McAndrew

Macca continued to develop into a fine leader this year and his performances were again outstanding heading up our pace attack. His batting improved in leaps and bounds again this year and he moved into the top six with consistent performances with the bat particularly when we were in a bit of trouble. A great competitor and club man, Macca always sets a great example for his team and club mates with the way he carries himself on and off the field and with the way he prepares himself each week.

Daniel Solway

Sols again had a solid year at the top of the order



without achieving the numbers we all know he is capable of. I think the key to Sol's game is working out what works best for him and sticking to that formula. When his confidence is up he has showed he can play a really big innings and be a really consistent batsman. Another great team man and he always gives 100% not matter what his form is like, which is a sign of a player with a big future. I am looking forward to watching Sols break out another huge season with the bat in the coming year.

Luke Reece

Reece was solid at the top of the order this year along with Sols. He started the year on fire but dropped off a little towards the back end of the year when his confidence dipped slightly. Another really consistent trainer and someone who really loves the club and the game. With the effort Luke puts into his cricket I have no doubt he will continue to improve by focusing on the areas he's identified.

Kerrod White

Whitey again showed his talent this year with some really classy innings during the season, none better than his run a ball 85 in the final, which would have been 100 if it weren't for a straight drive I hit that

deflected off the bowler's hand onto the stumps! He always looks good at the crease and can be a real match winner. He also contributed with the ball during the year taking wickets at important times in matches. He is a great outfielder and also started to develop his slips catching at the back end of the year. Another good year Rod.

Michael Stretton

Stretto was his usual solid self again this year and one of our leaders in the side. His glove work was sound and at times brilliant and his batting was the same. He is a player that has the ability to just come out and make an attack look silly at times. With the depth of our batting line up I'd like to see Stretto go on and make the huge scores that he is capable of in the middle order. A great man to have around and one of the players that I lean on when I need advice in the field.

Aaron Bird

It was great to have Birdy a part of the side this year when he was available. A Bulldog legend who wears his heart on his sleeve every time he walks through the gate and someone the boys can look to for advice and guidance. His spell at Fairfield this year





in 45-degree heat was amazing and showed what a huge heart he has.

Jarrad Burke

Jarrad led his first grade squad from the front as usual this year. Bowling a mammoth 334 overs this season Jarrad took 52 wickets in all formats. Further, Jarrad's 100 not out in the Final made him the first number 6 to score a century in Grand Finals in SCA history – and did everything he possibly could to win back-to-back premierships. Absolutely mentally and physically spent at the end of the final day, this Bulldog threw everything at Sydney Uni for three days. A pleasure to work with Jarrad again in selections and his 1sts making 4 Grand Finals in as many years is testament to having a great squad of players and a brilliant leader. (PK)

Thanks also to Jake Cormack, Mitch Claydon, Luke Docherty, Joel Brockley and Chris Ridley who also played first grade this season. You all contributed to the team and add plenty of value around the group.





1st grade batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Brown, Mitch	16	17	2	3	4	92	12	161	841	56.07
Wells, Philip	16	17	1	2	3	114	2	170	828	51.75
Burke, Jarrad	16	14	4	1	0	53	4	100no	401	40.10
Solway, Daniel	16	16	1	2	1	28	3	110	384	25.60
Reece, Luke	16	15	1	0	2	51	9	74	370	26.43
McAndrew, Nathan	16	13	4	0	3	35	7	85	352	39.11
White, Kerrod	15	14	1	0	2	44	7	83	349	26.85
Stretton, Michael	16	16	2	0	2	24	5	61no	285	20.36
Smith, Brendan	9	7	5	0	0	12	3	46no	122	61.00
Cormack, Jake	5	4	0	0	0	6	1	31	56	14.00
Sowden, Thomas	9	7	1	0	0	6	1	16	51	8.50
Bird, Aaron	3	1	1	0	0	1	1	28no	28	na
Brockley, Joel	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	26	26	26.00
Claydon, Mitchell	5	4	1	0	0	5	0	9no	26	8.67
McDermott, Alister	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	21	21	21.00
Phelps, Mitchell	13	7	2	0	0	2	0	10	20	4.00
Smith, Matthew	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	7.00
Ridley, Chris	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	11.00
Docherty, Luke	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	9no	9	na
Lozinski, David	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	3no	3	na
Brown, Ayden	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.33



1st grade partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	82	Luke Reece	Daniel Solway	2	Manly-Warringah
2	138	Luke Reece	Philip Wells	3	Eastern Suburbs
3	163	Philip Wells	Mitch Brown	3	Eastern Suburbs
4	110	Philip Wells	Mitch Brown	10	North Sydney
5	89	Kerrod White	Jarrad Burke	GF	Sydney University
6	96	Mitch Brown	Nathan McAndrew	SF	Gordon
7	130	Jarrad Burke	Michael Stretton	GF	Sydney University
8	75	Jarrad Burke	Nathan McAndrew	11	Sydney
9	No partnerships of 25 runs or greater				
10	61	Nathan McAndrew	Jarrad Burke	5	Western Suburbs

1st grade bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	10wm	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Burke, Jarrad	16	305	102	728	37	2	0	7/58	19.68	49.46	2.39
McAndrew, Nathan	16	244.4	55	854	33	0	0	4/67	25.88	44.48	3.49
Brown, Mitch	16	122.5	20	417	17	0	0	4/63	24.53	43.35	3.39
Sowden, Thomas	9	93.3	10	350	15	0	0	4/16	23.33	37.40	3.74
Phelps, Mitchell	13	148	33	438	12	0	0	4/33	36.50	74.00	2.96
Brown, Ayden	5	59	6	232	9	0	0	3/26	25.78	39.33	3.93
Claydon, Mitchell	5	54	4	237	6	0	0	3/33	39.50	54.00	4.39
McDermott, Alistair	2	20	5	61	4	0	0	3/27	15.25	30.00	3.05
Bird, Aaron	3	36.4	5	134	4	0	0	3/46	33.50	55.00	3.65
White, Kerrod	15	31.3	3	106	3	0	0	2/36	35.33	63.00	3.37
Smith, Matthew	2	2	0	8	0	0	0	0/8	-	-	4.00
Lozinski, David	1	2	0	15	0	0	0	0/15	-	-	7.50
Smith, Brendan	9	1	0	21	0	0	0	0/21	-	-	21.00
Docherty, Luke	1	7	0	22	0	0	0	0/7	-	-	3.14



PLEASE NOTE: All T20 figures are also included in the main figures at left

1st grade Twenty20 batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.	str.
White, Kerrod	4	4	0	0	1	17	3	77	139	34.75	125.23
McAndrew, Nathan	4	4	2	0	0	4	1	19	44	22.00	133.33
Reece, Luke	4	4	1	0	0	4	0	40	61	20.33	103.39
Stretton, Michael	5	4	0	0	0	9	0	35	81	20.25	97.59
Brown, Mitch	5	5	0	0	1	5	4	52	98	19.60	128.95
Solway, Daniel	5	5	1	0	0	3	1	33	71	17.75	80.68
Claydon, Mitchell	5	5	3	0	0	1	0	16no	26	13.00	96.30
Bird, Aaron	5	5	0	0	0	3	0	23	52	10.40	101.96
Wells, Philip	5	5	0	0	0	5	0	24	46	9.20	93.88
Burke, Jarrad	5	4	1	0	0	1	0	13	14	4.67	66.67
Phelps, Mitchell	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00
Brown, Ayden	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0no	0	-	-

1st grade Twenty 20 bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	10wm	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Burke, Jarrad	5	20	1	79	12	0	0	4/26	6.58	10.00	3.95
McAndrew, Nathan	4	15	0	81	7	0	0	3/15	11.57	12.86	5.40
Brown, Mitch	5	12	0	91	5	0	0	2/7	18.20	14.40	7.58
Claydon, Mitchell	5	16	1	96	5	0	0	2/8	19.20	19.20	6.00
Bird, Aaron	5	19.3	0	108	5	0	0	3/21	21.60	23.40	5.54
Sowden, Thomas	1	3	0	17	1	0	0	1/17	17.00	18.00	5.67
Phelps, Mitchell	4	7.2	0	57	1	0	0	1/39	57.00	44.00	7.77
Smith, Brendan	1	1	0	8	0	0	0	0/8	-	-	8.00
Brown, Ayden	1	2	0	12	0	0	0	0/12	-	-	6.00
Patterson, Alex	2	4	0	14	0	0	0	0/14	-	-	3.50
Coyte, Adam	2	5	0	37	0	0	0	0/18	-	-	7.40



matt simpson

557 runs at 37.13

highest score 80

5 fifties

4s: 49 • 6s: 5

2 not outs

2

tushaar garg

18 wickets at 23.11

best bowling 4/24

122 overs

16 maidens

3.41 economy



Congratulations to the club on another great season that was capped off by finishing the season winning the inaugural Cricket Australia Premier Cricket Club of Year Award. Additionally, congratulations to Jarrad Burke and the first grade side on making a 4th consecutive final, which despite the result is a great benchmark for the rest of the club to look up to. Also, congratulations to Daniel Jacob and the Sydney team for dominating another season and deservedly winning back-to-back Second Grade titles.

It was an up and down season for Second Grade, as plenty of turnover from last year's squad, including the loss of the skipper, meant that there would be plenty of challenges for everyone. It was definitely an eye opening experience for me, captaining for the first time since junior cricket. We also had plenty of boys making their Second Grade debuts, as well as inexperienced players moving into key roles. Early in the season, although we didn't always get the results we were looking for, we were competitive and gave ourselves opportunities to win each game leading up into Christmas. Unfortunately, we didn't find our rhythm after the Christmas break and lost our edge leading to an underwhelming 17th place finish. The main issue for us this season was our (lack of) discipline and temperament, as made evident by the fact we went the entire season without a 100 or a 5-wicket haul. As a young side, we definitely showed enough glimpses of quality form throughout the season to show we have the talent to play finals cricket. If we can combine what we've learnt, particularly from some of the experienced sides we played, with the flashes of potential we showed, we will finish much higher next season.

Regardless of the results, I'd like to thank all the boys who played Second Grade for their efforts on and off the field, particularly Iain Ridley, Chris Ridley and Joel Brockley who really helped me get through the year as captain. I hope that I see you all next year to build on this season's efforts.

A big thank you to the club coaches, Gary Crowfoot, Dean Burke and Ray Hall, for showing up to training week in and week out, in spite of a trying season for

the club. Also a thank you to Michael Polson, James Bourne and Dean Magee for their efforts in coaching/ helping around the club. It's always good to have the club legends around the club and with a strong contingent of the Second Grade in the PG's squad, I would hope the boys took a lot out of having James and Dean in the set up.

To Phil Kelly, thank you for often reminding me who was in my own team the week before to help me get through selections each week. To Eris and Margaret Dignam, Linsey Roworth, Brian Freedman and David Clifton, thanks for all of your efforts on gameday and behind the scenes allowing the players to focus on playing and making sure that I wasn't the one in charge of organising the covers, drinks etc. To Scott Grant, Mark Grant and Marty Klumpp thank you for all of your contributions to the club, the fact that we won the Premier Cricket Club of the Year highlights the great culture that has been created at Bankstown on the back of your tireless efforts. Finally, I'd like to thank the the parents who helped out where they could this year, especially Nicole Dickinson, Michael Simpson and Ron Heward whose assistance made my life a hell of a lot easier.

I always say that parents and volunteers are the most important part of grade cricket and being captain this year only enhanced my view on this, as without all of the help my season would have definitely been an unmitigated disaster. So a final thank you to all those who have helped in any manner this year, and I look forward to seeing you all next year and doing it again.

Cheers, Smithy



PLAYER PROFILES

Matthew Simpson

One of the few shining lights in the tough season for 2s. Simmo was outstanding with the bat on the way to finishing as the second leading run scorer in the comp with 557 runs. Along the way, he played some of the more mature innings you'll see out of a 17-year old, highlighted by scoring 130 out of the 270 runs we scored over 2 innings against Sydney. If his glove work can get close to his batting standards, the sky will be limit for Simmo. He showed flashes of top quality work and performing at this level consistently is the next challenge. Hopefully his late season, Red Bull-inspired improvement will carry through to next season, as first grade should be in his sights next season. He also needs to make sure he doesn't let his brother Brad leave the club, as he was one of the few bowlers to make him look tentative during the year. Brotherly love!

Chris Ridley

Rids returned to the club from Wests this year, and his leadership was a great addition for the both the team and for myself. His guidance and mentorship was greatly appreciated. He started out the year a little bit slow, but the runs started to come later in the year as he finished as the second leading run scorer with 449 runs. Chris did a particularly great job as our middle order anchor in one-day games, with crucial knocks setting us up for wins against North Sydney and Campbelltown. His approach to game day is everything you could ask for as a captain and I hope that the younger. Rids is a really important and valued clubman and I look forward to playing with him again next season.

Charlie Dummer

Charlie was one of the young recruits to the club

and was definitely a welcome addition to the top order. His aggressive style of batting and clean striking definitely fits into the Bankstown mould of cricket. He scored 411 runs including a handful of match-winning knocks, with 91 against Easts and 80 against Hawkesbury. Like most of the top order, he was a bit inconsistent throughout the season, however the talent is definitely there and I'm sure he'll improve with a season of grade cricket under his belt. On a lighter note; severely overrated his bowling capabilities resulting in him being tossed the ball for a few mediocre overs, just to keep him quiet in the field!

Joel Brockley

Brocks joined us this year from Sutherland, and much like Dummer, his aggressive stroke play at the top order fits right into the club. He had a solid season with the bat, ending up with 435 runs, including being the closest to reaching the elusive three figures with a superb 95 against North Sydney, which featured several balls ending on the pavilion roof. In the process, he was rewarded with a first grade cap, and there will be more to come at Bankstown. I'm sure Brocks will be a little disappointed with his season though as he had some of the most entertaining starts to get us off to flyers and could have had a massive season if he could have turned those starts into big scores. Another batsman who overrated his bowling skill and was given a few overs, although to his credit, he did go close to burgling a wicket.

Iain Ridley

Iain started the year out strongly in 3rd grade and provided further experience and leadership into our young side. He continued his strong form with a couple of half-centuries against Wests and Sutherland. However, like most of the team, struggled



with consistency in the second half of the season as he made a handful of starts but was unable to go on with any of them. Rids will always be a valued member in my side as one of the few that still loves a punt on a Saturday afternoon, although I didn't really appreciate him being able to play the seniority card and knocking me out of my new home in the grippers.

Kayne Grove

Kayne was probably unlucky not to start the season in 2s as arguably the best performer in the trials, but a few scores in 3s saw him come up early in the season. He made a very composed 71 on debut, and was unlucky to be stumped down the leg side stopping what could have been an even bigger score. However, after that innings he struggled to find his rhythm, and an injury further hampered him at the back end of the year. Like a lot of young Bankstown players, he made a number of good looking starts, but was unable to really get going and turn them into big scores. I hope to see him back at full fitness next season as there is plenty of potential there; his pull shot is one of the better ones I've seen.

Tushaar Garg

Tush did a great job of leading the bowling attack in his first full season in Second Grade. He was the leading wicket taker with 18 poles despite not playing the last 6 games of the season. He provided the team with plenty of highlights during the season, including match winning 4 wicket hauls against both Manly and Easts, and taking the prized scalp of our good mate Jamo for a golden duck. A stress fracture slowed him down just before Christmas, which was an unjust result for his efforts early in the season and I definitely look forward to having him back in the attack next year pushing for a first grade cap. Unfortunately, he



tried to salvage the end of the season by playing as a lower grade batsman, which didn't work out too well, despite his pleadings to get him in the second grade top six.

Luke Docherty

Doc came back to the club for his second season after playing a handful of games last season. He started the season strongly in combo with Garg, earning a first grade debut in the process. Unfortunately, he had some control issues towards the end of the season and as result, his stats don't really justify the hard yards that he did early in the season. I definitely expect him to bounce back next season as he possesses one of the better inswingers going around and you can never question his effort when you throw him the ball. Doc also was a handy lower order batsman for us producing a few handy cameo's. Despite his deplorable dog bowl commissioner abilities, he is a valued member of the team, essentially acting as the social captain and providing lots of fun moments for the boys.

Bailey Dickinson

Dicko returned to second grade looking to build on his strong performances to end the 15/16. He made a number of starts early in the season but ran into his fair share of bad luck and unlucky dismissals, which disrupted his momentum. A hundred in PG's, coupled with a mature 200 ball 74 that set the platform for a win against Hawkesbury, looked like the turning point in Bailey's season, but a bad back and footy pursuits cut his season short. Dicko has a massive amount of potential, and is one of the most mature young cricketers I've played with. Also did a great job when asked to act as our 6th bowler, as unlike a lot of the other part-timers, he let his bowling do the talking and was rewarded with a pole against Wests. I hope that



he can balance his cricket with footy in the years to come as he is a great asset to the club and the game.

Brendan Smith

Smithy was primed for a big season with the opportunity to captain the NSW under 19's side and the chance to build on his first grade debut last season. The start of the season didn't go to plan for Brendan as he found just about every way in the book to get out and was also unlucky with the ball in hand. Regardless of his start, he had the opportunity to play the second half of the season in first grade and eventually started to get his confidence back and get runs on the board, albeit from limited opportunities. Smithy is one of the more natural athlete's going around, and even though his batting wasn't where he wanted it, his ability in the field for Second Grade was second to none and was always an asset to the side. Look for him to have a breakthrough year after a couple of unlucky seasons.

David Lozinski

Loz has always been the model of consistency when thrown the ball and the year started out no different with 3 wicket hauls shaping wins against Manly and Eastern Suburbs, to go along with his usual economical figures. He also started to show some potential as a power-hitting all-rounder highlighted by his match-finishing clinic against Hawkesbury, where he was literally hit balls through fielders. Unfortunately, a bad knee took its toll on Loz just before Christmas and he started to lose the rhythm and consistency that his game is based on. Given the opportunity to rest his knee over the off-season, I have no doubts that David will be able to get his bowling back to its reliable ways.

