



# **APPLECROSS CRICKET CLUB**



**CLUB HISTORY  
PART 1**

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Starts with the club forming in 1975 to the end of the 2005 season .



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Who am I

I have played 100 games for the club , Premiership player and have captain the club on more than one occasion.

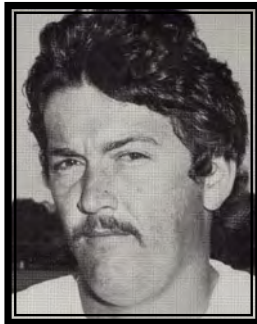
# LIFE MEMBERS



CHAS EADON CLARKE



JACK GREGAN



PETER HEWITT



DAVID WELLS (Deceased)



VAL STEENHOLDT



STEPHEN MELVILLE



RUSSELL KINGDON



GEORGE PRINCE



ROBERT PULLEY



BRETT MCGREGOR



ADRIAN REYNOLDS



ANDREW SPROUL

## LIFE MEMBERS



VINCE STACKPOLE



DOUG STIRLING



BURT BAETSEN



ANGUS CASTLEY



AL FIELD



## CHAPTER 1

### THE CLUB'S FORMATION

In 1975 a gentleman by the name of Charles (Chas) Eadon-Clarke, then aged about 19 and an ex-Aquinas College student, struck upon the idea of forming a cricket team for the purpose of bringing together former team mates



Chas Eadon Clarke

and friends from his Aquinas days. The idea received a positive response from those who fell into this category and Chas set about the task of arranging the team and entering a competition.

The West Australian Suburban Turf Cricket Association (WASTCA) was the logical choice as a competition and Chas received great assistance and advice from the late Des Penman, then the secretary of the Association, in forming a team.

Some stumbling blocks were encountered. Chas had hoped to name the team "Aquinas" or "Old Aquinians" and use the College's cricket facilities for training and as a home ground. However, the college administration would not allow use of their facilities. Also, the WASTCA were pushing clubs to form "suburban" identities and would not allow use of the name Aquinas.

Thus, it was decided to name the team "Applecross", as it was a nearby suburb and eventual club secretary Tim Searson lived there.

However, a connection with the Aquinas spirit was retained by the adoption of the College's colours, red and black, as the team's colours. These remain the club colours to this day.

## CHAPTER 2

### 1975/76

It is a sad fact that the most historically significant scorebook in the club's history, the record of the first season, is missing. We only have a record of 3 games played, thanks to the assistance of other clubs.

We do know that the club's first President was Chas Eadon-Clarke, Secretary was Tim Searson and Chris Cooper was Treasurer.

Chas was also captain of the club's only team, which played in the seventh grade, then the lowest grade in the WASTCA. The grade consisted of 8 teams only and Applecross played Mosman Park, Churchlands, Bassendean and Whitfords twice. We finished 7th overall.

With no training facilities available at Aquinas College the team conducted training at Applecross Primary School and some old nets located near Kwinana Freeway in South Perth. The players socialised at the Raffles Hotel.

From the records available, the all round ability of Ross Tozer is evident, with bowling hauls of 4/26 and 3/29 against Whitfords. This was followed by a score of 36 against WAIT (now Curtin University) and bowling figures of 9/31 from 11.3 overs in the same match. These figures still represent the best senior bowling performance in the club's history.

An interesting sidelight to the the season was the regular appearances by Chas' father Charles Eadon-Clarke (snr), thus forming the club's first father-son combination.

### CHAPTER 3

1976/77

Fortunately, the scorebook for the club's second season is intact and well maintained, thanks to then official scorer, Jane Blades, sister of player Kevin. Chas and Tim Searson were again President and Secretary, with Glyde Ferguson filling the role of Treasurer. Chas was again team captain.

We were once again in seventh grade, which comprised 10 teams, and we played Churchlands and South Perth twice. We finished in 7th position after a remarkable season, which included 4 wins (all outright) and 7 losses (5 of them outright). The team used 15 players during the season, with Chas, Peter Clifford, Kevin Blades, Daryl Haley and Fred "Rocky" Grasso (a great servant for the club in its early years) playing all 11 games. Chas (snr) played 6 games.



Tim Searson

The batting struggled all season, the team scored 200 or more only twice and was dismissed for less than 100 on 11 occasions. The batting was held up by Peter Clifford with 484 runs, becoming the first player to top 400 runs in a season for the club. Ross Tozer supported Paul with 349 runs.

The bowling was strong, lead by Kevin Blades with 38 wickets, Ross Tozer 36 wickets and Dave Turner 28 wickets from just 5 games. Best figures for the season were Tozer's 8/29 versus Northern Suburbs. In taking 5/7 against Churchlands, Kevin Blades completed the first hat trick in the club's history.

The club was still without a home ground in its second season, a situation only tolerated by the Association, and it was clear a home ground was required for the club to remain viable.

### CHAPTER 4

1977/78

Following some intense negotiations with the Melville City Council, the club was awarded the use of a new oval, Mandala Reserve in Bateman, for this season. The ground was no oasis, said to be "97% sand and 3% grass" in its first year. There were no training facilities at Mandala, only toilets/changerooms, and the club continued to socialise at the Raffles.

Chris Cooper was President, Tim Searson again Secretary and Fred Grasso Treasurer. Ross Tozer was team captain, Chas missed the first 3 games then played the rest of the season.

We were once again in seventh grade, which comprised a full complement of 12 teams, and played 10 out of 11 qualifying games at Mandala. The team won 7 games during the season (6 of them outright) and finished in 4th place by 0.58 points, thus becoming the club's first ever finals team.

The team used 17 players during the season, Tim Searson, Fred Grasso and Peter Hewitt (future Life Member in his first season) playing all 12 games. The semi-final was played against top team Hamersley and for the record the club's first finals team, in batting order, was;

Fred Grasso

Kevin Blades

Peter Hewitt

Ross Tozer (Captain)

Tim Searson

Paul Machin-Everill

Dave Turner

Chas Eadon-Clarke

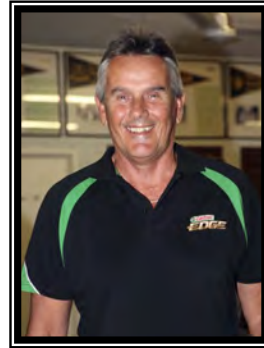
Daryl Haley

George Heydon

Chris Cooper



Dave Turner



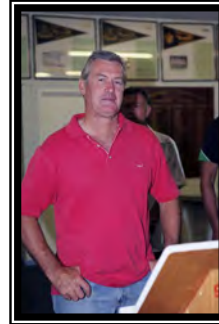
Ross Tozer



George Heydon



Tim Searson



Chris Cooper



Hannes Gebauer

Applecross batted first and was dismissed for 87. In reply, we dismissed Hamersley for 106, Kevin Blades taking 4/28 and Dave Turner 3/9. Batting a second time, we were dismissed for 78. Needing 60 to win outright, Hamersley held out till stumps finishing at 7/39. Chris Cooper took 4/10.

Over the season the batting was very brittle, only Ross Tozer (343 runs), Daryl Haley (247 runs) and Paul Machin-Everill (217 runs) passed 200 runs. The bowling attack was very strong, with Kevin Blades taking a remarkable 74 wickets (which is still a club record) and Ross Tozer 58 wickets (second only to Blades in the record books). Kevin's best figures were 7/25 against Coolbinia. Chris Cooper also took 30 wickets.

The game against Wanneroo in November 1977 produced a highlight and lowlight in the club's history. We were dismissed for 34 in the 2nd innings, which was the lowest score in the club's history until 1992/93. Wanneroo, needing 22 to win outright, lost 6 wickets scoring the runs. Kevin Blades took 4/10, including a hat trick with the 3rd, 4th and 5th balls of his first over. Kevin is still the only player to take 2 hat tricks for the club.

## CHAPTER 5

1978/79

The WASTCA was very keen to eliminate single team clubs from the competition at this time and Applecross was under pressure to expand. With this in mind it was decided to admit a second team and this necessitated the recruitment of fresh players, generally with no Aquinas background. The fact that a sufficient number of players were recruited can be traced back to the efforts of new player Garry Gregan and his father Jack.

Garry and Jack had been involved in both playing and administrative roles with Wembley Cricket Club but had decided to join Applecross as they lived locally. Jack was elected Vice-President, bringing some much needed professionalism to the club's administration. Peter Hewitt became President after original choice Daryl Haley resigned after just 1 day due to "domestic pressure". Fred Grasso was Secretary/Treasurer. Ross Tozer was named club coach and first XI captain, Chris Cooper was named second team captain.



Fred 'Rocky' Grasso

The expansion saw the club field teams in sixth and seventh grades and some well known names to join the club were Val Steenholdt, Eric Taylor, the Johnson brothers Mike and Geoff, Allan Seubert and Alan Burrough. Also, future Life Member Dave Wells joined the club as first XI scorer, a position he has filled to this day.

### Sixth Grade

The sixth grade team finished in 4th place by a comfortable margin, winning 8 games during the qualifying rounds, including an outright victory against eventual grade winners Girrawheen (captained by well known Association identity Tony Weston).

The batting performed well throughout the season, lead by Ross Tozer with 572 runs, including a memorable 153 against North Perth. Ross's aggregate and century remained records for the club until the 1993/1994 season. Eric Taylor (383 runs), Mike Johnson (341 runs) and Allan Seubert (303 runs) provided solid support.

The bowling attack was lead by Val Steenholdt, in his "fast" days, with 47 wickets including a career best 8/23 against Tuart Hill. Ross Tozer and Eric Taylor emphasised their all round abilities, taking 30 and 29 wickets respectively. In the semi-final against Girrawheen, the team was dismissed batting first for 129, Garry Gregan top scoring with 51. We dismissed Girrawheen for 100, Eric taking 4/28 and Val 3/39, and the club achieved a grand final spot for the first time.

For the record, the club's first grand final team (versus Hamersley) in batting order was:

Ross Tozer (captain)

Mike Higginson

Garry Gregan

Allan Seubert

Dave Higginson

Eric Taylor

Rob Adair

Mike Johnson

Alan Burrough

Paul Machin-Everill

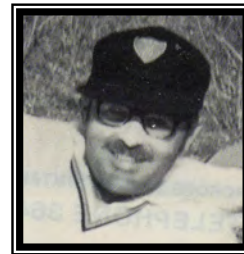
Val Steenholdt



Ross Tozer



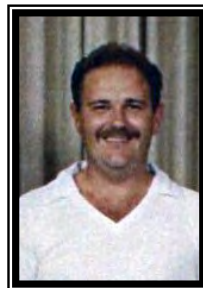
Garry Gregan



Allan Burrough



Allan Suebert



Eric Taylor



Val Steenholdt

After winning the toss and batting, we never recovered from being 3/2 and were eventually dismissed for 116, Dave Higginson top scoring with 34. Hamersley were never in danger, making 233, Ross Tozer and Alan Burrough taking 3 wickets each.

Although missing out on a premiership, the sixth grade team's performance ensured promotion to 5th grade for the following season.



Dave Higginson

### **Seventh Grade**

A disappointing season for seventh grade. After winning the first game, we won only one more game for the season (an outright victory against Mosman Park) and finished in 10th position.

The batting struggled all season, never passing 200 and recording a lowest score of 39 against Old Wesley. The one shining light was Rob Adair with 463 runs, including a fine 124 against Mosman Park in January 1979. This is the first century in the club's history, scored about a month before Ross Tozer's 153.

The bowling was steady, with the major wicket takers being Geoff Johnson (22 wickets), John Noonan (21 wickets) and Chris Cooper (18 wickets).

It was interesting to note that with still no nets at Mandala Reserve, the club was permitted to train on matting tracks at Aquinas College during the season



## CHAPTER 6

1979/80

With the WASTCA growing in popularity and word spreading of a young, go-ahead club in the southern suburbs, the opportunity was taken to introduce a third team for the 1979/80 season. Teams were fielded in fifth, seventh and eighth grades.

Jack Gegan was elected President and Fred Grasso again filled the roles of Secretary/Treasurer. Fifth grade captaincy was awarded to Eric Taylor, seventh grade Geoff Johnson and eighth grade Chas Eadon-Clarke.

Amongst the well known names to join the club in 1979/80 were future life member Steve Melville, Bert Baetson, George Prince and hard off-field workers in the following few years, Mike Saporita and Ross Harrison.



Mike Saporita

Mandala was still the club's sole home ground and training nets were installed early in the season, making Mandala our full time home. After match socialising was still at the Raffles.

### Fifth Grade

In a tight season fifth grade finished a disappointing 7th, 9 points out of the finals. Despite winning 6 games (including 2 outright), a loss to Wembley in the last game cost a finals place.

Amongst the victories was an amazing last ball outright against South Perth. The season was disrupted by Eric Taylor's decision to leave the club after 5 games. The captaincy was taken over by Garry Gegan. Eric returned for the last game.

The batting was inconsistent. George Prince with 322 runs was the only player to pass 300 runs. Mike Johnson scored 234 runs and Eric 237 runs from his shortened season.

The bowling attack was steady. Best performer was leg spinner Alan Burrough with 34 wickets, including a haul of 6/33 against Nedlands. Eric Taylor's loss for half the season was also felt by the attack, as emphasised by his 19 wickets from 6 games. Val Steenholdt's 19 wickets included an incredible haul of 7/2 against Girrawheen!

George Prince's efforts with the bat resulted in him becoming the club's first Association team representative, winning selection in the WASTCA colts team.

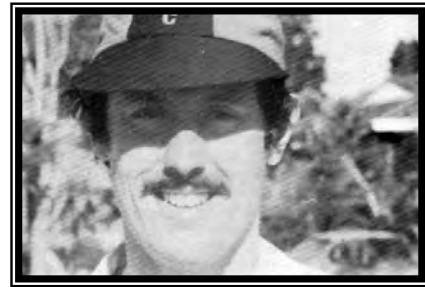
### Seventh Grade

After winning only 3 of the first 8 games, 7th grade stormed into the finals, winning the last 3 games outright and finishing in 3rd position.

The turnaround came in the 9th game against Old Wesley. After trailing by 20 runs on the 1st innings, we scored 5/145 in 23 overs to win outright, thanks to a swashbuckling 88 not out by Daryl Haley.

The batting certainly struggled throughout the season, Daryl Haley with 221 runs the only player to pass 200 runs.

The bowling was far more effective and was highlighted by Geoff Johnson's performance in taking 42 wickets. John Noonan was next best with 19 wickets.



Daryl Haley

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The semi-final was played against our usual finals opponent Hamersley. Batting first, we were dismissed for 105, Tony Dolin top scoring with 33. In reply, Hamersley were in trouble at 4/43 but went to compile 206. Dave Turner took 3/19 from 16 overs.

A fine performance from seventh grade, resulting in promotion to sixth grade for the following season.

### **Eighth Grade**

In a grade of only 8 teams, the eighth grade team played 14 games, including several one day games. Winning just 3 of these games, we finished in 6th place.

The season started in a blaze of glory, with an outright victory against Doubleview, thanks to a sensational innings by Chas Eadon-Clarke. He smashed 138, with 17 fours and 6 sizes! Such was his domination that Fred Grasso's contribution to a second wicket partnership of 126 was 4 runs!

The batting struggled from there on, Chas leading the aggregate with 231 runs. The bowling was steady, Steve Batterhan taking 26 wickets, with support from Chas with 25 wickets and Bert Baetson 19 wickets.

Steve Batterhan's bowling average of 7.15 was good enough to win the eighth grade Association bowling trophy, the first Applecross player to do so.

## CHAPTER 7

1980/81

A landmark season for Applecross Cricket Club, with the appointment of an outside player, Stuart Rankin, as captain coach. "Stu" brought with him a wealth of experience, having played 1st grade WACA cricket, gaining selection in the state colts team and coaching Bentley into the WASTCA 1st grade finals.

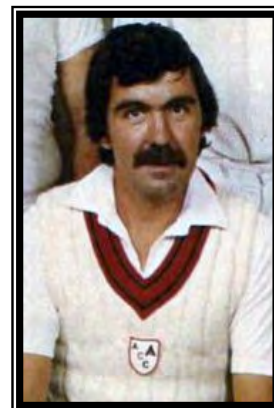
President was Peter Hewitt and "Rocky" Grasso was again Secretary/Treasurer. Stu was fifth grade captain, sixth grade captaincy was awarded to Peter Hewitt and eighth grade Mike Saporita.

Mandala was still our home ground, but during the season the club negotiated the laying of a synthetic pitch at Shirley Strickland Reserve in Mt Pleasant. The pitch was laid during the season and used for several games. This coincided with the commencement of negotiations for membership of the Applecross-Mt Pleasant Sportsmen's Association (AMPSA).

### Fifth Grade

Stuart Rankin's impact as a top line player and a strong willed, ruthless captain was immediate and the players responded accordingly, to such an extent that fifth grade was possibly the most dominant team in the club's history. The team won all 11 qualifying games, 5 of them outright, to win the grade with the astonishing points tally of 138.61, 35 points clear of 2nd place.

Unfortunately, the team's one poor performance came in the semi-final against Subia-co-Floreat. Batting first we collapsed to be 5/42, but recovered to make 152 thanks to a fine 58 by Allan Seubert. At one stage we had the opposition 5/69 but they recovered to total 179. A disappointing end to a terrific season.



Stuart Rankin

Apart from the final, the batting was strong all season. Stuart Rankin headed the batting with 535 runs, including 103 in 93 minutes against Bassendean. Support for Stu came from Allan Seubert with 416 runs and Gary Tuckwell (a new player with WACA experience at Scarborough) with 300 runs, including 103 not out against Teachers. John Speering, a hard hitting bat who also played for Heathcote Cricket Club, played 4 games in fifth grade, highlighted by a score of 129 in 97 minutes in the 2nd innings against North Perth. This was John's third century of the season, having scored 2 tons for eighth grade earlier in the season.

The bowling attack was dominant all season. Stuart headed the list with 47 wickets, including hauls of 8/60 versus North Perth and 7/96 versus Hamersley-Carline. Support came from Garry Gregan (27 wickets), Val Steenholdt (22 wickets) and young leg spinner Kevin Kelly (20 wickets).

The fine season was topped off by wicket keeper Daryl Haley, who won the Association fielding award for fifth grade.

## **Sixth Grade**

An unhappy season after the success of the previous year, the team winning only 3 games but fortunately avoiding relegation, finishing in 10th place.

Team leadership was disrupted after 5 games when Peter Hewitt stepped down as captain. This role was taken over by eighth grade captain Mike Saporita.

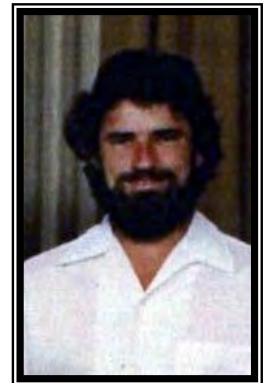
The batting was weak all season, only Chas Eadon-Clarke with 272 runs topping 200 runs for the year. The bowling attack was never settled, the leading wicket taker was Basil Hanna, another player from Heathcote Cricket Club, with 19 wickets from 4 games.

## **Eighth Grade**

A terrific season from eighth grade, winning 8 games and tying one other, to finish in 3rd place only 0.77 points from winning the grade. This performance was good enough to win promotion to seventh grade in 1981/82.

New player Bob Preedy took over the captaincy when Mike Saporita moved up to sixth grade. Bob performed well with the bat, making 285 runs. John Speering scored 289 runs from just 4 games, including 2 centuries, 127 not out against Coolbinia (an innings which included 23 boundaries) and 135 versus Nedlands College, becoming the club's first multiple century maker.

Basil Hanna lead the bowling attack with 32 wickets, giving him 51 wickets for the season when combined with his sixth grade efforts. Basil received great support from Rob Parker with 22 wickets (including a sensational haul of 8/22 against Murdoch University) and Bert Baetson with 19 wickets.



John Speering

The semi-final against Doubleview saw the opposition bat first and total 152, the wickets shared between Rob Parker, John Sneddon, Peter Hewitt and Rocky Grasso, who all took 2 wickets each. In reply we were always struggling after being 4/28 and despite an innings of 53 from Bob Preedy we could only total 122.

## CHAPTER 8

1981/82

A momentous season for the club, both on and off the field. All 3 teams played in the finals, with sixth grade winning the grade and gaining promotion to fifth grade. But the crowning achievement was fourth grade winning the club's first premiership, erasing the disappointment of the previous year.

Ross Harrison, a high ranking public servant who was to be on the staff of W.A. Premier Brian Burke (not any more we hope!) was elected President. Secretary was Dave Butcher and Treasurer was Chas Eadon-Clarke. Stuart Rankin was again club coach and fourth grade captain, sixth grade captain was Val Steenholdt and seventh grade captaincy was awarded to Chas.

The major off-field development for the club was the successful negotiations for membership of the Applecross - Mt Pleasant Sportsmen's Association, resulting in the club moving its home base to Shirley Strickland Reserve. This included full use of the social and training facilities, giving the club a complete home for the first time.

Although the club's existence as an AMPSA member has had its problems from time to time, it has certainly proven to be a terrific move and all members past and present are indebted to Jack Grogan, who took a personal financial risk to provide the funds required to secure the club's membership.

Mandala Reserve was retained, chiefly as a home ground for the seventh grade team. Also, the use of Heathcote Oval as a home ground for the sixth grade team was negotiated, subject to the club making playing equipment available to Heathcote Cricket Club on Sundays. Several Applecross players also played for Heathcote during the season and vice versa.

Some of the well known names to join the club this season were Andrew Sproul, the "Black Pom" Aubrey King and a Kiwi by the name of Tom Morgan, joining his mate John Trueman who had arrived at the club the previous year. Eric Taylor also returned to the club after missing the 1980/81 season.

Chas stepped down as seventh grade captain at the halfway mark of the season when he travelled to the U.K. in pursuit of "true love". His place as captain was taken by Bob Preedy, whilst George Prince took over as treasurer. In his absence Chas was awarded the club's first life membership for his role as a founding member of the club. The honour was accepted on his behalf by his father, himself a foundation member.



Chas Eadon Clarke

During the season former W.A. state player Bob Meuleman played two games for the club. His best performance was in sixth grade against Nedlands when he scored 30 runs and took 6/60 with his leg spinners.



#### Fourth Grade

Although not as dominant as in 1980/81, the club's first XI performed very consistently during the season, losing only 2 games to finish in 2nd place.

The batting was sound, lead by Gary Tuckwell with 441 runs, whilst Stuart Rankin (334), Tom Morgan (324) and Eric Taylor (307) all passed 300 runs. Tom's aggregate included a fine 114 against WAIT, the first of 3 centuries he has posted for the club. Stu's average of 56.0 for the regular season was good enough to win him the Association batting average award for fourth grade.

The bowling attack was very even, Garry Gregan leading the way with 29 wickets. Alan Burrough took 28 wickets, Stu 26, Gary Tuckwell 23 and Bert Baetson 19. Bert's aggregate included a haul of 6/12 against Whitfords in the last game before the finals.

The semi-final win against Whitfords showed the true character and fighting spirit of the team. After dismissing the opposition for 133 on the first day (Garry Gregan 4/24, Bert Baetson 3/25) we were forced to bat on a rain affected turf wicket. All seemed lost at 9/106, with only numbers 10 and 11, Bert Baetson and Alan Burrough, at the crease. But a magnificent, unbeaten last wicket partnership of 31 saw us home and ensured promotion to third grade in 1982/83. Gary Tuckwell top scored with 34.

The grand final against grade winners Doubleview was a great match. Winning the toss and batting first, we accumulated the formidable total of 9/239, thanks mainly to Eric Taylor's excellent 64 opening the innings and Stu Rankin's swashbuckling 43 on the Sunday morning, including 7 fours and an amazing square cut for six over point. However, at 4/162 things looked good for Doubleview. Then the team's fighting spirit came to the fore. A fantastic catch by John Trueman off his own bowling, an amazing runout from fine leg by Bert Baetson, an inspired spell by John Speering and class catching by Allan Seubert (arguably the best fieldsman in the club's history) saw Doubleview crash to 9/198. Then a fighting last wicket stand took the opposition to within 16 of winning and revived memories of the semi-final. But at 5.25 p.m. George Prince caught the number 11 off Bert Baetson's bowling and Applecross had its first flag. Bert returned the best bowling figures, 3/38.



## **Sixth Grade**

The sixth grade team excelled under the unorthodox but effective captaincy of Val Steenholdt to win the grade by 2 points. After losing 2 of the first 3 games the team only lost once more during the season.

Playing on the small Heathcote Oval suited the hard hitting batting line up very well and at times the team scored very quickly. This was no better illustrated by the game against Old Wesley. Set the task of scoring 106 for outright victory in just 9 overs, the target was achieved in only 8 incredible overs. The first 2 overs yielded 38 runs, Mike Johnson leading the way with 36 in 14 minutes. It was all over in 31 minutes and the amazing victory proved vital in winning the grade.

The leading batsman was Mike Johnson with 458 runs for the season, supported by Heathcote player Steve Bush-er with 349 and Val Steenholdt with 267. Val completed a fine season by taking 35 wickets, the only player to take 20 or more wickets. The semi-final against John XXIII Old Boys was a sad result. Bowling first, the team was in a great position after dismissing the opposition for 89, the destroyers being Steve Busher (4/40) and Peter Hewitt (3/12). Unfortunately, we were always under pressure

after slumping to 4/15 and despite an unbeaten 30 by Daryl Haley, we were dismissed 11 runs short of victory.

## **Seventh Grade**

Seventh Grade put in a great effort to finish in 4th place, winning 6 games out of 11, including 2 outright victories.

The fourth game of the season against John XXIII Old Boys proved critical. The team slipped to what appeared to be its third loss for the season when, in chasing 104, we were dismissed for 54. However, an inspired spell of bowling from Fred Grasso, taking 6/14, saw the opposition bowled out for just 30 in its 2nd innings. Needing 81 to win outright, we achieved the runs with 1 wicket in hand, thanks to an innings of 43 from Chas Eadon-Clarke.

Chas took the batting aggregate honours for the season with 231 runs from his 7 games. Bob Preedy also passed 200 runs scoring 218 in 5 games, including an excellent 101 against North Perth.

Leading bowler was Dave Butcher with 23 wickets. Steve Melville took 20 wickets and John Raykos 19.

In the semi-final against grade winner Tuart Hill, the opposition amassed 239. Steve Melville bowled superbly to take 5/62 from 31 overs. We were always struggling after slumping to 4/17 and were eventually dismissed for 95, Mike Saporita top scoring with 43.

## **CHAPTER 9**

**1982/83**

The club administration saw the need for long term planning to ensure continued success in the future and accordingly took the step of introducing an under 16's team to the WASTCA junior competition in 1982/83, under the management of Peter Hewitt and Garry Gregan.

Unfortunately, due to strong competition for players from the surrounding suburban areas, the Applecross u'16's team did not prove to be a viable long term proposition. However, the legacy of the team is evidenced by the contribution made to the club's senior success by several of the junior players. Just look at some of the names who joined the club via the 1982/83 juniors:

Rob Pulley

Richard Mulroney

Nick Ashbrook

Brett McGregor

Ken McPherson

Richard Mulroney was the leading bat in the inaugural year, making 368 runs. Best of the bowlers were Nick Ashbrook with 25 wickets and Brett McGregor with 23 wickets.

A number of the juniors graduated to senior ranks during the season, particularly as the club struggled for senior players at times. During the winter Heathcote Cricket Club had decided to venture into the Metropolitan Cricket Association and as a result a number of Heathcote and non-Heathcote players left the club. Heathcote Oval was lost as a seniors home ground but was still available to the juniors. The club retained Mandala Reserve as a second home ground.

Peter Hewitt was elected President for the 3rd time, Garry Gregan was Secretary and Val Steenholdt Treasurer. Stuart Rankin was third grade captain, fifth grade captaincy was awarded to Peter McLean and seventh grade captain was Aubrey King.

### **Third Grade**

Despite the loss of players of the quality of Gary Tuckwell and John Speering the club's first XI performed strongly during the season, losing only 3 games and finishing in 3rd spot on the ladder, only 1.4 points behind grade winner Swanbourne. This position was assisted by taking 2 outright victories in the last 4 games.

Three batsmen stood out during the season, Tom Morgan leading the aggregate with 419 runs, followed by the consistent Allan Seubert with 394 runs and Eric Taylor 386 runs. The opening combination of Morgan and Taylor provided opening partnerships of 113 and 109 during the season.

The bowling attack was very even. Garry Gregan and new player Peter Bentley each took 27 wickets, Val Steenholdt took 22 wickets and Stuart Rankin 20 wickets.

The semi-final against arch rival Doubleview was a triumph for leg spinner Alan Burrough. Batting first we made a solid 213, Tom Morgan top scoring with 69 and Eric Taylor contributing 44. In reply Doubleview reached 40 without loss but then lost 10 wickets for 60, Alan Burrough the destroyer with 6/27. Batting a second time Doubleview reached 5/86 before conceding, Alan taking 3/30 giving him match figures of 9/57.



Tom Morgan

The grand final against Swanbourne was a disaster. We batted first and crashed to 3/5, then after a mini-recovery we lost our last 7 wickets for 34 to total only 78. The opposition totalled 209, Garry Gregan taking 4/41. Despite the loss, the club's first XI had achieved promotion for the third consecutive year.

### **Fifth Grade**

After winning 3 of the first 5 games the fifth grade team did not win again, finishing in 10th place and avoiding relegation by 5 points.

The batting was sound during the season, 4 players passing 200 runs - Mike Johnson (235), Alan Burrough (228), junior player Gavin Jones (217) and new player Robin Smith (212).

The bowling attack struggled to dismiss opposition teams, only Alan Burrough with 31 wickets passing 20 wickets. This gave Alan 44 wickets for the season when combined with his third grade performance. Nick Ashbrook took 17 wickets in his first taste of senior cricket.

### **Seventh Grade**

A terrible season for seventh grade, losing all matches and finishing in last place. The lack of depth in the club saw the team struggle to field 11 players at times.

As expected from such a poor season the batting and bowling figures were modest. Leading bowler was Mike Sibley with 14 wickets, Aubrey King taking 12 wickets. Leading batsman was Peter Newby with 162 runs.

## CHAPTER 10

1983/84

The 1983/84 season was highlighted by eighth grade's performance in becoming grade winner after being demoted the previous year. Generally speaking however, the club's playing strength was diminishing and the following 2 seasons were to prove dark years in the club's history.

Garry Gregan was elected President, Mike Saporita was Secretary and Steve Melville was Treasurer. Second grade captaincy was awarded to new recruit Steve McLaren, a talented all rounder who came from WACA club Mt Lawley and was related to Garry Gregan. Fifth grade captain was Mike Johnson and eighth grade captain was Peter Hewitt, with Geoff Johnson taking over the job during the season.

Stuart Rankin was suffering from back problems and his cricket was restricted to 3 second grade and 2 fifth grade matches.

The club lost the use of Mandala Reserve prior to the season commencing leaving only Shirley Strickland Reserve as a home ground.

Life membership was awarded to Jack Gregan for his off-field services to the club, in particular his commitment to gaining membership of AMPSA and shifting the club to Shirley Strickland Reserve.

Some well known names to join the club this season were Russell Kingdon, Andy Randles and Rod "Chucker" Hays.



Jack Gregan

In the under 16's, a young player by the name of Phil Holman made his debut for the club. Phil led the batting with 232 runs for the season. Richard Mulroneay contributed 211 runs in only 3 matches, highlighted by an innings of 100 not out against Victoria Park.

Jason Ramsay was the leading bowler, taking 42 wickets for the season, including a haul of 9/28 against Servite. These figures remain the best ever by a senior or junior for the club. Scott Herring provided good support with 21 wickets.

### Second Grade

After winning only 1 of the first 6 games and facing possible relegation, the team won all 5 games after Christmas (including 1 outright) to finish in fifth position. The team was strengthened during the season by the recruitment of left arm fast bowler Wes Lawrence from Doubleview and the return of George Prince from a work stint in the country.



The batting was competitive at times, the leading batsman was Phil Sexton with 242 runs followed by Peter Marshall with 229 runs. The bowling attack was lead by Steve McLaren with 28 wickets, supported by Garry Gregan (24 wickets) and Alan Burrough (21 wickets).

Amongst Tom Morgan's 12 wickets for the season was a haul of 4/23 against Churchlands. All 4 wickets came in 5 balls including a hat trick, thus Tom became only the second player to take a hat trick for the club. Tom's performances in the field were excellent and he deservedly won the Association second grade fielding award.

### **Fifth Grade**

Fifth grade won only 5 out of 11 games to finish in 8th place but could be considered unlucky, having scored over 200 in 2 lost games.

No batsman passed 200 runs for the season, the best being Robin Smith with 195 runs. Leading bowler was Nick Ashbrook with 29 wickets, whilst fellow former junior Brett McGregor took 17 wickets.

### **Eighth Grade**

After being dismissed for 60 in the first game, eighth grade had an outstanding season, losing only once more and winning the grade comfortably.

Leading batsman for the season was Rob Pulley with 295 runs, supported by Mike Saporita with 215 runs. One of the batting highlights of the season was an association record eighth wicket partnership of 119 between Andrew Sproul and Phil Martin against John XXIII which enabled the team to total 248 after being 7/93.

The bowling attack was lead by new player Andy Banks, who played his first game for the grade in round 6 and finished the season with 33 wickets, with hauls of 7/59 against Swanbourne and a great 7/35 against Wembley Downs in the semi-final. Support with the ball came from Geoff Johnson (25 wickets, including figures of 6/5 against Bassendean) and Aubrey King with 22 wickets.

In the semi-final against Wembley Downs the opposition was dismissed for 114 after having been 2/78 and after being under pressure at 5/57 we totalled 8/148. Rob Pulley top scored with 30. The grand final against John XXIII was a disappointing end to the season. We batted first and never recovered from 5/28 and eventually totalled 84. In reply, John XXIII totalled 340, best of the bowlers was Andy Banks with 4/66.



## **CHAPTER 11**

### **1984/85**

The first of 2 bleak seasons for the club, with first X1 being demoted and no other team making the finals. 1984/85 also was the final season of the under 16's team, under the management of George Prince. Increasing competition from surrounding junior clubs and competitions resulted in the team struggling for numbers, at times only fielding 7 players.

Stuart Rankin was elected club President, Andy Randalls was Secretary and Steve Melville was again Treasurer. Second grade captain was Eric Taylor, Stuart Rankin was fifth grade captain and seventh grade was captained by Rod Hays.

The club had use of Webber Reserve in Willagee as a home ground for seventh grade.

Amongst the names to join the club this season were Alex Weir and future club president Wayne "Lefty" Rideout.

#### **Second Grade**

A terrible season, not winning a game and finishing last by a large margin. No batsman scored over 200 runs, George Prince made 189 runs and Steve Melville 185. Only Garry Gregan with 23 wickets took 20 or more wickets.

The team's performance deteriorated as the season progressed as several players were relegated to the fifth grade team to help that team in its efforts to make the finals.

#### **Fifth Grade**

Unfortunately, the scorebook for the fifth grade season has been lost, although we do have the scoresheets for 7 of the 11 games. In a heartbreaking end to the season, the team finished in 5th position, only 0.16 points out of the finals, 2 losses in the last 3 games proving costly.

Individual statistics for the entire season are not available, but we do know that good performances with the bat came from Stuart Rankin, Phil Holman, Kevin Curgenven and Jason Ramsay. Alex Weir's bowling developed consistency and showed great promise for the future.

#### **Seventh Grade**

After winning 3 of the first 5 games the seventh grade team didn't win another game, finishing in 9th position.

Mark Gandy was the only player to pass 200 runs, batting consistently to total 281 runs. The bowling attack was steady, Rod Hays taking 22 wickets and Peter Hewitt 19 wickets.

## CHAPTER 12

1985/86

Another mediocre season, no team making the finals and the club's playing strength becoming very thin, with a particular impact on the seventh grade team.

Since Chas Eadon-Clarke in the first 2 seasons, no President had been in power for more than 1 season. This was again the case in 1985/86, Wayne Rideout being elected President. Andy Randalls was again Secretary and a junior from the previous season, Steve Putz, was Treasurer.

Third grade captain was Tom Morgan, Rod Hays was fifth grade captain and seventh grade captain was Russell Kingdon. The club lost the services of Garry Gregan during the season and his ability with bat and ball and his administration skills were missed.

Some of the well known names to debut for the club this season were Tim "Bucket Head" Downey, Pat O'Dwyer, Brad Douglas, Terry Clarke, Gary "Hack" Leask and Trevor Goddard.



Rod "Chucker" Hays

The club was at the crossroads at the end of this season, both on and off the field, and a major change in direction was required to ensure the club's future viability.

### Third Grade

A more competitive season from the club's first XI, winning 4 games and losing 5 (2 games washed out) to finish in 9th position. The 2 washouts were unfortunate as the team was in a reasonable position in both cases. But losing the last 3 games cost us the chance of a finals berth.

The batting was competitive. George Prince lead the way with 249 runs, Wayne Rideout scored 235 runs and Steve Melville 226 runs.

We struggled to bowl teams out and this is reflected in the bowling figures. Only Val Steenholdt with 18 wickets and Steve Melville 14 wickets took more than 10 wickets.

Tom Morgan's fine performances in the field earned him his second Association fielding award.

## **Fifth Grade**

For the second year in succession, fifth grade fell agonisingly short of a finals berth, falling 1.43 points out of the four in 6th place. A 4 run loss to Melville in round 9 proved costly. The team won 6 games for the season, 1 outright.

Phil Holman was the only player to pass 200 runs for the season, giving a hint of things to come with 260 runs. The individual batting highlight of the season was provided by Stuart Rankin, approaching retirement from the game because of continual back problems. He scored 101 against WACAE, his second century for the club and the club's first senior ton for 4 seasons.

Alex Weir lead the bowling attack, taking 25 wickets from 8 games, with a best haul of 6/32. Brad Douglas provided support with 18 wickets.

## **Seventh Grade**

After winning the first game of the season seventh grade did not win again, losing outright in most games and finishing in last place. The batting was disastrous, the team passing 100 only twice and being dismissed for less than 50 on 4 occasions. No batsman made a significant amount of runs. Andrew Sproul performed well with the ball, taking 25 wickets with his leg spinners.

## **CHAPTER 13**

### **1986/87**

The club elected Val Steenholdt President during the off season and the turnaround of the club's fortunes was underway. But not even the most optimistic member could have envisaged what would be achieved - 2 grade winners and an undefeated premiership for third grade.

The success can be attributed to Val's "coup" of recruiting champion footballer Peter Spencer as club coach and third grade captain. Peter's cricket experience was mainly with WACA club South Perth and the combination of his cricket ability, leadership qualities and enthusiasm rubbed off on the whole club. He also placed a lot of emphasis on physical fitness and a number of players no doubt still remember the push-up/sit-up session before the season started.

Russell Kingdon was elected club Secretary and Andy Randalls was Treasurer. Fifth grade captain was Rod Hays and Val Steenholdt was eighth grade captain. The club's home grounds were still Shirley Strickland and Webber Reserves.

Amongst the players to debut for the club this season were Glen Spencer (Peter's cousin) and journalist Evan Samuel. Stuart Rankin's long and successful association with the club had come to a close after a long battle with a back injury.



### Third Grade

A terrific season from a team that showed plenty of the fighting spirit displayed by captain Peter Spencer throughout his football career. The team won 10 games and drew 1 game that was washed out, to win the grade comfortably by 16 points.

The batting was very consistent all season, Peter leading the way with 529 runs opening the batting. George Prince supported Peter with 393 runs, followed by Tom Morgan with 339 runs and Alex Weir, who showed great all round ability, with 316 runs. Richard Mulroney (251 runs) and Peter Marshall (227 runs) were also prominent.



Tom Morgan & Peter Spencer

Tom's aggregate included an excellent 101 not out against Swanbourne, his second hundred for the club. The bowling attack was very strong and would have tested the best batting line-ups. Alex Weir took 35 wickets, Rob Pulley 29 wickets and Glen Spencer 27 wickets (giving Rob 32 wickets and Glen 31 wickets for the season when combined with wickets taken for fifth grade early in the season).

The match against Swanbourne wasn't only memorable for Tom's hundred. Alex completed a hat trick with the final ball of his 12th over and first 2 balls of his 13th over, on his way to figures of 5/21.

The semi-final against volatile team Girrawheen was a topsy-turvy affair. Batting first on a seaming pitch we were always struggling and could total only 95. However, superb bowling from Alex Weir (5/19) and Glen Spencer (5/40) saw us dismiss Girrawheen for 64. Batting a second time the game was virtually parcelled up at 4/76, but we lost our last 6 wickets for 28. Set the task of scoring 136 to win outright, Girrawheen raced to 1/55 but then Rob Pulley produced a devastating spell of bowling, taking 7/20 and dismissing the opposition for 85.

The performances above emphasise Peter Spencer's ability to extract the best out of the club's young talent.

The build up to the grand final against Swanbourne was shrouded in controversy when the game was switched to Allen Park, Swanbourne's home ground, at the last minute. But this amazing decision only strengthened the team's resolve. Bowling first, we had the opposition 6/80 but they recovered to total 197. Alex Weir (3/40), Glen Spencer (3/58) and Rob Pulley (3/48) shared the bowling honours. In reply we fell to 2/31 early on but then, lead by a superb unbeaten 75 by Peter Spencer, we methodically made our way towards the target, winning with 4 wickets in hand.



Standing L to R – Tim Downey , Glen Spencer , Steve Melville , Richard Mulroney , Alex Weir , Robert Pulley , Phil Holman (12th man).

Seated L to R – George Prince , Eric Taylor , Peter Spencer © , Tom Morgan (v/c) , Peter Marshall.



The square leg umpire in the grand final was a passed player and captain of the club Mike Johnson . Here getting the best view in the house watching Peter Spencer cut his way to 75 no.

## **Fifth Grade**

A disappointing season from a team with a fair degree of talent. The team won only 4 games out of 11 to finish in 9th position. Thus the club's second XI had missed the finals for the 5th successive season.

Apart from 2 individual highlights, the batting was very brittle. Leading batsman was Paul Linehan with 267 runs in only 5 games. Phil Holman came next with 225 runs. Included in Phil's runs was a hard hitting 101 not out against Tuart Hill, scored between tea and stumps and including 12 fours and 4 sixes. In the previous game against Swanbourne, Brad Douglas made a superb 134 batting at number 8, hitting 18 fours and 2 sixes. This innings enabled the team to total 255 after being 6/50.

The bowling was far more effective, with a large number of players taking wickets. The only player to pass 20 wickets for the season was Pat O'Dwyer with 25 wickets.

## **Eighth Grade**

A great comeback after being demoted the previous season, losing only 3 games and winning the grade by just 0.08 points and gaining promotion to seventh grade.

The batting was sound and was lead by captain Val Steenholdt, who had a terrific season with the bat, scoring 447 runs. Val was unlucky not to score a hundred during the season, making 85 against Melville and then 92 versus Bedford. The other player to pass 200 runs was Evan Samuel with 244 runs.

Kevin "Eddie" Curgenven scored 197 runs in just 3 games, including a fine 100 against Murdoch University, on a day when the team totalled 8/323. The bowling attack was very effective. Peter Hewitt had a great year with his left arm spinners, taking 37 wickets including 2 six wicket hauls. Val topped off his year by taking 24 wickets and Terry Clarke took 24 wickets, including his best ever figures of 8/36 against WAIT.

The semi-final against Swanbourne was a sad end to the season. After batting strongly all year the team crashed to be dismissed for only 39. The opposition lost 5 wickets in passing this total and were eventually dismissed for 102. Nick Ashbrook bowled superbly to take 6/19 off 25 overs and Peter Hewitt took 4/27. Batting a second time, we were 7/86 when the game ended.



George Prince , Val Steenholdt and  
die Curgenven

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## CHAPTER 14

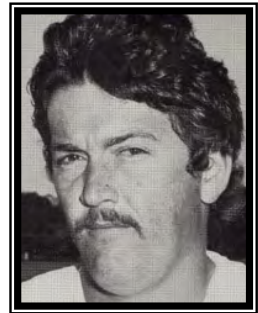
1987/88

In a season of many highlights, including the introduction of a fourth XI and 3 out of 4 teams making the finals, the major achievement was the second grade premiership, which gave the club promotion to first grade for the first time.

Val Steenholdt was again President whilst his wife Lorraine was Secretary and Russell Kingdon was Treasurer. Peter Spencer was again captain/coach, Eric Taylor was awarded fifth grade captaincy and Val Steenholdt retained captaincy of the seventh grade. The success of the previous season had attracted the interest of a number of cricketers and the decision was taken to introduce a fourth XI in eighth grade. To gain Association approval for the extra team the club negotiated the use of Winthrop Oval as a home ground. Melville City Council had laid a new pitch at the oval and it was used by seventh and eighth grade during the season.

Foundation member Tim Searson and early years player Rob Adair returned to the club to coincide with the introduction of the 4th team. Rob was awarded captaincy of the team, although it was taken over by Terry Clarke during the season. Included amongst the names to join the club this season were Adrian Reynolds and John Scarfe.

The club awarded life membership to Peter Hewitt in recognition of his services to the club on the field and in administrative roles over the past 10 years.



Peter Hewitt

### Second Grade

Although not the invincible team of the previous year, second grade still had a very strong season, winning 8 games, losing 2 and tying 1 to finish in 2nd place. The team went 19 games without defeat under Peter Spencer's captaincy.

For the 2nd year, Peter Spencer surpassed 500 runs, making 524 runs. Phil Holman arrived as a top line player, making 424 runs. Tom Morgan (286) and Richard Mulroney (217) provided good support. The bowling attack was very solid. Nick Ashbrook lead the way with 25 wickets, Alex Weir took 24 wickets, Glen Spencer 18 wickets and Rob Pulley 16 wickets. Steve Melville returned the best figures for the season, taking a sensational 7/62 against Teachers. Nick Ashbrook also excelled as a tail end batsman, scoring 130 runs in 9 innings with only 1 dismissal, giving him an average of 130!

Under Peter Spencer the first XI had developed a reputation for never giving up and this was perfectly illustrated in the semi-final against South Perth. Batting first, the opposition pasted the attack, scoring 6/310. Nick Ashbrook and Rob Pulley took 2 wickets each. The odds are stacked heavily against a team reaching such a large total in a final, but a great 2nd wicket partnership of 133 between Peter Spencer (75 runs) and Tom Morgan (61 runs) kept us in the hunt. Then strong batting from Phil Sexton, Richard Mulroney and Alex Weir took us to within 40 runs with 4 overs remaining. Glen Spencer then took the attack apart, smashing 23 runs including 2 sixes (one of which lost the ball). With 1 ball to go Nick Ashbrook tied the scores with 1 wicket in hand, but the last ball was never bowled. Having finished ahead of

South Perth on points during the season a draw was enough to gain a grand final berth and knowing this, the large group of club members and supporters who had gathered to watch the final few overs broke into pandemonium, invading the pitch in celebration. The umpires were forced to abandon the game and a grand final spot and promotion to first grade was ours.

A sensational end to what must rank as the best team batting performance in the club's history.

The grand final against grade winners Bassendean was reduced to a one day game because of rain during the week. Batting first on a soft track the opposition struggled to reach 140. Alex Weir took 3/30 while Nick Ashbrook, Rob Pulley and Richard Mulroney took 2 wickets each. In reply we were in big trouble at 4/25 but then Phil Holman and George Prince took the attack apart, adding 113 in just 65 minutes. Phil smashed 78 (13 fours and a six) and was dismissed 3 runs short of victory. George finished 38 not out and we won by 5 wickets. To top the season off Tom Morgan won his third association fielding award.



Back Row : George Prince, Phil Holman, Nick Ashbrook, Glen Spencer,

Front Row: David Well, Tom Morgan, Peter Spencer, Robert Pulley, Richard Mulroney

Absent: Dave McIlwraith, Phil Sexton, Alex Weir.

## **Fifth Grade**

After winning just 1 of the first 4 games, fifth grade stormed into the finals, winning the last 7 qualifying games to finish in 3rd place. The turning point came in round 5, when a fine 109 by Phil Sexton and bowling figures of 7/23 by Paul Brooks set up a strong victory over Tuart Hill.

Eric Taylor had a terrific season with the bat, scoring 456 runs, the highlight being an innings of 105 not out in the opening game against Hammersley - Carine. He was unlucky not to score another century, making 96 against Whitfords.

Eric recieved good support from Tim Downey (328 runs) and Trevor Goddard (264 runs).

The bowling attack was very even, a number of players getting amongst the wickets. Leading wicket taker was Brett McGregor with 28 wickets, followed by Steve Melville with 20 wickets. Nick Ashbrook took 16 wickets in the first 4 games, giving him 41 wickets for the season when combined with his first grade efforts.

The bowling highlight of the season was Nick's haul of 6/26 against Wembley, which included the 5th hat trick in the club's history.

In the semi-final against Wembley, we dismissed the opposition for 146, although we did let them off the hook having had them 7/57. Paul Linehan took 3/32 whilst Steve Melville and Eric Taylor took 2 wickets each. Reaching the target was a struggle and we lost 8 wickets in doing so. Steve Melville top scored with a solid 46. The grand final against grade winner Nollamara was the one that got away. Bowling first we had the opposition 6/57 but they recovered to total 136. Brett McGregor bowled superbly, taking 6/30 off 16.3 overs. In reply, the premiership seemed well in hand at 3/86 after some good batting from Peter Marshall, who top scored with 47. But then came a distastuous collapse, the last 7 wickets falling for 37 runs, and we fell short of victory by an agonising 12 runs.

A sad end to a great season, but the club's second XI had secured promotion to fourth grade in 1988/89.

## **Seventh Grade**

Another strong season from the club's third XI, losing only 3 games to finish in 4th place. Captain Val Steenholdt lead the batting from the front, scoring 324 runs. Support came from Phil Green and John Scarfe, each scoring 226 runs.

Leg spinner Alan Burrough was the leading bowler, taking 32 wickets, including a haul of 7/43 against Tuart Hill. But the best figures for the season came from Val, who took 7/13 against Murdoch University amongst his 16 wickets for the season. Pat O'Dwyer also chipped in with 16 wickets.

Apart from making the finals, the team highlight for the season occurred early in the season, when we totalled 9/414 against Bentley, the club's highest ever team total. Paul Linehan provided another highlight against Dou-bleview, scoring 116, an innings which included an amazing 8 sixes!

In the semi-final against Mosman Park we dismissed the opposition for 115, Terry Clarke the destroyer with 6/18. In reply we crashed, losing our first 8 wickets for 38 before a defiant 34 by Terry took the total to 86, 30 runs short of victory.

## **Eighth Grade**

A competitive first season from the club's fourth XI, winning 5 out of 11 games to finish in 8th place.

The batting was generally sound, although only 2 players passed 200 runs for the season. Des Baccini scored 239 from only 5 games, including an innings of 121 against Victoria Park. Terry Clarke scored 205 runs. Terry carried the bowling attack, taking 34 wickets, giving him 40 wickets for the season when combined with his performance in the seventh grade semi-final. No other player passed 20 wickets.