Dayne Heyward

Dayne definitely went through a learning curve in his first season of second grade. Early in the season, a mix of nerves and trying to do a little too much with the ball meant he didn't get the results he hoped for. However, once he simplified his approach the wickets started to come his way later in the season. His three-

wicket spell leading us to a win against North Sydney was a turning point, showing what Dayne is capable of when he gets it right. If he can add to his slender frame, it will definitely be interesting to see where he can take his game next season.

Koby Layton

Koby earned his second grade debut this year, whilst still being part of the Green Shield squad; an impressive feat on its own. He didn't look out of place in his five games of second grade and was unlucky not to have a few more wickets, with dropped catches letting him down. It didn't help that he was playing as the third spinner in the team for each of the games, and going forward there's no doubt he'll be able to show off his talents with more opportunities and more overs. Although he didn't score a run in his 4 digs, his 2 not outs and rock solid defence resembled that of Rahul Dravid and definitely has the makings of a quality nightwatchman.

Matthew Smith

Matt took the reins of 2nd Grade only a week before the start of the season and led the team confidently and with great purpose. Matt's efforts of being the equal top wicket taker in 2s and making appearances in 1st grade showed what a good season he has had leading the team whilst always ensuring his 2nd Grade players had opportunities to push for higher honours to make our first X1 the formidable outfit they are. Well done Matt. (PK)

Thanks also to the following players who spent time in second grade this season: Jehan Bilamoria, Niran Wijewardene, Wallace Marshall, Thomas Sowden, Alex Schipp, Jake Cormack, Kerrod White, David O'Sullivan, Ayden Brown, Damien Loy.

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2nd grade batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Simpson, Matthew	15	17	2	0	5	49	5	80	557	37.13
Ridley, Chris	13	15	1	0	4	40	9	69	449	32.07
Brockley, Joel	14	16	0	0	3	55	6	95	435	27.19
Dummer, Charlie	14	16	0	0	3	50	2	91	411	25.69
Ridley, Iain	10	12	2	0	2	17	0	74no	240	24.00
Dickinson, Bailey	8	7	0	0	1	18	0	74	181	25.86
Grove, Kayne	8	9	0	0	1	24	2	71	181	20.11
Docherty, Luke	13	14	3	0	0	16	0	43	159	14.45
Smith, Matthew	14	14	3	0	0	9	1	24no	139	12.64
Smith, Brendan	6	7	1	0	0	14	0	32	95	15.83
Lozinski, David	13	12	2	0	0	11	1	36	94	9.40
Garg, Tushaar	9	9	3	0	0	4	0	34no	68	11.33
Bilimoria, Jehan	4	4	0	0	0	5	2	36	67	16.75
Wijewardene, Niran	3	4	0	0	0	3	0	19	31	7.75
Heward, Dayne	11	10	4	0	0	0	0	8no	22	3.67
Cormack, Jake	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	16	16	16.00
White, Kerrod	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	14	14	14.00
O'Sullivan, David	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	11	11	11.00
Sowden, Thomas	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	8	8	4.00
Marshall, Wallace	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	3.50
Schipp, Alexander	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	4no	4	-
Brown, Ayden	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2.00
Loy, Damien	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1.00
Layton, Koby	5	4	2	0	0	0	0	0no	0	0.00

2nd grade partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	83	Joel Brockley	Iain Ridley	12	Fairfield-Liverpool
2	65	Bailey Dickinson	Chris Ridley	6	Hawkesbury
3	140	Charlie Dummer	Chris Ridley	13	Campbelltown-Camden
4	139	Charlie Dummer	Kayne Grove	3	Eastern Suburbs
5	85	Chris Ridley	Jehan Bilimoria	15	Sydney University
6	29	Matthew Simpson	Niran Wijewardene	12	Fairfield-Liverpool
7	85	Matthew Simpson	Luke Docherty	9	Randwick Petersham
8	66	Matthew Simpson	David Lozinski	4	Gordon
9	31	Tushaar Garg	Matthew Smith	8	Penrith
10		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			

2nd grade bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Garg, Tushaar	9	122	16	416	18	0	4/24	23.11	40.67	3.41
Smith, Matthew	14	122.2	23	484	18	0	4/60	26.89	40.78	3.96
Lozinski, David	13	132	20	485	15	0	3/30	32.33	52.80	3.67
Docherty, Luke	13	134	19	483	14	0	3/37	34.50	57.43	3.60
Heward, Dayne	11	92	12	376	11	0	3/36	34.18	50.18	4.09
Smith, Brendan	6	48.4	5	238	7	0	2/43	34.00	41.71	4.89
Schipp, Alexander	2	20	3	89	4	0	4/60	22.25	30.00	4.45
Marshall, Wallace	3	13	1	54	2	0	2/31	27.00	39.00	4.15
Bilimoria, Jehan	4	21	0	91	2	0	1/32	45.50	63.00	4.33
Layton, Koby	5	35	10	131	2	0	1/38	65.50	105.00	3.74
Dickinson, Bailey	8	10.4	2	32	1	0	1/7	32.00	64.00	3.00
Brown, Ayden	1	8	1	49	1	0	1/49	49.00	48.00	6.13
Wijewardene, Niran	3	21	2	115	1	0	1/26	115.00	126.00	5.48
Simpson, Matthew	15	0.1	0	4	0	0	0/4	-	-	24.00
White, Kerrod	1	3	0	9	0	0	0/9	-	-	3.00
Ridley, Chris	13	2	0	10	0	0	0/10	-	-	5.00
Dummer, Charlie	14	3	0	12	0	0	0/2	-	-	4.00
Brockley, Joel	14	4	0	21	0	0	0/7	-	-	5.25
O'Sullivan, David	1	4	0	24	0	0	0/24	-	-	6.00
Sowden, Thomas	2	15	0	59	0	0	0/29	-	-	3.93

alex schipp

23 wickets at 20.26

best bowling 4/50

116.3 overs

19 maidens

4.00 economy



3



jehan bilimoria

334 runs at 66.80

highest score 118no

1 century • 1 fifty

4s: 31 • 6s: 4

4 not outs



Congratulations to our first grade side for making it through to the Belvidere Cup final for the fourth consecutive year. A lot of hard work and preparation goes into being successful and you guys set a great example for the young players in the club to see what is required to be successful. Congratulations to Matthew Johnson and his Northern Districts side for taking out the Mitchell Cup this season.

Our third grade side finished in 16th position on 24 points. This was made up of four wins, eight losses and three draws. The team's performances were inconsistent throughout the season and our position on the table reflects this. Two key players from last season were missing due to injury in Chris Stefanish and Ben Le Bas. One of the biggest challenges we face in the lower grades is having the same players to select week after week. We started the season fielding four players from the previous season's third grade side. The evolution of domestic cricket has created numerous restrictions or absences of rep players at our club. It is hard to build a team with constant team disruptions but a challenge that each individual player needs to adapt to for the team and club to succeed. It also creates great opportunity for players to gain experience earlier than may be planned for their careers.

Upon reflection of the season, we were only outplayed in three games. The main problem we faced was that too many times we would lose one session of play and in most cases it cost us the game. We have to be better next season at minimising the bad sessions and being more competitive through that poor session. It comes down to attitude and the desire to be the one to make the difference.

We have a lot of talent coming through and the experience they are gaining is only going to be better

for them in the years ahead. If they can remain patient and keep learning their trade in the game, I'm confident that our club is in a strong position to be playing finals cricket in the lower grades.

We had some great individual performances that need to be recognised.

Alex Schipp was the pick of the bowlers this season taking 23 wickets at 20.26

Jehan Bilimoria was the pick of the batsmen scoring 334 runs at 66.80 Billa's effort with the bat against Sutherland was exceptional. Chasing down Sutherland's 349 was always going to be a tough task but Billa used his experience to guide the team to the win and scored 118no showing the younger players how to go about building an innings and scoring big.

I'd like to thank the coaching staff for the time and effort you take to prepare training sessions week by week. The training platform you prepare for the club is awesome and a benchmark for grade cricket. Thank you for your commitment and professionalism. A special thanks to Crowie for assisting in warm ups and providing feedback to the team. It is greatly appreciated and I also thank you for supporting the team and watching the team play. It is great to have your support and I know that the players appreciate the time you put aside for them.



To the chairman of selectors Phil Kelly and fellow captains, thanks for your support and feedback through the season. PK, thanks for the time and effort you put in to this role. It isn't easy with tough decisions being made every week. Thank you for the time you take to get down to the game and see the boys perform first hand. I also personally thank you for your support and help throughout the season. We will miss you in the role but also understand why you have given it up. You have done a great job and I can't thank you enough. All the best and look forward to seeing you around the grounds.

To all the parents, supporters and volunteers, on behalf of the third grade team and myself, I thank you for all the support you provided throughout the season. Whether it is at training or on Saturdays, your contribution is greatly appreciated. Without your support, the club wouldn't be what it is today.

To the 25 players that contributed to the third grade team this season, thank you for support. I hope that you were able to take something away from the experiences and challenges you and the team had playing under me. I hope that you enjoyed playing in third grade and will be a better player for the experience.

Finally, I would like to thank the club and the committee in appointing me the role as third grade Captain. It's an honour and privilege playing at this club and thank you for the opportunity.

PLAYER PROFILES

Jehan Bilimoria

Billa was the stand out player in third grade this season. Scoring 334 runs at 66.80 he lead the way showing his experience with the bat. The highlight was his 118no against Sutherland when he took the game in his hands and showed the younger players how to get the job done. Billa has got his head around his game this season; he played within his limits and took

his time. Billa also did a great job with the ball taking 12 wickets at 31.42. Best figures of 5/61 vs St George, Billa bowled a much better length giving the ball the chance to swing. The time he got to spend last season with some experienced players definitely helped his game out this season. A great all round performance from Billa and look forward to what he will produce next year.

Daniel Carr

Daniel had a great season playing 10 games in Thirds. He has been the biggest improving player in threes this year. Taking 13 wickets at 28.38, he was a handful to deal with for the top order batsmen. Best figures vs Sydney of 3/15, he showed his potential with ball in hand. Daniel got better and better as the season progressed and I think that came down to the hard work he put in at training. He is still learning the skill of bowling and it has been exciting to watch his progression, as he started to work batsmen out at the back end of the season. Overall a great season for Daniel with bigger things to come if he continues to put the hard work in both with his bowling and fielding.

Koby Layton

Koby played eight games in Third Grade this year and was promoted into 2nd grade with great performances. Koby settled into playing Third Grade quickly and was able to show his control and subtle variations with the ball. Koby is very young and will continue to grow into the art of off spin bowling as long as he is given the overs to bowl. He will then learn how to bowl in different conditions and surfaces where he will need to adjust his pace and flight, as well as think about his field positions and tactics. He is a great competitor and has a bright future in the game.

Damien Loy

Damien left the ranks of captaincy to pursue playing higher-grade cricket this season. He played the majority of his cricket in Thirds but he is definitely more than capable of playing in the higher grades



in the future. He has a wide variety of strokes and looks to have plenty of time in playing his shots. Further work on spending longer periods in the middle with better shot selection will see the 20's and 30's turn into bigger scores. His 78 against Easts was a quality performance at the crease. I also wanted to acknowledge and thank Damien for stepping up in my absence for a few games and to captain the team. Thanks mate.

Jacob Malcolm

Jacob started the season in fourth grade, and with excellent performances, was promoted to Third Grade for the rest of the season. Jacob opened the batting and was the second highest scorer in with 272 runs at an average of 30.22. He dominated bowling attacks and got the team off to a great start. Jacob's batting performance against Sydney University on a wet wicket was a great example of this. Jacob's next step is to convert the starts into big scores and remain patient at the crease. As a natural stroke maker, the longer he stays at the crease, the runs flow quickly and sometimes it is good to take a single and gather yourself at the other end, reset yourself and keep going. Scoring just under 500 runs for the grade season is a great result and I'm sure he'll be looking to replicate that next season. Well done.

Ryan Malcolm

In Ryan's first year at the club, he was selected in fifth grade where he scored 59 and never looked back. It was only a few games until he had made his way into the Third Grade side with more great performances.

Opening the batting is not the easiest job, yet Ryan grabbed it with both hands and showed his desire and commitment to see the shine off the new ball. He was dealt some average LBW decisions in the middle of the year but to Ryan's credit, he never gave up and continued to work hard on his game. Ryan also was an inspiration to the bowlers and the rest of the team in the field. His commitment to put his body on the line and chase everything down was second to none. He was the first to support a bowler at any chance and a great character to have in the team. Well done this year Ryan, I look forward to seeing what you can do next season.

Cameron Middleton

Middo was promoted to third grade this season and has done a fantastic job. A young keeper with great hands and excellent movement to the ball, he took the chances and was solid behind the stumps. Keep working hard on your glove work, especially up to the stumps as this is the toughest for all young keepers. With the bat in hand, Middo scored 221 runs at 24.56 with a top score of 40no. He is a patient batsman with a solid defence. As the season progressed, so did his confidence with some great scores at the back end of the season. With a season under his belt in threes, I'm sure he can go into the new season knowing what to expect and be confident to compete and deliver great results for himself and the team. Great job.

Iain Ridley

Rids started in threes and showed his class and experience with the bat. It was only a matter of time

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before we lost him but it was very handy for the younger players to have an experienced player around the team. Rids took bowlers apart and was great at helping fellow batsmen out in the middle. A quality team player that will do whatever job is required for the good of the team.

Alex Schipp

Schippy was the leading wicket taker this season. Taking 23 wickets at 20.26, he lead from the front and showed his class with the ball. Continually beating the bat and either hitting the pads or nearly missing, he has continued to work hard on his game. He was rewarded in playing a few games in second grade and he didn't disappoint. A terrific talent and it has been great to see his development over the past few years.

Connor Wilkinson

Wilko will be the first to say he didn't have the season he was looking for this year. Unfortunately luck just didn't go his way. He persisted and tried hard and did end up with some great performances but I'm sure he would want more. Wilko is a talented young batsman that will bounce back and dominate sooner rather than later. He has a good cricket brain and was again the leader in the field. He has the ability to anticipate where the ball is going to be hit and is always a great asset in the ring. Wilko can also bowl and if he puts the time in the nets, I'm sure he can add this skillset to his game if given the opportunity. Looking forward to the season ahead where I am sure he will do great things.

Niran Wijewardene

Wije was a stand out performer in third grade this season and was rewarded and promoted into second grade at the end of the season. A gifted player that can do anything; in three's he scored 132 runs at 22 and took 11 wickets at 35.18. Wije will need to work on

converting the 20's into 50's and beyond which I am confident he will do in the season ahead. Watch this space as it is only a matter of time. As a key part to our bowling attack, Wije was unlucky to have only taken 11 wickets. On many occasions he was the reason bowlers at the other end took a wicket for the team. I lost count of the chances that went down or 50/50 decisions that didn't go his way. This didn't sway or affect the way that Wije went about doing his job with the ball as he produced inspiring spells that lead to a key dismissal. Another great season and definitely a key player of the future for the Club.

Andrew O'Brien

Andy led his 3rd Grade team with his usual high standard. A magnificent leader and thinker of the game, Andy, (probably by his own standards) didn't have the season he wanted to have with the bat but unselfishly put others in front of himself so that they could push for 2nd Grade selection. His work ethic towards ensuring all his players are given opportunities to improve and become the best cricketers they can be are a tribute to this great clubman. He is always a pleasure to work with as Andy is the quintessential Bulldog!
(PK)

The following players only played a few games in threes bouncing between grades but i wanted to acknowledge and thank them for their contributions to the team. Ben Le Bas, Jake Grove, Kayne Grove, Daniel Slane and Dayne Heward. Your performances and efforts for the team were greatly appreciated. For some of you, I look forward to seeing you again in threes next season and for others I look forward to seeing what you can do in the higher grades.