The most important aspect of the eighth grade performance was the club's successful expansion to 4 teams with no detrimental affect on playing performance and player numbers.

## **CHAPTER 15**

### **1988/89**

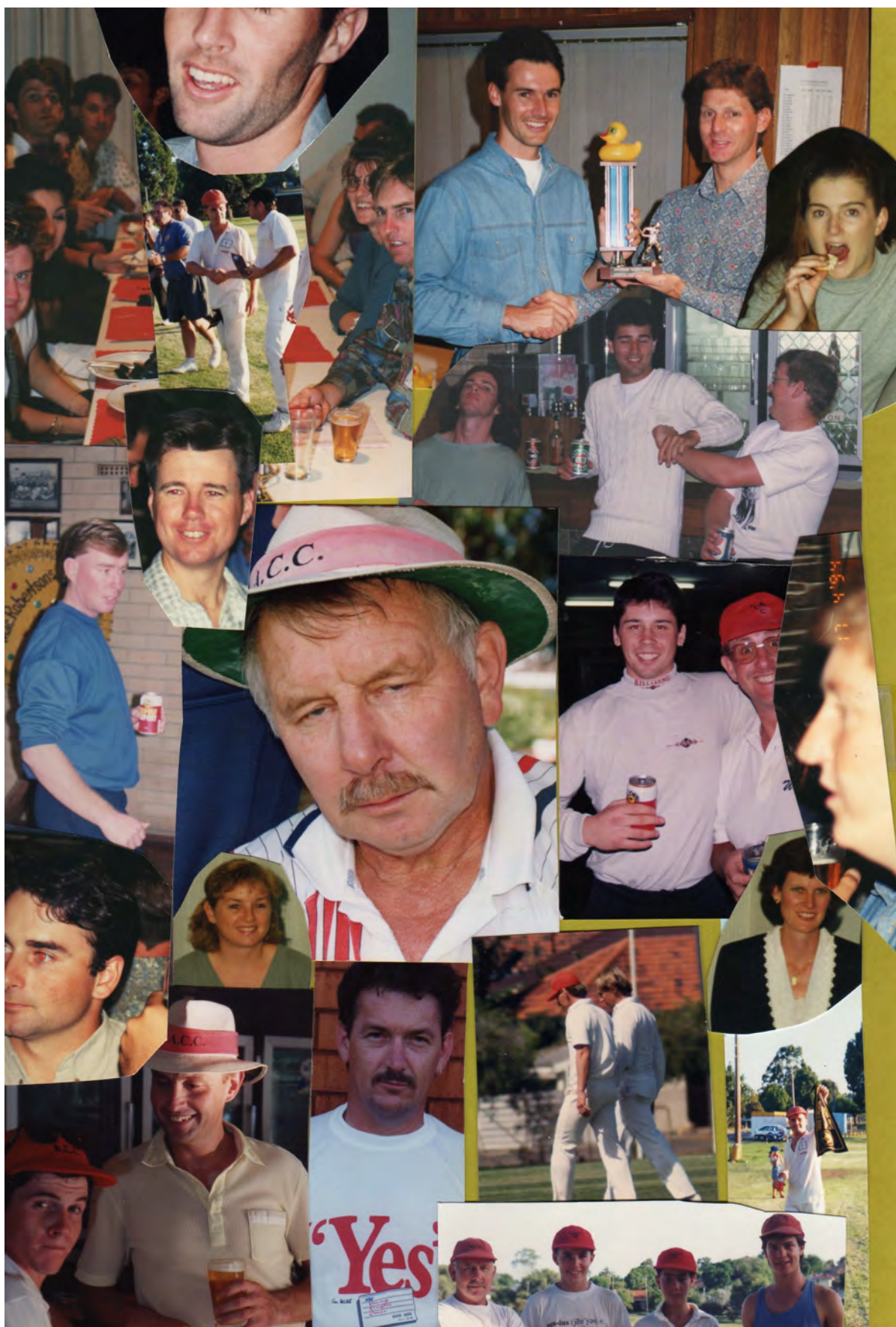
The club's historic inaugural season in first grade was made memorable by the recruitment of a professional cricketer from English county club, Worcester. John Wright was his name and he came with a reputation as a hard hitting opening bat and off-spinner.

Val Steenholdt was President for the third consecutive season and he was instrumental in John Wright's recruitment. Val's wife Lorraine was Secretary and Debbie Clarke, wife of player Terry, was Treasurer.

Peter Spencer was again club captain/coach, Val Steenholdt was seventh grade captain and Terry Clarke eighth grade captain. Fourth grade captaincy was awarded to another new recruit, Sam Hume, an experienced player and coach well known in cricket circles.

Other well known players to debut for the club this season were Doug Stirling, Brad Weir, Brad Favas and Gordon "Jock" McPherson.





## **First Grade**

A frustrating year for the club's first XI, proving itself more than competitive in the Association's top grade but just missing out on a finals spot by 4 points. The frustration came from losses by 2 runs to Melville and 1 run (off the last ball of the match) to eventual premiers Nollamara.

The batting was solid, lead by Phil Holman with 375 runs. Peter Spencer had another good season, scoring 353 runs, John Wright made 288 runs and George Prince chipped in with 208 runs.

The individual highlight of the season was John Wright's hard hitting 104 against Tuart Hill, which included 6 sixes.

The bowling attack struggled at times and was carried by Rob Pulley, with 29 wickets. His bowling average of 12.38 was good enough to win the Association first grade bowling award, a fine achievement. Rob took 3 wickets early in the season for fourth grade, giving him 32 wickets for the season.

Phil Holman became the club's second Association team representative, being selected for the WASTCA colts team.

## **Fourth Grade**

A disappointing season, winning 5 games (including 1 forfeit) and finishing in 8th place, less than 9 points out of the finals. A 2 run loss to Marist Newman Old Boys in round 10 proved costly.

The batting was competitive, Sam Hume leading the way with 251 runs, Trevor Goddard (246) and Dave McIlwraith (240) not far behind.

A number of players got amongst the wickets, the leading bowler being Brett McGregor with 25 wickets. Brett's average of 14.60 won him the Association fourth grade bowling award. Next highest wicket taker was Brad Douglas with 14 wickets.

## **Seventh Grade**

Unfortunately the scorebook is lost for seventh grade this season, which is disappointing because the team had a terrific season, winning the grade comfortably. We do have the scoresheets of 6 qualifying games and the semi-final, thanks to the assistance of other clubs.



This grade win represented Val Steenholdt's third as a captain. From the records available it is obvious the batting was strong. Good batting performances came from Andy Randalls, Doug Stirling, Phil Green, Russell Kingdon, Paul Brooks and John Scarfe. However, the highlight came from Adrian Reynolds, who won the Association seventh grade batting award with an average of 50.75.

Bowlers to get amongst the wickets were Paul Brooks, Peter Hewitt, Pat O'Dwyer and Ray Alberts.

In the semi-final against Bedford, the team batted very solidly, scoring 9/231. John Scarfe top scored with 62 and Doug Stirling scored 44. In the field, a fine bowling performance by Paul Brooks, 5/37 from 20 overs, enabled the team to dismiss Bedford for 177.

Unfortunately, the scoresheet of the grand final against Wembley Downs isn't available, but the season did not finish on a winning note.

### **Eighth Grade**

Eighth grade won only 2 of the first 6 games but stormed home to finish in 4th place, a fine effort in only it's second season.

The batting was sound and was lead by new players Steve Scott with 306 runs, including an innings of 101 against Girrawheen. Support with the bat came from captain Terry Clarke (226 runs) and another new player Michael Webb (215 runs).

Terry lead the bowling attack, taking 37 wickets for the season. Michael Webb supported him with 25 wickets, including 8 in the semi-final. Brad Favas chipped in with 16 wickets.

The semi-final against grade winner South Perth was a case of snatching defeat from the jaws of victory. Batting first, we struggled to total 91, but immediately struck back to have the opposition 5/17. South Perth fought back but lost their last 4 wickets for 8 runs and were dismissed for 86. Michael Webb bowled superbly to take 6/17 from 19.1 overs. Batting a second time to see out the match, we lost 7 wickets for 11 runs on the way to totalling only 84. Needing 90 for outright victory the opposition achieved the target for the loss of only 4 wickets. A devastating loss after such a great effort in the first innings.

## CHAPTER 16

1989/90

The success of the previous 3 seasons had come at a cost, particularly due to the expense of importing John Wright for the previous season and attracting quality players such as Peter Spencer. The club finances were in precarious shape at the start of this season and the new committee took steps to return the club to a stable footing during the season.

Peter Hewitt was elected President for the 4th time, Tim Downey was Secretary and Steve Melville was Treasurer. Peter Spencer was first grade captain whilst Sam Hume was appointed club coach. Val Steenholdt was appointed fourth grade captain, Steve Scott seventh grade captain and Andrew Sproul eighth grade captain.

Pierre Every, Rob Mulroney and Matt Campbell made their debuts for the club this season.

Overall, the season was modest on the field, with no team featuring in the finals, but was an excellent and important season financially.

### First Grade

A disappointing season, the team winning 4 games and tying one other (as well as a washout) to finish mid-table. We generally struggled against the top ranked teams and the loss of Phil Holman, who had moved to WACA club Fremantle, certainly dented the team's strength.

The batting struggled all season, only Peter Spencer with 257 runs passed 200 runs. Tim Downey was next best with 197 runs.

The bowling attack was carried by Rob Pulley with 32 wickets. Alex Weir wasn't far behind, taking 24 wickets.

The team's ability to mix it with the best was shown against eventual premiers Nollamara once again, tying the last game of the season.

### Fourth Grade

A competitive season from fourth grade, winning 4 out of 11 games to finish mid-table.

Only one player passed 200 runs for the season, Paul Brooks scoring 283 runs, highlighted by an innings of 103 against WACA. Val Steenholdt was next best with 198. The wickets were shared amongst a number of players and no player passed 20 wickets. Brett McGregor lead the way with 18 wickets.

The match against Curtin University at Shirley Strickland Reserve was notable for an amazing innings by an opposition first grader playing down the grades. Taking advantage of shortened boundaries, Rob Hearne smashed 237 not out, featuring an incredible 16 sixes!

## **Seventh Grade**

After losing the first 2 games, seventh grade won 7 straight and seemed certain to make the finals. But losses in the last 2 games cost us a finals place.

The batting was adequate if not strong. Only new player Paul Foley passed 200 runs, scoring 228 runs. Next best was Adrian Reynolds with 177 runs.

The bowling attack was very strong. Pat O'Dwyer lead the way with 35 wickets, with Eddie Rigg (23 wickets) and Michael Webb (21 wickets) giving plenty of support.

## **Eighth Grade**

After winning just 1 of the first 5 games, eighth grade won 4 games in succession and threatened a finals place, but missed out after losing the last 2 games.

The batting struggled all season, Pierre Every leading the way with 176 runs. Rod Hays scored 154 runs.

The bowling attack was very even. Terry Clarke took 19 wickets, followed by Brad Favas with 15 wickets.

## CHAPTER 17

1990/91

This season probably ranks as the darkest in the club's history, both on and off the field.

Peter Hewitt was again President, Adrian Reynolds Secretary and Steve Melville Treasurer. The efforts to improve the club's financial position continued, however this did have a detrimental effect on playing strength, with no scope to provide incentives. Also, the club lost the services of Peter Spencer because of work commitments, while quality bowlers Rob Pulley and Alex Weir moved to WACA club South Perth.

The end result of these circumstances was the relegation of 3 out of 4 teams, only seventh grade flying the flag, making the finals.

The club had further problems with our home grounds. Shirley Strickland could not be used after Christmas because of problems with the water bore, while Winthrop Oval was placed off limits to the club at the same time until change rooms were constructed. The oval would not be used by the club again until 1993/94.

First grade captaincy was awarded to Richard Mulroney, fourth grade captain was Russell Kingdon (but changed to Sam Hume during the season), Pierre Every was seventh grade captain and Matt Campbell captained eighth grade.

Among the names to debut this season were future captains Greg Pennefather and Steve Doble.

The club's 4th life membership was awarded to David Wells for his services as first XI scorer and off field efforts over many years.

### First Grade

A disastrous season, finishing last without a victory. As the season wore on, several first grade regulars played in lower grades, further impacting on the team's performances.

The batting was very brittle. Doug Stirling performed well, scoring 285 runs. Only Richard Mulroney (199) and George Prince (188) offered any support.

Brett McGregor bore the brunt of the bowling, taking 22 wickets. Only Eric Taylor with 13 wickets also passed 10 wickets.



David Wells

## **Fourth Grade**

Although competitive at times fourth grade won only 3 games and could not avoid relegation to fifth grade for the following season.

Two of the victories were made possible by fine individual performances. Sam Hume batted superbly for 121 in leading the team in a great victory over Mosman Park after being set a target of 300. Then Tom Morgan recorded his 3rd century for the club, scoring 100 against Swanbourne in another excellent run chase.

Sam lead the season's batting with 299 runs, Tom was next best with 174 runs. The bowling struggled at times, Eric Taylor leading the way with 16 wickets.

## **Seventh Grade**

A great effort from seventh grade, winning 7 out of 11 games to win a finals berth, giving the club some joy in an otherwise bleak season.

Steve Scott lead the batting with 282 runs, with Pierre Every (207), Nick Sayers (190) and Adrian Reynolds (185) providing support.

New player Domenic Roberts provided the individual highlight of the season, scoring 105 against Marist Newman Old Boys. Adrian Reynolds also deserves mention, opening the batting against Bedford and carrying his bat for 77 not out in a total of 147.

The bowling was lead by Pierre with 32 wickets for the season. Support came from Pat O'Dwyer with 23 wickets, giving him 30 wickets for the season when adding 7 wickets taken in fourth grade. Steve Scott followed with 17 wickets while Brad Favas took 16 wickets.

In the semi-final against Shenton Park we were unlucky to encounter a batsman who amazingly scored 103 out of a total of only 150, otherwise a much lower total would have resulted. Pierre took 5/36 and Pat 4/18. In reply, a middle order collapse, losing 6/19, put paid to our chances. We eventually totalled 90.

## **Eighth Grade**

Eighth grade struggled all season, winning just 1 game and being relegated to ninth grade. The batting was reasonably competitive, however opposition teams scored heavily off the bowling attack. Three batsman stood out, Greg Pennefather 242 runs, Matt Campbell 235 runs and Andrew Sproul 210 runs. Wickets were hard to come by, but Garry Leask bowled superbly to take 28 wickets, including three 6 wicket hauls.

## **CHAPTER 18**

**1991/92**

The club was firmly at the crossroads at the start of this season and a heavy commitment was made to the recruitment of youth and new senior cricketers.

Russell Kingdon was elected President for the first time, Adrian Reynolds was Secretary and Doug Stirling Treasurer. Second grade captain was Richard Mulroney, Sam Hume was fifth grade captain, Pierre Every was again seventh grade captain and Russell Kingdon was captain of ninth grade.

The club made a number of positive off-field moves. A new pitch was laid at Shirley Strickland and our second home ground officially became Melville Reserve.

Negotiations with Melville City Council were commenced with a view to having 4 new practice wickets laid adjacent to the football oval. Work was also commenced on the compilation of statistics for every player to have represented the club.

Peter Hewitt's long association with the club as a player and administrator came to an end after 14 years due to work commitments.

Although the season was basically a rebuilding year, the fifth grade team excelled, winning the grade and going on to win the club's 4th premiership.

### **Second Grade**

A disappointing season, the first XI winning just 3 games to finish in the lower half of the table. The bowling attack performed very well but unfortunately were let down by the batting line-up on too many occasions.

Only new players Rocky Musolino with 285 runs and Michael Kapiteyn with 209 runs passed 200 runs for the season.

Rob Mulroney bowled superbly all year, taking 33 wickets. Support came from Rob Pulley (who had returned to the club after a successful season with WACA club South Perth) with 17 wickets. Brett McGregor took 16 wickets.



## **Fifth Grade**

After losing the first game of the season the fifth grade team never looked back under Sam Hume's leadership, losing only 1 more game and winning the grade.

The success continued in the finals, the team batting superbly in the semi-final to record a strong victory. Then with bad weather during the week making play in the grand final against Wembley Downs impossible, the premiership was deservedly won by the team by virtue of its grade winning performance. Although all players were disappointed not to play the grand final, we have no doubt that we would have been victorious.

The batting was highlighted by the performances of new player Des Carruthers and Brad Douglas in both scoring centuries in the same innings against Tuart Hill. Des scored 100 and Brad 102 not out (his 2nd century for the club) as the team scored 8/390.

Another new player, Simon Shalders, scored a fine 114 in the previous game against Wembley, helping the team to another large score of 298. Over the season, Sam Hume lead the batting with 257 runs. Des with 211 runs and Val Steenholdt with 208 runs were the other players to pass 200.

The bowling honours were shared by a number of players. Val and Eric Taylor lead the way with 16 wickets each and Glen Spencer took 15 wickets.

In the semi-final against Tuart Hill we put together a great team batting performance, using 95 overs in compiling 9/277. Sam top scored with 55, young player Hamish Chng and Val each scored 42 and most other players reached double figures. In reply, Tuart Hill were never in the hunt after crashing to 5/21 and eventually totalled 141. Glen Spencer returned the outstanding figures of 5/17 off 14 overs. Brad Weir gave great support with 3/32.

Batting a second time we were dismissed for 107 but the opposition then conceded defeat. This victory was in reality as important as winning a grand final because of the wash out the following week. Accordingly, the team which won the club's fourth premiership.



Standing : Brad Weir , Michael Webb , Eric Taylor , Hamish Chng , Kenn MacPherson ( 12<sup>th</sup> man ) ,  
Glen Spencer , David Wells ,

Seated : Greg Pennefather , Val Steenholdt , Steve Melville , Sam Hume © , Kim Stammers ,  
Des Carruthers.



Sam Hume after celebrating the clubs premiership

## **Seventh Grade**

After a slow start to the season seventh grade recovered well, winning 5 games to finish just outside a finals place. Although the bowling attack performed very well the batting lacked consistency.

Adrian Reynolds was the leading batsman with 268 runs, followed closely by Greg Pennefather with 259 runs. No other player scored over 150 runs. Adrian and Greg only played 5 games each.

The bowling was far more effective, young recruit Matt Halliday leading the way with 25 wickets. Pierre Every took 22 wickets and Ben Kingston chipped in with 15 wickets. The season ended on a bright note for Greg Pennefather by winning the Association seventh grade batting award with an average of 64.25. Andrew Sproul's fielding was noticed by the umpires and he won the Association fielding award.

## **Ninth Grade**

The ninth grade team only played 7 games during the season after forfeiting the first 2 matches but fought the season out well, winning 3 matches and finishing in 5th place in a reduced field of teams.

Matt Campbell was the leading batsman with 173 runs, no other player passed 150 runs. Garry Leask was the leading wicket taker with 18 wickets, highlighted by a great haul of 7/46 against Bedford.

On a general note, round 5 was an historic fixture for the club with all 4 grades winning their matches, the first time we achieved a 100% record.



Greg Pennefather



Andrew Sproul





## CHAPTER 19

1992/93

The improvement of the previous season carried on in 1992/93 with 3 teams making the finals and most importantly, second grade winning the grade and getting another chance in first grade.

The season commenced with the recruiting of a new captain/coach, Richard Lynch, who had experience with WACA club South Perth and had also played league football for South Fremantle.

Off field developments included the availability of the new training nets and the unveiling of the honour boards in the club rooms. Russell Kingdon was again elected President, Adrian Reynolds was Secretary (though his services were lost during the season due to a work transfer) and Doug Stirling was Treasurer.

The major development for the season was the decision to introduce a 5th team to the club, taking part in eighth grade in its first season. Captaincy of the team was awarded to Russell Kingdon.

Richard Lynch was first XI captain, fourth grade captain was Des Carruthers, Pierre Every was seventh grade captain and ninth grade captaincy was shared during the season by Glen Warber, Matt Campbell and Richard Campbell.

### Second Grade

A return to power by the club's first XI under Richard Lynch's leadership, going through the qualifying rounds undefeated to win the grade and be guaranteed a first grade place in the following season.

The playing strength of the team was strengthened by the recruitment of players of the calibre of Greg Oldfield, Lee McIntosh, Jeff Wootton and Damian O'Hara.

The batting performed very consistently all season and the team generally posted scores in excess of 200. Greg Oldfield lead the batting with 371 runs, closely followed by Rocky Musolino (366) Richard Lynch (351) and Rob Pulley (274). Batting highlight of the season was provided by Richard, scoring a fine 109 against Murdoch University.

The bowling attack was very strong which no opposition team could score 200 against. Eric Taylor (27 wickets), Nick Ashbrook (25 wickets) and Rob Mulroney (22 wickets) all took over 20 wickets.

Unfortunately, the team's one poor performance came in the semi-final against Mosman Park. After being sent in to bat on a damp wicket we struggled to total only 80, Greg Oldfield top scoring with 33 runs. At one stage the opposition were 6/62 but managed to total 115. Jeff Wootton took 4/42 and Rob Pulley 3/28. Batting a second time in a chase for quick runs we collapsed to be all out for 63 and Mosman Park coasted to outright victory.





Angus Castley





## Fourth Grade

A fine effort by the club's 2nd XI to win 7 games during the season to finish in 4th place. We were also robbed of a certain victory against eventual grade winners Nedlands by bad weather, however made up for the bad luck by defeating Nedlands in the semi-final.

The team's batting performances were inconsistent. Captain Des Carruthers was the only player to pass 200 runs, scoring 251 runs. Next best was Matt Halliday with 182 runs.

The individual batting highlight for the season was provided by Richard Mulroney in smashing 121 against Shenton Park, an innings which included 10 fours and 6 sixes.

The bowling attack performed strongly. Brett McGregor was the leading wicket taker with 24 wickets, Val Steenholdt took 21 wickets and new player Lee McIntosh and Brad Favas took 18 wickets each. Jeff Wootton played 1 game in seventh grade against Murdoch University and took 11 wickets for the match, including figures of 7/45 in the 2nd innings. In the semi-final against Nedlands the team bowled superbly, dismissing the opposition for 138. Lee McIntosh (3/23), Brad Favas (3/28) and Brad Weir (2/33) shared the bowling honours. In reply we were in trouble at 4/33 but good batting from Lee (55 not out) and Matt Halliday (27) saw us home with 4 wickets in hand.



Richard Mulroney

The grand final against Bassedean was marred by an unfortunate incident, when a sprinkler left on the turf wicket changed the nature of the pitch, much to our disadvantage. The opposition were 3/161 at stumps on the first day but the pitch was very difficult for batting on the 2nd day. Bassendean swung hard to total 8/223, Lee McIntosh and Val Steenholdt taking 2 wickets each. We were always struggling under the conditions and totalled 122.

A disappointing end to the season but the team won promotion to third grade under the new Association rules whereby the second XI was tied to the fortunes of the first XI. Des Carruthers topped off his season by winning the Association fourth grade fielding award.

On an interesting note, possibly the team's best win for the season was against the first XI when both teams had a bye due to the demise of Rossmoyne - Brentwood.

## **Seventh Grade**

Seventh grade performed very consistently all season, losing only 2 games and tying 1 other to finish in 3rd place and then going on to play in the grand final.

The team's strength was certainly its bowling attack. Only John Scarfe (272 runs) and Garry Leask (207) passed 200 runs for the season. Simon Shalders provided the individual highlight of the season with his 2nd century for the club, 129 against Bentley.

Leading wicket taker was captain Pierre Every with 27 wickets, with Simon Clifford next best with 17 wickets. Brett McGregor played in the finals and took 9 wickets, giving him 33 wickets for the season when combined with his fourth grade efforts.

In the semi-final against Whitfords, the opposition had no answer to the bowling of Brett McGregor, who took 7/43. "Big Al" Field chipped in with 2 wickets and Whitfords could only total 90. In reply we lost 7 wickets passing the target and totalled 121. Whitfords declared at 6/126 batting again and we showed great composure to win the match outright by 6 wickets, Greg Pennefather scoring 48 not out.

We batted first in the grand final against Wembley and were always struggling after being 3/8 and eventually totalled 114. Doug Stirling top scored with 38. The opposition lost only 4 wickets passing the total but crashed from 4/150 to be all out for 167. John Scarfe took 3/8 and Al Field 2/41. Doug Stirling scored 43 in our 2nd innings but there wasn't enough time to force an outright result.

## **Eighth Grade**

A fair season from a very young team, winning 3 games to finish in 8th place.

Leading batsman was captain Russell Kingdon with 270 runs, next best was new player Angus Castley with 171 runs. Rhys Jenkins with 15 wickets was the only player to take more than 10 wickets.

In the first game of the season against Curtin University the team was dismissed for 30 in the 1st innings, the lowest score in the club's history at the time.

## **Ninth Grade**

Ninth grade won 3 games for the season and finished well down the ladder but were competitive throughout.

Rhys Jenkins was the leading run scorer with 223 runs and his run scoring in seventh and eighth grade gave him a total of 464 runs for the season.

Peter Martin scored 209 runs. Ryan Greenwell played only 2 games for the season, highlighted by an innings of 132 not out against Rossmoyne - Brentwood which was also his first game for the club. Glen Warber was leading wicket taker with 18 wickets, Peter Martin and Cameron Brien took 10 wickets each.

New player Cory Seelman caught the umpire's eye during the season and won the Association ninth grade fielding award.

## CHAPTER 20

1993/94

A sensational season for the club, highlighted by the introduction of a sixth team, a barrage of centuries and records, 5 out of 6 teams playing in the finals and the club's 5th premiership won by the ninth grade "two's".

The only disappointing aspects of the season were the struggling efforts of the first XI and the grand final losses of seventh and eighth grades.

The club continued to grow in strength off the field, the financial position becoming very sound and more than enough players were available to allow the introduction of a sixth team. Unfortunately, the Association would not comply with our request to field a team in sixth grade and we fielded 2 teams in ninth grade. Russell Kingdon remained as President, Doug Stirling was Secretary and long time player Bert Baetson was Treasurer. Richard Lynch was again coach and first grade captain. Val Steenholdt was third grade captain, Greg Pennefather seventh grade captain, Pierre Every eighth grade captain, ninth grade "one's" was captained by Paul Sutton-Mattocks and ninth grade "two's" was captained by Steve Doble.

Melville Reserve was lost as a home ground, but we regained the use of Winthrop Oval and also made use of Applecross High School.

In the first 18 seasons of the club's existence a total of 33 centuries were scored. This season produced an incredible 13 centuries and 5 Association batting partnership records.

The club awarded 2 life memberships, honouring the efforts on and off the field over many years by Val Steenholdt and Steve Melville.



Steve Melville and Val Steenholdt congratulating each other on there life membership awards.

## **First Grade**

A disappointing season from a talented team, winning 4 games and tying 1 game to finish well down the ladder. A win was needed in the final game against Tuart Hill to avoid relegation.

The team was strengthened by the recruitment of former Australian under 19's representative Mike Broadbridge for 8 games before his league football commitments took over. Mike's recruitment was largely due to the persistence of Val Steenholdt.

Another recruit was Rod Littlejohn, a player with WACA experience and John Slater from Bassendean. Phil Holman returned late in the season after an injury riddled year at Fremantle.

The team's ability to mix it with the best was evidenced by a fine victory over reigning premiers Wembley Downs early in the season.

Mike Broadbridge dominated the batting, scoring 548 runs from 9 innings, with 2 centuries - 101 against Wembley Downs and 114 against Whitfords. He was unlucky not to score a third ton, being run out for 98 against Mosman Park. Good support came from the consistent Rocky Musolino with 296 runs, former junior Stefan Perer 249 runs, Lee McIntosh 230 runs and Richard Lynch 201 runs. The bowling attack struggled at times with the exception of Rob Pulley, who took 32 wickets. Support came from Jeff Wootton (19), Lee McIntosh (16) and Rod Littlejohn (14).

Rob Pulley became the club's 3rd Association team representative during the season, playing for the senior XI which won the inter-metropolitan Associations competition.

## **Third Grade**

A fine effort from the second XI under Val Steenholdt's captaincy, losing just 3 matches and earning a finals berth in 2nd place.

The batting was generally sound and was lead by new player Kevin Miles with 341 runs. Support came from Mike Kapiteyn with 255 runs, Simon Shalders with 208 runs and another recruit, Lee Monument with 196. Kevin and Mike recorded an association record partnership of 175 for the 2nd wicket against Hamersley - Carine, Mike scoring 126 in the process.

The bowling was dominated by "spin twins" Val Steenholdt (32 wickets) and Paul Broadbridge, brother of Mike (25). Next best was Brett McGregor with 17 wickets.

The semi-final against Tuart Hill saw another controversial incident involving the wicket. Batting first we struggled to total 108 on a responsive pitch, Richard Mulroney batting superbly to finish 45 not out. On the 2nd day we arrived to find the wicket had been watered and prepared, effectively removing our spinners from the contest. At one stage we had the opposition 5/49 but did not take another wicket. Brad Douglas was the best of the bowlers, taking 3/22.

## **Seventh Grade**

Seventh grade won the first game outright and never looked back from there. The team lost only 2 games to win the grade and gain promotion to sixth grade.

A number of players stood out during the season. The batting was dominated by captain Greg Pennefather and Brad Weir, who incredibly scored 586 and 555 runs respectively. The other players to pass 200 were Angus Castley (237), Matt Halliday (234) and Brian McKenzie (222). The game against Doubleview was a highlight of the season. Greg and Brad added 238 for the 4th wicket, an Association record. Greg's score of 162 not out broke Ross Tozer's longstanding individual record for the club. Brad went on to score 125. Greg's batting average of 58.22 won him the Association batting award for seventh grade.

Brian McKenzie had a great season, leading the bowling with a sensational 45 wickets. Al Field wasn't far behind, taking 34 wickets. Next best was Ryan Greenwell with 15 wickets. The semi-final against Balcatta wasn't a contest after the opposition were dismissed for 57. Brian McKenzie took 4/22, Greg Pennefather 3/4 and Matt Halliday 2/20. In reply we scored 245, Brad Weir top scoring with 78 not out and Matt scored 47.

In the grand final against South Perth we couldn't have batted better, amassing the formidable total of 7/278. Brad Weir continued his excellent finals form, top scoring with 69. Greg Pennefather scored 40, Russell Kingdon scored 32 and Angus Castley finished 31 not out. In reply the opposition started badly, losing 2/9, but a 4th wicket partnership of 160 put paid to our chances. South Perth lost only 5 wickets passing the target, Al Field taking 2/40. An unfortunate end to a terrific season.

## **Eighth Grade**

A great season from the 4th XI, losing just 3 games and just missing out on winning the grade. The team's strengths were its bowling and fielding, while the batting struggled at times.

Only 2 players passed 200 runs for the season. Matt Campbell played consistently to score 398 runs, giving him 418 runs for the season when combined with an innings of 20 for the ninth grade "one's". Ken McPherson played very well in the finals to total 241 runs.

Mike Kapiteyn and Lee McIntosh set an Association record 3rd wicket partnership of 174 against Bassendean, Lee going on to score a fine 106. Nick Ashbrook and Brad Favas set a joint Association record for the 10th wicket with a partnership of 60 against Tuart Hill.

The bowling attack was dominant throughout the season, lead by Pat O'Dwyer with 57 wickets, the 3rd highest season total in the club's history. Pat's best figures were 7/23 against Curtin University. Strong support came from Bert Baetson (27 wickets), Nick Ashbrook (25) and Brad Favas (24). Ryan Greenwell took 14 wickets, giving him 31 wickets for the season when combined with his efforts in seventh grade and ninth grade. Brad finished with 38 wickets and Nick 30 wickets for the season when combined with performances in other grades.



Pat O'Dwyer's bowling average of 8.27 won him the Association bowling award.

In the semi-final against Tuart Hill, Ken McPherson held the batting together, scoring 46 as an opener out of a total of 119. The bowling attack then did the job, dismissing the opposition for 84. Nick Ashbrook (4/22) and Brad Favas (4/24) were the destroyers. Batting a second time, Ken completed a fine double, scoring 45 not out as the team made sure of victory.

The batting was our downfall in the grand final against South Perth. At one stage the opposition were 8/32 but managed to total 79. Pat O'Dwyer took 5/17 and Brad Favas 2/21. In reply things looked good at 2/35 but we crashed disastrously, losing our last 8 wickets for 22 runs. Hoping to force an outright result, we dismissed South Perth again for 118, the wickets shared evenly amongst the bowlers. Time was against us unfortunately and in chasing 141 for victory we were dismissed for 83.



Kenn MacPherson

### **Ninth Grade "One's"**

A 9:7 win/loss record earned the team a finals berth in the one-day competition, despite the unsettling effect of players being unavailable on a regular basis due to work commitments.



Brad Favas

Only 2 players passed 200 runs for the season, Paul Sutton-Mattocks with 409 runs and Paul Camparner with 382 runs. Glen Warber lead the bowling attack with 18 wickets, supported by Brad Ravenscroft and Paul Camparner with 13 wickets each.

We were eliminated comfortably in the quarter final by Nedlands, despite an excellent 66 from Peter Agostino.

## Ninth Grade "Two's"

When discussing the number 2 team's premiership season, one name springs to mind - Rob Wilton!

In an amazing season, Rob scored 1,210 runs from 14 innings at a century average. Needless to say, he won the association batting award. He scored 6 centuries during the season, with a highest score of 159:

127 no versus Whitfords

159 no versus Murdoch University

119 no versus Bentley

137 no versus Doubleview

100 no versus Nedlands (Semi-final)

122 no versus Hamersley - Carine (Grand final)



Robert Wilton

He just missed a 7th century, scoring 97 against South Perth.

Rob had plenty of support from Brendon Tribbeck (349 runs), Ron Kang (307 runs), captain Steve Doble (305 runs) and Tyrone Murphy (229 runs). Brendon scored a hard hitting 104 not out against Swanbourne. Rob Wilton and Ron Kang set an Association record 2nd wicket partnership of 195 against Murdoch University, during which Rob hit 15 sixes and Ron finished 95 not out.

The wickets were evenly shared, Glen Wright leading the way with 25 wickets. Brendon Tribbeck took 20 wickets while Tyrone Murphy and Rob Wilton took 19 wickets each. In the finals we disposed of Mosman Park in the quarter final with a great batting effort chasing 192, Brendon Tribbeck scoring 77. The semi-final against Nedlands produced another Rob Wilton century in a total of 5/160. Good bowling from Rob (3/24) and Brendon (3/19) restricted the opposition to 7/131.

The team's powerful batting dominated the grand final against Hamersley - Carine, Rob scoring 122 at a run a minute with 8 sixes, Steve Doble making 41 and Ron Kang 39 in a total of 3/233. The opposition were never in the hunt and were eventually dismissed for 158, Tyrone Murphy taking 2/29. A great premiership from an exciting batting team.

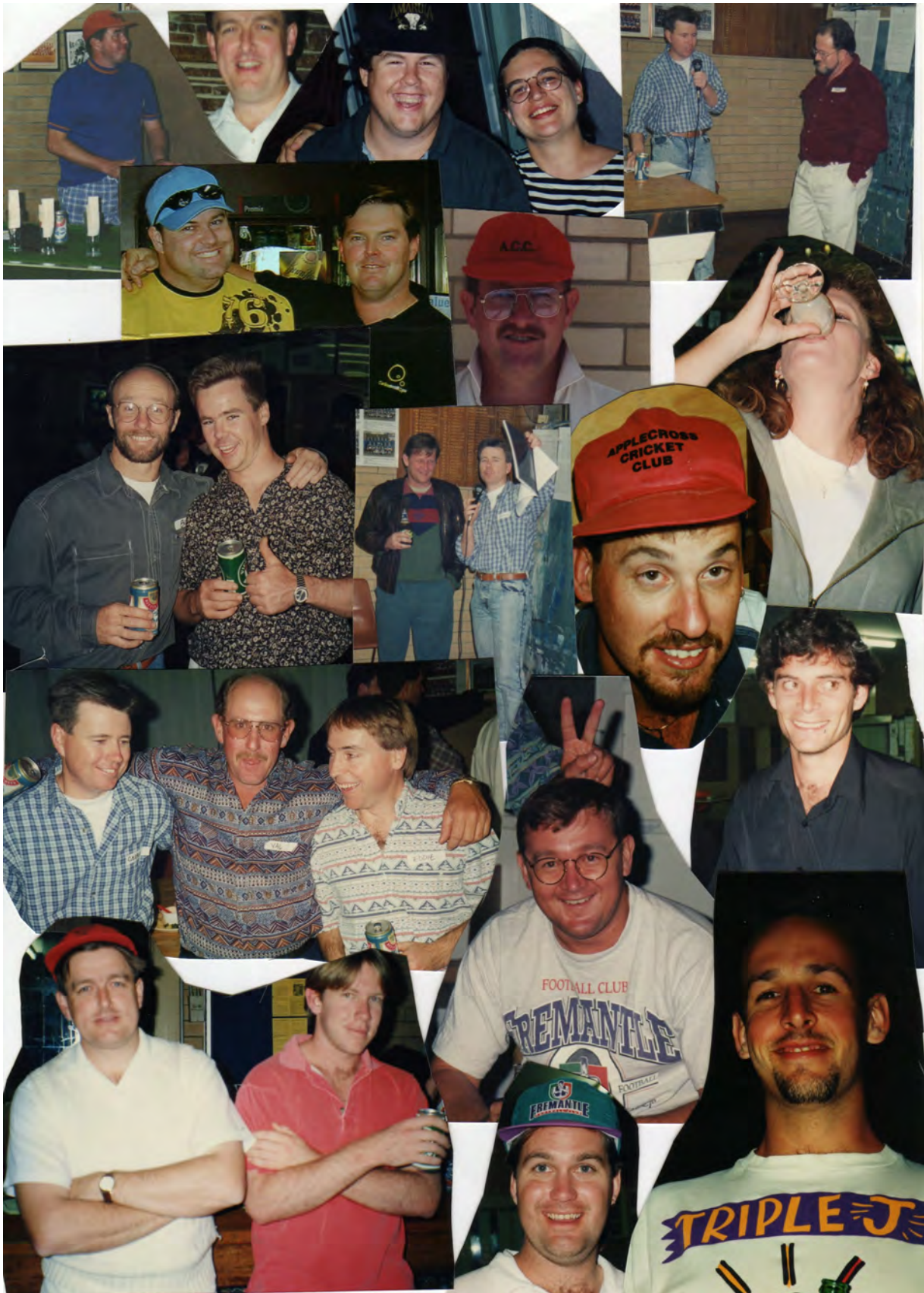


### Back Row

Steve Doble © , Brett Shortland ,  
Brad Millane , Craig Campbell ,  
Glen Wright , Gordon MacPherson.

### Front Row

Ron Kang , Brendon Tribbeck ,  
Tim Short , Tyrone Murphy , Rob-  
ert Wilton.







“Russell Kingdon presented Life Membership”

The club entered its 20<sup>th</sup> year of existence with a reunion of past and present players. A great night was had by all, highlighted by the release of the official club history and memories of the club's early days courtesy of foundation members Tim Season and Rob Adair.

It was therefore fitting that in a landmark season for the club, our first grade team contested the finals for the first time, an outstanding achievement.

Overall, 3 teams made the finals, the remaining teams all finishing in the top 6. Unfortunately, we failed to achieve a grand final spot in any grade.

The club recruited Brian Bilton as first grade captain and the club's first premierships captain, Stuart Rankin, returned as coach. Brian had tasted first grade premierships success at Curtin University the previous season and brought with him a hard-nosed approach to captaincy, dashing batting at the top of the order and a wicket keeping talent never before seen at the club.

The club again fielded 6 teams, with only 1 team being fielded in ninth grade. Val Steenholdt was again third grade captain, Greg Pennefather captained sixth grade, Greg Harrison-Ward led seventh grade, Steve Doble was eighth grade captain and Sam Morely became ninth grade leader.

Russell Kingdon was President for the fourth successive year, whilst Doug Stirling and Burt Baetson were again Secretary and Treasurer. Not a strong season financially, with a net loss of \$5,200 on the season, modest bar takings of \$3,978 a contributing factor.

Russell's continued contribution to the advancement of the club was rewarded with life membership at the end of the season.

Shirley Strickland Reserve and Winthrop Oval remained as home grounds and extensive use was made of Corpus Christie School as a third home.



Tom Morgan & Peter Spencer at the 20th year celebrations.



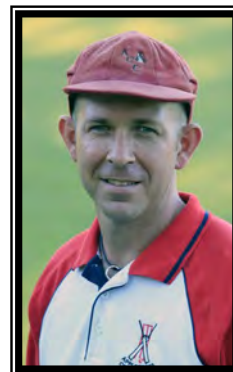
Russell Kingdon

## FIRST GRADE

After narrowly avoiding relegation the previous season and losing the services of players the likes of Mike Broadbridge, Rocky Musolino, Jeff Wootton and Phil Holman, the prophets of doom were predicting a bleak season. How wrong they were! The young and predominantly homegrown team performed magnificently, winning 8 and tying 1 game to finish in third spot, less than 4 points from the top.

The team showed it was made of the right stuff in the second game against South Perth. After collapsing to 6/98 chasing 286, we staged an incredible fight back to claim a last ball tie 9 wickets down, thanks to 87 from Greg Oldfield and a last wicket unbeaten stand of 57 by numbers 10 and 11, Brad Favas and Troy Kinnane. This fighting spirit was maintained through to the round 11 match against Whitfords, when a win was required to secure a finals berth. Chasing 223 we won in the last over 8 wickets down, Mike Kapiteyn carrying his bat as an opener to finish 105 not out.

“Kapo’s” magnificent innings had put us into the first grade finals at last. It surely must rate as the most important innings in the club’s history. He scored 388 runs for the season, including another century, 108 in the first game against Mosman Park. Leading run scorer was Stefan Perer, with 568 runs at a 43.69 average. His highest score was 124 against Wembley, an innings which included 5 sixes. Brian Bilton contributed 443 runs (and 25 catches), Greg Oldfield 362 runs and Richard Mulroney 259 runs.



Michael Kapiteyn

Leading wicket taker was the club’s most improved player, Brad Favas. Having played the previous season in eighth grade, Brad was the perfect example of a playing rising to a challenge, playing every game to finish with 33 wickets. His best figures were 5/87 against south Perth in a fine all round performance. Next best was another consistent performance from Rob Pulley with 25 wickets. Ian Williamson too 14 wickets in his 7 games, including best figures of 5/33 in the semi-final against Wembley Downs. This gave Ian 31 wickets for the season when combined with his 17 wickets in third grade.

In the semi-final against Wembley Downs we were well on the way to a grand final berth after dismissing the opposition for 163, thanks to Ian Williamson’s 5 wickets and 5 catches to Brian Bilton. At 1/42 we looked comfortable but wickets then fell steadily. At 6/80 Richard Mulroney and Lee McIntosh began a rescue mission which looked set to take us to victory but with the score at 128 Richard was given run out in most controversial circumstances. Amazingly, the umpire at the wicket overrode the square leg umpire’s decision! The final 3 wickets fell for 18 runs and we were dismissed for 146. Brian Bilton top scored with 41 and Lee McIntosh scored 32. A most disappointing end to a terrific season.

To commemorate the club’s inaugural first grade finals appearance, here is the team that took the field in that historic game.



Brian Bilton





Standing L-R) Brad Weir Rob Pulley Brad Favas Ian Williamson Richard Mulroney Greg Oldfield David Wells

(Seated L-R) Gordon Webster Stefan Perer Brian Bilton (c) Michael Kapiteyn Doug Stirling (12<sup>th</sup> man)

Absent Lee McIntosh

### THIRD GRADE

Despite only losing 3 games, third grade unluckily missed the finals by 1.05 points, finishing fifth. The team that finished fourth actually had a worst win/loss record.

Failure to defeat easy beats Mosman Park outright in the season opener proved costly. Apart from that slip, the team did everything right.

Memorable victories included dismissing Balcatta for 55 when defending 116, scoring 267 and winning by 14 runs against Victoria Park and defeating Swanbourne by 3 runs after scoring 5/234.

The consistent Kevin Miles was leading batsman, scoring 337 runs with a top score of 74. Simon Shalders scored 259 runs and Scottish recruit Gordon Webster scored 237 runs in 5 games at an average of 47.4.

Captain Val Steenholdt was leading wicket taker with 32 wickets. His best return was a match winning 8/88 against Victoria Park. Bryan McKenzie's (later to change his name to Brian Seymour) 18 wickets in 5 games gave him 33 wickets for the season when combined with his efforts in sixth and seventh grades. Ian Williamson's 17 wickets included a sensational 7/40 against Dianella-Alexander, at one stage his figures were 5/6!



## SIXTH GRADE

An inconsistent first half to the season was the main reason behind sixth grade finishing in sixth spot, less than 6 points out of the top four. The team won only 3 of the first 6 games, which included an outright defeat at the hands of Dianella-Alexander. However, after Christmas the team hit its straps, not losing a game. Losses by 2 runs to South Perth and 11 runs to Wembley Downs earlier in the season certainly cost sixth grade a finals berth.

The highlight of the season was the round 11 match against grade winner Whitfords. Bowling first we copped a pasting early and at 3/186 at 5.00pm Whitfords looked set for a huge total. But tight bowling from Al Field (5/49) and terrific fielding (Jason Markwart taking a sensational outfield catch) saw the opposition dismissed for 249. In reply, our cause looked hopeless at 6/57, but then Greg Pennefather and first year player Shane Berzinski staged one of the greatest partnerships in the club's history. In approximately 135 minutes of playing time they added 232 runs for the seventh wicket, an association record. Greg's innings of 129 included 17 boundaries, whilst Shane's 118 was a remarkable innings. He hit 11 fours and 8 sixes, moving from 46 to 105 in just 13 scoring shots! We won the match comfortably, finishing at 9/307.

Greg was the only batsman of any note over the season, scoring 298 runs at a 33.11 average. Al Field showed glimpses of things to come, taking 24 wickets, with a best performance of 6/28 against Nollamara. Bert Baetson's 17 wickets in 6 games included hauls of 5/23 and 5/69. Some other fine bowling performances came from Andy Banks (6/31 against Curtin University), Bryan McKenzie (6/61 versus Wembly) and Shane Berzinski (6/67 against South Perth).

## SEVENTH GRADE

7 wins (including an outright victory against Nollamara) and 4 losses resulted in seventh grade finishing comfortably in third spot. The team fished the season brilliantly, winning its last 4 games, but unfortunately could not continue this form in the finals.

After winning by forfeit in the first round, the team scored 7/266 at its first bat in round 2, thanks to a club record breaking fifth wicket partnership of 154 between Greg Harrison-Ward (101 not out) and Andrew Sproul (62). Gary Leask provided a fine all round performance in round 7 against Bedford, taking 3/34 and scoring 81 not out in a losing cause. Round 7 also signaled the return to competitive action of club coach Stuart Rankin.

Greg Harrison-Ward was leading run scorer, with 333 runs at an average of 41.63. Des Carruthers scored 278 runs (and took 23 catches) and Mark Anderson chipped in with 207 runs.

Stu Rankin's return yielded 22 wickets at a 10.36 average. Stu's best performance came in the outright victory against Nollamara, with match figures of 11/45 (6/19 and 5/26). First grade Lee McIntosh, who featured in 4 games due to work commitments, took 15 wickets. He took 6/45 against Dianella-Alexander but his best performance was against Balcatta, taking 8/27 in a devastating spell that saw the opposition dismissed for 44 in just 18.2 overs. We batted first in the semi-final against Mudoch University after winning the toss, but never got going after an opening partnership of 34. Only 5 batsmen made double figures, John Scarff easily the best with a fine 64. The opposition seemed to have the target well in hand at 3/119 but 3 quick wickets gave us a chance. Unfortunately, the target was passed 7 wickets down. Stu Rankin was best of the bowlers, taking 3/64.

## EIGHTH GRADE

After winning 5 out of 6 games before Christmas, eighth grade faltered to win just 2 more games and finished fifth, 5.15 points out of the finals. The team's batting struggled at times, highlighted in 2 outright losses against Bentley (totals of 41 and 97) and Shenton Park (totals of 46 and 84).

The exception to this was the batting performance in round 11 against Curtin University, the team totaling 242, thanks to a terrific opening partnership of 153 between Tyrone Murphy and Steve Melville. Tyrone was the aggressor, scoring 114 with 15 fours and 2 sixes, Steve scored 46.

Tyrone had a very consistent season, scoring 382 runs at an average of 34.72, a performance that earned him runner-up position in the association batting award. Unfortunately, no other batsman passed 200 runs.

The bowling figures were dominated by Captain Steve Doble and Glenn Wright. Steve was outstanding with the ball, taking 41 wickets at an 11.34 average. His best figures were 6/23 against Girrawheen (4. /23 in the second innings gave him 10/46 for the match) followed by 6/65 versus Shenton Park. Glenn Wright's 29 wickets came at a 14.72 average, with a best return of 5/43 against Doubleview. Glenn also took 2 wickets in seventh grade, giving him 31 wickets for the season.

The highlight of Glenn's performance against Doubleview was wickets with the 4th, 5th and 6th balls of his 11th over, only the sixth hat trick in the club's history.

## NINTH GRADE

The ninth grade team gave a great performance in defending the 1993/94 premiership, finishing in second place. The team won the first 13 games of the season before faltering to lose the last 2 qualifying matches, missing out on winning the grade.