3rd grade bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Schipp, Alexander	11	116.3	19	466	23	0	4/50	20.26	30.39	4.00
Carr, Daniel	10	90	10	369	13	0	3/15	28.38	41.54	4.10
Layton, Koby	8	99	18	373	13	0	3/34	28.69	45.69	3.77
Bilimoria, Jehan	10	104.3	20	377	12	1	5/61	31.42	52.25	3.61
Wijewardene, Niran	9	91.3	10	387	11	0	3/24	35.18	49.91	4.23
Heward, Dayne	3	31.5	3	132	6	0	3/34	22.00	31.83	4.15
Le Bas, Ben	4	35	9	73	5	0	3/20	14.60	42.00	2.09
Grove, Jake	4	16	3	74	4	0	3/61	18.50	24.00	4.63
Slane, Daniel	4	30	3	100	4	0	2/22	25.00	45.00	3.33
Loy, Damien	10	24.5	0	116	3	0	1/8	38.67	49.67	4.67
Wilkinson, Connor	8	6	0	22	2	0	1/6	11.00	18.00	3.67
Brown, Ayden	1	6.4	1	23	2	0	2/23	11.50	20.00	3.45
Clark, Brendan	2	14	2	49	1	0	1/24	49.00	84.00	3.50
Phipps, Luke	1	10	2	51	1	0	1/51	51.00	60.00	5.10
Stefanish, Chris	2	20	2	60	1	0	1/28	60.00	120.00	3.00
Hunt, Ben	1	7	0	44	0	0	0/44	-	-	6.29

3rd grade partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	101	Jacob Malcolm	Ryan Malcolm	5	Western Suburbs
2	53	Iain Ridley	Damien Loy	3	Eastern Suburbs
3	71	Iain Ridley	Kayne Grove	1	St George
4	64	Kayne Grove	Cameron Middleton	13	Campbelltown-Camden
5	89	Cameron Middleton	Jake Grove	5	Western Suburbs
6	100	Ben Le Bas	Jehan Bilimoria	11	Sydney
7	104	Jehan Bilimoria	Sam Melham	7	Sutherland
8	32	Jehan Bilimoria	Ben Hunt	7	Sutherland
9	50	Daniel Slane	Alexander Schipp	6	Hawkesbury
10		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			



3rd grade batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Billimoria, Jehan	10	9	4	1	1	31	4	118no	334	66.80
Malcolm, Jacob	9	9	0	0	2	19	0	67	272	30.22
Loy, Damien	10	10	0	0	1	16	1	78	246	24.60
Middleton, Cameron	12	12	3	0	0	14	1	40no	221	24.56
O'Brien, Andrew	10	10	1	0	1	30	2	51	209	23.22
Ridley, Iain	6	5	0	0	1	24	4	87	198	39.60
Malcolm, Ryan	10	10	0	0	0	11	1	44	170	17.00
Wilkinson, Connor	8	8	0	0	0	13	3	33	161	20.13
Wijewardene, Niran	9	8	2	0	0	13	0	31no	132	22.00
Grove, Jake	4	4	1	0	0	7	6	47no	113	37.67
Grove, Kayne	4	4	1	0	0	5	2	43	112	37.33
Dodds, Toby	2	2	0	0	0	8	0	27	52	26.00
Schipp, Alexander	11	8	3	0	0	5	0	22no	52	10.40
Le Bas, Ben	4	3	0	0	0	5	0	46	51	17.00
Bourne, James	1	1	0	0	0	6	0	47	47	47.00
Slane, Daniel	4	4	1	0	0	6	0	37no	47	15.67
Melham, Sam	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	37	37	37.00
Stefanish, Chris	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	11	20	10.00
Clark, Brendan	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	11	17	8.50
Hunt, Ben	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	12	12	12.00
Layton, Koby	8	5	2	0	0	1	0	6	12	4.00
Garg, Tushaar	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	6.00
Heward, Dayne	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	4	2.00
Carr, Daniel	10	7	3	0	0	0	0	2	3	0.75
Ward, Rhys	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00



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Congratulations to Sydney CC on taking out the 4th Grade Premiership. A magnificent effort from Jarrad Burke's 1st Grade side, making their fourth successive Grand Final and being the dominant side throughout the final for three days with Sydney Uni holding on for a draw to take the title, the 1st Grade boys certainly showed the Bulldog spirit and made the Final probably one of the best ever played.

Fourth Grade started the year with a new young captain and a lot of even younger players.

The side lost the first two rounds with bright new opening bat Ryan Malcolm scoring 58 in his 4th Grade debut in round 2 against Manly. Round 3 at home to Easts saw Jake Grove plunder his initial grade century hoisting 9 huge sixes in an innings of 102 not out, with Jacob Malcolm 87 and Alex Kouventaris 77 in the grades highest innings of the season of 9 dec 341. Unfortunately Easts withheld for a draw scoring 8/290.

Three consecutive losses followed against Gordon, Wests and Hawksbury with some good innings from Isaac Schipp 45 and Brendan Clark 60 the only batsman to show out. Round 7 v Sutherland saw a marked improvement in batting with Zeeshan Ahmed 44, Brendan Clark 42 and Mansoukh Singh 40 showing great resolve to hold out for a draw. Last game before the Christmas/New Year break against Penrith saw the young side almost snatch their first victory with Alex Kouventaris leading by example scoring 57 not out in team total of only 144. Penrith held on 9 down to pass the Dogs with big Rhys Ward almost unplayable taking 4/15 and captain Kouventaris snaring 2/28. The youngsters were bitterly disappointed and went to the break with not a win for their efforts in 8 rounds.

January could not come soon enough and the fighting qualities certainly came to the fore with the talented youngsters winning straight away. Connor Wilkinson scored 64 and Daniel Slane captured 5/20 in a stunning win against Randwick in round 9. Round 10 and the side tasted victory again against North Sydney with talented Ben Le Bas hitting 67 in his return from a broken leg. Consistent Brendan Clark made 58 and

emerging quick Rhys Ward skittled the Bears taking 4/25.

Round 11 pitted the in form Dogs against eventual premiers Sydney and bought the team back down to earth with a thud but they regrouped to beat Fairfield convincingly in a low scoring match where once again Rhys Ward with 3/19 and Ben Hunt 3/33 skittled the opposition for only 114.

The Dogs won again against Campbelltown in round 13 with Isaac Schipp compiling an elegant 52 and Jake Grove another forceful 51 to ensure a total the Dogs could defend. UNSW were lucky to escape with a draw due to weather in round 14 after Jackson Isakka plundered a magnificent 117. Jackson's innings was of the highest calibre and looks to be a fine prospect. After Luke Phipps secured two early wickets the rain stole a probable victory.

The young Dogs scored a marvellous win last round against formidable Sydney Uni with Jackson Isakka continuing his great form with 83 not out and Daniel Slane 48 chasing down Uni's 186 with ease. Connor Wilkinson ensured the task was a little easier with a career best 6/48 in a brilliant spell.

Five wins, a draw and only one loss to the eventual premiers after the Christmas break certainly showed that the club has the talent to build on next season.

Alex would like to thank the coaches for the many long hours they put in to the players and also assisting in his role as captain. The many parents who would be there every week offering to assist in any way they could. And a thank you to the 35 players who turned out in 4th Grade and supported Alex week in week out.



PLAYER PROFILES

Brendan Clark

The go to man, whether it be opening the batting, bowling or fielding, this season Brendan stood up and showed what a good cricketer he is. 286 runs @ 22 probably don't reflect the importance he had in his role in 4th Grade but he did all the hard yakka, never gave an inch and had not an ounce of luck. Rewarded with 3rd Grade appearance Brendan will build on this season and go on to play higher grade cricket.

Jake Grove

Jake had a wonderful season, hampered towards the end by back injury. 354 runs @ 39.33 with a magnificent 102 not out the highlight. Captured 13 wickets @ 25.15 with his probing offies. Jake wanted to succeed so badly and at times looked like he could score at will, only impatience tempering a season of 500+ runs. Always taking on the bowlers and just as he had them at his mercy would give a chance and that was it. Jake has abundant natural talent and maturity will ensure he succeeds through to the higher grades.

Zeeshaan Ahmed

Very talented opening bat, Zeeshaan broke into grade this season after Green Shield appearances last season. Highest score of 49 doesn't do justice to his talent and his return will be greatly improved when he can bat for longer periods. A handy leg spin bowler and very good fieldsman, if Zeeshaan train hard this off-season, higher level honours will come very quickly. A wonderful young man.

Ben Hunt

Ben is the best trainer you could ever get, always there, always bowling and working hard on his

game. Unfortunately the season did not return to him the efforts he put in. Very capable of going through opposition batsman when on song. Improved his batting and fielding this season and displayed a great trait of always supporting his team-mates. Next season should bring the rewards Ben's effort deserves.

Sam Melham

Sam is the consummate clubman, a talented gloveman who went one dismissal away from taking the most dismissals by a keeper in all of 4th Grade with 17 catches and 8 stumpings. Sam didn't get a lot of chances to bat in his preferable position in the batting order, much to his disappointment, but Sam just trained harder and worked on his game to the max. Could not speak more highly of this young man.

Luke Phipps

Luke tried very hard every game he played. Mostly carrying injury throughout the season his results of 9 wkts @ 24 with a best of 3/30 don't tell the story of his talent. Handy with the bat and a good fieldsman, a determined off-season would ensure he gives his body every chance of performing to the level we know he can.

Isaac Schipp

A graceful and diminutive opening bat, Isaac ended up playing the majority of the season in 4s after success in 5s. Calm and resolute under pressure, Isaac is never intimidated by opposition fast bowlers and steadies the innings for the stroke-players. Not that he doesn't have the shots, Isaac has a magnificent off drive and is a pleasure to watch. 216 runs @ 21 with a highest score of 52 doesn't reflect his ability and I am sure next season he will show what a talent he is. Well done Isaac.



Mansukh Singh

Mansukh came to the club from Hawkesbury and showed a lot of class with bat and ball. Injury curtailed his season after 11 rounds but he showed in a couple of powerful short innings that he is a player of the future. An off-spinner with a good tweak and handy fieldsman, Mansukh will definitely play higher grades for this club sooner rather than later.

Rhys Ward

Big, strong and quick, just what every grade wants! Rhys burst into grade this year being part of the Green shield squad. Honest and hard working Rhys put in some very good bowling spells taking 19 wkts @ 21.42 with a best of 4/15. Rhys always gave everything he had and is certainly a player going places. Next season should see Rhys pushing hard for higher-grade honours without a doubt. Well done!

Jackson Isakka

Jackson played only 6 games in 4th Grade yet scored 245 runs @ 81.67 with a magnificent 117 against UNSW followed by 83 not out the following round. A player with enormous potential, who works very hard on his game. Bowls lively medium pacers and fields very well. Higher honours await Jackson.

Daniel Slane

Daniel played only 4 matches in 4s but scored 111 @ 27.75 and took 8 wkts @ 7.88 with his spinners. Also a very good fieldsman, his talent pushed him into 3rd Grade. This season will have shown Daniel that he can succeed when given the opportunity. I look forward to next season and seeing Daniel push all the way up the grades.

Connor Wilkinson

6/48! Who? Connor? WOW! Always said he could bowl, rarely given the opportunity, Connor has it all. One of the best fieldsmen in the club, an extremely talented batsman and now a strike bowler! Inconsistency has plagued Connor's batting of late, one chance...gone, slight chance...gone. The unluckiest of batsman. But, we all know he has the talent and we know he has got what it takes to succeed. All he needs is time; time in the middle will bring the scores he is more than capable of. A wonderful clubman and a player that supports his captain and teammates to the end. I can't wait to see him reap the rewards he so deserves.

Liam Wallace

Injury hampered Liam's entry into grade cricket this season but once on the field showed everyone what a bright future he has. A genuine fast bowler who represented Australia in Dubai in U/17 this season where he turned in some very good performances and will no doubt rocket up the grades very quickly.

Alex Kouventaris

Alex put his hand up to captain 4th Grade, making him the youngest skipper in the whole grade, and learnt a great amount throughout the season just how tough captaincy is. Alex scored runs, took wickets, kept wickets and did everything he possibly could to lead from the front in a grade that continually takes the field with many changes week to week making it extremely hard on a young captain. With this season behind him Alex has definitely benefited and become a better cricketer which will show in future seasons. Well done Alex. (PK)



4th grade batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Grove, Jake	8	10	1	1	2	24	19	102no	354	39.33
Clark, Brendan	12	13	0	0	2	15	0	60	286	22.00
Kouventaris, Alex	15	17	2	0	2	28	3	77	271	18.07
Isakka, Jackson	6	6	3	1	1	31	2	117	245	81.67
Schipp, Isaac	9	10	0	0	1	17	0	52	216	21.60
Malcolm, Jacob	4	5	0	0	2	27	0	87	196	39.20
Singh, Mansukh	10	10	0	0	0	8	1	40	162	16.20
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	8	9	0	0	0	12	0	49	152	16.89
Slane, Daniel	4	4	0	0	0	11	5	48	111	27.75
Melham, Sam	13	15	3	0	0	9	0	29no	110	9.17
Hunt, Ben	8	9	2	0	0	8	2	23no	109	15.57
Probert, Hayden	5	6	0	0	0	8	1	34	92	15.33
Garg, Tushaar	4	5	0	0	0	7	0	33	78	15.60
Wilkinson, Connor	4	4	0	0	1	4	2	64	75	18.75
Brett, Harry	6	7	1	0	0	4	0	28no	70	11.67
Le Bas, Ben	1	1	0	0	1	6	0	67	67	67.00
Phipps, Luke	6	6	2	0	0	10	1	21no	65	16.25
Malcolm, Ryan	1	1	0	0	1	9	0	58	58	58.00
Canceri, Joel	3	4	1	0	0	3	0	22no	52	17.33
Schipp, Alexander	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	33	33	33.00
Ward, Rhys	14	10	5	0	0	4	0	10no	32	6.40
Wijewardene, Niran	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	28	28	28.00
Isakka, Ben	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	25.00
Ramage, Thomas	3	4	0	0	0	2	0	8	21	5.25
Debono, Ethan	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	20.00
Setter, Nathan	5	6	4	0	0	3	0	10no	20	10.00
Dodds, Toby	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	10	15	5.00
Cotter, Cameron	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	13.00
Bourne, James	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	11	11	11.00
Carr, Daniel	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	9no	9	9.00
Marshall, Liam	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.50



4th grade partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	99	Brendan Clark	Isaac Schipp	10	North Sydney
2	99	Brendan Clark	Connor Wilkinson	9	Randwick Petersham
3	111	Jacob Malcolm	Alex Kouventaris	3	Eastern Suburbs
4	75	Ryan Malcolm	Mansukh Singh	2	Manly-Warringah
5	78	Ben Le Bas	Alex Kouventaris	10	North Sydney
6	59	Isaac Schipp	Tushaar Garg	13	Campbelltown-Camden
7	45	Jackson Isakka	Ben Hunt	14	UNSW
8	55	Alex Kouventaris	Sam Melham	8	Penrith
9	49	Harry Brett	Ethan Debono	7	Sutherland
10	68	Jake Grove	Nathan Setter	3	Eastern Suburbs

4th grade bowling 2016-17

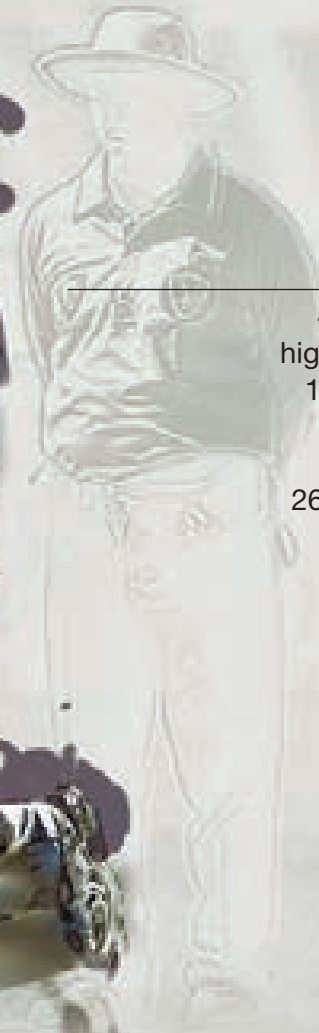
player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Ward, Rhys	14	121	19	407	19	0	4/15	21.42	38.21	3.36
Grove, Jake	8	80	10	327	13	0	4/81	25.15	36.92	4.09
Clark, Brendan	12	86	13	340	11	0	2/25	30.91	46.91	3.95
Singh, Mansukh	10	50.1	5	208	10	0	3/69	20.80	30.10	4.15
Phipps, Luke	6	51	7	216	9	0	3/30	24.00	34.00	4.24
Slane, Daniel	4	30.1	9	63	8	1	5/20	7.88	22.63	2.09
Hunt, Ben	8	55	5	253	8	0	3/33	31.63	41.25	4.60
Kouventaris, Alex	15	82	9	360	8	0	3/57	45.00	61.50	4.39
Wilkinson, Connor	4	14	2	58	7	1	6/48	8.29	12.00	4.14
Carr, Daniel	3	22	2	74	3	0	2/34	24.67	44.00	3.36
Marshall, Liam	4	22.4	4	113	3	0	2/11	37.67	45.33	4.99
Isakka, Jackson	6	8	0	23	2	0	1/4	11.50	24.00	2.88
Le Bas, Ben	1	10	0	34	2	0	2/34	17.00	30.00	3.40
Marshall, Wallace	1	8	1	40	2	0	2/40	20.00	24.00	5.00
Setter, Nathan	5	38	3	167	2	0	1/44	83.50	114.00	4.39
Schipp, Alexander	1	6	0	23	1	0	1/23	23.00	36.00	3.83
Cotter, Cameron	1	4	0	30	1	0	1/30	30.00	24.00	7.50
Schipp, Isaac	9	9	1	37	1	0	1/33	37.00	54.00	4.11
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	8	2	0	11	0	0	0/11	-	-	5.50
Simpson, Bradley	1	8	4	12	0	0	0/12	-	-	1.50
Wijewardene, Niran	1	6	1	23	0	0	0/23	-	-	3.83
Probert, Hayden	5	7	0	43	0	0	0/43	-	-	6.14
Canceri, Joel	3	13	3	56	0	0	0/12	-	-	4.31

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mat kelly

496 runs at 41.33
highest score 101no
1 century • 3 fifties
4s: 44 • 6s: 17

26 wickets at 14.92
best bowling 4/3
146.4 overs
40 maidens
2.65 economy





Congratulations to our mighty first grade squad led by Jarrad Burke for making the grand final again this season. To make four Grand Finals in a row and win one last year is an amazing achievement. Congratulations to Nigel Singh and his Randwick Petersham 5th Grade side on winning the Sherwood Cup. Ironically although finishing last, we actually managed to beat Randwick Petersham, one of only two wins for the season for us. This season was a tough one - no doubt about it. Two wins for the season and finishing in last place is hard to accept. In total we had 40 players take the field for us in 5s. I think this would have to be close to a record.

Our side rarely looked the same from week to week with players being unavailable in the lower grades on a weekly basis, which prevented effective cohesion of lower grade teams. I said it last year and I'll say it again, this is a team sport. We are a club that if you have the privilege to play for, you commit to playing 15 games or so in a season not 10. I accept that it is an ever changing cricket climate and as we see younger and younger grade cricket sides this is a challenging aspect but as a club if we are going to be successful this is our most important area that needs improvement.

Fifth grade this season were competitive in a number of games, with a couple of unlucky wash outs and a couple of games that we dominated that ended in draws. Our side was very young and inexperienced and it showed when going up against the better sides in the competition. On the batting front, Jackson Isakka was a shining light after a slow start. Jackson scored a fantastic 103 no in round 6 against Hawksbury showing great patience to compile his innings. Zeeshaan Ahmed also showed he is a very talented young batsman with a stylish 67 in the same game. Spotty showed his trademark grit and determination with some very useful innings throughout the season as well, but overall our batting was just not consistent enough.

Our bowling highlights included Gurnoor Singh's 6 for 74 in round 7 against Sutherland and Mo Hossain's 5 for 51 in round 11 against Sydney being the highlights. Both these matches we still managed to lose however. Our bowlers failed to build the required pressure at both ends to get wickets. Our fielding was

poor throughout the season as well. I can only put this down to a concentration lapses, with our young players switching off mentally far too often in the field. I suppose this comes with inexperience and all will be better for the coming season.

We did discover plenty of young cricketers with tremendous talent. 14 year olds like Ethan De BONO our keeper, Cameron Cotter and Joel Canceri, promising all rounders and Zeeshaan Ahmed as mentioned earlier. These kids are 14/15 years old. Hopefully this year will have provided them with valuable experience that will see them and the club reap rewards for in the coming season.

One thing that can't be denied is the effort of all my players throughout the season. Even when winning proved difficult, no one ever gave up or gave less than 100 per cent on the field. I thank everyone that took the field this season and gave their best. Once again it was a great honour to play with Geoff Spotswood. A 'True Bulldog' is Spot and a player everyone loves to have in their side. I know our young cricketers yet again learnt a great deal about the game thanks to his guidance and support.

The final round against Sydney Uni with so many Club Legends playing is testimony to the high regard in which Spotty is held at the club. To dedicate a win for him and for him to have a chance to captain so many players he has previously played with was an absolute highlight of the year. It would be great to get some experienced players back in the lower grades in the coming season, whether it's for a handful of games or more. This is an area we are sorely lacking in at the moment.



To the Chairman of selectors Phil Kelly, thanks for your support yet again. I doubt many realise the hours you spent each week and each day putting sides together, with players pulling out, phone calls, advice, support and attending games and training. A huge task and a thankless job most of the time. For a volunteer position with nothing but love for the club and the game you can rest assured you've done a wonderful job the last four seasons.

It's the volunteers in our club that make it the special and successful one that it is. Eris Dignam, Brian Freedman, Marty Klumpp and Linsey Roworth have always gone above and beyond for the players. Our president Scott Grant, vice president Mark Grant and other valued members of our committee putting in so much of their time and effort to make the club a successful one. On so many occasions this season as has been the case for many previous years these volunteers as well as others have helped make our club one of the premier clubs in the country. As players we need to recognise this and be thankful for their contributions and never take it for granted.

Gary Crowfoot and Dean Burke led our coaching team. Both these guys work so hard for the player's week in week out and really care about the Bulldog emblem and what it means to play for the Dogs. As players we need to lift especially the lower grade sides in the coming season because apart from a lack of experience in the lower grades we have no excuses left. We have the best facilities in Sydney, we have the best off field support and now it's up to us to lift. We need to train hard, to commit to playing 15 or so games in the season not 10, whether we have to play injured or in discomfort sometimes or whether we go on holidays or schoolies on a Sunday and come back on a Friday so as to not let our

teammates down. I'm asking our young players and their parents to understand that it's a privilege to play cricket for the Bankstown Cricket Club. 14th on the Club Championship is not good enough. Too many good clubmen have shed their blood, sweat and tears in making the club what it is today and that is a premier club recognised worldwide as being home to some of our Country's greatest cricketers.

Be the best cricketer you can be, enjoy the game and the mateship and be proud to represent the mighty Bulldogs. Get hungry to win in season '17-18.

PLAYER PROFILES

Mat Kelly

Mat again took on the toughest role at the Club, skipping the kindergarten of any Premier Grade Club, the fledgling Fifth Grade. It's a great credit to Mat's love of the game and his personal commitment to BDCC that he was able to manage the demands of a full-time vocation in the NSW Police Force and a young and growing family with playing grade cricket every Saturday. With such an inexperienced side and the enviable churn of players (Fifth Grade feeling the brunt of player roster changes in any higher grade) the side could not realistically be expected to ride high on the competition ladder. A better indication of the side's performance is the quality development of several young players, not only in Premier Grade, but also in School Competitions and National Age Championships. This is Mat's greatest legacy from his 2016/17 season. Of course, Mat's own performances continued to be of the highest quality as evidenced by him being the leading run-scorer in the David Sherwood Cup and joint winner of the Bankstown Sports Club 'Player of the Year' Award. Well done Mat, another high quality contribution to the Club. (MK)



Geoff Spotswood

How spoilt we are to have a player who has played all grades in a career spanning over four decades in the Sydney Grade competition, still playing and helping teach our next generation of cricketers and instilling in them a sense of club pride. Spot is a Club legend and an inspiration to all who play the game. It was great to have Spot go around again this season. He was able to guide our young players and pass on invaluable lessons throughout the season. It was a pleasure playing with you again Spot and thanks for all your assistance again this year at training and on game day. Still as tenacious as ever, a great many people admire your Bulldog spirit. Your 50 against Easts was a tough determined knock in difficult conditions. Whether you decide to play on or hang up the boots, our club needs you around in some capacity to play a vital role in educating our young players. Thanks for the year mate.

Jackson Isakka

A young all rounder, Jackson began the season lacking a little confidence and self-belief. He came of age in round 6 against Hawkesbury compiling a patient and intelligent 103 not out. Jackson made a number of starts following this without going on and was back and forth between 4th Grade. Some impressive bowling spells were seen in the back half of the season with Jackson now thought of as a genuine all rounder. His final scores of 117 and 83 in 4th grade topped off what was an excellent first season of grade cricket. I hope you continue to enjoy your cricket mate and don't put too much pressure on yourself. Maintain your focus and don't let frustration take over. Keep working hard and I look forward to seeing you excel further in the coming seasons.

Zeeshan Ahmed

After a couple of innings down the order Zeeshan showed his class, being promoted into the top 3. His innings of 67 in round 6 against Hawkesbury being the highlight. A young batsman with all the shots and elegance in his stroke play, Zeeshan has been identified as one of the most promising young batsman in his age group. The next step for Zeeshan is converting the large number of good starts he made this season into bigger scores. Bat time and be patient and you will compile some big scores in the coming season mate. Don't be satisfied with thirties and forties. This is the next step for your maturing as

a cricketer. A very capable leg spinner. Keep working on your leg spin mate, it's the hardest ball to bowl and takes a great amount of time and practice. Excellent team man and good thinker about the game.

Tom Ramage

Tom is a pleasure to have in the side. Always the first to offer to help anyone. I'm sure Tom would be disappointed with his season with a highest score of 40. Tom, like most, is a confidence player and after slow start never really got going unfortunately. Tom always gives 100 percent and never stopped trying throughout the year. Hopefully your stint in England in the off season will see you back next season and raring to go.

Ethan De Bono

Another of our 14 year olds (now 15) who had his first taste of grade cricket. A young man with plenty of ability. His glove work improved as the year went on and for his age, was outstanding. Ethan is a more than capable batsman who should develop into a higher order batsman. Whilst his batting this season was disappointing, I have no doubt that with the experience of a full season under his belt, he can score plenty of runs in the coming year. No doubt like all, he enjoyed Spottie's company, along with attempting to locate the various pieces of equipment that had been hidden from him each week. An excellent thinker about the game and someone who would make a good Green Shield captain. Thanks for a great year Eth.

Cameron Cotter

Another 14 year old (now 15) playing grade cricket for the first time. Cameron is a very talented left handed bat and right arm medium pace bowler. Such an elegant batsman who showed great promise early on carrying his bat against Manly with a defiant 19 not out. Unfortunately, although looking good at the crease, often Cameron lost his wicket early in his innings. Cam's bowling was at times brilliant with his 2-12 off 10 overs vs Sydney in Rnd 11 being the highlight. Needs to work on his awareness in the field and when running between wickets Cam will be better for the season and the valuable experience gained, which will no doubt hold him in good stead for the coming season. I believe we will see Cam score plenty of runs and take a good haul of wickets. Don't look for excuses; be honest with yourself and big things await you mate.

Dean Zamagias

If every player in my side had Dean's heart, his respect for teammates and love of the club, then I would be a very happy captain. Dean only took 3 wickets in 7 games but at times bowled with lively pace and the rare ability to swing the ball. Dean just needs more overs and more cricket. If you continue to work hard mate and want it bad enough, there is no reason why you can't have a successful upcoming season. Consistency is the key; six balls an over in the right areas and strive to build that pressure. Cheers Deano.

Nathan Setter

Nathan is a strong young man with the ability to bowl a heavy ball as well as swing it away. His two wickets in six games at 90 is disappointing no doubt. I don't think anyone I've ever captained at this age has shown such a mature outlook. Even when taken off after a disappointing over or being told he wasn't in the side for the coming game, Nathan never complained or made excuses or dropped his head. Instead he was the first one encouraging the next bowler. He simply kept trying. A person who takes genuine enjoyment in seeing his teammates do well, which is a refreshing quality in this day and age. Nath clearly loves playing for the Bulldogs and when most of the crowd had gone after Spot's tribute game in round 15, it was Nathan still sitting with the old players soaking up past stories and learning about the Bulldog culture; so great to see. Next step is getting Nathan taking wickets, which I know he can and will do. Not a bad bat either I might add. Definitely the type of clubman we need at in the Bulldogs kennel and another of our young players who is a natural leader. Keep at it mate, you will turn the corner, take a truckload of wickets and never look back.

Mo Hossain

Mo. What can be said? Our Bangladeshi brother; he loves the game of cricket and loves playing for the Dogs. Mo took his first 5 wicket haul of 5-51 in round 11, which was a brilliant spell of bowling. When bowling with confidence Mo can be a real handful for the opposition. Injuries and other issues caused mo to have an interrupted season, however I hope you can come back fully fit next season and bowl plenty of overs. Thanks Moey

Gurnoor Singh

Another player with an interrupted season, Gurnoor played four games with us with the highlight being his 6 for 74 against Sutherland in round 7. Unfortunately an overseas trip not long after this prevented Gurnoor from playing more cricket. A very capable batsman. A full season in 17-18 should see Gurnoor come of age and cement his spot in the side. Keep working hard at training mate and come back ready for a big season. Great fielder in any position as well.

Joel Canceri

Played four games in 5th grade. An athletic young man who can move the ball at good pace. Showing plenty of ability with bat and ball for one so young. Needs to work on the mental aspect of his game in particular but this comes with age of course. Put too much pressure on himself at times. If Joel can relax and enjoy his cricket a little more, he can have a very big season 17-18 for the Dogs. Believe in yourself mate.

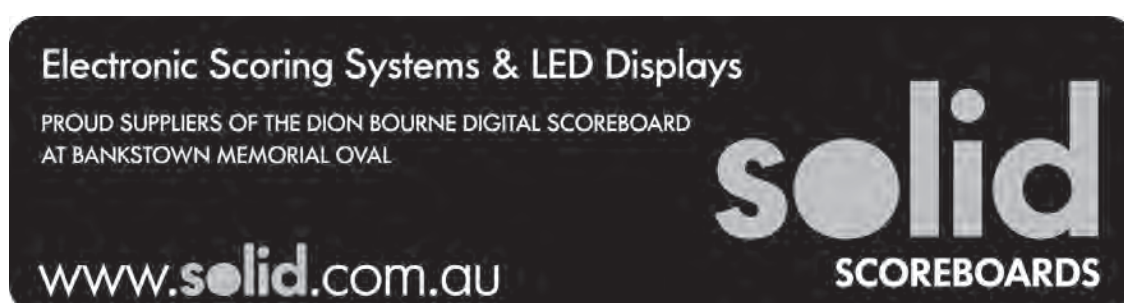
Harry Brett

A powerful hitter of the ball. Was very consistent with us for his four innings he played. His 57 on debut against Wests was outstanding. Needs to work on his concentration at the crease and in the field. At times showed outstanding athleticism in the field and at other times switched off. Plenty of runs in store for you mate if you keep working hard.

A number of other players represented 5th grade this season thanks to all who played. Keep working hard on your game, believe in yourselves and come back hungry to be successful next season.

To the parents who helped out throughout the season thank you. Whether it is scoring, helping with sightscreens or covers, you all made the teams day and mine much easier.

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5th grade partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	74	Zeeshaan Ahmed	Harry Brett	6	Hawkesbury
2	111	Mathew Kelly	Mathew Kelly	5	Western Suburbs
3	105	Mathew Kelly	Johann Perera	7	Sutherland
4	73	Jackson Isakka	Mathew Kelly	6	Hawkesbury
5	80	Thomas Ramage	Geoff Spotswood	13	Campbelltown-Camden
6	84	Jackson Isakka		6	Hawkesbury
7		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
8		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
9		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
10	32	Jakob Eljed	Blake Worsfold	11	Sydney

5th grade batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Kelly, Mathew	13	13	1	1	3	44	17	101no	496	41.33
Spotswood, Geoff	13	13	0	0	1	18	0	50	215	16.54
Isakka, Jackson	8	8	1	1	0	24	0	103no	193	27.57
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	6	6	0	0	1	14	0	67	139	23.17
Brett, Harry	4	4	0	0	1	14	1	57	136	34.00
Ramage, Thomas	7	7	0	0	0	8	0	40	111	15.86
Perera, Johann	3	3	0	0	1	0	0	57	62	20.67
Malcolm, Ryan	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	59	59	59.00
Isakka, Ben	1	1	1	0	1	8	0	52no	52	-
Singh, Mansukh	1	1	0	0	0	7	1	49	49	49.00
Singh, Gurnoor	4	3	1	0	0	5	0	20	47	23.50
Slane, Daniel	4	4	2	0	0	3	0	17no	41	20.50
Debono, Ethan	11	9	2	0	0	3	0	14	40	5.71
Cotter, Cameron	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	19no	38	5.43
Moy, Danny	1	1	1	0	0	6	0	35no	35	-
Polson, Michael	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	34	34	34.00
Schipp, Isaac	3	3	0	0	0	4	0	23	32	10.67
Hossain, Md Robiul	5	4	2	0	0	2	0	12no	28	14.00
Probert, Hayden	4	4	0	0	0	3	0	12	28	7.00
White, Brendan	3	3	0	0	0	3	0	19	27	9.00
Setter, Nathan	6	6	1	0	0	1	1	9	23	4.60
Lozinski, Mathew	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	21	21	21.00
Zamagias, Dean	7	4	1	0	0	0	0	12no	21	7.00
Eljed, Jakob	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	19	19	19.00
Worsfold, Blake	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	9no	9	-
Bourne, James	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	7.00
Phipps, Luke	3	3	1	0	0	1	0	5no	6	3.00
Magee, Dean	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	5	5	5.00
Wise, Steven	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	4.00
Le Bas, Ben	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	4	4.00
Hunt, Ben	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	1.00
Canceri, Joel	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0.50
Allsopp, James	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1.00
Roworth, Brad	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Hunt, Lachlan	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Marshall, Liam	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Simpson, Bradley	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Kelly, Phil	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Roworth, Craig	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00



5th grade bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Kelly, Mathew	13	146.4	40	388	26	0	4/3	14.92	33.85	2.65
Singh, Gurnoor	4	43	3	203	10	1	6/74	20.30	25.80	4.72
Slane, Daniel	4	46	4	153	7	0	3/54	21.86	39.43	3.33
Hossain, Md Robiul	5	41.2	8	135	6	1	5/51	22.50	41.33	3.27
Isakka, Jackson	8	30	5	105	5	0	2/35	21.00	36.00	3.50
Le Bas, Ben	1	10	2	15	4	0	4/15	3.75	15.00	1.50
Cotter, Cameron	8	39.3	12	132	4	0	2/12	33.00	59.25	3.34
Phipps, Luke	3	22	5	75	3	0	2/26	25.00	44.00	3.41
Zamagias, Dean	7	35	1	163	3	0	2/30	54.33	70.00	4.66
Freedman, David	1	10	0	51	2	0	2/51	25.50	30.00	5.10
Hunt, Lachlan	1	9	1	55	2	0	2/55	27.50	27.00	6.11
Spotswood, Geoff	13	29	4	135	2	0	1/21	67.50	87.00	4.66
Setter, Nathan	6	30	1	166	2	0	1/10	83.00	90.00	5.53
Simpson, Bradley	1	6	1	22	1	0	1/22	22.00	36.00	3.67
Singh, Mansukh	1	6	0	36	1	0	1/36	36.00	36.00	6.00
Isakka, Ben	1	16	3	63	1	0	1/63	63.00	96.00	3.94
Canceri, Joel	4	20.4	2	75	1	0	1/22	75.00	124.00	3.63
Hunt, Ben	3	25	2	76	1	0	1/19	76.00	150.00	3.04
Brett, Harry	4	1	0	1	0	0	0/1	-	-	1.00
Eljed, Jakob	1	3	0	11	0	0	0/11	-	-	3.67
Marshall, Liam	1	6	2	14	0	0	0/14	-	-	2.33
Polson, Michael	1	7	2	17	0	0	0/17	-	-	2.43
Bull, Darryn	1	7	2	17	0	0	0/17	-	-	2.43
Worsfold, Blake	2	9	2	21	0	0	0/8	-	-	2.33
Dickinson, Bailey	1	12	3	25	0	0	0/25	-	-	2.08
Lozinski, Mathew	1	8	2	28	0	0	0/28	-	-	3.50
Roworth, Brad	1	6	0	29	0	0	0/29	-	-	4.83
Moy, Danny	1	7	0	44	0	0	0/44	-	-	6.29
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	6	18	3	96	0	0	0/19	-	-	5.33





nathan setter

11 wickets at 20.09
best bowling 5/48
46.3 overs
2 maidens
4.75 economy

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zeeshaan ahmed

198 runs at 33.00
highest score 44
4s: 29 • 6s: 1





While this year didn't go as we had hoped there were some memorable games. Our boys were very impressive in the second game against Fairfield and we hoped that this would be the way forward for us. Unfortunately, we had some setbacks due to wet weather and as this competition only has a limited number of games, it is hard to play catch up cricket. When other teams get on the field and have a result, it puts the team that didn't at a decided disadvantage. We were also interrupted by the weather in other games and this affected the boys' concentration and in turn our ability to win the games we should have.