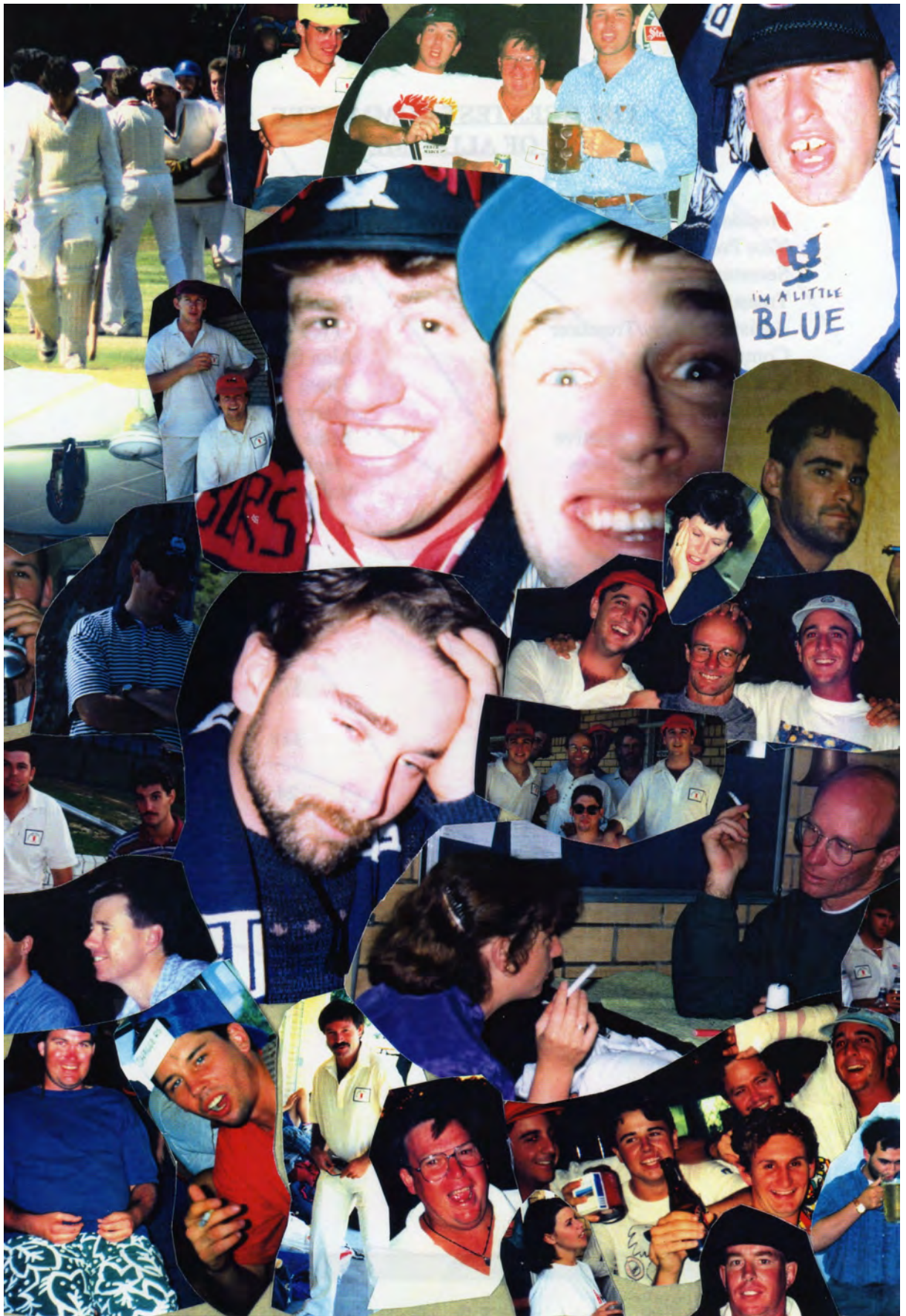
Unfortunately, the losing form was carried into the finals, the team losing the first final and having its season ended prematurely.

Leading batsman for the season was Brendon Tribbeck, smashing 526 runs at an average of 52.60. Brendon hit 2 centuries, 106 not out against MNOB and 101 not out against Bentley. Sam Morley was very consistent with the bat scoring, 361 runs. The wickets were shared evenly, Brendon picking up 16 scalps. Andy Banks returned the best figures for the season, taking 6/11 against Nedlands.



Brendon Tribbeck

In the first final against Doubleview, the opposition totaled 7/150 batting first, the wickets evenly shared. The cause was lost at 7/55, but we fought back thanks to a fine captain's knock of 61 not out from Sam Morley. Unfortunately, the overs ran out at 8/128.













Another progressive season for the club, despite the economic cloud hanging over the tenancy of the Applecross-Mt Pleasant Sportsmen's Association caused by the folding of the Applecross Football Club. The club held its inaugural Christmas Ball at the Burswood Resort, the club newsletter (destined to become known as The Doo-Dah) provided much interest and mirth and we even entered cyberspace with the launch of the club's official website (regularly receiving correspondence from country, interstate and overseas).

On the field, 3 teams obtained finals places, the highlights being first grade's second successive final and sixth grade's performance in winning the grade. Unfortunately, a sixth flag remained elusive, all finalists bowing out in the semi's.

Stu Rankin was again club coach and Brian Bilton first grade leader. One of the club's longest serving players, George Prince, took on the third grade captaincy. Sixth grade captain was Des Carruthers, seventh grade leader was Burt Baetson, second year player and future president Vince Stackpole was eighth grade captain and Brett Shortland took on the ninth grade leadership.

Russell Kingdon was again President, Doug Stirling was Secretary and Matt Halliday Treasurer. The financial position improved moderately, a net profit on the season of \$2,579 a good result in the uncertain environment. Bar profits grew moderately to \$4,253. Russell indicated his intention to step down as President at the end of the season, signaling the end of an era in sound, progressive administration.

Shirley Strickland Reserve, Winthrop Oval and Corpus Christie School were used as home grounds during the season, as was Bill Ellison Reserve (formerly our original home ground Mandala Reserve).

The club's on field performances resulted in a fourth place finish in the association's champion club award. Also, first year player Dean Phillips became only the club's fourth association representative, gaining selection in the WASTCA colts team. Other notable milestones were achieved by George Prince, Steve Melville and Russell Kingdon in passing 150 games and earning association life membership, whilst Val Steenholdt took his 400th wicket during the season.

The overall statistics for the season certainly indicated a large imbalance in the respective batting and bowling strengths, with only 1 player in the club passing 400 runs. No doubt this was the major cause behind the club's failure to add to its premiership tally during this period.

## FIRST GRADE

After a disastrous start to the season, losing the first 3 games, the first XI staged a remarkable recovery to again make the finals by winning 7 out of the remaining 8 games, including 6 on the trot.

In considering the team's achievement, we must remember that they played every game away from home without the benefit of turf training facilities.

The winning streak commenced with a fine victory against the then top team, Swanbourne, thanks mainly to a haul of 5/30 by fast bowling recruit Cameron Stirling (Doug's brother) and ended with a thrilling 5 run win against association powerhouse Whitfords. However, a batting collapse in round 10 left the team needing to win the last game and relying on favourable results elsewhere. Everything went according to plan, despite a sensational collapse in our second innings when in the search for quick runs, we were bowled out for just 55 in 16.2 overs!

The team's most satisfying result came in round 6 against arch rivals Wembley Downs. Faced with a target of 286, the cause seemed hopeless at 3/24 and 4/45, but then an amazing comeback took place. Greg Oldfield scored 51 and Victorian recruit Peter Godau smashed 73, then Lee McIntosh, Rob Pulley and Cam Stirling all scored runs as the target was achieved for the loss of only 7 wickets, a remarkable victory.

The round 5 match against Shenton Park provided the club's major individual highlight of the season, Stefan Perer smashing a new club individual record score of 189. He hit 22 fours and 5 sixes, adding 166 for the third wicket with Mike Kapiteyn, who scored 52. Stefan also scored 103 in the second innings of the round 10 match against Nollamara. His aggregate for the season, 634 runs (at an average of 45.29) set a new club record (apart from Rob Wilton's ninth grade one day performance in 1993/94).

Other batsmen to do well were Peter Godau (272 runs), Greg Oldfield (253 runs) and Brian Bilton (241 runs). Brian effected 22 catches and 3 stumpings for the season.



Stephen Perer

Cam Stirling was leading wicket taker with 27 wickets and received support from Brad Favas (22), Rob Pulley (20) and Lee McIntosh (13). Peter Godau provided the best figures for the season, taking 5/17 against Shenton Park.

The semi-final against Dianella-Alexander was reduced to a one day match on the Sunday due to rain affecting the wicket during the week. Bowling first we failed to take advantage of the conditions, conceding 49 runs in the final 4 overs as the opposition totalled 6/226. Cam Stirling, Rob Pulley and Lee McIntosh all took 2 wickets. In reply we started disastrously, crashing to 3/13. Stefan Perer and Greg Oldfield then added 75, followed by a 76 run partnership between Stefan and Peter Godau in just 48 minutes. Unfortunately, in a flashback to the previous season's final, Stefan was given run out when a fieldsman dislodged the bails with his hand and Peter lost his wicket soon after. As the overs ran out, we were dismissed for 205, tantalisingly close to a grand final. Stefan top scored with a fine 81 whilst Peter Godau's 54 came at a run a minute.

### THIRD GRADE

A season that promised plenty ended disappointingly, third grade winning only 4 games to finish well down the ladder. A combination of some feeble batting and close losses contributed to this result, whilst the bowling was very strong. Losses by 6 runs (to finalists Victoria Park), 7 runs (to Balcatta) and 13 runs (to eventual premiers Whitfords) proved costly to the team's finals aspirations.

A policy of providing opportunities to the club's younger players provided some positives, particularly the performances of Al Field (going on to be a key player in first grade), Ryan Greenwell and Dean Phillips.

The team's best performance came in round 6 against eventual runners-up Wembley Downs. We took the final 4 wickets for 3 runs to dismiss the opposition for 195, Al Field taking 5/81. At 3/26 and 5/71 (in 43 overs) the situation looked hopeless, but a 76 run partnership between recruit Peter Jordan and Tom Morgan in 59 minutes put us back in the hunt. We eventually passed the target 9 wickets down with 7 balls to spare. Peter Jordan top scored with 84.

Another batting highlight came in round 8 against Hamersley-Carine when Ryan Greenwell (75 not out) and Bryan Seymour (30 not out) added an unbroken eighth wicket stand of 99 in just 41 minutes!

Peter Jordan was the season's leading run scorer with 310 runs, whilst Ryan Greenwell averaged 39 in his 5 games.

Al Field and Bryan Seymour took 19 wickets each (Al in only 3 games at an 8.16 average) to share leading wicket taker. Al's best performance was a sensational 7/33 against Dianella-Alexander, whilst Bryan showed great stamina in taking 7/58 in 24.1 overs against Whitfords. Dean Phillips showed great promise with 13 wickets. Glen Warner took 6/74 in his sole third grade appearance in round 11 against MNOB.

Al Field's performances in first, third, seventh and eighth grades gave him 31 wickets for the season.

### SIXTH GRADE

A terrific season by sixth grade, winning every qualifying game to win the grade (by only 1.07 points) and gain promotion to fifth grade, putting the club in its strongest ever on-field position.

Unfortunately, the team's one poor performance came in the semi-final, when we were bowled out for 118 chasing a modest 134. This was in stark contrast to the batting form displayed during the season, with scores of 9/266 (in the first game), 8/265, 8/256 and 254 standing out.

Leading run scorer was the consistent Greg Harrison-Ward, with 356 runs at a 35.6 average. Greg's highest score was 75 against Wembley. Ryan Greenwell's 226 runs at a 37.67 average were highlighted by a top score of 100 not out against Murdoch University, his second hundred for the club and 1 of only 4 centuries scored in the club during the season. Ryan had valuable assistance from Brett McGregor in reaching his century, sharing a 65 run 9th wicket partnership.

The bowling honours went to Val Steenholdt with 29 wickets, including a best performance of 5/64 in the semi-final. Neil Watt's improvement as a leg spinner yielded 18 wickets at a 12.30 average, best figures being 5/42 against Wembley Downs. Neil's total of 24 wickets overall for the club during the season earned him the honour of Most Improved at the annual presentation evening. Val's 2 wickets in third grade gave him 31 wickets for the season.

We let High Wycombe off the hook in the semi-final, after having them 6/54 they hit their way to 134. Val's 5 wickets were supported by Nick Ashbrook with 3/36. In reply, only Simon Shalders (38), Ryan Greenwell (26) and Brett McGregor (23) passed double figures and we fell 16 runs short.

## SEVENTH GRADE

After winning the first 4 games of the season, including an outright win over Bassendean, seventh grade looked world beaters. Unfortunately, the teams batting form faltered alarmingly mid-season and with 2 games to play a finals position looked doubtful. But a crushing outright victory against Doubleview in round 10 and a conclusive win against MNOB in round 11 saw the team finish comfortably in third place.

We started brilliantly in the semi-final against Whitfords, having the opposition 4/10 and then 7/92. Unfortunately the tail wagged and the opposition totalled 9/172. Jeremy Speijers, Jason Markwart and Ken MacPherson took 2 wickets each. In reply we received a solid opening stand of 43 from Ken and Steve Melville but the batting then fell away, the team totalling 134. Young player Luke Lindsay top scored with 36, Steve Melville scored 34.

The batting was fragile at times during the season, with a lowest total of 54 against Melville. Leading run scorer was captain Burt Baetson with 270 runs, whilst vice-captain Matt Campbell totalled 248 runs, including a highest score of 87 against MNOB. Luke Lindsay's 168 runs came at an average of 42.

The bowling figures were dominated by Burt Baetson and Gary Leask with 31 wickets each. Gary's average of 9.26 was third best in the grade, whilst Burt's 12.67 average placed him fifth. However, the best bowling performance for the season came from first year player Geoff Walsh with 6/35 against Nollamara. Gary Leask also took 2 wickets in sixth grade, giving him 33 wickets for the season.

Special mention must be made of the performance from first year wicket keeper Ian Brotherton, who took 30 catches, effected 6 stumpings and took part in 7 run outs, an outstanding effort.

## EIGHTH GRADE

In a grade that consisted of just 10 teams, eighth grade won 6 of its first 9 games and had a great chance to make the finals. Unfortunately, a crushing defeat at the hands of eventual premiers Bentley in round 10 and a poor batting display in round 11 put paid to the team's finals aspirations, eventually finishing in sixth place.

The batting lacked consistency, testimony to the statistic that 39 players participated in the team during the season. The team passed 200 on 6 occasions but failed to reach 150 7 times. Highest score was 290 against Murdoch University, 131 runs being added in the last hour.

Highest run scorer was Jackson Hunt with 150 runs. "Jacko's" highest score was 83 against Murdoch University, a sensational innings which included 11 fours and 4 sixes! However, the batting highlight of the season was provided by junior Andrew Carruthers (son of Des), who scored 100 not out in round 2 against Shenton Park.

Leading wicket taker was Brad Millane with 19 wickets at an average of 8.74, with best figures of 5/17 against Murdoch University. Glen Warber took 15 wickets for the season, including 4/34 against Girrawheen. Three of the wickets were taken with the fifth and sixth deliveries of his fifth over and first ball of his sixth over, the seventh hat trick in the club's history.

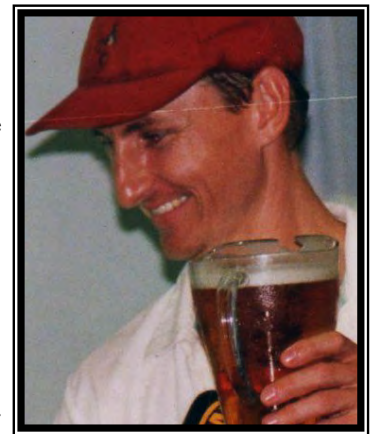
## NINTH GRADE

A tough season for captain Brett Shortland, using 52 different players in his efforts to field a team every Saturday, only 5 of whom played more than 8 games. The team won 5 games and was forced to forfeit the final 2 rounds, finishing twelfth out of 13 teams.

The positive aspect of the season was the number of young players introduced to senior cricket and going on to play in higher grades.

Leading run scorer was Eddie Martin with 255 runs. The batting highlight of the season was a club record partnership of 115 for the sixth wicket by Brett Shortland and future club President Gerry Marquis against Fremantle/Mosman Park. This partnership came when the team was 5/18 chasing 167 and saw the team pass the target 8 wickets down. Gerry's 81 was the team's highest individual score for the season.

Steve Best and youngster Ramon Fletcher shared a fourth wicket partnership of 109 against Murdoch University, Steve's 64 included 8 fours and 3 sixes.



Gerard Marquis

Ramon Fletcher took 14 wickets to be the leading bowler for the season and his overall performances were rewarded with the ninth grade fairest and best award



The club recognised past players Aubrey King and Tom Morgan by naming perpetual trophies after them.

The Aubrey King medallion is awarded to the most outstanding player of the club trip. The Tom Morgan shield is awarded to the club's best fielder of the year.



Aubrey King



Tom Morgan







## 1996/97

Senior Members need to take a good long hard look at themselves'

The club appointed W.A.C.A. record run scorer John McGuire as 1<sup>st</sup> grade captain. Stefan Perer was appointed club coach and his efforts was outstanding due to the added pressures of training the 1<sup>st</sup> grade and chairman of selectors .The club fielded 6 sides with the 6<sup>th</sup> XI pulling out of the competition just after 5 games due to the lack of numbers. The club appointed 5 first year captains for the club and a 1<sup>st</sup> year coach .The club finished 16<sup>th</sup> in the club championship. The club received \$1,500.00 sponsorship from Coca-Cola to start the process to raise funds to eventually install a turf wicket at Shirley Strickland Reserve.

There was some outstanding mile stones through out the year with Tom Morgan, George Prince and Richard Mulroney scoring 3,000 runs for the club. Brad Favas also took his 200 wicket for the club and Val Steenholdt played his 200<sup>th</sup> game for the club.

### Financial Report

The club started with \$ 2,657.20 and finished with \$ 1,316.20 with a loss of \$ 1,341.00 the bar dividend was \$ 3,664.29.

### Club Appointments

President: Vince Stackpole	Coach: Stefan Perer
V/President: Angus Castley	1 <sup>st</sup> XI Captain: John McGuire
Secretary: Brad Favas	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI Captain: Simon Shalders
Treasurer: Matt Halliday	3 <sup>rd</sup> XI Captain: Kevin Miles
Director: Russell Kingdon	4 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain: Kenn MacPherson
Director: Royce Spencer	5 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain: Glen Wright
Director: Robert Pulley	6 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain: Russell Kingdon
Director: Brett McGregor	C.O.S. Stefan Perer
Director: Burt Baetsen	
Director: Glen Wright	

### **1<sup>st</sup> Grade (1<sup>st</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by John McGuire the side finished 6<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season with 85.66 points. The highlight of the season was the outright victory against High Wycombe at Shirley Strickland Reserve. John McGuire led from the front with 432 runs at 39.27 he scored an excellent 114 no against Balcatta. Stefan Perer scored 110 against Victoria Park. Michael Kapiteyn scored 351 runs for the year with Damian O'Hara taking 25 catches and average 24.71 with the bat. The strength of the team was the bowling with Robert Pulley taking 36 wickets at 13.61 and Brad Weir taking 34 wickets at 13.41 to have his best season of cricket with the club. Brad Favas also taking 20 wickets at 19.0. Damian O'Hara won the fielding award with Brad Weir winning the best and fairest.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ( 2<sup>nd</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Simon Shalders for the first time they finished 5<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season with 87.82 and were very unlucky not to play the finals.

Simon Shalders led from the front scoring 294 runs at 42. Grant Newport scored 106 against MNOB, Matt Halliday scored his 1<sup>st</sup> century for the club with 102 against Nollamarra, Peter Jordan scored 101 no against Victoria Park Al Field took 8 for 12 off 15 overs against Victoria Park to win the game outright. Val Steenholdt took 25 wickets at 12.56 with Peter Jordan winning the fielding and best and fairest awards.



Al Field

### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 3<sup>rd</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Kevin Miles for the first time they finished 5<sup>th</sup> with 88.71 points. Kevin Miles scored 253 runs for the season with Nigel Brown winning the average with 40.33. Bryan Seymour won the bowling average with 7.30 and Jason Markwart taking 21 wickets and winning the fielding and best and fairest awards.

### **6<sup>th</sup> Grade (4<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Kenn MacPherson for the first time they finished 9<sup>th</sup> with 65.64 points. It was a disappointing end to the season with an experienced team. Steve Meville won the batting average with 71.66; Burt Baetsen won the fielding with Trevor Goddard having an outstanding season with 24 wickets at 15.95 also scoring 237 runs and to win the best and fairest award.



Steve Meville



### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 5<sup>th</sup> XI)

The team was captain by first year captain for the club Glen Wright they finished 9<sup>th</sup> with 59.39 points the highlight of the year was Brad Millane taking 12 for 36 for the match against Victoria Park. Mark Smith won the batting average with 28.20; Clint Hall won the bowling with 14.20. Greg Lindsay scored 191 runs for the season with Dean Phillips winning the fielding award. Glen Wright took 24 wickets and won the best and fairest award.



Glen Wright

### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 6<sup>th</sup> XI)

The side only played 5 games playing 30 players in that time so the club pulled the team out to be fair to the competition. The side was captain by Russell Kingdon they won 2 and lost 3 .The club only presented the best and fairest award and that went to Gordon “ Jock” MacPherson his 30 no against Bedford batting at number 10 won us the game.



Gordon MacPherson



President Brett McGregor presenting Chris Teede the Best Future Prospect perpetual trophy



### **You Only Get Out Of Sport What You Put In!**

The club decided to change the approach to training to place the emphasis on the individual to save on cost to enable to purchase a bowling machine and video camera.

Tom Morgan was appointed training coordinator to guide players to help in their individual needs to improve as a cricketer. This backfired as many players decided to take the easy option and did not commit to training hard and as a result all club sides finished 7<sup>th</sup> on the ladder to finish 15<sup>th</sup> in the club championship. History will always show when the club has a hard demanding coach from outside we as a club have our best results we all need to be pushed all the way. Greg Lindsay contribution at training as video cameraman was outstanding.

The season blooded youngsters R Fletcher, C Teede, D Phillips, G Parker and G Morrissey who went on to win the Aubrey King medallion for the club trip to Beverley.

The club started the 1<sup>st</sup> 100 gamer's dinner on the March 7<sup>th</sup> 1998 this was organized by Doug Stirling with 15 of the 17 players turning out for the special occasion. It has become an annual event now and all 100 gamers past and present look forward to catching up with mates each and every year.



Doug Stirling

Some outstanding milestones occurred through out the season with Brad Favas and Doug Stirling playing their 100 games also Rob Pulley and Brett McGregor taking their 300 wicket for the club. Ryan Greenwell won the association batting award for 5<sup>th</sup> grade our 3<sup>rd</sup> XI with an average of 75.25, with young Chris Teede winning the association fielding award for 9<sup>th</sup> grade our 5<sup>th</sup> XI with 11 votes. Gerry Marquis won the best cricketer award with Tom Morgan winning the Best clubman.

### **Financial Report**

The club started with 1,316.12 and finished with 4,151.72 with a profit of 2,835.60, the bar dividend was 5,862.61.



Hayden Drage

## Club Appointments

### Off Field

### On Field

President: Vince Stackpole	Coach : Tom Morgan
V/President: Russell Kingdon	C.O.S.
Treasurer: Matthew Halliday	Nets Captain : Greg Lindsay
Secretary: Brad Favas	1 <sup>st</sup> XI Captain : Richard Mulroney
Director: Robert Pulley	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI Captain : Greg Pennefather
Director: Gerry Marquis	3 <sup>rd</sup> XI Captain : Tom Morgan
Director: Cam Stirling	4 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain: Angus Castley
Director: Adrain Reynolds	5 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain : Glen Wright
Director: Brett McGregor	

### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade ( 1<sup>st</sup> XI)

The team was captained by Richard Mulroney they finished 6<sup>th</sup> with 85.30 points 9.86 out of the four. The team was carried all year by the bowling with Gerry Marquis taking 33, Al Field taking 31 and Robert Pulley taking 26 wickets. Greg Oldfield led the batting with 293 runs for the season with a 106no against Swanbourne. He put on 87 for the 8<sup>th</sup> wicket with Al Field scoring 45 it was the season that saw him come of age. Gerry Marquis won the best and fairest.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ( 2<sup>nd</sup> XI)

Greg Pennefather was appointed captain for the year they won 5 lost 6 to finish 7<sup>th</sup> with 76.64 points. The captain led by the front scoring 266 runs for the year, Doug Stirling winning the average with 24.50. Bryan Seymour took 28 wickets for season with an 8 for 39 against Dianella Alexander. Brad Favas won the best and fairest. The team struggled all year with consistency with the batting to finish a disappointing 7<sup>th</sup>.

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 3<sup>rd</sup> XI )

The team was captained by Tom Morgan they finished a disappointing 7<sup>th</sup> with 80.24 points .The side had a good mix of experience and youth and struggled to win games against the top 4 sides. Ryan Greenwell led the batting scoring 301 runs at an average of 75.25. Neil Watt took 24 wickets at 15.54 bowling his leggy's. Andrew Stampalia scored his 1<sup>st</sup> century for the club with 113 against Tuart Hill and he also broke the club record by taking 7 catches in an innings against Wembley. Brett McGregor had a fantastic season taking 20 wickets at 20.3 and scoring 195 runs at 19.5 to win the best and fairest.

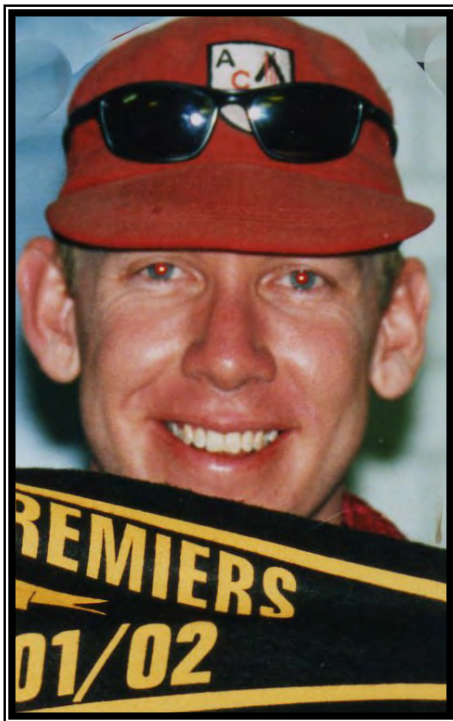


### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 4<sup>th</sup> XI)

Angus Castley was appointed for the 1<sup>st</sup> time as captain the side finished 7<sup>th</sup> with 74.31 points .The team lacked consistency all year they where 4 wins 2 loses at Xmas but only won 2 games after the break. This was the season that saw the coming of age of Jason Markwart he took 38 wickets at 10.72 and also scored 209 runs for the season to win the best and fairest award. Andrew Randles won the fielding award.

### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 5<sup>th</sup> XI)

The team was lead by Glen Wright for the 1<sup>st</sup> time as skipper .The team finished 6<sup>th</sup> with 85.03 points .It was a hard and difficult season as they played 35 players through out the season. Vince Stackpole scored 228 runs at 20.73 to win the best and fairest with Glen Wright taking 21 wickets for the season with Chris Teede winning the fielding award.



Ryan Greenwell won the association batting average for 5th grade with an average of 75.25





**“George Prince Awarded Life Membership”**

The club fielded 5 sides with the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> XI making finals and the 4<sup>th</sup> XI missing out by just 17 runs. The 1<sup>st</sup> XI were finished a disappointed 8<sup>th</sup>. The club finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Way 79 club championship. Tom Morgan was appointed club coach and managed the Ardross under 17s team in which the club picked up Tristan Fletcher, Nick Vericeff.

Life membership was presented to George Prince he joined the club back in 1979 he won 3 premierships in the 1<sup>st</sup> XI has played over 170 games for the club and was given the key responsibility to write and record the clubs 1<sup>st</sup> 20 year history.

Tom Morgan won the association batting award for 5<sup>th</sup> grade 3<sup>rd</sup> XI with 55.90 and Glen Wright played his 100 game for the club. New members to join the club were Mark Hullet, Justin Crowder and Greg Brautigam. The first annual 100 game dinner started with Doug Stirling organizing past players and current to gather have dinner and talk about the good old days.



George Prince

The old boys won the inaugural 100 gamers against Presidents XI.

8 for 183 defeated the President XI 177.

**The Teams**

**100 Gamers**

Tom Morgan, Russell Kingdon (Capt.), Robert Pulley, Doug Stirling, Richard Mulroney, Steve Melville (v/c), George Prince, Nick Ashbrook, Val Steenholdt, Brad Favas, Brett McGregor, Kenn MacPherson.

**Presidents XI**

Chris Teede, Ramon Fletcher, Michael Kapiteyn (Capt.) Graham Cashin, Adrian Reynolds, Angus Castley, Mike Caulfield, Gareath Parker, Brad Weir, Joe Venter, Glen Obrein, Jon Pulley,

Umpires: Garry Leask and Simon Luckhurst.



Club President Brett McGregor presenting the inaugural perpetual trophy to the winning 100 gamers captain Russell Kingdon.

## Financial Report:

Club started with \$4,151.72 finished with \$13,132.00 with a profit of \$8,980.28.Bar dividend of \$7,781.10.

## Club Appointments

### OFF Field

### ON Field

President: Brett McGregor	1 <sup>st</sup> Captain : Gerry Marquis
V/President: Adrian Reynolds	2 <sup>nd</sup> Captain: Laurence Bensusan
Secretary: Patricia Walsh	3 <sup>rd</sup> Captain: Joe Venter
Treasurer: Dean Phillips	4 <sup>th</sup> Captain: Angus Castley
Director: Vince Stackpole	5 <sup>th</sup> Captain: Tyrone Murphy
Director: Brad Favas	Coach: Tom Morgan
Director: Cameron Stirling	Chairman of Selectors: Russell Kingdon
Director: Al Field	Michael Kapiteyn
Director: Michael Kapiteyn	Gerry Marquis
Bar Manager: Jack Gregan	

### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade 1<sup>st</sup> XI

Gerry Marquis captained the team, The first grade recruited Simon Luckhurst and Justin Crowder to bolster the batting .The team struggled with consistency and finished a disappointing 8<sup>th</sup> with 78.06 points. The skipper lead from the front with an 8 for 30 against Curtin University and taking 24 wickets for the year. Stefan Perer scored 353 runs for the season. Justin Crowder took 23 wickets and scored 234 runs in a good all round season. Damien O'Hara won the fielding award with Stefan Perer and 1<sup>st</sup> year player Justin Crowder tied for the best and fairest.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 2<sup>nd</sup> XI

The captaincy was given to Lawrence Bensusan for the first time. The side had a strong 1<sup>st</sup> XI bowling attack all year enabling the team to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> after the home and away season with 102.11 points. The team played Nollamarra in a 45 over semi final reduced because of rain and lost the game by 2 runs.

Ben Warne took 7 for 54 against Wembley Downs with taking 19 wickets for the season at an average of 11.52. Cameron Stirling won the batting with 30.16 and Lawrence scored 319 runs for the season. Ryan Greenwell won the fielding award and Cameroon Stirling won the Best and Fairest.

### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade 3<sup>rd</sup> XI**

The team was captained by Joe Venter the side finished 3<sup>rd</sup> after the home and away season with 94.09 points. The side played Whitfords in the semi at Macdonald park losing the game by 1 wicket in a close hard fought game.

The team had experienced pair Tom Morgan scoring 592 runs for the season and winning the association-batting award with 55.90. Robert Pulley scored 410 runs both being the backbone of the batting. Duncan Collie took 7 for 34 against Bentley finishing with 23 wickets for the season and Neil Watt took 7 for 63 against Whitfords. Chris Teede won the fielding award and Tom Morgan needed a Wheelbarrow winning the 4 trophies including the Best and Fairest.

### **6<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> XI**

Angus Castley captained the team. They finished the home and away season with 94.39 points to finish 5<sup>th</sup> 17 runs out of the four less than 1 wicket. But these are the vagaries of the game of cricket.

Adrian Reynolds scored 257 runs for the season averaging 28.56; Burt Baetsen took 26 wickets at 12.76 with Kenn MacPherson winning the fielding award. Burt Baetsen won the Best and Fairest.

### **9<sup>th</sup> Grade 5<sup>th</sup> XI**

Tyrone Murphy was given the captaincy the team was a very strong unit finishing the home and away season 2<sup>nd</sup> with 127.90 points. They played Wembley in the semi and the game was abandoned due to the wicket being set on fire on the Saturday night. This then put Applecross in the G.F. against Swanbourne. The team started well being 1 for 49 just to be bowled out for 97 with Andy Randles scoring 50. Swanbourne passed the score with Nick Ashbrook taking 5 for 16 off 18 overs.

The team won Promotion to 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

The Grand final side was:

Andy Randles, Glen Wright, Gareath Parker, Brendan Tribbeck, Ron Kang, Tyrone Murphy, Damon Carter, Mike Caulfield, Andrew Sproul, Nick Ashbrook, Mike Buckley, and Guy Gibson.

Tyrone lead from the front scoring 308 runs for the year, Glen Wright took 34 wickets for the season and also picking up the Best and Fairest. The fielding award went to Andy Randles. Nick Ashbrook took 34 wicket at 7.35 and Tribby averaged 50.40 with the bat.

“Club Wins its First Way 79 Club Championship”

With out doubt the clubs strongest season to date. The club won 2 Premierships in the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade our 3rd and 4th eleven's .The club also won 3 grade trophy's with the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3rd and 5<sup>th</sup> eleven's finishing on top of ladder after the home and away season. With the club winning its 1<sup>st</sup> Way 79 association club championship. With the only down side was 1<sup>st</sup> grade only winning 5 games and drawing 1 finishing eighth. The appointment of Wayne Ritzma as club coach had a large influence on the club achieving these results, as club coach the whole club was fitter by far due to his beap test.His performance should not be under estimated.

The club sub let Kent street high school Turf wicket to enable the club to have a home turf wicket and allow the 2<sup>nd</sup> Eleven to play on turf every week. Club legend Tom Morgan left the club in the off season and went back home to New Zealand after 19 seasons with the club. He won 3 Premierships and 3 association fielding awards in our A grade he will be solely missed by the club.

The club held its 25-year anniversary dinner at the Raffles hotel upstairs function center. Hosted by George Prince past players returned to the club and gave a great insight of the club in its early years.

Major mile stones for the year; Brad Douglas, Brad Weir and Andy Randles played their 100<sup>th</sup> games for the club. Robert Pulley had taken his 350-club wicket and Burt Baetsen taking his 300 wicket. Peter Jordan won the Association Batting award for the 2<sup>nd</sup> eleven 3rd grade with an average of 49.71.



Peter Jordon

The 100 gamers won the annual 100 gamers versus the Presidents XI .100 gamers 4 for 200 defeated the Pres-idents XI all out 143.Burt Baetsen 4 for 16, Richard Mulroney 82.

**Financial Report**

Started the year with \$13,132.00 and finished the year with \$18,686.43 with an annual profit \$ 5,554.43 with the club returning a bar dividend of \$8,037.54.



Tom Morgan was simply magnificent on and off the field representing the ACC.



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### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade ( 1<sup>st</sup> XI)

Well the first grade started the season well with early victories but overall where inconsistent and finished eighth with 75.48 points 11.5 points out of the four .The side was one top order batsman short to really have a crack in the finals. First year recruit Brendan Crowder had a good consistent first year with taking 18 wickets at 16.7 and scoring 213 runs at 23.7. Stefan Perer lead the runs scoring with 357 runs and Gerry Marquis top the bowling with 25 wickets at 16.48.Greg Oldfield scored 2 centuries in the season 107 against Swanbourne and 121 n.o. against archrivals Wembley Downs. Brendan Crowder won the Best and Fairest in his debut year.



Greg Oldfield

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ( 2<sup>nd</sup> XI)

Damien O'Hara was appointed captain for the first time for the club. The side won 8, drew 2 and lost 1 of 11 home and away games finishing top of the grade. Unfortunately they lost the semi final to Shenton Park .The opposition only averaged 160 against them all year giving great credit to a very strong bowling team. Steve Ladden took 21 wickets at 13.38 and Duncan Collie taking 24 wickets at 12.10. English recruit Dave Burke took a hat-trick against High Wycombe at Kent Street. Peter Jordan won the Association Batting with an average of 49.71 and who could forget that 149 Mark Hullet scored against Subiaco Marist at Kent street and not forgetting that catch Duncan Collie took at Square leg. Lawrence Bensusan won the best and fairest award.

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 3<sup>rd</sup> XI)

Robert Pulley was finally rewarded with the Captaincy for the first time .The side won 10 and lost 1 of the home and away games finishing top of the grade 12.5 points clear of the second side .The side had a very strong bowling team all year with 3 bowlers who have played 1<sup>st</sup> grade .The batting was centered around Ryan Greenwell who scored 350 runs at 57.14 with a top score of 104 n.o. Gareth Parker also scored a century with 115 n.o. The bowlers did the job all year with Bryan Seymour, Dean Phillips and Ben Warnes all taking 7 wickets in an innings. Ryan Greenwell won the Best and fairest and Damien Rousett won the fielding award. The Grand final was against Whitfords at Rosalie Park.

Applecross bowled first and bowled Whitfords out for 66 in a high-pressure game Applecross passed the score 5 down with mass celebration erupting and the club now winning its 6<sup>th</sup> Premiership.



Standing G Wicks, B Bilton, R Greenwell, N Edwards, K MacPherson, D Wells.

Kneeling: B Seymour, M Jackson, B Warne, R Pulley, B Favas, C Teede, Absent D Phillips 12<sup>th</sup> man.

### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade (4th XI)

The fourth Eleven really came of age this year under Angus Castley leadership .The side won 8 of the 11 games to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> at the end of the home and away season. The side all year was built around Angus, Baetsen, Crowbar, Fabio, Pull the trigger, Mr. Reynolds and Joe .The team was full of experience and youth. To go on and win the Clubs 7<sup>th</sup> Premiership.Andrew Stamaplia outstanding in G.F. scoring 33 in 3 hours at top of the order.

Robert Wilton won the association batting award with an average of 37.55.He had an outstanding year scoring 413 runs and taking 24 wickets in 10 games. Burt Baetsen was clearly the best bowler all year taking 33 wickets. This also witness the coming of age of the clubs future with Ramon Fletcher taking 10 for 26 in the finals with an man of match performance in the G.F of 5 for 13 off 11 overs he went on to play in the clubs 1<sup>st</sup> premiership in 1<sup>st</sup> grade. Robert Wilton won the Best and Fairest and the fielding award went to Adrian Reynolds



Standing: Ramon Fletcher, Troy Cawthorn, Brett McGregor, Brad Weir, Angus Castley,  
Joe Venter, Burt Baetsen, Rob Mulroney, Rob Wilton  
Sitting Adrian Reynolds, Andy Randles, and Andrew Stampalia.

### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade (5th XI)

This side struggled to field a team in the first 2 fixtures and remarkably went on to finish on top of the grade. Winning 11 and losing 3 games of the home and away season.

Unfortunately the team they faced in the semi final was Swanbourne who they had struggled to beat in the previous two seasons. Bruce Rudrum was outstanding in the Semi scoring a superb 40.

The captain Brendan Tribbeck lead from the front all year winning the association batting award with 49.10 average scoring 491 runs in the season. The bowling was lead by Glenn Wright taking 24 wickets at 20.29 and Guy Gibson (Dambuster) taking 20 wickets at 15.65 .The Best and Fairest was won by Brendan Tribbeck and the fielding by Guy Gibson.

Club coach Wayne Ritzma had enormous influence on the club with his famous beep test fitness training. The high fitness level of the players was a direct result of what the club achieved on the field.











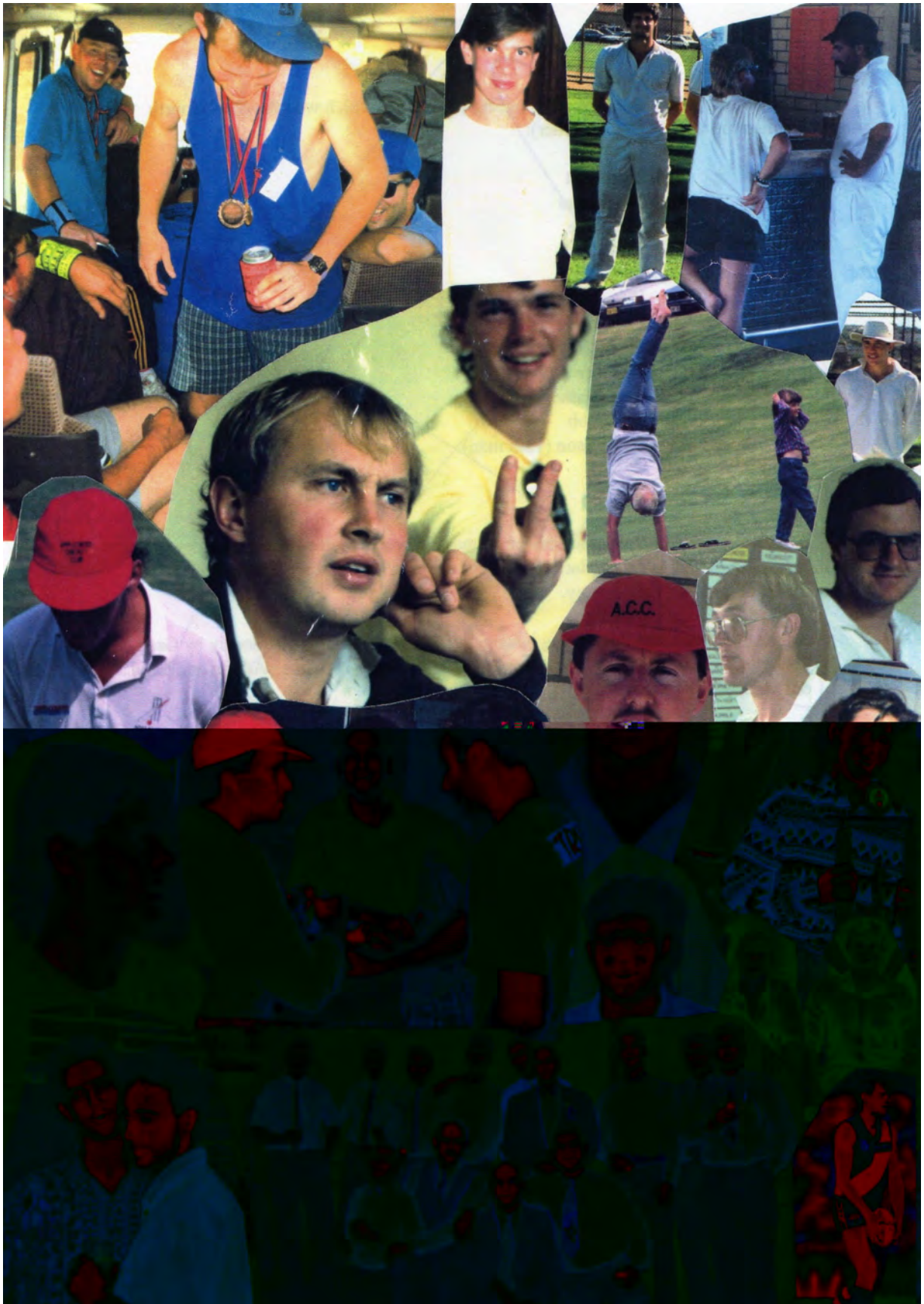












### **Its all About Being Consistent and having Respect from your Opposition!**

After winning the club championship last year we finished a disappointing 14 this year in the Way 79. Which sums up the season we had. The Club fielded a 6<sup>th</sup> XI for the first time in four years this allowed old timers George Prince, Val Steenholdt and Russell Kingdon to continue their careers and allowing other players not to miss out on a game of cricket.

The club only had two sides in the finals the 3<sup>rd</sup> XI under virgin captain Brad Douglas who played off in the grand final in tough hard encounter against Bentley. The new 6<sup>th</sup> XI side captained by Val Steenholdt made the Semis and lost against Subiaco Marist.

There were some outstanding milestones throughout the year no more than Brett McGregor playing his 200 game for the club also taking his 350<sup>th</sup> wicket. Adrian Reynolds and Michael Kapiteyn played their 100<sup>th</sup> game and Garry Leask took his 150<sup>th</sup> wicket.

New players to join the club this year were Anthony Barranca, Bruce Calder, Nick Vericeff who won the association bowling award for 10 Grade our 6<sup>th</sup> XI in his debut year. The club brought over 2 English nice guys Chris and Tom Mole both very good cricketers as the club would see in the future.

### **Financial Report**

Started with \$18,606.43 finished with \$17,708.79 with a loss of \$977.64 .The bar dividend was \$6,472.49.

Annual 100 gamers versus Presidents XI was an outstanding game, the game went down to the wire with the Presidents XI needing 2 runs to win off the last ball 9 wickets down. Nick Vericeff facing he hits his normal go cow shot and Shandy drops it and they run the two runs to win by a run.

100 Gamers 9 for 126 Lost to the Presidents XI 9 for 127 M Kapiteyn 53, Steve Melville 3 for 6.

Andrew “ Shandy” Randles totally devastated after 100 gamers game.



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### 1<sup>st</sup> XI (1st Grade)

#### Near Enough Is Not Good Enough!

Mark Hullet was appointed 1<sup>st</sup> grade captain for the first time. The A grade had a very inconsistent year beating the top teams then loosing badly against the lower teams they finished the season with 7 wins and 4 losses. The side failed to score 200 runs in 7 games .The team scored the highest team total for club in 1<sup>st</sup> grade scoring 8 for 332 versus Wembley Downs. There was some Individual efforts Gerry Marquis taking 7 for 69 against Nollamarra and Greg Oldfield scored 121 against Wembley Downs.Gerry Marquis won the Best and Fairest and Chris Mole won the fielding. But things where about to change.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> XI (3rdGrade)

Robert Pulley was given the captaincy of the 2<sup>nd</sup> XI after his success with the 3<sup>rd</sup> XI the year before. The side took on a youth policy for the year and the side finished with 4 wins and 7 loses, but very importantly gave the youth of the club the opportunity to play on Turf. Doug Stirling won the Batting with 347 runs at 49.50 and a young Nick Edwards scored 250 runs at 36.50.Matt Jackson took 23 wickets for the year with a best of 8 for 51 against Nollamarra, Doug Stirling also scored 102 n.o. against Shenton Park.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> XI (5<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

Brad Douglas was given the great opportunity to captain for the first time .The Side won 7 games and lost 4 of the home and away season finishing 4<sup>th</sup>. They played archenemy Whitfords in the semi on there own dung heap. Applecross bowled them out for 66 with Ramon Fletcher taking 6 for 27 off 18 overs. Applecross went onto win and play Bentley in the G.F. They didn't win but they gave themselves a chance to defend there flag .

#### **The Team in Batting order:**

Chris Teede, Andrew Stampalia, Steve Coyle, Michael King, Peter Jordan, Robert Wilton, Brad Douglas, Marcus Willey, Brett McGregor, Ramon Fletcher, Brad Favas.

The outstanding inning of the year was Peter Jordan who scored a magnificent 142 n.o against Balcatta with all his runs came after 4pm that's right in just 2 hours of cricket .The batting award went to Peter Jordan with an average of 57.00, Robert Wilton won the bowling taking 38 wickets at 10.15 .Marcus Willey won the fielding award and Robert Wilton the Best and Fairest .

### **4<sup>th</sup> XI (6<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

Angus Castley was hunting for Back to Back flags as captain. The side won 6 games and lost 5 of the home and away season finishing outside the four .It was disappointing not to be in a position to defend our flag. There was some individual high lights Angus Castley scoring his maiden club ton with 114 no. against Curtin Victoria Park. Also Robert Mulroney scored 100 against Thornlie.

Burt Baetsen won the bowling taking 28 wickets at 13.21 and Angus Castley lead from the front scoring 371 runs at 30.92.Garry Leask won the fielding award and Burt Baetsen won the Best and fairest.

### **5<sup>th</sup> XI (8<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

The side was captained by Brendan Tribbeck and Vince Stackpole due to leg injury to Tribby .The side won 6 and lost 8 of the home and away games to finish outside the 4 .The side played 38 different players through out the year, The team struggled to field a consistent team all year and just failed to make the 4 which was a fantastic effort. Brendan Tribbeck scored a 103 n.o. Versus High Wycombe he also won the batting award with 288 runs at 48.00. Bruce Rudrum won the bowling with 21 wickets at 20.21, Mike Shaw won the fielding award and Brendan Tribbeck won the Best and Fairest.

### **6<sup>th</sup> XI ( One Day Competition)**

The pressure was on to field a 6th XI and maintain it for the best future of the club.

Val Steenholdt was given the captaincy .The side won 14 games and lost 6 making the semi final against Subiaco Marist and lost badly due to some poor batting.1<sup>st</sup> year player Bruce Calder scored 502 runs and also took 23 wickets winning the Best and fairest .Val won the bowling with 31 wickets but George Prince winning the average with a remarkable average of 8.00 yes 8. The fielding award went to Jason Ferris .The first game of year allowed us to play Stefan Perer who scored 124 versus Melville.



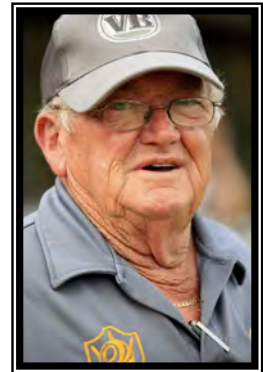
**“Club wins its first 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Premiership”**

The club had finally arrived as a 1<sup>st</sup> grade cricket club under captain Mark Hullet. The club had 3 teams in the G.F. for the first time in its history. The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> XI lost there G.F. by 10 and 3 runs. The scenes at Stricko that evening was one to be hold tears flowed and the Good Doctor described it better than sex. The club finished 5<sup>th</sup> in the club championship.

**The club won the 100<sup>th</sup> first grade premiership in W.A.S.T.C.A history, as it was founded in 1896 and missed 6 seasons of competition due to world wars.**

The Tuart Hill and Applecross clubs introduced the Paul Pierce shield, which is played for between the clubs each year. Its in recognition of the contribution that Paul Pierce has made to suburban turf.

Anthony Brennan won the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade 2<sup>nd</sup> XI association bowling award with 8.8. Greg Oldfield, Stefan Perer, Garry Leask and Matthew Halliday all played their 100<sup>th</sup> Games for the club. George Prince and Russell Kingdon both played their 200<sup>th</sup> games and Val Steenholdt played his 250<sup>th</sup> game. New players who joined the club Kip Marcar, Anthony Brennan, Carrington Shepherd, Brett Stralow and Anthony Evans.



Paul Pierce

The Presidents XI thrashed the 100 gamers 8 for 225 defeated the old boys 114 with Chris Mole scoring 123 n.o. Brad Weir was quoted, as it was the best innings he has seen after he was dropped on zero.

**Financial Report**

Club Started with \$17,708.79 and finished with \$ 26,772.76 with a profit of \$9,063.97 with a bar dividend of \$17,622.55. The Bar traded \$ 46,081.45 through out the season.



Garry Leask



Carrington Shepherd

Garry Leask played his 100<sup>th</sup> game and Carrington Shepherd debut for the ACC.





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Bar Managers: Adrian Reynolds	
Russell Kingdon	



Past Presidents celebrate with Mark Hullet and Greg Oldfield on the club winning its 1st first grade premiership.

Standing : Val Steenholdt, Gerry Marquis, Mark Hullett, Brett McGregor, Russell Kingdon

Kneeling: Greg Oldfield, Vince Stackpole.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade ( 1<sup>st</sup> XI)

### Applecross defeats Whitfords to win its first 1<sup>st</sup> grade flag.

The team was again captain by Mark (Dancing Man) Hullet .The team finished 3<sup>rd</sup> after the home and away season. We played Balcatta in the Semi final bowling them out for 96. Gerry Marquis taking 5 for 48 off 20 overs Applecross passed the score with ease to play Whitfords in the G.F. Whitfords scored 134 with Sir Greg Brautigam taking 7 for 33 off 21 overs. Applecross passed the score 3 down with Chris Mole hitting the winning runs and to finish 46 n.o and Kip Marcar scoring a fine 40.

The secret to winning cricket is simple bat, bat and bat the top five batting order scored consistently all year with Mole 649 runs, Oldie 542, Fuzzy 521, Perer 409 and Kipper scoring 397.Greg Oldfield scored 124 and Anthony Barranca scoring 115 against Whitfords and English recruit Matt Bullbeck took 7 for 45 on debut against Whitfords .The Best and Fairest was won by Chris Mole and the bowling by Greg Brautigam with 24 wickets at 14.60.The team enjoyed the Champagne that Whitfords left behind.