Another plus for us was that our younger players performed very well and this augurs well for the future. Our opening batters played well but the middle order didn't perform on some occasions and this meant that we didn't score enough runs to be competitive at times. Our bowlers tried hard but as our strike bowlers Liam Marshall and Brad Simpson were absent due to rep cricket and injury, this affected our strike rate.

Our team took a while to gel, however, as the competition went on they bonded together very well and I am sure that those who progress to next Green Shield team will take this with them.

I believe we would have finished higher in the competition had we been able to get on the field in all games and if we had been able to retain our two strike bowlers. The boys tried hard but when you have adversities such as this, it is often very hard to focus on the job at hand.

Our parents gave amazing support to their boys and to the team as a whole. The afternoon teas were

absolutely amazing and I would like to thank the mums for their wonderful effort.

I would like to thank Michael Simpson who was Manager of the team. Michael was a fantastic support to myself and the team. Even though Brad could not play due to injury, Michael was always available to do the job as Manager; this I believe shows great character as a person and support to our Club.

Thank you also to Michael Polson who did a great job as assistant coach and related to the boys very well.

To the parents who brought their sons to the game and to those that took turns scoring, thank you so much; without parental support a competition like this would not be able to happen.

I wish the boys well in their endeavours to further their cricket career. I hope that you work hard and achieve your dreams.

Ray Hall, Coach



PLAYER PROFILES

Koby Layton

Koby was our Green Shield Captain and played his second year in the team. Kob's had a dream year having forged his way into third grade with his consistent bowling and was the highest graded player in the AWG side. Koby was on a steep learning curve as the skipper but demonstrated maturity and a willingness to learn from our experienced coaching staff. He finished the season with 46 runs and an average of 11.50 and a bowling average of 35 taking 6 wickets with an economy rate of 4.20. Koby's best bowling was 3/42 against Northern Districts in Rd 4.

Nathan Setter

This was Nathan's third Green Shield season. He showed good pace and discipline with the ball and displayed maturity and leadership with the junior players, guiding them and supporting Koby with managing the side on the field. Setts was rewarded for his tenacity being the side's top bowler. He took

11 wickets from 46.3 overs for an average of 20.9 and an economy rate of 4.75. His best performance was 5 for 48 against Fairfield-Liverpool in round 2 following an inspired spell. With the bat he contributed 26 runs for an average of 6.5.

Rhys Ward

First year with the side and debuting in 4th grade for the club, big Rhys quickly established himself a real find with his consistent and reliable spells. Rhys, while physically imposing as our opening bowler, also showed excellent game awareness and discipline with the ball; best demonstrated when bowling at the tail trying to defend a small total. Rhys bowled 51.2 overs for 7 wickets, his best was 3/27 against University of NSW in round 6. He averaged 25.00 and an economy rate of 3.41.

Jackson Isakka

Second year in the side for the classy all rounder but a disappointing result for Jacko, having had a tremendous grade season (coming sixth in batting



across the club and scoring 516 runs including two centuries). In a perfect example of how cruel cricket can be, Jacko's grade form didn't convert into his Green Shield season with 6 innings for 78 runs and an average of 13.00. He bowled 16 overs for 100 runs for an average of 50.00 and an economy rate of 6.25. His last year in Greenies, Jacko is a player to watch out for in Premier Grade next season as we can expect big things from him.

Harry Brett

Harry is a superb fieldsman whose speed across the ground and athleticism stifled many runs for the opposition and resulted in his fair share of run outs and catches. A genuine team player and leader, he encouraged and guided the younger players in the field. Harry was also fearless as the side's opener, often having to rein in his natural aggressive game to try and give the side a solid start. Harry got out of the blocks a number of times with the bat but unfortunately could not post a big score. He was number 2 in the side's batting, scoring 128 runs from 7 innings for an average of 21.33.

Clayton Sands

Clayton is an all rounder who has a power game and another who didn't have the season he was after. Batting at 4 or 5, the big hitting batsman started well in his first match against Fairfield – Liverpool. Batting at number 5, he hit 43 off 33 balls. Consistency let Clayton down with the bat and from 6 innings scored 63 runs for an average of 10.5. Clayton also contributed with 10 overs of spin bowling.

Liam Marshall

A roller coaster of a season for the tall quick in his first year for the club, Liam played for NSW Schoolboys in the U15 side that won the National Championships in Queensland. He was then selected in the Australian U16 side that played in the U17 National Championships and then a series against Pakistan in January in Dubai. Liam suffered an arm injury that saw him restricted in the lead up to the Green Shield season and with his Cricket Australia commitments, was only available for 3 matches prior to leaving for the Dubai series. Liam opened the bowling for the side and bowled 15 overs for 1 wicket and an average of 46 and an economy rate of 3.07.

Brad Simpson

A disappointing season for Brad, who was playing his second Green Shield season, especially as he was coming off a great debut as a 13 year old opening the bowling for this side in 2015/16. Brad was selected to play for NSW in the U15 Schoolboys and was selected in the Cricket Australia rookie squad. Brad suffered a back injury during the local representative season that ruled him out of all the Green Shield matches. Brad showed maturity and commitment attending training and every match. He ran the drinks and helped with the many off field jobs needed for a smooth season. Brad is eligible to play again in 2017/18 season.

Zeeshaan Ahmed

Zeesh was the side's top batsman. In his second AWG season he showed class and flair at the top of the order, coming in at number three and scoring 198 runs from 6 innings for an average of 33.00. Zeesh showed tremendous consistency with scores of 44, 38, 43, 29 and 44 from five of his six innings. He also contributed with the ball, bowling his leggies for 25 overs, taking 2 wickets for an average of 49 and an economy rate of 3.92. Zeesh also supported Koby with the on-field management of the side. Zeesh is able to play again in 2017/18.

Jakob Eljed

In his first year of AWG, Jakob, a slick left arm quick bowler, was a great find for the club. He showed he was a force to be reckoned with, causing all batsmen no end of grief. Only playing five games, he took 9 wickets for 121 runs for an average of 13.44 and an economy rate of 3.76. Jakob's best was 4/28 off 10 overs in round five against Hawkesbury. His final spell closed out the match for the Bulldogs in a tightly fought contest. Jakob is able to play again in 2017/18.

Cameron Cotter

Cam was a development player for the side last year and looked in great form as the season approached. A player who is a top order batsman and also bowls handy medium pace, he unfortunately suffered a stress fracture in his foot which hampered him with both bat and ball. With the side suffering a big injury toll, Cam battled on, opening the batting and scoring 128 runs, including 86 against Fairfield – Liverpool. He averaged 21.17 and bowled 16 overs for 63 runs



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for no wickets with an economy rate of 3.94. Cam made his grade debut and is eligible to play AWG again in 2017/18.

Ethan Debono

The side's wicketkeeper and a handy batsman. In his first year for the club, Ethan cemented the keeping position in fifth grade where he was the voice of the side, encouraging the fielders and bowlers and keeping the opposing batsman on their toes. Against University of NSW Ethan top scored with 52 off 36 balls, batting at number 10. He scored 70 runs for the season from six innings for an average of 17.50 and took 6 catches behind the stumps, two stumpings and 1 assisted stumping. Ethan is able to play again in 2017/18.

Joel Canceri

A natural athlete in the field Joel was another who does all the hard work and has talent to burn, but this didn't convert into runs in the Green Shield season. A forceful batsman, capable of hitting shots all over the ground, he struggled through 5 knocks scoring 19 runs for an average of 4.75. He contributed with the ball bowling 4 overs for 23 runs and capturing 1 wicket for an average of 23.00 and an economy rate of 5.75. Joel also debuted in grade and is able to play Green Shield again in 2017/18.

Johann Perera

In his first year with the club, Johann showed he is a quiet young man and a strong player. A top-

order batsman and wicketkeeper, at only 14 years of age, Johann has plenty of highlights in front of him. He made his grade debut during the year and contributed 35 runs from 4 innings for an average of 8.75. Johann needs to temper his enthusiasm to score quickly against the value of his wicket. Definitely a player of the future, Johann is able to play AWG again in 2017/18.

Liam Sutton

Playing his first season for the club, thirteen year old Liam was originally selected as a development player but coach Ray Hall quickly recognised his talents and bought him into the playing side. A determined batsman he showed his ability scoring 54 runs from 3 innings and also bowling 3 overs for 7 runs. As Liam develops physically, the runs will come more easily. A player for the future, with potentially another two seasons of Green Shield ahead of him.

Justin Green

All rounder Justin was selected as a development player for the side; he attended all training sessions and many of the matches. Looking forward to seeing Justin in 2017/18.

Nathan Sadanandan

Nathan is a specialist batsman and another quality player who came into the group as a development player. He attended all the sides training and we look forward to seeing Nathan back in 2017/18.



aw green shield batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	7	6	0	0	0	29	1	44	198	33.00
Brett, Harry	7	7	1	0	1	14	1	63	128	21.33
Cotter, Cameron	7	7	1	0	1	19	0	86	127	21.17
Isakka, Jackson	7	6	0	0	0	3	3	46	78	13.00
Debono, Ethan	7	6	2	0	1	7	1	52no	70	17.50
Sands, Clayton	7	6	0	0	0	5	0	43	63	10.50
Sutton, Liam	5	3	1	0	0	8	0	33	54	27.00
Layton, Koby	7	5	1	0	0	1	1	20	46	11.50
Perera, Johann	6	4	0	0	0	3	0	14	35	8.75
Setter, Nathan	7	5	1	0	0	2	0	15	26	6.50
Canceri, Joel	7	5	1	0	0	3	1	10	19	4.75
Ward, Rhys	7	2	0	0	0	2	0	11	17	8.50
Marshall, Liam	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Eljed, Jakob	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0no	0	-

aw green shield partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	69	Harry Brett	Cameron Cotter	2	Fairfield-Liverpool
2	106	Cameron Cotter	Zeeshaan Ahmed	2	Fairfield-Liverpool
3		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
4	39	Zeeshaan Ahmed	Jackson Isakka	3	Sutherland
5	69	Zeeshaan Ahmed	Liam Sutton	6	UNSW
6	78	Koby Layton	Jackson Isakka	7	Western Suburbs
7		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
8		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
9	64	Koby Layton	Ethan Debono	6	UNSW
10		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			

aw green shield bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Setter, Nathan	7	46.3	2	221	11	1	5/48	20.09	25.36	4.75
Eljed, Jakob	5	32.1	2	121	9	0	4/28	13.44	21.44	3.76
Ward, Rhys	7	51.2	10	175	7	0	3/27	25.00	44.00	3.41
Layton, Koby	7	50	4	210	6	0	3/42	35.00	50.00	4.20
Isakka, Jackson	7	16	1	100	2	0	1/34	50.00	48.00	6.25
Ahmed, Zeeshaan	7	25	2	98	2	0	1/3	49.00	75.00	3.92
Canceri, Joel	7	4	0	23	1	0	1/10	23.00	24.00	5.75
Marshall, Liam	3	15	0	46	1	0	1/23	46.00	90.00	3.07
Sutton, Liam	5	3	1	7	0	0	0/7	-	-	2.33
Brett, Harry	7	1	0	7	0	0	0/7	-	-	7.00
Cotter, Cameron	7	16	1	63	0	0	0/12	-	-	3.94
Sands, Clayton	7	10	0	76	0	0	0/17	-	-	7.60





tom sowden

280 runs at 56.00

highest score 97

3 fifties

4s: 20 • 6s:12

pg
shield

luke docherty

8 wickets at 21.00

best bowling 4/40

34 overs

1 maiden

4.94 economy





Firstly, I would like to congratulate Parramatta on taking out the PG Shield this season. Bankstown finished 11th with 3 wins and 3 losses. Our losses came against Fairfield, Sutherland and Sydney University, all 3 of those teams played in the finals. Two out of three of those games Bankstown were in great positions to win the game.

The game against Sydney Uni chasing 258, we were 3-202. Bailey Dickinson scored a brilliant 110 and Thomas Sowden a quick fire 77 and we looked certain to chase down Sydney Uni's 258.

The game against Sutherland the boys started off well. At one point, we were 1-120 off 18 overs then 3 – 170 off 30 overs. Charlie Dummer scoring a stylish 65 and Thomas Sowden a hard-hitting 45 off only 36 balls. Sowden hit Sutherland's up and coming leg spinner Daniel Fallins for 20 off one over.

Thomas Sowden was our leading batsmen scoring 280 @ 56. I believe Tom is one of the most talented cricketers to emerge from Bankstown for many years. At only 16 years of age we witnessed Tom play some great innings this season - well beyond his years. Tom had great support from Brendan Smith 202 @ 35 and Bailey Dickinson 193 @ 48.

Our bowlers shared the honours this season with Luke Docherty taking 8 wickets @ 25, Tushaar Garg 7 wickets @ 24 and Brendan Smith 7 wickets @ 38.

The team was led by Brendan Smith who contributed well with both bat and ball. A leader who is held in high regard by his team mates and a Captain they all want to play for.

It was great to coach the team this season with the Ex-first grade opening bat and life member Dean Magee. Dean and I both enjoyed coaching this group

of young men. Besides being talented cricketers, they are all great young men of whom the club should be very proud.

With the experience gained from last season and the fact we have some of the most talented young cricketers in NSW in our set up, I believe this team has a very bright future.

Dean Magee and I would like to thank: Darren Sowden, Ron Heward and Mike Simpson for scoring and helping out on match days. These guys make the day so much more enjoyable for the players and coaches. Thank you.

Finally, to our biggest supporters: Mick Driftwood Burke and Michael Stephenson – thanks for the support boys. Hope we bring the trophy home next season.

PLAYER PROFILES

Brendan Smith - Captain

The leader of our side and a guy with a very bright future. His 95 against Wests showed us all what a special talent he is. You would struggle to find a batter that can score all around the wicket like this kid. Needs to be more consistent with the bat next year to reach his true potential. If there's a better fielder in NSW cricket I would like to meet him because Smithy is a freak in the field.

Bailey Dickinson

A player with awesome potential. At only 16 years of age Bailey scored 193 runs from only 4 games. Missing games due to injury and his Rugby League commitments. Bailey scored the team's only 100, his 110 against one of the leading sides in Sydney Uni showed us all the ability this guy has. Break out season with the ball in hand as well, Bailey was used as our 3rd quick throughout the season. Would be great to see Bailey back next season to dominate the competition.

Charlie Dummer

Charlie's first season with the Dogs, a top order batsman who can play all the shots. Found a spot opening the batting half way through the season and made it his own, scoring 48 & 65 to finish of the season. A Player with bucket loads of potential.

Thomas Sowden

Our leading batsmen scoring 280 @ 56, the innings against Sydney Uni saw Tommie take down Devlin Malone and every other Uni bowler. It was a special innings. Tommie has the rare ability to make any bowling attack look average. With Tom's leg spinners and ability in the field, he is a genuine allrounder. At 16 years of age Tom has a huge future in the game.

Matthew Simpson

For a player who is just a year out of Green Shield, Simmo shows maturity beyond his years. A potential leader of this team and popular member of any team he plays in. His 43 against Sutherland gave us a preview of what the club can expect from Simmo next season. A genuine number 3 or 4 in any side he plays in.

Luke Docherty

The Griffith Express. Our leading wicket taker with 8 wickets @ 25. Classes himself as an all-rounder and with his 10 not out against Sydney to steer the boys home, we were happy to agree with him, at least for a week. With the ball in hand, Doc can worry any batting line up when he gets it right. Doc, stay away from curries on Friday nights next season!

Niran Wijewardene

Wij only played 3 games this season due to injury. His 34 off 40 balls against Sydney to win the game showed us the potential he has to become an allrounder at this level. Did a good job with the ball, whether it was opening the bowling, or bowling in the middle overs. Best 'mow' in the competition and a great guy around the team.

David Lozinski

Our number 1 spinner at the start of the season. Loz didn't have the season we have come to expect from

him. A senior member of our team who has won 1st grade competitions. With a big off season I expect to see Loz back winning games for the dogs next season. Great guy to have in any team.

Damien Loy

Only played 3 games this season due to injury and timing of his honeymoon. His 21 opening the batting against the fancied Fairfield showed the selectors the kid has the ability to bat up the order in the top grades. Good enough if he really wants it. Future leader of the club.

Kayne Grove

When he gets going he can take down any bowling attack. The 54 against Fairfield showed us all what potential Kayne has. He led the way in the field with energy and speed to the ball and a rocket arm. With some hard work at training and more consistent scoring, it will not be long before we see him playing in the top grade at Bankstown. Has a stack of ability.

Ayden Brown

The leader of our attack until he decided to take a break from cricket. The big quick is a great man to have around any team. Gives 110% and always makes the boys laugh. Really hoping to see you back in the Blue and whites next season mate. Enjoy the UK.

Dayne Heward

The youngest of our quicks. Dayne has the potential to become a bowling allrounder if he continues to work hard at training. A player who competes hard when he has the ball in his hand. More energy in the field will see him become a very good fieldsman. Gives 110% and has a bright future at the Dogs.

Jacob Malcolm

Came to the club as an opening bowler, ended up playing PGs as an opening batsman due to injury. Got starts in all 3 innings but unfortunately couldn't go on and get a big one. Has the technique of a 1st grade top order bat. I predict a huge year ahead for Jacob with bat and ball in hand. Great man to have at the club.