Standing : Chris Mole, Stefan Perer, Greg Brautigam, Mark Hullet, Gerry Marquis, Ramon Fletcher, Brendan Crowder, David Wells.

Kneeling: Justin Crowder, Greg Oldfield, Anthony Barranca, Peter Jordan, Kip Marcar.



Sir Greg “Top End” Brautigam sculling his jug after taking 7 for 33 off 21 overs in the 1st grade grand final v Whitfords.



### **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ( 2<sup>nd</sup> XI)**

Damien O'Hara captained the team and the club continued its youth policy for this grade. The team finished 8<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season with 79.03 points. The side blooded youngsters Lee Carr, Ramon Fletcher, Ryan Greenwell, Chris Teede, Ben Warne, Nathan Petherick and Gareth Parker on turf. Which will place the club well in the future time will tell. Ramon Fletcher took 7 for 63 against South Perth with Anthony Brennan taking 24 wickets at 8.8 and winning the association-bowling award. Justin Crowder won the Best and Fairest taking 18 wickets and scoring 218 runs. Ryan Greenwell won the-fielding award.



Anthony Brennan

### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 3<sup>rd</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Brad Douglas again the team finished 2<sup>nd</sup> after the home and away season .The team played Subiaco Marist in the semi final and came back from the brink defending 127 to bowl the opposition out for 109 .They won the right to play in their 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive grand final . Unfortunately the side lost a close game by 10 runs chasing 167 falling short being bowled out for 157 against CurtinVictoria Park.

#### **The Team in Batting order:**

Brad Douglas, Rob Wilton, Angus Castley, Robert Pulley, Darren Monument, Paul Carruthers, Nick Edwards, Richard Mulroney, Adrain Reynolds, Lee Carr , Nathan Petherick.

The team scored one of the highest team scores in the club history by scoring 6 for 388 against Hamersley Carine. Rob Wilton and Darren Monument broke the club Batting record for the 6<sup>th</sup> wicket scoring 126 against Wembley Downs. Robert Pulley scored his maiden century scoring 100 against Wembley.Robert Pulley won the batting scoring 442 runs at 44.20 and Robert Wilton won the bowling taking 47 wickets at 10.50. Andrew Stampalia won the fielding and Robert Wilton picked up the Best and Fairest.

### **6<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 4<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The team was captained by Joe Venter they won 9 games tied 1 and lost 1 in the home and away season to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> with 107.18 points. They played Tuart Hill in the semi final chasing 256 Applecross was bowled out for 214. During the year they chased 262 against Whitfords and to get them with 2 wickets in hand and 2 overs to spare was an outstanding effort.

Greg Pennefather scored 101 against Balcatta .Rob Mulroney won the batting with 303 runs and Jason Markwart won the bowling with 35 wickets at 13.20. Mike Shaw won the fielding award and Jason Markwart won the Best and Fairest.

### **8<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 5<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The team was captained by Andrew Sproul the team finished 7<sup>th</sup> after a hard and difficult year .Due to all the old fat bastards wanted to play one day cricket in the side below.

New recruit Andrew Evans scored 294 runs to win the batting and Paul Slacksmith won the bowling with 23 wickets at 15.30. Andrew Evans won the fielding award and Paul Slacksmith won the Best and Fairest.

First year player Nick Noel took 7 for 32 against Whitfords and Simon Shalders scored 126 n.o. against Bassendean.

### **6<sup>th</sup> XI (One Day Competition)**

The team was captained by Russell Kingdon the team finished 3<sup>rd</sup> after the home and away season with 147.24 points. The team played Curtin Victoria Park in the semi final we had the worst of the conditions to play in and won a nail bitter by a run. The G.F. was against Claremont Nedlands, Applecross was chasing 145 in 35 overs and failed by 3 runs .It was a game that should never have been lost.

Through out the year there was some outstanding milestones Gary Leask, Matthew Halliday playing their 100<sup>th</sup> game, George Prince and Russell Kingdon playing their 200<sup>th</sup> games and Val Steenholdt playing his 250<sup>th</sup> game. Last but not lest Aubrey “ The Black Pom “ King returned to the club to play 2 games whilst on holiday from the U.K.

Al Field scored his maiden ton for the club scoring 114 n.o. against Bedford in 17 overs and was also in a club record partnership of 195 n.o. with Bruce Calder for the 3<sup>rd</sup> wicket .

Brendan Tribbeck won the Batting with 419 runs at 34.90. Bruce Calder took 21 wickets with Burt Baetsen winning the average with 11.70. Luke Ferris won the fielding award and Michael Kapiteyn won the Best and Fairest. Jason and Luke Ferris must be congratulated being the fines masters and organizing the end of year team party, it will be always remembered by all.

#### **The Team in Batting order:**

Russell Kingdon, Michael Kapiteyn, George Prince, Bruce Calder, Brendan Tribbeck, Jason Ferris, Luke Ferris, Mike Hamilton, Burt Baetsen, Val Steenholdt, Kenn MacPherson, 12<sup>th</sup> man Nigel Kingdon.















**Life Membership awarded to Brett McGregor & Robert Pulley.**

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade loses Grand Final by 1.72 Points**

The club obtained the services of Hampshire cricketer Des Kenway for the season. The club had 3 sides in the finals 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> XI with only the 1<sup>st</sup> grade going through to G.F. The 1<sup>st</sup> grade lost due to a wash out , it was 3<sup>rd</sup> against 4<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season .1.72 points separated the teams on the ladder that was enough to give victory to Balcatta so it just goes to show if you have the opportunity to bat in the second innings through out the year that can be the difference between winning the flag or being absolutely gutted.

Damien O'Hara won the association batting for the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade 2<sup>nd</sup> XI with 44.67. Past player Alex Weir returned to the club after spending 10 years in Melbourne working on the Essendon football club cheer squad .The club finished 10<sup>th</sup> in the association club championship.

Life membership was presented to long serving stalwarts Brett McGregor and Robert Pulley for their outstanding performance and contribution they have made to the club since 1982.

New members to the club this year were Paul Holtham, Rob Gauderi, Brenton Jackson,

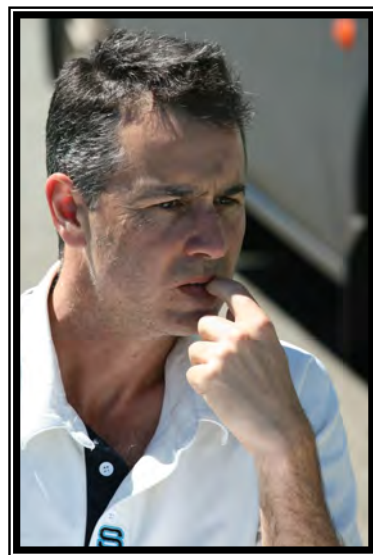
The Presidents XI beat the 100 gamers in the annual game, 8 for 224 defeated the old boys 192. Holtham 57 n.o.

**Financial Report**

The club started with \$26,772.76 finishing with \$16,851.23 with a loss of \$ 9,921.53 .The bar dividend was \$ 13,414.18.



Brett McGregor



Robert Pulley

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### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade 1<sup>st</sup> XI

The team captained by Mark Hullet finished 4<sup>th</sup> at the end of the home and away season. They played Wembley Downs in the semi chasing 205; we passed them 4 for 207 Stefan Perer 63 n.o. and Paul Holtham 52. Alex Weir was the pick of the bowlers. The Grand final was played at Scott reserve against Balcatta. High Wycombe failed to cover the wicket Friday night and at that point the most important game of year was not played Balcatta won the premiership as they finished 1.72 points ahead of Applecross after the home and away season. English recruit Des Kenway scored 694 runs for the season he didn't play the finals due to a leg injury. He scored 2 tons with 177 against South Perth and 103 n.o. against Hamersley Carine. Greg Oldfield also scored a century with 119 against Curtin Victoria Park. Paul Holtham scored 449 runs for the season and Stefan Perer scored 402 runs. Des Kenway won the Best and Fairest.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 2<sup>nd</sup> XI

The team captained by Damien O'Hara they got off to a bad start losing the first 4 games and then going on to win 8 games straight to just miss the finals by 3.58 points. Damien O'Hara led from the front winning the association-batting award with 44.67. Ramon Fletcher won the Best and Fairest.



Damian O'Hara



### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade 3<sup>rd</sup> XI**

The team was captained by Robert Pulley the team finished 4<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season with 100.44 points. They played Whitfords in the semi at Macdonald park chasing 223 for victory they were bowled out for 109. Lee Carr was the pick of the bowlers with 3 for 26 off 15 overs. Michael King opened the batting and was 2<sup>nd</sup> last wicket to fall for 31.

Rob Wilton took 7 for 36 against Tuart Hill finishing the season with 40 wickets to pick up the Best and Fairest. Michael King scored 113 n.o. against Bentley.

### **6<sup>th</sup> Grade 4<sup>th</sup> XI**

The team was captained by Joe Venter the team finished 7<sup>th</sup> after the home and away with 78.08 points. The highlights was Laurence Bensusan scoring 120 n.o against Bassendean and Anthony Moffat taking 7 for 36 against Doubleview. Palle Quinn won the Best and Fairest. In the last round Applecross played Whitfords we batted first scoring a 7 for 238 very competitive score. Whitfords chased the score 0 for 297 it was a chance less day, Applecross failed to take a wicket in 72 overs.

### **8<sup>th</sup> Grade 5<sup>th</sup> XI**

The team was captained by Steve Coyle fresh from 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. The team finished the home and away 8<sup>th</sup> with 72.98 points winning 4 games and losing 10 games, being relegated to 9<sup>th</sup> grade.

Highlights of season was Bruce Rudrum taking 7 for 45 against Bedford Morley finishing with 21 wickets for the season. Adrian Reynolds scoring his maiden club century with 102 n.o. against Swanbourne. Mike Marinovich took 19 wickets at 16.68 with Steve Coyle leading from the front with 373 runs at 28.69 and Ken (Junior) Robertson scoring 244 runs at 34.86. With young gun Nick Noel winning the Best and Fairest.

### **One Day Comp 6<sup>th</sup> XI**

The team was captained by Brendan Tribbeck with the team finishing 4<sup>th</sup> after the home and away season with 121.89 points. They played a very strong Claremont Nedlands in the semi losing a hard fought game. Trevor Goddard made come back to the club scoring 404 runs for the season and taking 24 wickets. Bruce Calder also scored 329 runs and took 25 wickets with Kenny MacPherson giving great support with 21 wickets and scoring 284 runs. The skipper lead from the front scoring 371 runs. The Best and Fairest was tied between 1<sup>st</sup> year player Adrian Hackett and Bruce Calder.



Adrian Hackett

### **1<sup>st</sup> Grade Wins Its Second Flag in David Wells Honor.**

After the disappointment of losing last years 1<sup>st</sup> grand final by wash out the club was determined to put the record straight and strike while the iron was hot.

The club fielded 6 sides again with 5 sides playing finals and our 4<sup>th</sup> XI in 7<sup>th</sup> grade winning 8 of its 10 games played and unbelievably not playing finals to finish 5<sup>th</sup> by 2.10 points. The club walked away with 1 Premiership in 1<sup>st</sup> grade it was disappointing result after having 5 sides in the finals .It just goes to show how difficult they are to win.

The club finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Way 79 Club Championship. Ken Robertson won the association batting for 7<sup>th</sup> grade our 4<sup>th</sup> XI with an average of 45.30. Brad Douglas and Glen Wright both played there 150 games for the club and received Player Life Membership from the Association.

The major milestones this year was Brett McGregor took his 400<sup>th</sup> club wicket and Richard Mulroney and Robert Wilton both scored their 4,000 run for the club. Brad Weir and Ramon Fletcher both took their 200<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club. Damian O'Hara and Ramon Fletcher both played there 100<sup>th</sup> game for the club.

Life Member David Wells passed away during the year the club organized a wake which was attended by David's family, friends, work colleagues and past and present members of ACC .He will always be remembered.



David Wells

### **Financial Report**

The club started with 16,851.23 and finished with 22,965.68 with a profit of 6,838.23 with a Bar Dividend of 10,866.38.

### **The 100 Gamers v Presidents XI annual Game**

The Presidents XI captained by Carrington Shepherd amassed 7 for 241 off there 40 overs with Gerry Marquis scoring 57 no .The 100 gamers captained by Doug Stirling chased and fell 15 runs short to be all out for 226 with Rob Pulley scoring 54.

## The Club Appointments

Off Field	On Field
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V/President: Andrew Randles	Chairman of Selectors: Mike Kapiteyn
Treasurer: Steve Lindsay	1 <sup>st</sup> XI Captain: Mark Hullet
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Director: Robert Pulley	6 <sup>th</sup> XI Captain: Matt Campbell
Director: Shaun Taylor	Nets Captain : Not Appointed
Bar Manager: Mike Hamilton	

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Paul Holtham

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Front row L to R Alex Weir , Greg Oldfield , Andy Walton , Kip Marcar , Paul Holtham.





Anthony Barranca had a magnificent season scoring 908 runs opening the batting in 1st grade. He also kept wickets and took 19 dismissals.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ( 2<sup>nd</sup> XI)**

The side captained by Damian O'Hara finished the home and away season 4<sup>th</sup> with 88.98 points. They played Whitfords in the semi final and lost Whitfords 167 Applecross all out for 75 Richard Mulroney taking 4 for 18.

Robert Wilton scored 375 runs for the season with Richard Mulroney scoring 311 runs and taking 12 wickets for the season. Justin Crowder taking 22 wickets with Nathan Petherick winning the best and fairest. The highlight of the year was when we scored 8 for 362 against Bassendean with the captain leading the way with 83 and putting on 125 for the 1<sup>st</sup> wicket with Richard Mulroney.

### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade ( 3<sup>rd</sup> XI)**

The team captain by Robert Pulley finished the home and away season 2<sup>nd</sup> with 110.36 points. The highlights of the year where Doug Stirling scoring 449 runs for the year with a 104 no. Ramon Fletcher taking 42 wickets for the year. Robert Pulley lead from the front scoring 362 runs for the year with 100 no. Nick Edwards and Robert Wilton also scored centuries for the year. Adrian Hackett won the fielding award with Ramon Fletcher winning the best and fairest. They played Wembley Districts in the semi final Wembley scored 174 Applecross passed the score 4 for 177 with Michael Kapiteyn scoring 47 and Angus Castley scoring 45 with Ramon Fletcher taking 5 for 57 off 29 overs.

We played Bentley in the grand final we bowled them out for 160 with Ramon Fletcher taking 6 for 70 off 31 overs. Applecross bowled out for 64 .It was a very disappointing end to a season that promised so much.

#### **The Team in Batting order:**

Andrew Stampalia, Doug Stirling, Michael Kapiteyn, Angus Castley, Robert Pulley, Adrian Hackett, Bruce Calder, Ramon Fletcher, Lee Carr, Anthony Moffitt, Mike Hamilton.

### **7<sup>th</sup> Grade (4<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Joe Venter a team in the competition pulled out mid season so 10 games was only fixtured for the season. Applecross won 8 and lost 2 of the 10 games to finish with 94.93 points and incredibly finished 5<sup>th</sup> 2.10 points out of the finals to be the only Applecross team not to play finals this year.

Ken Robertson (Junior) won the association-batting award with 45.30 scoring 453 runs for the year. Steven Scott had incredible season taking 38 wickets including 9 for 21 against Tuart Hill. It's the best bowling performance in an innings in the clubs history. Brett McGregor took 20 wickets and also scored 193 runs for the season. Andrew Evans won the fielding with Ken Robertson winning the Best and fairest.



Steven Scott

### **9<sup>th</sup> Grade (5<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The team was lead by Brendan Tribbeck the side finished the home and away season 2<sup>nd</sup> with 122.34 points. Brendan lead from the front scoring 445 runs for the year with Glen Wright having an outstanding season taking 41 wickets and scoring 157 runs and winning the Best and Fairest.

They played Melville in the semi final we bowled them out for 120 with Glen Wright taking 5 for 33 off 26 overs .In reply Applecross was bowled out for 32. It's the lowest team score in a final by the club in its history. Melville went on to win the Grand Final.

### **One Day Competition ( 6<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The side was captained by Matthew Campbell they finished the home and away season 5<sup>th</sup> with 94.93 points.The competition had a final 8 this season in stead of the normal final 4. We played Melville in the semi final Applecross scoring 6 for 136 off its 35 overs and we bowled out Melville for 91 Rhys Jenkins 37 and Burt Baetsen taking 3 for 20.In the second semi final we played Wembley Districts and played an absolute shocker bowled out for 80 with Wembley getting the runs 1 for 94. Rhys Jenkins had a good consistent year scoring 285 runs and taking 13 wickets .Leigh Wardell-Johnson also scored 278 runs and took 16 wickets for the year to take out the Best and Fairest award.



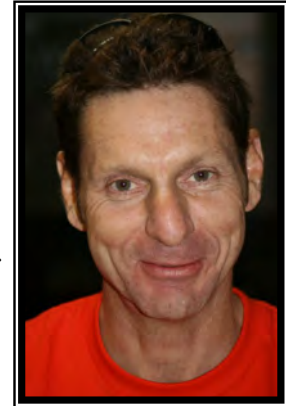
Alex Weir in action at Kent street.



**“ Adrian Reynolds Presented Life Membership”**

The club had attracted pressure for the first time in years with the relocation of the C.B.C cricket club from Fremantle to Karoonda oval in Brentwood. Time will tell with the councils decision to relocate another cricket club within the city of Melville that brings the total of 6 senior cricket clubs within the shire. The club decided to field a 7<sup>th</sup> Eleven which was formed from the old Perth Postals one day cricket team, which decided to leave Perth Postals cricket club as a group.

Adrian Reynolds was presented Life Membership for his outstanding contribution since his debut in 1986. Chris Teede, Andrew Stampalia, Peter Jordan and Robert Wilton all played their 100<sup>th</sup> game for the club.



Adrian Reynolds

The club was looking on capitalizing on last season success by obtaining the services of English Professional Des Kenway for the season. Des had to leave back home after round 8 due to illness to his mother. The club once again went into the season without a club coach and resulted in poor attendance and performance effort at training.

The club finished with 3 teams playing off in the finals 1<sup>st</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and the 6<sup>th</sup> XI. All three teams won there semi finals comfortably. The club had the opportunity to win 3 premierships for the 1<sup>st</sup> time in a season, unfortunately the one day team played a shocker in the most important game of the year so the club ended up winning 2 flags. Tim Miles won the association bowling award for 9<sup>th</sup> grade with 38 wickets @ 7.5 with fellow team mate Brenton Jackson winning the association fielding award for 9<sup>th</sup> grade. The club also obtained a Trophy cabinet through Russell Kingdon at Western Power. The club can now display more historical items for the world to see.

**100 Gamers v Presidents XI**

A very youthful Presidents XI captained by Adrian Hackett struggled to 155 all out off there 35 overs with Chad Steenholdt scoring 35. The 100 gamers stacked full of A graders and sheer arrogance where cruising at 1 for 67 to be bowled out for 146. 100 Gamer captain Andy Randles was placed on Suicide watch after the devastating loss.

**Financial Report**

Started with \$22,965.68 and finished with \$18,858.01 with a loss of \$ 4,107.67. The bar dividend was \$6,316.27.

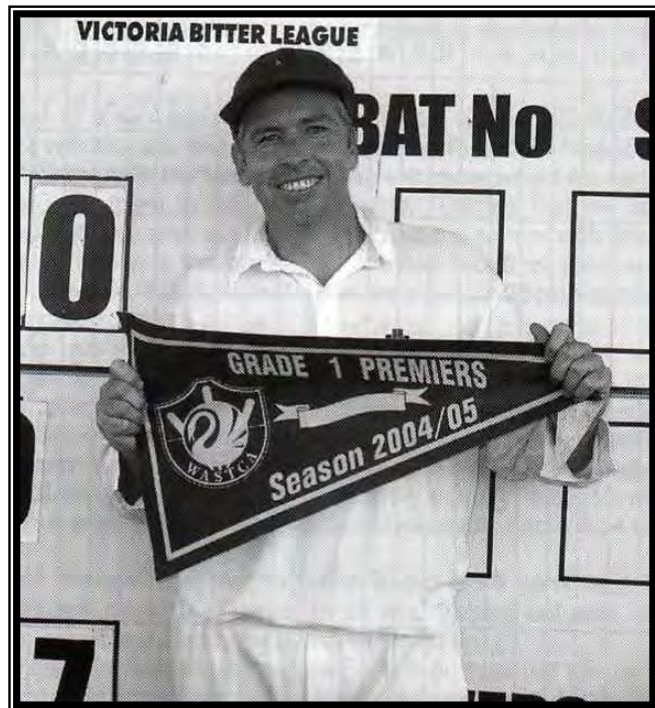


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Andy Walton takes nine wickets in the grand final and also taking the 10th with a run out the imperfect ten.



Mark Hullet captain 1st grade to 4 grand finals in a row and winning 3 of them. Mark is the most successful captain in the clubs history.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade ( 1<sup>st</sup> XI )

“1<sup>st</sup> grade plays in 4 consecutive Grand Fianls”

The team was once again lead by Mark Hullet the team finished 2<sup>nd</sup> after the home and away season with 48 points ,winning 8 games and losing 3 .Des Kenway scored 108 against new club Swan Valley putting on 148 for the 4<sup>th</sup> wicket with Brendan Crowder.The club was very fortunate to pick up Paul Barber who transferred to Perth from Melbourne with work .He scored a fantastic 105 against Doubleview Carine .Justin Mays spell against top team High Wycombe was outstanding he bowled 8 overs and took 5 for 8 to set up the victory.

We played Whitfords in the semi final we batted first and scored 218 with Greg Oldfield outstanding with 53 on a damp pitch ,Andy Walton was dropped on 1 and went on to score 48 we then bowled Whitfords out for 160.The difference between the two side was the fielding ,we caught them and Whitfords dropped 6 catches.

The grand final was played against Subiaco Marist there 1<sup>st</sup> appearance in first grade finals .Mark Hullet won another toss and elected to bat .The openers Greg Oldfield and Paul Barber put on 78 for the first wicket .Paul Barber scored a polished 65 with Greg Oldfield scoring 43 the consistant Brendan Crowder scoring 56 and Kippar Marcar scoring 40.The side ended up with 9 for 236 .The next day become the Andy Walton show he took 9 for 60 off 28.5 overs and the only other wicket to fall was a direct run out by you guessed it Andy Walton just simply a magnificent performance to bowl out Subiaco Marist for 172 .The side won back to back flags for the first time in the clubs history.Andy Walton was named player of the finals.

Greg Oldfield scored 403 runs for the yearpassing 4,000 runs for the club. Des Kenway averaging 48.25.Andy Walton took 31 wickets @ 13.84 with Paul Holtham winning the fielding award the best and fairest was won Brendan Crowder for consistant season with bat and ball. Alex Wier took his 200<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club.



Standing : Mark Davies, Paul Barber, Brendan Crowder, AlexWeir, Kip Marcar, Mark Hullet,  
Adrian Hackett

Kneeling: Paul Holtham, Greg Oldfield, Justin May, Andy Walton, Stefan Perer.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade (2<sup>nd</sup> XI)**

Justin Crowder was captain for the first time for the club. The side finished 5<sup>th</sup> with 33 points winning 5 losing 5 and drawing 1 due to wash out.

The team struggled early before xmas then come home after xmas with a wet sail. The 1 run win against High Wycombe was outstanding coming from nowhere with an outstanding bowling spell from Anthony Brennan to set up the victory.

Andrew Stampalia and Justin Crowder put 110 for the 8<sup>th</sup> wicket against Bedford Morley to be a club record for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade.

Anthony Brennan lead the bowling with 15 wickets @ 14.33, Justin lead from the front scoring 227 runs @ 28.38 and taking 11 wickets @ 24.91. Damien O'Hara won the fielding with Andrew Stampalia scoring 298 runs @ 29.80 with 106 no against Bedford Morley he also passes 2,000 runs for the club. Andrew Stampalia also winning the best and fairest. Lee Carr took his 100<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club.

### **5<sup>th</sup> Grade (3<sup>rd</sup> XI)**

The team was once again captain by Robert Pulley the side won 6 and lost 5 games to finish 6<sup>th</sup> with 36 points.

The side struggled at the start of the season with both bat and ball. After the xmas break the side came home with a wet sail unfortunately lost the last game of year against Wembley Districts. Applecross defending 130 had Wembley Districts 7 for 45 at tea with good batting? they got home 8 for 131 which cost them a spot in the finals.

Robert Pulley and Ramon Fletcher put on 80 for 8<sup>th</sup> wicket against Subiaco Marist to set a club record for 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

Doug Stirling scored 100 no against new club Swan Valley in the 40 over one day game, Doug batted with Mike Kapityen to put on 123 for the 2<sup>nd</sup> wicket a club record for 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Robert Pulley lead from the front with 252 runs also passing 4,000 runs for the club. Trevor Goddard taking 16 wickets and winning the fielding award. Doug Stirling won the batting with 41.67 average and also to pick up the best and fairest award.

### **7<sup>th</sup> Grade (4<sup>th</sup> XI)**

Brendan Tribbeck was appointed captain for the 1<sup>st</sup> time of the club's 4<sup>th</sup> XI. The team played 14 games winning 5 and losing 9 to finish a disappointing 6<sup>th</sup> with 30 points. Nick Verisheff took 7 for 18 against Bedford Morley he finished with 30 wickets for the year @ 14.23. Brendan Tribbeck lead from the front scoring 407 runs @ 29.07 he also passed 4,000 runs for the club. Kenn MacPherson took 23 wickets @ 20.32 and scored 193 runs @ 19.30. Old Ken Robertson scored 300 runs @ 20.00 opening the batting and Bruce Rudrum took 11 catches at slip to win the fielding and best and fairest award. Adrian Reynolds passed 3,000 runs for the club.