Connor Wilkinson

A top order batsmen who played a role for us down the order this year. Had 4 hits and was not out twice. His 19 not out against UNSW and 26 against Sydney went a long way to securing victory in both games. Another player who has the potential to score big runs and play higher grades. Bowls some handy medium pacers as well.

I would also like to thank players: Ben La Bas, Ryan Malcom and Jake Grove for their contributions this season.

poidevin-gray shield bowling 2016-17

player	mat	overs	m	r	w	5wi	bbi	ave.	str.	ecn.
Docherty, Luke	5	34	1	168	8	0	4/40	21.00	25.50	4.94
Garg, Tushaar	5	42.4	0	171	7	0	3/29	24.43	36.57	4.01
Smith, Brendan	6	45.1	3	224	7	0	3/30	32.00	38.71	4.96
Sowden, Thomas	5	49	4	201	4	0	2/40	50.25	73.50	4.10
Loy, Damien	3	10	1	36	3	0	3/36	12.00	20.00	3.60
Wijewardene, Niran	3	25	0	123	3	0	2/41	41.00	50.00	4.92
Lozinski, David	5	29	2	164	3	0	2/37	54.67	58.00	5.66
Dickinson, Bailey	4	10	0	39	2	0	2/39	19.50	30.00	3.90
Brown, Ayden	3	17	1	70	2	0	2/31	35.00	51.00	4.12
Wilkinson, Connor	4	8	0	23	1	0	1/23	23.00	48.00	2.88
Heward, Dayne	5	12.5	0	59	1	0	1/37	59.00	77.00	4.60
Le Bas, Ben	1	4	0	30	0	0	0/30	-	-	7.50

poidevin-gray shield partnerships by wicket 2016-17

wkt	runs	name	name	round	opposition
1	105	Bailey Dickinson	Charlie Dummer	3	UNSW
2	137	Bailey Dickinson	Thomas Sowden	1	Sydney University
3	32	Bailey Dickinson	Brendan Smith	1	Sydney University
4	32	Damien Loy	Brendan Smith	5	Sydney
5	45	Thomas Sowden	Charlie Dummer	2	Fairfield-Liverpool
6		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
7	62	Brendan Smith	Matthew Simpson	5	Sydney
8	41	Connor Wilkinson	Niran Wijewardene	5	Sydney
9		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			
10		No partnerships of 25 runs or greater			

poidevin-gray shield batting 2016-17

player	mat	inn	no	100s	50s	4s	6s	hs	runs	ave.
Sowden, Thomas	5	5	0	0	3	20	12	97	280	56.00
Smith, Brendan	6	6	0	0	2	20	3	95	210	35.00
Dickinson, Bailey	4	4	0	1	1	14	3	114	193	48.25
Dummer, Charlie	5	5	0	0	1	16	1	65	157	31.40
Grove, Kayne	5	5	1	0	1	9	1	54no	114	28.50
Simpson, Matthew	6	5	1	0	0	3	0	43	66	16.50
Wilkinson, Connor	4	4	2	0	0	5	0	26	52	26.00
Malcolm, Jacob	3	3	1	0	0	5	1	16no	41	20.50
Wijewardene, Niran	3	3	1	0	0	2	0	34no	37	18.50
Loy, Damien	3	2	0	0	0	4	0	21	30	15.00
Le Bas, Ben	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	22	22	22.00
Docherty, Luke	5	3	1	0	0	1	0	10no	21	10.50
Brown, Ayden	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	15	18	9.00
Lozinski, David	5	2	1	0	0	1	0	10no	11	11.00
Dodds, Toby W	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	6	6	6.00
Heward, Dayne	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	6no	6	-9999.00
Grove, Jake	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2.00
Garg, Tushaar	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	1no	1	1.00
Malcolm, Ryan	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00

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The Bankstown Sports Women's Cricket Club 2016-17 season was one of the first in recent memory where we didn't win any grade premierships – never the less the club had a very successful season both at individual and team levels across Grade and Junior teams. The U/17 Thunder Girls Cricket League team once again won premierships in the Spring and Summer competitions. Also, all the players in the Bankstown DCA Mollie Dive team which won the U/13 DCA competition were from our club.

On April 8th 2017 our club mourned the sad passing of Max McLeay. Max was a Life member of our club and in 2015 was awarded the Service to Sport Medal from Bankstown Sports Club in recognition of Max's contribution as a coach, mentor and committee member over countless years at Bankstown Sports Women's Cricket Club. Max was a master in identifying spin bowlers – in fact, to Max, everyone was a spin bowler! Max also spent countless hours coaching everyone from the newest and youngest player through to elite-level players – Max would always be prepared to impart his guidance to anyone. Max was a dedicated member of our club from its formation in 1994. Max was a passionate supporter of women's cricket even before this time and was also involved in men's and junior cricket – an example being that Max was the Bankstown Green Shield coach from 1978-1987. At our club Max was truly a legend and will be missed by players, parents and supporters.

Our club was very pleased to enter teams in both the U/13 and U/17 Thunder Girls Cricket League competitions again this season – the only Sydney Grade club to do this. Many of these players also played in the U/13 Mollie Dive DCA Girls competition where they were undefeated Champions. We are very proud to have so many younger players in our club and look forward to many of these players ultimately moving through the ranks to the Brewer Shield and Grade teams as part of our club's player pathway. Special mention to 1st grader Emma Newman who has been a great coach and mentor for many of these young players over the past five years. Special mention as well to 2nd grade captain Ellie Newsom who also coached one of the Thunder League teams. It says something about our club when players are so willing to give back in this manner.

Although they didn't contest any finals this season our 2nd grade, 3rd grade and Brewer Shield teams once



again played some very good cricket and most importantly continued to develop their skills both at training and on game day, as well as most importantly enjoying themselves. A number of the 2nd grade, 3rd grade and Brewer Shield players also played in other grades which assisted their skill development and enabled us to field full teams.

1st grade made the finals in the 50 over competition although the semi was washed out without a ball being bowled which ended our season – not the outcome we had been hoping for unfortunately.

Once again a number of players within our club achieved elite level selections this season including playing in the WNCL and WBBL02 competitions – details are later in this report. Ashleigh Gardner and Sarah Aley achieved Australian Southern Stars representation with both being selected in the squad for the 2017 Women's World Cup in England – we congratulate Ashleigh and Sarah on their selections.

Our club also congratulates the Bankstown Men's Cricket Club on recently winning the Cricket Australia 'Premier Grade Cricket Club of the Year 2017' Award. This is a

tremendous recognition of everything the Men's Club has done and continues to do across all aspects of cricket – our club is extremely privileged to be associated with such a supportive Men's Club.

Our club was also extremely proud that Emma Newman received a number of important accolades. In August 2016 Emma was awarded Sports NSW Young Coach of the Year. Emma was presented this award by the NSW Sports Minister, Stuart Ayres, at Parliament House. Then in October 2016 Emma was awarded the "Young Club Person of the Year" as part of the Bankstown Sports Club Volunteers in Sport awards. These awards are a tremendous acknowledgement of the administrative work Emma has done within our club as well as her coaching of the junior girls club and representative teams over recent seasons.

Recently Cricket NSW announced the Underage Academy Squads for 2017/18 – these squads cover U/13 through to U/18. Last year there were 14 players from our club in these squads – this increased to 19 players this year – by far the most of any Grade club.

Our club was again fortunate to have





very strong Management and Operations Committees supported by a willing group of volunteers (including from the Bankstown Men's Cricket Club) who enabled the club to operate very smoothly from a club administration perspective. Our appreciation is again extended to these people who very willingly gave up their valuable time to support our players enabling them to focus on playing their cricket to the best of their ability.

Once again this season we were very pleased to have Dot Brewer OAM supporting our club at games and functions.

Many people contributed to making this season such a success:

The Management Committee members included:

President:	Robert Smith
Registrations:	Emma Newman
Vice-President:	Gary Penman
Publicity and Website:	Emma Newman
Secretary:	Justin Newman
Junior Development:	Samantha Devlin
Treasurer:	Eris Dignam
Club Coach:	Robert Simpson
Committee members:	Marty Klumpp, Cathy Roebuck, Ellie Newsom, Melissa Penman, Kerrie Broidy, Sharon Cooper.

Cricket Operations Committee: Gary Penman (Chair), Sarah Aley, Justin Newman.

Team Managers: 1st Gary Penman, 2nd Scott Fraser, 3rd Ian Moyes, Brewer Shield and U/15 Margaret Peden Andrew Lawler, U/13 Mollie Dive Brook Butler, Scorers: 1st Kerrie Dick, 2nd Scott Fraser, 3rd Ian Moyes, Brewer Shield Andrew Thomas

Coaches: Robert Simpson, Daniel Rooke, Doug Cullen, Rob Mack, Emma Newman, Ellie Newsom, Sharon Millanta, Caitlin Rawstrom, Justin Newman, Brendan Dunne, Roger Errington.

Captains: 1st Grade: Sarah Aley, 2nd Grade: Ellie Newsom, 3rd Grade: Danielle Moyes, Brewer Shield: Roslyn Thomas, U/13 Thunder: Aimee Weir/Georgia Justice/Angie Aitken, U/17 Thunder: Angelina Genford/Jade Errington/Chloe Butler/Tahlia Dunne; Mollie Dive Shield: Hayley Elliott; Margaret Peden Shield: Angelina Genford.

The club continues to be supported by its Life Members being Sharon Cooper, Megan Wilson, Therese MacGregor, Sue Hewitt and Richard Phillips.

Finally, the club once again acknowledges the ongoing support Bankstown Sports Club provides, in particular, Marie Kanaan, Alex Clarke and Fitz Van Hoff as well as Marty Klumpp, Beverley and Richard Phillips.



The club held its end of season Presentation Night at the Bankstown Sports Club on May 27th 2017 with over 100 players, parents and supporters attending. The major award winners included:

Dick Phillips Award (for Outstanding Performance):

Erin Burns (164 vs UNIS)

Rookie of the Year (for best 1st year player to the club): Litara (Tara) Aoine

President's Award:

Ellie Newsom

Wicket Keeper Award:

Laura Wright

Max McLeay Memorial Award

(U18 Player of the Year):

Madeline Penna

Representative Awards:

Australian Southern Stars
Ashleigh Gardner, Sarah Aley

NSW Breakers
Sarah Aley, Ashleigh Gardner

Australian Indigenous XI
Ashleigh Gardner (Capt)

NICC
Ashleigh Gardner

Sydney Sixers
Sarah Aley, Ashleigh Gardner,
Rhiannon Dick

Tasmania Roar
Corinne Hall, Erin Burns, Laura
Wright

Hobart Hurricanes
Corinne Hall, Erin Burns

NSW U/18 Metro XI
Maddeline Penna, Kate Barry,
Prudence Roebuck

NSW U15 Metro XI
Angelina Genford

NSW PSSA
Chloe Butler, Kinjal Kumari

1st Grade Awards:

Batting Award
Rhiannon Dick (323 runs @ 65 Best
112no v Penrith)

Bowling Award
Emma Newman (10 wkts @ 18.70
Best 2/11 v Penrith)

Fielding Award
Sarah Aley

Player of the Year
Rhiannon Dick

**1st/2nd Grade Combined T20
Awards:**

Batting Award
Laura Wright (276 runs @ 39 Best
95no v Sydney)

Bowling Award
Emma Newman (18 wkts @ 10.28
Best 4/27 v Sydney)

Fielding Award
Prudence Roebuck

Player of the Year
Laura Wright

2nd Grade Awards:

Batting Award

Denbigh Morris
(135 runs @ 19 Best 49 v Penrith)

Bowling Award
Denbigh Morris

(15 wkts @ 11 Best 6/13 v
ND)

Fielding Award
Ellie Newsom

Player of the Year
Denbigh Morris

3rd Grade Awards:

Batting Award
Danielle Moyes (309 runs @ 39
Best 54no v UNIS Gold)

Bowling Award
Hijab Alavi (16 wkts @ 15.3 Best
3/15 v St G/Sutherland)

Fielding Award
Renee Atkins

Player of the Year
Denbigh Morris

Brewer Shield Awards:

Batting Award T20
Hayley Elliott (126 runs @ 18)

Bowling Award T20
Litara Aoine (Tara) (7 wkts @ 16)

Fielding Award
Solonaima (Solo) Aoine

Player of the Year Hayley
Elliott

**U/17 Thunder Girls Cricket
League Awards:**

Batting Award Spring Green
Angelina Genford (128 runs @ 128)



Batting Award Spring Gold J a d e Errington (105 runs @ 105)

Batting Award Summer
Chloe Butler

Bowling Award Spring Green
Kaitlyn Drinkwater

Bowling Award Spring Gold Hayley Elliott

Bowling Award Summer
Montel Damoiseaux

Fielding Award
Hayley Elliott

Player of the Year Spring

Chloe Butler

Player of the Year Summer

Chloe Butler

U/13 Thunder Girls Cricket League Awards:

Batting Award Spring
Rose McGrath

Batting Award Summer Green
Jessica Hankinson

Batting Award Summer Gold
Georgia Justice

Bowling Award Spring
Abbie Purvis

Bowling Award Summer Green
Felicia Aoine

Bowling Award Summer Gold
Katie Wendt

Fielding Award
Mia Bogar

Player of the Year

Rose McGrath

BDCA U/13 Mollie Dive Awards:

Batting Award Hayley Elliott (314 runs @ 105)

Bowling Award
Hayley Elliott (9 wkts@ 12 incl 2/10 vs Sutherland)

Fielding Award
Chloe Butler

Player of the Year
Hayley Elliott

BDCA U/15 Margaret Peden Awards:

Batting Award
Angelina Genford (241 runs @ 48 including 98no v Illawarra)

Bowling Award
Jade Errington (10wkts @ 6.5 including 4/7 v Camden)

Fielding Award
Solonaima (Solo) and Litarā (Tara) Aoine

Player of the Year
Angelina Genford

Service Awards:

5 years Kate Barry,
Nicola Briody, Mary Graham,
Madeline Penna

10 years Ellie Newsom

15 years Corinne Hall

Outstanding Performances:

Mollie Dive Shield U/13 DCA

Hayley Elliott – scored 3 half centuries

97no v Sutherland 13/11/16

73 v Nth Shore 30/10/16

51no v Manly 9/10/16

and also an undefeated retirement in the Brewer Shield – a fantastic season.

Tahlia Dunne

83 v Nth Shore 30/10/16

Margaret Peden Shield U/15 DCA

Angelina Genford – scored 2 half centuries

98no v Illawarra 23/10/16

68 v ACT 6/11/16

Angelina also scored 2 half centuries in only 25 balls in the U17 Thunder League and another undefeated 50 in Brewer Shield.

Margaret Peden Shield U/15 DCA

Alexandra Tims scored two fine half centuries

50no v ACT 6/11/16

50 v Sutherland 30/10/16

Alexandra also scored two undefeated innings in Brewer Shield and retired also once in 3rd Grade. Well done Alex.

Jade Errington also scored a half century in Thunder League in just 25 balls and also a fine 58no v St Scholasticas in the Brewer Shield.

3rd Grade

Danielle Moyes - retired twice with

two half centuries

Denbigh Morris - retired twice with two half centuries

Nicola Broidy

52no v Nth West Sydney 29/10/16

Lisa Towie

33no v UNIS Blue T20 7/1/17

There was also an outstanding individual bowling effort in Third Grade when Melissa Penman took 4-11 v North West Sydney including a HAT-TRICK 8/10/16. Mel also scored two half centuries when she filled in in 3rd Grade.

2nd Grade

The stand out performance for the season was with the ball:

Denbigh Morris

6/13 v Northern Districts

20/11/16

1st Grade

Rhiannon Dick

112no v Penrith at Bankstown Oval 30/10/16

This innings included 12 fours and a lot of concentration as a very depleted Bankstown 1st Grade successfully chased down 240 scored by a full strength Penrith. Our opponents sat in their dressing room for more than 40 minutes after the game struggling to believe that they didn't beat us that day. (Also needs to be mentioned than Rhiannon was supported in a 144 run partnership by a great knock of 66 by Maddie Penna.)

Erin Burns

164 v UNIS at David Phillips Nth

12/2/17

This innings by Erin included an

incredible 3 sixes and 13 fours. It was scored in only 102 balls and helped Bankstown to reach a total of 332 in their 50 overs. It was an incredible knock.

In addition, the following players received awards at the **SCAWC Premiers Dinner:**

1st/2nd Grade Combined T20 Competition:

Bowling Aggregate:

Emma Newman 18 wickets

1st/2nd Grade Combined T20 Competition:

Wicket Keeper of the Year:

Laura Wright

Robert Smith

BSWCC President





annual reports - our history

Every annual report of our cricket club since its inauguration in 1951 is now bound into A4 volumes for both safe-keeping and to preserve the rich history of our cricket club.

All past and present members - and even those doing research on how cricket developed in the Bankstown region - are welcome to peruse and use these bound copies. While all of the recent annual reports are all still, and will continue to be, available on our website in digital format as pdf files, we will continue to add to these hard copy versions for future reference.

first grade players and cap numbers 1951 to 2016/17

1	Fred Johnston	49	Ken Gray	97	Bob Grange
2	Roy Amson	50	Norm Morrissey	98	Dick McDermott
3	Ron Briggs	51	Alan McDonald	99	Barry Thebridge
4	George Connelly	52	Les White	100	Bob Holland
5	Bill Gibson	53	Dion Bourne	101	Graham Robinson
6	Jack Giffen	54	Don Breeze	102	Kevin Chevell
7	Herb Harris	55	Roger Ingham	103	Ken Robinson
8	Ted Miller	56	Don Jones	104	Ken Dixon
9	Ron Nay	57	Barry Bates	105	Nev Girardin
10	Jack Theobald	58	Dave Cathro	106	Trevor McDonald
11	Bruce Urry	59	Bobby Justice	107	Laurie D'Costa
12	George Allen	60	Graham McMillan	108	Alan Lamb
13	Ray DeFries	61	Paul Scahill	109	Bob Wyatt
14	Bill Devine	62	Arthur Taylor	110	Les Andrews
15	Ron Duncan	63	Bob Pareezer	111	Clayton Jones
16	Max Fox	64	David Paull	112	Mark Fisher
17	Neil Holden	65	Kevin Tyson	113	Steve Small
18	Roy McHarg	66	John Dunn	114	John Brand
19	Lloyd Thomas	67	Joe French	115	Graeme Pitty
20	Arthur Asquith	68	John Corbett	116	Graham Thorpe
21	Bill Britton	69	Geoff Doyle	117	Ken McDonald
22	Noel Carroll	70	Ken Ferguson	118	Bob Vidler
23	Ern Condran	71	Harry Bunton	119	Ross Wheatley
24	Kevin Lang	72	Wayne Boardman	120	Mick Maude
25	Gordon Russell	73	Bob Byrne	121	Frank Cicutto
26	Norm Wright	74	Ron Erickson	122	Chris Heywood
27	John Clift	75	Greg Hinks	123	Greg Irvine
28	Alan Ellis	76	Brian Lewis	124	Rod Bower
29	Peter Power	77	Bob LeFevre	125	Luke Orlovich
30	Bill Silas	78	John Convery	126	Ian Davis
31	Leo Smith	79	Les Johns	127	Ken Ferris
32	Jack Fitzpatrick	80	Greg Beisler	128	Geoff Spotswood
33	Jack Urry	81	Mick Stephenson	129	Martin Vaughan
34	Don Rixon	82	Paul Fitzpatrick	130	Paul Talbot
35	Dave Stanley	83	Ian King	131	Alan Hamblen
36	Grahame Thomas	84	Dennis Madden	132	Kevin Everson
37	Reg Hobden	85	Bill Palmer	133	Peter Summers
38	Derek Lonsdale	86	Ken Thorpe	134	Gary Crowfoot
39	Ken Rogers	87	Ian Gorman	135	Steve Smith
40	Ken Hall snr	88	Bob Lamaro	136	Brett McKirdy
41	Norm Seach	89	Ken Jones	137	Glen Tyndall
42	Wal Pickles	90	Len Pascoe	138	Lee Sterrey
43	Alan Kelly	91	Jeff Thomson	139	Grant Pride
44	Graham Sylvester	92	Tony Radanovic	140	Craig Hogan
45	Bruce Webster	93	Ian Madden	141	Terry Davies
46	Bobby Madden	94	Garry Heggie	142	Phil Kelly
47	Jeff Hickey	95	Ken Scully	143	Geoff Liddle
48	Charlie Smithers	96	John Bull	144	David Thompson





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|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 145 Ian McRae | 171 Brett Patman | 197 Dean Magee | 241 Byron Hackshall |
| 146 Phil Harmer | 172 Brett Hugo | 198 Gary Baldwin | 242 Dean Burke |
| 147 Mark Willey | 173 Steve Moss | 199 Kym Beazleigh | 243 Jarrad Burke |
| 148 Tim Sullivan | 174 Ken Hall | 200 Graeme Smith | 244 Tim Freeburn |
| 149 Mark Waugh | 175 Scott Thompson | 201 Jason Deitz | 245 Daniel McLauchlan |
| 150 Steve Waugh | 176 Mick Bartley | 202 Anthony Smith | 246 Ben Smith |
| 151 Greg Briggs | 177 Glenn Cubitt | 203 Shane Duff | 247 Daniel Sams |
| 152 Stuart Green | 178 Scott Philipson | 204 Damien Benson | 248 Luke Reece |
| 153 Greg Swanson | 179 Steve Dignam | 205 Grant Roden | 249 Jake Cormack |
| 154 Andrew Divall | 180 Sean Pope | 206 David Sidie | 250 Brett Collison |
| 155 Craig Sinclair | 181 Rob Luc | 207 Paul Clarke | 251 Philip Wells |
| 156 Peter Vidler | 182 Steve Luc | 208 Matt Betsey | 252 Nick Carruthers |
| 157 Shane Cusick | 183 Brett Elliott | 209 Paul Maraziotis | 253 Mitchell Phelps |
| 158 David Freedman | 184 Chris Madden | 210 Vaughan Williams | 254 Tim Burns |
| 159 Mark Grant | 185 Darryn Bull | 211 Hilal Dannaoui | 255 Daniel Solway |
| 160 Jim Wilson | 186 Greg Trevena | 212 Daniel Moy | 256 Daniel Harding |
| 161 Nick Geale | 187 Kevin Roberts | 213 Troy Brown | 257 Alex Patterson |
| 162 Gary Lovett | 188 Ben Smith | 214 James Allsopp | 258 Darryl Tuffey |
| 163 Darren Mitchell | 189 Scott Vidler | 215 Chris Gane | 259 Nathan McAndrew |
| 164 Steve Sydes | 190 Danny Waugh | 216 Scott Jamieson | 260 Harry Gurney |
| 165 Wayne Holdsworth | 191 Scott Grant | 217 Andrew O'Brien | 261 Ryan Beaven |
| 166 Scott Prestwidge | 192 Nathan Bracken | 218 Brad Roworth | 262 Andrew Jamieson |
| 167 Billy York | 193 Shane Deitz | 219 Aaron Bird | 263 Ashley Paddison |
| 168 Dean Waugh | 194 Trent Woodhill | 220 Michael Bright | 264 Aaron Yabsley |
| 169 Todd Cramer | 195 Corey Richards | 221 Craig Parkinson | 265 Mark Stoneman |
| 170 Mark Freedman | 196 Sean McKiernan | 222 Clinton Price | 266 Matt Smith |
| | | 223 Peter Dugmore | 267 Ethan Leten |
| | | 224 Gian Scuglia | 268 Michael Stretton |
| | | 225 Darren Ettridge | 269 Michael Arblaster |
| | | 226 James Bourne | 270 Kerrod White |
| | | 227 Bevan Van Blerk | 271 Jason Haywarrrd |
| | | 228 Pat Darwen | 272 Ayden Brown |
| | | 229 Gavin Atkin | 273 Mitch Farag |
| | | 230 Simon Keen | 274 Rhys Williams |
| | | 231 Daniel Burns | 275 Adam Coyte |
| | | 232 Chris Small | 276 Brendan Smith |
| | | 233 Chris Ridley | 277 Daniel Hayes |
| | | 234 Brett Van Deinsen | 278 David Lozinski |
| | | 235 Scott Truashiem | 279 Thomas Sowden |
| | | 236 Mick Polson | 280 Mitch Brown |
| | | 237 Anthony Sams | 281 Mitch Claydon |
| | | 238 Dave Ward | 282 Luke Docherty |
| | | 239 Jackson Bird | 283 Joel Brockley |
| | | 240 Jerry Cassell | |

bankstown district cricket club inc. balance sheet and auditor's report

Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended 30th April 2017

Bankstown District Cricket Club Balance Sheet					
Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended 30th April 2017					
	2017	2016		2017	2016
Income	\$	\$	Assets	\$	\$
Canteen	11,907	21,872	Cash	13,525	2,798
Ryobi Cup Gate	-	3,695	Debentures-Sports Club	800	800
Club Dinners	1,432	2,127	Fixed Term Deposit	146,134	160,389
Coaching Grant - NSWCA	17,220	24,300	Stock On Hand - Balls	1,681	1,733
Financial Assistance	181,640	185,000	Stock On Hand - Canteen	378	335
Grant - Cricket Australia	14,916	22,196	Petty Cash	1,000	1,000
Grant - NSWCA	18,795	22,900	Total Current Assets	163,518	167,055
Interest/Debenture Int	1,687	2,264			
Membership Fees	19,609	18,841			
Grant - Bankstown Council	7,000	-	Bradman Bust	4,500	4,500
Indoor Centre	17,436	23,199	Club Room Painting	3,125	3,125
Grant - CNSW Wicket Upgra	75,000	-	Equipment	33,701	40,980
CA Premier Cricket	10,000	10,000	Total Non Current Assets	41,326	48,605
Total Income	376,642	336,394	Total Assets	204,844	215,660
			Current Liabilities		
Expenses			Income in Advance	73,860	98,500
Administration Expenses	4,749	2,742	GST Liabilities	1,022	77
Annual Report/AGM	5,218	6,632	Total Current Liabilities	74,882	98,577
Bank Fee	120	123	Total Liabilities	74,882	98,577
Bankstown Cricket Academy	15,639	16,245			
Canteen Purchases	11,595	14,687	Net Assets	129,962	117,083
Cleaning	2,525	2,895			
Club Dinners	9,424	15,890	Members Funds		
Coaching	43,922	46,606			
Computer/Software	2,197	1,148	Members Funds as May 1	86,198	83,051
Cricket Equipment	9,557	12,763	Capital Indoor Facility Reser	40,885	30,885
Cricket Operations	73,561	71,388	Surplus for Year	2,879	3,147
Depreciation	13,179	14,318			
Donations/Uganda	8,862	27,443	Total Members Funds		
Ground Rents	26,609	34,029	as at 30th April	129,962	117,083
Issue Club Clothing	20,225	18,282			
Indoor Centre	220	4,120	<i>Please Note:</i>		
Insurance	375	350	<i>Surplus funds will be used to upgrade Canteen area</i>		
Repairs/Maintenance	1,314	8,371	<i>and a feasibility study for Commercial suitability</i>		
Telephone/Website	3,585	3,651	<i>under the Grandstand</i>		
Trophies/Player Year Award	3,715	4,774			
Cricket Administration	6,627	13,147			
Marketing /Advertising	545	3,643	I have audited the financial statement provided by		
Centre Wicket Upgrade	100,000	-	Bankstown District Cricket Club for the period ended		
CA Premier Cricket	10,000	10,000	30th April 2017 and declare them a true and fair view		
Total Expenses	373,763	333,247	of the financial position of the club at this date.		
Surplus	2,879	3,147			
			<i>Scott Truashiem</i>	15/06/2017	
			Scott Truashiem CA		
			on behalf of Munro Spaul Chartered Accountants		

BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE


The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the committee the financial statements:

1. Present a true and fair view of the financial position of Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated as at 30 April 2017 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee by:

President:



Scott Grant

Treasurer:



Eris Dignam

Dated this 14th day of June 2017



**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED**

Report on the Financial Report

I have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated (the association), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 April 2017, and the income and expenditure statement, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory information and the statement by the committee.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated are responsible for the preparation of the financial report, and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 is appropriate to meet the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW)* and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committee's responsibility also includes such internal control as the board determines is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on my audit. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, as described in Note 1, are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Auditor's Opinion

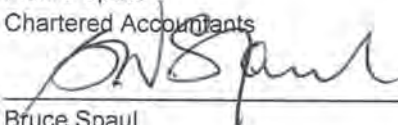
In my opinion, the financial report of Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated presents fairly, in all material respects the financial position of Bankstown District Cricket Club Incorporated as of 30 April 2017 and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, the *Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW)*.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF BANKSTOWN DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED**

Basis of Accounting and Restriction on Distribution

Without modifying my opinion, I draw attention to Note 1 of the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist the association to meet the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW)* and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 (Cth)*. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

Name of Firm: Munro Spaul
Chartered Accountants

Name of Principal: 
Bruce Spaul

Address: 1st Floor, 33 MacMahon Street HURSTVILLE NSW 2220

Dated this 15th day of June 2017



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
Z Ahmed		309	309				A McDermott	21		21	4		4
J Allsopp	2128	282	2410				L Marshall		3	3			
J Bilimoria		1437	1437		103	103	W Marshall		7	7		4	4
A Bird	3022		3022	365		365	S Melham		559	559			
J Bourne	26	5963	5989		15	15	C Middleton		496	496			
D Bull	53	2658	2711	9	443	452	D Moy	199	4686	4885		99	99
J Brockley	26	435	461				A O'Brien	284	7413	7697		3	3
H Brett		127	127				J Perera		62	62			
A Brown	22	363	385	19	75	94	M Phelps	481	111	592	168	39	207
M Brown	977		977	23		23	L Phipps		137	137		65	65
J Burke	4127		4127	318		318	M Polson	63	2976	3039		99	99
J Canceri		54	54		1	1	H Probert		673	673		3	3
D Carr		36	36		27	27	T Ramage		252	252			
B Clarke		726	726		6	6	L Reece	1294	3623	4917	1	65	66
M Claydon	52		52	11		11	C Ridley	300	3443	3743			
J Cormack	2057	1109	3166	2	38	40	I Ridley		3637	3637		55	55
C Cotter		51	51		5	5	B Roworth	580	3112	3692	16	132	148
E De Bono		60	60				C Roworth		457	457		1	1
B Dickenson		1045	1045		2	2	A Schipp		182	182		63	63
T Dodds		214	214				I Schipp		258	258			
L Docherty	9	221	230		18	18	N Setter		74	74		12	12
C Dummer		411	411				B Simpson		1	1		1	1
J Eljed		4	4				M Simpson		1023	1023			
D Freedman	1516	1637	3153	474	457	931	D Slane		249	249		23	23
T Garg		556	556		55	55	G Singh		28	28		11	11
J Grove		1366	1366		54	54	M Singh		211	211		11	11
K Grove		1598	1598				Brendan Smith	127	1240	1362		16	16
D Heward		258	258		63	63	M Smith	12	985	1124	2	176	178
M Hossain		91	91		14	14	D Solway	2665	1544	4209			
B Hunt		299	299		58	58	T Sowden	70	589	659	15	44	59
L Hunt		4	4		4	4	G Spotswood	714	9883	10597	32	416	448
J Issaka		475	475		7	7	C Stefanish		116	116		42	42
B Issaka		77	77		1	1	M Stretton	1169		1169			
M Kelly		1679	1679		164	164	R Ward		32	32		19	19
P Kelly	83	637	720	20	491	511	P Wells	5407		5407	9		9
A Kouventaris		961	961		17	17	N Wijewardene		773	773		48	48
B Le Bas		1105	1105		47	47	B White		27	27			
K Layton		92	92		30	30	K White	2093	14	2107	9		9
D Loy		1040	1040		15	15	C Wilkinson		1135	1135		18	18
D Lozinski	41	320	361	8	94	102	S Wise		2940	2940		17	17
M Lozinski		772	772		12	12	B Worsfold		9	9			
N McAndrew	1068	285	1353	171	27	198	D Zamaglas		30	30		5	5
D Magee	2529	5927	8456	4	21	25							
J Malcolm		518	518										
R Malcolm		287	287										

Please note: Metropolitan Cup (6th Grade) figures are not included above

honour board and statistics update

Highlights from this season's performances include...



Geoff Spotswood

Spottie has now taken his record for runs scored in all grades to 10,597 which includes 714 in first grade. What a legend.



Phillip Wells

In his 6th season with the club Wellsey has now scored 5437 first grade runs at an average of 906 per season. A remarkable record never likely to be beaten.



Aaron Bird

Birdie has now scored 3002 first grade runs to go with his 365 wickets meaning a second inclusion on the honour board.

Luke Reece

Luke has now scored 4917 in all grades including 1294 in first grade and will make the honour board very early next season.



Jarrad Burke

Jarrad has now passed 300 wickets in first grade (318) as well as 4127 runs. What a champion.



Kerrod White

In his third season with the club Whitey passed 2000 (2093) runs in first grade.



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players who have represented while playing for bankstown district cricket club

The following statistics were added in 2002/03 after extensive work by Michael C. Stephenson and Brian Freedman using available reference sources. Please accept our apologies for any errors or omissions and let us know about them so they can be corrected for future prints. These statistics / records will also be available on the club's website.

Player and Year First Represented

AUSTRALIA

G Thomas	1960-61
J Thomson	1972-73
L Pascoe	1976-77
S Smith	1982-83
S Waugh	1984-85
M Waugh	1988-89
W Holdsworth	1992-93

AUSTRALIAN X1

R Briggs	1953-54
G Thomas	1959-60
D Freedman	1992-93

AUSTRALIA 'A'

S Waugh	1995-96
D Freedman	1995-96
S Thompson	1995-96
C Richards	1998-99

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
D Burns	2006-07
B Smith	2015-16

AUSTRALIAN UNDER 16

B Dickinson	2015-16
T Sowden	2015-16

Player and Year First Represented

NEW SOUTH WALES

R Amson	1952-53
R Briggs	1952-53
G Thomas	1957-58
R Madden	1959-60
J Thomson	1972-73
L Pascoe	1974-75
R Vidler	1977-78
I Davis	1979-80
S Smith	1981-82
R Bower	1983-84
S Waugh	1984-85
M Waugh	1985-86
S Small	1987-88
W Holdsworth	1988-89
D Freedman	1991-92
K Roberts	1994-95
S Thompson	1994-95
DP Waugh	1995-96
C Richards	1995-96
N Bracken	1998-99
V Williams	2001-02
A Bird	2005-06
S Keen	2009-10

NSW COUNTRY/ACT

M Phelps	2014-15
N McAndrew	2014-15
K White	2015-16
D Solway	2016-17

Player and Year First Represented

NSW 2ND X1/FUTURES LEAGUE

R Briggs	1954-55
R Nay	1955-56
L Pascoe	1973-74
B Thebridge	1973-74
R Bower	1982-83
B McKirdy	1983-84
M Waugh	1984-85
W Holdsworth	1987-88
S Prestwidge	1989-90
P Talbot	1989-90
D Freedman	1991-92
S Thompson	1992-93
K Roberts	1993-94
S Pope	1994-95
DP Waugh	1995-96
M Betsey	2000-01
P Maraziotis	2001-02
V Williams	2001-02
M Bright	2002-03
A Bird	2002-03
S Keen	2008-09
D Burns	2008-09
J Bird	2009-10
C Small	2010-11
P Wells	2013-14
D Solway	2014-15

Player and Year First Represented

NSW Twenty20/Sydney Thunder

S Keen	2008-09
N McAndrew	2015-16

NSW 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

Player and Year First Represented

NSW 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
B Smith	2009-10
D Solway	2011-12
A Brown	2012-13
D Hayes	2014-15
B Smith	2014-15
D Lozinski	2014-15
T Sowden	2016-17

NSW UNDER 16

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

Player and Year First Represented

NSW 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
C Ridley	2006-07
C Small	2006-07
A Sams	2007-08
B Smith	2011-12
D Sams	2011-12
J Cormack	2012-13
Brendan Smith	2015-16



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top 5 players who have scored 3000 runs in 1st grade

Name	Seasons	Innings	NO's	Runs	Avg.
D P Bourne	1960/61 – 1979/80	311	24	8149	28.39
C Richards	1996/97 – 2007/08	193	27	7415	44.94
S Thompson	1990/91 – 2009/10	249	35	6793	31.73
B Urry	1951/52 – 1966/67	218	24	6089	31.00
D P Waugh	1987/88 – 1997/98	190	24	5903	35.56

top 5 players who have scored double centuries in 1st grade

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
K White	226 no	Hawkesbury	2015/16

top 5 players who have scored 5000 runs in all grades

Name	Seasons	Innings	NO's	Runs	Avg.
G Spotswood	1977/78 – 2016/17	466	64	10579	26.31
M Grant	1981/82 – 2012/13	372	108	10225	38.73
D P Bourne	1960/61 – 1980/81	346	31	9131	28.98
K Ferris	1968/69 – 1997/98	442	66	8820	23.45
D Magee	1990/91 – 2016/17	307	28	8456	30.31



top 5 players who have scored centuries in 1st grade

player score/s	opposition	season	player score/s	opposition	season
C Richards			K Roberts		
154	Balmain	1997/98	115 no	Campbelltown	1993/94
115	St George	1997/98	134	Balmain	1993/94
104	St George	1999/00	131	North Sydney	1993/94
108	Fairfield	1999/00	139	Parramatta	1993/94
117	Balmain	2000/01	160	Penrith	1994/95
130	Northern District	2000/01	133 no	Petersham Marrickville	1994/95
112	University of NSW	20002/03	134	Northern District	1995/96
125	Gordon	2002/03	119	Sydney University	1995/96
126	Northern District	2002/03	107	St George	1996/97
162 no	Randwick Petersham	203/04	116 no	St George	1997/98
120	St George	2004/05	119	Gordon	1997/98
101	Balmain	2005/05	102	Hawkesbury	1998/99
123	Eastern Suburbs	2005/06	163	Campbelltown	1998/99
140	St George	2005/06	G Thomas		
121	Sydney University	2006/07	139 no	Paddington	1956/57
111 no	Gordon	2006/07	110 no	Petersham Marrickville	1957/58
100 no	Randwick Petersham	2006/07	125	North Sydney	1958/59
113	Sydney University	2006/07	113 no	Gordon	1960/61
115 no	Randwick Petersham	2007/08	155 no	Northern District	1961/62
P Maraziotis			151	Paddington	1962/63
109 no	Hawkesbury	2000/01	147	University	1962/63
138 no	Manly	2000/01	100	Mosman	1962/63
119 no	Sutherland	2000/01	143	Cumberland	1963/64
115 no	University of NSW	2001/02	105	Glebe	1963/64
110 no	Northern District	2001/02	102	Paddington	1963/64
137	Campbelltown	2001/02	162	Petersham Marrickville	1964/65
135	St George	2001/02	P Wells		
162 no	Blacktown	2002/03	157 no	North Sydney	2012/13
106 no	Parramatta	2002/03	107 no	Sydney	2012/13
125 no	Campbelltown	2002/03	121 no	North Sydney	2013/14
186	Gordon	203/04	150	St George	2014/15
101	Campbelltown Camden	2003/04	138	Manly-Warringah	2014/15
102 no	Mosman	2003/04	106 no	Eastern Suburbs	2014/15
			109	Manly-Warringah	2014/15
			190 no	St George	2014/15
			150 no	Blacktown	2015/16
			146 no	Mosman	2015/16
			114 no	North Sydney	2015/16
			103	Sydney	2015/16
			127	St George	2016/17
			170	Eastern Suburbs	2016/17
			100	Sutherland	2016/17

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top 5 players who have taken 200 wickets in 1st grade

Name	Seasons	Overs	Maidens	Wickets	Runs	Avg.
W Holdsworth	1986/87 – 2001/02	3495	717	511	10844	21.19
S Thompson	1990/91 – 2009/10	3338	640	496	10902	21.97
D Freedman	1984/85 – 2007/08	3275	701	474	10697	22.56
L Pascoe	1968/69 – 1983/84	1821	277	393	6798	17.30
K Hall	1990/91 – 2006/07	3844	1338	380	8804	23.16

top 5 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 – 2016/17	5905	1244	931	19434	20.87
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

players who have taken 9 wickets in 1st grade

Name	Score	Opponent	Season
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 1st grade

Name	Score	Opponent	Season
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
D Tuffey	8/36	Randwick-Petersham	2012/13



top 5 players who have taken 7 wickets in 1st grade

Name	Score	Opponent	Season
L Pascoe	7/24	Sutherland	1975/76
	7/45	University of NSW	1975/76
	7/76	University of NSW	1976/77
D Freedman	7/68	Fairfield Liverpool	2006/07
	7/102	University	1992/93
	7/143	Manly	1997/98
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

top 5 players who have taken 6 wickets in 1st grade

Name	Score	Opponent	Season
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 McDonald	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

top 5 leading all-rounders in 1st grade

	Runs	Wickets
S Thompson	6811	492
B Urry	6089	372
T McDonald	4739	194
J Burke	4127	318
A Bird	3022	365

top 5 most dismissals by a wicketkeeper in 1st grade

Player	Catches	Stumpings	Total Dismissals
J Allsopp	395	38	433
L Andrews	263	33	295
I Gorman	152	46	198
S Deitz	115	35	150
T Davies	113	30	143

wicketkeeper dismissals in all grades 2016/17

Player	Catches	Stumpings	Total Dismissals
M Stretton	28	5	33
E De Bono	18	5	23
M Simpson	30	3	33
S Melham	18	0	18
C Middleton	5	1	6

winners of finals match medals

Benaud Medal

1st Grade

1993/94	Steve Small
1994/95	Scott Grant
1999/00	Matthew Betsey
2006/07	Brett Van Deinsen
2013/14	Mitchell Phelps

Michael Bevan Medal

1st Grade Limited Overs

2006/07	Corey Richards
2014/15	Philip Wells
2015/16	Jarrad Burke

Shane Lee Medal

Poidevin-Gray Shield

2003/04	Aaron Bird
2008/09	Anthony Sams
2013/14	Ethan Leten

Kevin Cunningham Medal

A.W. Green Shield

1998/99	Brad Roworth
1999/00	Peter Dugmore
2002/03	Simon Keen
2003/04	Ryan Beaven
2009/10	Evan Goodrick
2010/11	Damien Mortimer
2013/14	Alexander Schipp
2014/15	Creedence King



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highest batting average by grade

First Grade	P Wells	101.80	2014/15
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	M Hopkins	111.00	2005/06
Poidevin Gray Shield	R Bower	183.50	1980/81
C. Shires	I Madden	31.60	1965/66

highest batting aggregate by grade

First Grade	P Wells	1527	2014/15
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	M Morley	203no	2012/13
Fourth Grade	Ben Thorpe	170	1995/96
Fifth Grade	J Hilder	209	2010/11
A W Green Shield	V Williams	211no	1993/94
Poidevin Gray Shield	S Smith	201no	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

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 Pitty	30	1975/76
C. Shires	R Waddington	59	1966/67

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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 seasons 2010/11-2016/17

			Catches	Stumpings
2010/11	M Morley	Fifth Grade	21	9
2011/12	J Allsopp	First Grade	13	2
2012/13	J Allsopp	First Grade	25	1
2013/14	J Allsopp	First Grade	44	1
2014/15	M Stretton	First Grade	39	2
2015/16	M Stretton	First Grade	22	6
	M Stretton	First Grade	28	5
2016/17	M Simpson	Second Grade	30	3



1st grade

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	S Keen	38.88	S Keen	622	J Burke	18.41	J Burke	37
2011/12	C Small	29.50	N Carruthers	488	J Burke	13.39	J Burke	44
2012/13	P Wells	56.50	P Wells	791	D Tuffey	8.58	J Burke	30
2013/14	J Burke	39.88	J Burke	638	M Phelps	18.97	M Phelps	37
2014/15	P Wells	101.80	P Wells	1527	J Burke	17.98	J Burke	58
2015/16	P Wells	66.10	P Wells	1388	N McAndrew	17.79	J Burke	50
2016/17	M Brown	46.52	M Brown	977	J Burke	17.08	J Burke	52

1st grade highest partnerships

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	246	Paddington	G Thomas	151	A Kelly	85	1962/63
2	336	St George	D Solway	177	P Wells	150	2014/15
3	314 u/f	Western Districts	S Smith	181	S Small	123	1987/88
4	205	Sydney	P Wells	103	J Cormack	126	2015/16
5	177	Blacktown	P Wells	150no	M Stretton	108	2015/16
6	164	North Sydney	S Small	80	S Grant	80	1994/95
7	213	Northern Districts	A Bird	116	C Small	112	2011/12
8	147	Penrith	M Betsey	83	G Smith	83	2003/04
9	118	Parramatta	W Holdsworth	71	K Hall	44	1993/94
10	155 u/f	North Sydney	P Wells	121no	M Phelps	80no	2013/14

2nd grade

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	L Reece	33.92	L Reece	407	M Phelps	23.00	M Phelps	33
2011/12	J Cormack	41.86	A O'Brien	356	A Jamieson	16.92	A Jamieson	38
2012/13	A Paddison	50.60	D Magee	438	D Harding	10.53	A Jamieson	37
2013/14	M Challita	37.80	M Challita	378	A Jamieson	17.95	A Jamieson	40
2014/15	M Farag	53.71	L Reece	646	A Paddison	13.00	A Jamieson	36
2015/16	D Hayes	34.87	D Hayes	523	A Jamieson	20.19	A Jamieson	31
2016/17	M Simpson	37.13	M Simpson	557	T Garg	23.11	T Garg	18
							M Smith	18

2nd 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	DJ Waugh	91	1993/94
5	188	Parramatta	M Parkins	116	DJ 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	110	Mosman	M Grant	64no	S Burt	65	2006/07

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3rd grade

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	A O'Brien	39.00	A O'Brien	468	D Bull	11.96	D Bull	27
2011/12	M Baker	35.92	M Baker	431	S Powell	14.59	D Bull	21
2012/13	M Morley	64.00	M Morley	640	M Kelly	16.94	M Kelly	32
2013/14	M Baker	36.80	M Baker	368	D Lozinski	14.89	M Kelly	21
2014/15	D Hayes	60.00	D Harding	323	M Smith	19.57	C Stefanish	22
2015/16	A O'Brien	37.46	A O'Brien	487	C Stefanish	14.69	T Garg	20
2016/17	J Bilimoria	66.80	J Bilimoria	334	A Schipp	20.26	A Schipp	23

3rd grade highest partnerships

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	187	Sutherland	G Crowfoot	101	MJ Stephenson	65	1977/78
2	241	Campbelltown	M Baker	181	M Morley	92	2011/12
3	218	Campbelltown	M Clifton	98no	M Morley	154	2012/13
4	235	Blacktown	A O'Brien	138no	D Moy	115	2004/05
5	201	Penrith	M Waugh	103	MC Stephenson	98	1980/81
6	176	St George	G Roden	116	K Roberts	86no	2000/01
7	104	Sutherland	J Bilimoria	118no	S Melham	37	2016/17
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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4th grade

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2009/10	M Grant	81.75	M Grant	327	D Nichols	15.35	D Nichols	20
2010/11	S Wise	29.45	S Wise	324	M Kelly	19.91	M Kelly	23
2011/12	M Grant	54.20	M Grant	270	G Robson	14.19	G Robson	26
2012/13	J Bourne	39.86	I Ridley	714	D Bull	15.50	L Condron	27
2013/14	D Hayes	51.67	J Hawkesworth	415	M Lozinski	26.63	M Lozinski	14
2014/15	A O'Brien	35.45	A O'Brien	390	T Garg	13.00	T Sowden	22
2015/16	K Grove	38.50	D Loy	370	D Heward	18.88	D Heward	25
2016/17	J Grove	39.33	J Grove	354	M Singh	20.80	R Ward	19

4th grade highest partnerships

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	211	Mosman	M Davis	118	MJ Stephenson	81	1981/82
2	169	Blacktown	K Butcher	67no	T Muir	104	2007/08
3	232	Gordon	C Dunn	115no	B Christensen	141	2006/07
4	156	Penrith	M Coton	569	P Dugmore	101	1999/2000
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	1999/2000
8	165	North Sydney	B Christensen	110no	J Cormack	74no	2008/09
9	85	Manly s/f	L Tucker	50	A Sidie	33	1999/2000
10	154	Gordon	J Bilimoria	100no	R Williams	66no	2012/13



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5th grade

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	E Leten	44.78	E Leten	430	L Condron	13.94	T Sims	21
2011/12	P Yannopoulos	36.13	P Yannopoulos	289	J Bilimoria	14.71	S Khan	22
2012/13	D Hayes	50.88	D Hayes	407	D Lozinski	14.50	D Lozinski	24
2013/14	B Dickinson	35.71	G Spotswood	392	L Maloney	14.78	L Maloney	18
2014/15	H Probert	39.36	H Probert	315	L Maloney	19.20	L Maloney	25
2015/16	M Kelly	32.91	M Kelly	373	M Kelly	15.60	M Kelly	30
2016/17	M Kelly	41.33	M Kelly	496	M Kelly	14.92	M Kelly	26

5th grade highest partnerships

Wkt	Score	Opposition	Batsman 1	Score	Batsman 2	Score	Year
1	223	Western Suburbs	E Leten	135	D Solway	101no	2010/11
2	188	Penrith	M Baker	69	B Christensen	153	2005/06
3	175	Parramatta	J Hilder	209	I Ridley	63	2010/11
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	149	Western Suburbs	H Probert	99no	M Simpson	52no	2014/15
7	152*	Fairfield-Liverpool	G Spotswood	120no	M Clifton	62no	2009/10
8	86	Petersham-Marrickville	F Theodore	54	P Raymond	30	1985/86
9	73	Western Suburbs	D Allsopp	53no	P Henry	16no	2012/13
10	78	Randwick	P Taylor	34no	A Klumpp	37	1996/97



aw green shield

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	D Mortimer	43.86	D Solway	337	D Mortimer	9.41	D Mortimer	17
2011/12	D Loy	43.20	D Loy	216	D Loy	15.56	D Loy	9
2012/13	Brendan Smith	46.17	Brendan Smith	277	M Lozinski	8.00	M Lozinski	17
2013/14	Brendan Smith	47.43	B Le Bas	343	D Lozinski	6.53	D Lozinski	19
2014/15	L Hawksworth	36.86	L Hawksworth	258	D Heward	7.67	D Heward	21
2015/16	T Sowden	42.40	T Sowden	212	T Sowden	10.20	T Sowden	15
2016/17	Z Ahmed	33.00	Z Ahmed	198	J Eljed	13.44	N Setter	11

poidevin-gray shield

	Best Batting Average		Most Runs in Season		Best Bowling Average		Most Wickets in Season	
2010/11	J Cormack	25.00	T Burns	129	D Bush	14.46	D Bush	13
2011/12	D Solway	58.67	T Burns	287	L Condron	15.40	D Bush	9
2012/13	Ben Smith	41.57	Ben Smith	291	N McAndrew	17.57	M Phelps	11
2013/14	D Solway	53.14	D Solway	372	R Williams	15.24	R Williams	17
2013/14 equal							N McAndrew	17
2014/15	A Paddison	52.50	A Paddison	209	A Schipp	9.27	A Schipp	11
2015/16	D Solway	75.75	D Solway	303	R Williams	14.50	T Garg	15
2016/17	T Sowden	56.00	T Sowden	280	L Docherty	21.00	L Docherty	8



premiership positions

Year	Club	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	PG	AWG	1st L/O	T20
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				
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 MP	2	4	3	12	2 MP	1 MP	3 MP	
2004/05	5	8	7	12	12	12	8	2	6	
2005/06	15	9	13	12	13	15	8	20	7	
2006/07	13	1	8	14	19	19	16	6	1	
2007/08	2	8	2	8	9	2	6	9	7	
2008/09	5	3 MP	11	14	7	15	1	9	3 MP	
2009/10	6	8	4	7	11	9	6	1	12	3 MP
2010/11	6	4	16	2	8	5	14	1 MP	12	9
2011/12	13	14	14	14	11	11	9	13	17	15
2012/13	2	7	2	3 MP	4	9	13	11	14	12
2013/14	11	2	7	8	18	19	1	1 MP	8	9
2014/15	7	2	3	13	10	14	15	1	1 MP	3
2015/16	12	1 MP	19	12	14	18	5	3	1 MP	4
2016-17	14	2	17	16	13	20	11	17	4	2 (Thunder cont.)



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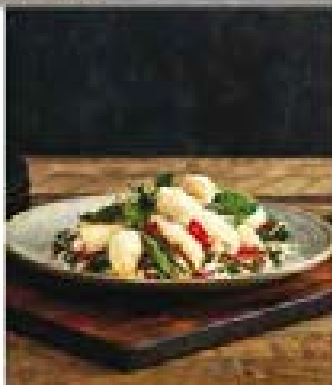
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