### **“ 9<sup>th</sup> Grade( 5<sup>th</sup> XI) wins a nail bitter to win the clubs 11<sup>th</sup> Premiership”**

The team was captained by Paul Slacksmith for the 1<sup>st</sup> time for the club .The side played 16 games won 11 and lost 5 to finish 3<sup>rd</sup> with 58 points.

The semi final against Tuart Hill ,Applecross scored 9 for 149 with Andrew Sproul scoring 23 on a slow out-field .Tuart Hill side full of old experienced guys thought this was a walk in the park Applecross bowling them out for 106 with Glen Wright taking 6 for 55 and the captain Paul Slacksmith 3 for .

The grand final against Subiaco Marist @ Butlers reserve saw Applecross bowl Subiaco Marist out for 78 with again Glen Wright taking 3 for 35 and Paul Slacksmith taking 3 for 6.Applecross with a very young team from finals experience got to 2 for 28 over night.The side batted well early with Tristan Fletcher scoring 32 before there was a batting collapse to be 9 for 73 with 6 runs to get out came Adam Knowles and he hit the slow ball for 6 to relieve the tensions and to win the premiership .

An outstanding performance of a team inexperienced with Senior cricket and finals cricket.Paul Slacksmith who captained the side must be recognised for his outstanding leadership.Paul came to the club when Murdoch University cricket club folded where he was a Life Member and played 16 years for and never played a final He now has played 3 finals and won the that elusive printed tea towel the Premiership.The side was made up of very young talented 16 year olds and some not so young older club stalwarts.Tim Miles took 38 wickets @ 7.50 and was unavailable for finals ,Glen Wright took 43 wickets for season taking his 300<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club.Chad Steenholdt scored 266 runs to prove to the club there is a Steenholdt that can play straight.Robert Gauderi averaged 24.63 with the bat and Brenton Jackson won the fielding .Tim Miles won the best and fairest .



Left to Right: Tristan Fletcher, Rob Gauderi,Adam Knowles,Paul Slacksmith,Chad Steenholdt,Andrew Sproul,Glen Wright,Steve Lindsay,Phillip Oats-Boardman,Callum Pilcher, Brenton Jackson.



### **One Day Comp Division 1 ( 6<sup>th</sup> XI)**

The team was captained by Ryan Greenwell for the 1<sup>st</sup> time the side played 21 games to win 15 and lose 6 games to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> after the home and away season with 58 points.

The club struggled to field a team for the first 4 weeks and went onto to play in the grand final which was a result of the quality cricketers available in this fast growing style of cricket. The highlights of the year was Leigh Wardell – Johnson 127 no and Lee Monument 110 no to put on 202 no for the 5<sup>th</sup> wicket against Tuart Hill in 14 overs or 53 minutes. Burt Baetsen taking his 400<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club. Ryan Greenwell scored 114 no against Bedford Morley and Lee Monument taking a hatrick against Bassendean. Not forgetting Angus Castley scoring a superb 81 against Curtin Vic Park in the semi final. Darren Monument took 18 wickets at 11.30 and scored 241 runs at 34.4 . Ryan Greenwell lead from the front with 414 with 27 catches also passing 3,000 runs for the club . Lee Monument took 25 wickets @ 7.10 with the best bowling of 6 for 12 against eventual premier Wembley Districts. Leigh Wardell – Johnson scored 446 runs and took 20 wickets for the year to win the best and fairest with new recruit Tom Atkinson winning the fielding.

The side played Curtin vic Park in the semi final @ Strickland reserve . Applecross scored 5 for 156 off 35 overs with Angus Castley scoring 81 and Liland scoring 23 no . Curtin Vic Park where never in the contest regularly losing wickets by tight bowling from young Andrew Cunningham 3 for 18 and Darren Monument 3 for 16 to be bowled out for 114. The grand final against Wembley districts was a disaster Wembley scoring 5 for 165 on a slow outfield Applecross was bowled out 64 .

The Team in Batting Order:

Vince Stackpole, Russell Kingdon, Ryan Greenwell, Angus Castley, Darren Monument, Leigh W-Johnson, Elvis Liland, Andrew Cunningham, Burt Baetsen, Tommy Atkinson, Richard Saldanha.

### **One Day Competition Division 2 ( 7<sup>th</sup> XI)**

#### **Perth Postals Join The ACC.**

The old Perth Postal cricket club decided to move as a whole team to play under the Applecross umbrella as they had only one team .

The team was lead by Rex Evans in its inaugural year with Applecross . They started the season well to be just out the four at xmas but what they eat over xmas had a huge effect on the results after xmas struggling to win a game playing 19 games winning 5 losing 13 and tied 1 to finish 7<sup>th</sup> with 33 points. John Austin winning the Association fielding award.

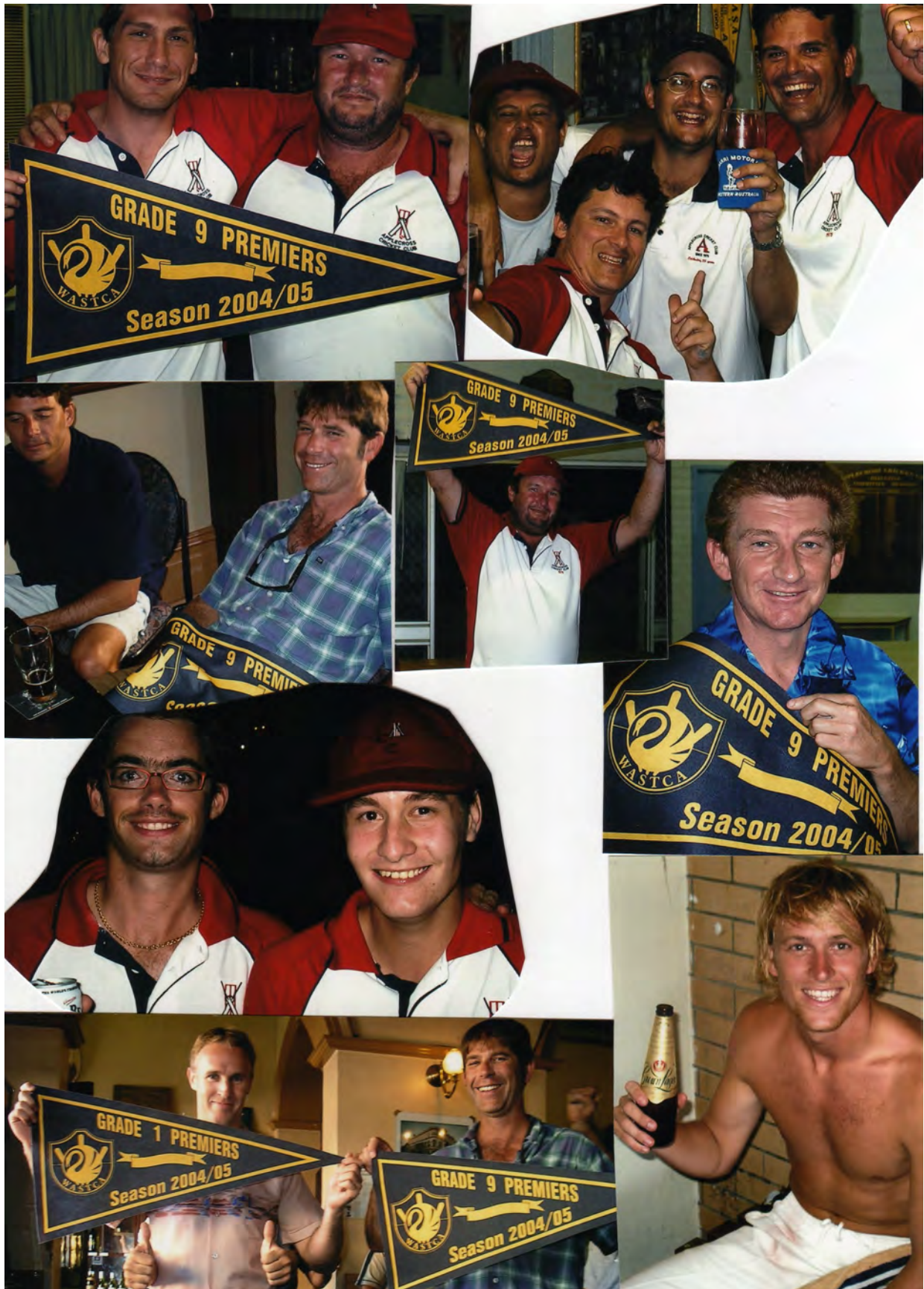
The highlight of year was an outstanding last over performance against Claremont/Nedlands @ Dalkieth oval . Applecross defending 3 runs with 1 wicket to get the boys ended up taking the last wicket for 2 runs to finish the game in a tie a outstanding performance against the reigning premier. Michael Shepherd scored 316 runs at 26.33 to win the batting with Mike Maher taking 23 wickets with his off spin. Rex Evans lead from the front with bowling average of 15.78 with Richard Sulway winning the fielding and Michael Shepherd winning the best and fairest.













### **The most important issues that has helped build the Foundations of the Club**

- The foundation of the club in 1975 by past Aquinas college students.
- In 1980 / 81 the club negotiated the laying of a new synthetic wicket and started playing games at Shirley Strickland Reserve.
- In 1980 / 81 the club started the famous club trips to country towns to play cricket and build the relationships between the members the 1<sup>st</sup> trip was to Pingelly.
- In 1980 / 81 the club hired a professional person for the first time to captain coach the club.
- In 1981 / 82 the club paid 5,000 dollars to become a full member of the Applecross Mt Pleasant Sportsman's Association. Jack Gregan must be recognised for his generosity and commitment to the club.
- In 1982 / 83 the club introduced an under 16s team to play in the W.A.S.T.C.A. junior competition.
- In 1990 the club started the process to Incorporate the club to protect its members from any liabilities. Incorporation occurred on the 26<sup>th</sup> of March 1991.
- In 1991 / 92 the club started to and completed the statistics of every player that had played for the club.
- In 1992 / 93 the club contributed to the cost of building 4 new training nets in the gully on the football oval.
- In 1992 / 93 the club unveiled the honor boards & new presentation of Premiership flags at Strickland reserve to honor the past players who had built the club from scratch.
- In 1993 / 94 the club compiled and recorded the Applecross Cricket Club History and held its 20<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrations.
- In 1998 / 99 the club set up the Applecross Cricket Club Website that has helped the club recruit players from overseas and interstate. Also enabling the club to communicate with past players around the world.
- In 1999 / 00 the club sub let the Kent Street High School turf wicket to enable the club to play the top two sides on turf each and every week.

## The Best Twelve

The club now celebrates its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary a selection committee was elected to decide on the clubs team of the past decade .The team for the first 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary is mentioned as well.

This then is the considered the best two teams in the clubs history for the first 30 years.

Team of the first 20 years. 1975 to 1995.	Team of the past decade. 1995 to 2005.
Peter Spencer (Captain)	Anthony Barranca (W.K.)
John Wright	Greg Oldfield
Tom Morgan (V/C)	Paul Holtham
Michael Broadbridge	Chris Mole
Gary Tuckwell	Stefan Perer
Phil Holman	Andy Walton
Stuart Rankin	Brendan Crowder
George Prince (W.K.)	Mark Hullet (Captain)
Eric Taylor	Alex Weir
Alex Weir	Greg Brautigam
Robert Pulley	Gerry Marquis (V/C)
12 <sup>th</sup> Man Allan Seubert	12 <sup>th</sup> Man Al Field

No doubt the teams will spark plenty of comment and argument. But one thing is for sure it would be two very hard teams to beat.



Alex Weir is the only player to be selected in both of these wonderful cricket teams.

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# **APPLECROSS CRICKET CLUB**



## **CLUB HISTORY PART 2**



## Part 2



Starts with the season 2005/06 to the 2012/13



Cover Photograph

Tim McCormick bowling at Kent street.

**2005/06**

## **Andrew Sproul Presented Life Membership**

### **Club Wins its 12th Premiership**

The club introduced a 8th XI this season made up from U/17s from the Ardross junior cricket club. The club also celebrated the clubs 30th year history by producing a history book and holding reunion at the Shirley Strickland clubhouse.

Life membership was presented to long serving clubman Andrew Sproul. He debuted for the club in 1981/82 season. He has won 1 premiership , WASTCA fielding award , played 245 games , won the prestigious wood duck award , was vice president for 3 seasons , hold s numerous association and club batting partnership records. He also likes drinking ACC 20th year limited edition history club port in Moshpits.



**Andrew Sproul**

The club appointed the former Fremantle WACA batting star Peter Brindley as coach and Steve Lewis as his assistant. The club won its 12 premiership with the one day team finally delivering the goods under captain Burt Baetsen.

Robert Pulley played his 250 game for the club and his the current record games holder. Angus Castley played his 150 club game and received player life membership from the WASTCA. Joe Venter , Alex Weir played there 100 games for club, Alex finally achieved this mile stone after debuting for the club in 1983.

### **Finance**

The club started with 18,858.45 and finished with 21,512.70 making a profit of 2,654.25. The bar dividend was 9,496.78. A fantastic outcome for the club in a year in which it celebrated its 30 year history.



Brendon Tribbeck idea of having a club auction has grown from strength to strength and has become the clubs main fund raiser each and every year.

With Bruce Bower the auctioneer it also makes it a wonderful funny entertaining event of the year

## Club Appointments

### Off Field

President	Brendon Tribbeck
Vice President	Dean Phillips
Secretary	Shane Steenholdt
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Director	Alex Weir
Director	Phil Oats Boardman
Director	Bruce Rudrum
Director	Paul Slacksmith
Bar Manager	Glen Wright
Director	Val Steenholdt
Director	Russell Kingdon

### On Field

Coach	Peter Brindley
Assistant Coach	Steve Lewis
1st XI Captain	Mark Hullett
2nd XI Captain	Damian O'Hara
3rd XI Captain	Cam Stirling
4th XI Captain	Steve Lindsay
5th XI Captain	Paul Slacksmith
6th XI Captain	Sam & Brad Ethell
7th XI Captain	Burt Baetsen
8th XI Captain	Rex Evans
Chairman of Selectors	Joe Venter
Chairman of Selectors	Michael Kapiteyn

## 1ST XI - 1ST GRADE

The 1st eleven was captain by Mark Hullett and finished 7th on 44 points with the 4th best percentage of the league. It was a disappointing season with the team could not capitalize on the magnificent opening batting of Paul Barber and Anthony Barranca.

Paul Barber and Anthony Barranca put on 202 for the 1st wicket against Balcatta which is a 1st wicket batting record for the club Anthony Barranca went on to score 143. Brendon Crowder and Peter Jordon put on 170 for the 4th wicket against Bassendean Peter Jordon went on to score 120 no and come of age as a 1st XI batsman.

Batting Aggregate	Anthony Barranca	409 Runs
Batting Average	Paul Barber	41.67
Fielding	Peter Jordon	
Bowling Aggregate	Glen Read	24 Wickets
Bowling Average	Michael Baer	12.55
Best & Fairest	Anthony Barranca	



Paul Barber

## 2ND XI - 3RD GRADE

The 2nd XI was captain by 1st year ACC skipper Anthony Brennan . They won 5 games and finished 9th on 32 points with a percentage of 88.5%. The year was a focus on developing young kids to play turf and find the future A graders.

The season started well winning 4 of the first 5 games as the season went on the young batting team failed to build innings on turf. Lee Carr had a good all round season taking 15 wickets at 18.9 and scoring 181 runs at 45.25

Robert Pulley took his 400th wicket for the club against Whitfords getting Sandercock caught at 1st slip by the skipper, Andrew Stampalia took his 100th catch for the club.

Batting Aggregate	Doug Stirling	291 Runs
Batting Average	Lee Carr	45.25
Fielding	Adrian Hackett	
Bowling Aggregate	Anthony Brennan	19 Wickets
Bowling Average	Ramon Fletcher	9.0
Best & Fairest	Lee Carr	



Doug Stirling

## 3RD XI 5TH GRADE

The 3rd XI was captain by 1st year skipper Cameron Stirling they finished 5th on 56 points with a percentage of 119.70%. They won 7 games for the year and it came down to the last fixture to win and play off in the finals. Unfortunately they lost a close hard fought game against Bentley.

Dean Phillips had a wonderful season taking 35 wickets and winning the WASTCA bowling award at an average of 13.90. Shane Steenholdt had his best season for the club scoring 331 runs at 30.10. Brad Douglas took 9 wickets and also scored 287 runs at 35.90. Cam Stirling and Brad Douglas put on 117 for the 7th wicket against Swan Valley and Nick Virisheff and Dean Phillips put on 42 for the 10th wicket against Bassendean.

Batting Aggregate	Shane Steenholdt	331 Runs
Batting Average	Brad Douglas	35.90
Fielding	Not Awarded	
Bowling Aggregate	Dean Phillips	35 Wickets
Bowling Average	Dean Phillips	13.90
Best & Fairest	Dean Phillips	



Dean Phillips



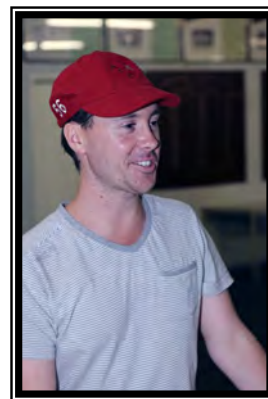
#### 4TH XI 6TH GRADE

Steve Lindsay was appointed as a 1st year skipper for the club. They finished 9th on 40 points with a percentage of 84.1%. The team started well being 3 and 3 at the Xmas break but unfortunately fell away in the new year . This team was simply brilliant by the way they approached there cricket as they played all the 2nd divisions clubs third team when these clubs 1st and 2nd XIs had byes so we all know what these clubs would have done.

One game stands out they played the top of the table Ocean Ridge who had not made less than 220 all year and we bowled them out for 84 then batted 80 overs for a team score of 171. It's the stuff what makes ACC great.

Nathan Petherick took 10 for 80 in a match against South Perth and Brett McGregor scored his highest sore for the club with 76 against Tuart Hill to ensure the Paul Pierce shield was held by Applecross for the year.

Batting Aggregate	Tristram Fletcher	238 Runs
Batting Average	Brett McGregor	32.00
Fielding	Joe Venter	
Bowling Aggregate	Glen Wright	16 Wickets
Bowling Average	Glen Wright	15.81
Best & Fairest	Phil Oats Boardman	



Nathan Petherick

#### 5TH XI 8TH GRADE

Paul Slacksmith was appointed captain after winning last years premiership had the pressure on to perform unfortunately they finished 7th with 24 points and a percentage of 65%. The team struggled for numbers having 40 cricketers play through out the season.

Batting Aggregate	Michael Marinovich	259 Runs
Batting Average	Len Blakey	33.40
Fielding	Anmal Bedi	
Bowling Aggregate	Paul Slacksmith	14 Wickets
Bowling Average	Not Awarded	
Best & Fairest	Sean Taylor	



Michael Marinovich

## 6TH XI 10TH GRADE

The team was made up of juniors in there 1st out of the Ardross under 17s. The team was always going to struggle in a men's senior competition. The team finished 7th of a 8 team competition with 40 points and percentage of 85.6%. The team was captain by Sam Ethell and managed by his father Brad.

Batting Aggregate	Sam Ethell	350 Runs
Batting Average	Sam Ethell	29.17
Fielding	Daniel Prigmore	
Bowling Aggregate	Josh Newman	20 Wickets
Bowling Average	Marco Buccini	13.0
Best & Fairest	Sam Ethell	



Jack Rudrum

## 7TH XI ONE DAY COMPETITION DIVISION 1

(35 OVERS A SIDE)

### CLUBS WIN ITS 12TH PREMIERSHIP

The team lost the first 2 games of the season and went on to finish top of the ladder at the end of the home and away season. A fantastic effort after poor start to the season.

The team was captain by Burt Baetsen who actually played his 200th game during the season against Claremont / Nedlands and Angus Castley played his 150 game during the season. Nick Ashbrook took his 350th wicket for the club.

Ryan Greenwell and Robert Wilton put on 170 for the 2nd wicket against Curtin Vic Park and Luke Wimbridge and Matthew Campbell put on 102 for the 6th wicket against South Perth.

We must always respect the opposition and in the game against Curtin Vic Park they put on 256 no for the 2nd wicket a WASTCA batting record. They batted exceptionally well that day against quality spin bowling.

The semi final against rivals Claremont Nedlands at the home of cricket Shirley Strickland reserve . It was a very tight hard fought quality game fitting for a grand final and we fell over the line.

The grand final was played against the young and spirited South Perth we batted first and posted 143 after being 6/80 a good competitive score with the skipper scoring 25 opening the batting. South Perth was finally dismissed for 108 with the skipper taking 3 for 28 and named man of the match.

Batting Aggregate	L Monument / A Castley	328 Runs
Batting Average	Lee Monument	46.86
Fielding	Tom Atkinson	
Bowling Aggregate	B Baetsen / N Ashbrook	19 Wickets
Bowling Average	Lee Monument	9.41
Best & Fairest	Lee Monument	



Angus Castley



Back Row (L-R) Luke Wimbridge , Nick Ashbrook , Richard Campbell , Lee Monument , Bruce Calder , Ryan Greenwell, Angus Castley.

Front Row (L-R) Darren Monument , Matt Campbell , Tom Atkinson , Burt Baetsen© , Vince Stackpole.

## 8TH XI ONE DAY COMPETITION DIVISION 2

The team Postal team was captain by Rex Evans and finished 4th on 72 points with a percentage of 91.9%. Unfortunately they lost the semi final.

Batting Aggregate	Bede Bruce Cullen	633 Runs
Batting Average	Stuart Kaschula	43.25
Fielding	Steve Wilson	
Bowling Aggregate	Mark Willey	25 Wickets
Bowling Average	Mark Willey	17.12
Best & Fairest	Bede Bruce Cullen	



Adrian Hackett in full flight



Carrington Shepherd batting at Kent street.



Matthew Campbell gets clean ripped in a one day competition fixture at Bill Ellison reserve( formerly known as Mandalla reserve) .



**2006/07**

**RELEGATED TO 2ND GRADE**

Bert Baetsen was appointed President, Phil Oates Boardman was his vice, Michael Marinovich was the club secretary and Murray Tribbeck was appointed treasurer.

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Bert Baetsen



Murray Tribbeck

Bruce Rudrum played his 100th game.

**POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President	Burt Baetsen
Vice President	Philip Oates-Boardman
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Secretary	Michael Marinovich
Committee	Chris Teede
Committee	Nicholai Virisheff
Committee	Nathan Petherick
1st XI Captain	Peter A Jordan
2nd XI Captain	
3rd XI Captain	Cameron Stirling
4th XI Captain	Steve Lindsay
5th XI Captain	Paul C Slack-Smith
OD1 Captain	Angus J Castley
OD2 Captain	Garry Mawdesley

**PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman	Dan Rogers
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy	
Philip Oates-Boardman	
Best All Round Cricketer	
Most Improved	
David Scheffer	
Best Future Prospect	
Brett Vance	
The 'Tom Morgan' Fielding Award	
Peter A Jordan	
Coaches Award	?
Best 1st Year Player	?
The 'Brett McGregor' Most Determined to Succeed	
Peter A Jordan	
Presidents XI vs 100 Gamers	?

**WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

WASTCA: 1st Grade Fielding Peter A Jordan

## TROPHY WINNERS

### 1st XI (1st Grade)

Best & Fairest Dan O Conway

Batting Aggregate Dan O Conway 385 runs

Batting Average Dan O Conway 38.5

Bowling Aggregate Dan O Conway 25 wickets

Bowling Average Ben Cadd 15.84

Fielding

### 2nd XI (3rd Grade)

Best & Fairest Ramon Fletcher

Batting Aggregate Chris Teede 208 runs

Batting Average Len Blakey 29.2

Bowling Aggregate Ramon Fletcher 27 wickets

Bowling Average Alex Weir 13.5

Fielding

### 3rd XI (5th Grade)

Best & Fairest Anthony Moffitt

Batting Aggregate Cameron Stirling 197 runs

Batting Average Ryan Greenwell 57.3

Bowling Aggregate Anthony Moffitt 27 wickets

Bowling Average Brad Weir 8

Fielding

### 4th XI (7th Grade)

Best & Fairest Hayden Drage

Batting Aggregate Hayden Drage 220 runs

Batting Average Hayden Drage 36.67

Bowling Aggregate Brett Vance 15 wickets

Bowling Average Brett Vance 18.2

Fielding

### 5th XI (8th Grade)

Best & Fairest Damian J O'Hara

Batting Aggregate Damian J O'Hara 346 runs

Batting Average

Bowling Aggregate Nicholas J Ashbrook 10 wickets

5th XI Bowling Average

### OD1

Best & Fairest Bruce Calder

Batting Aggregate Mark Hullett 421 runs

Batting Average Mark Hullett 42.1

Bowling Aggregate Bruce Calder 26 wickets

Bowling Average Darren Monument 10.11

Fielding

### OD2

Best & Fairest

Batting Aggregate Garry Mawdesley 447 runs

Batting Average Garry Mawdesley 55.88

Bowling Aggregate Michael P Maher 29 wickets

Bowling Average Michael P Maher 13.34

Fielding

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

1st XI (1st Grade) started off being captained by Ben Cadd and unfortunately we didn't get off to the start we were after losing five of the first six games with the other a washout. The club decided to change the captain after round 6 to try and change things up to save relegation.

Peter Jordan stepped up to the role and turned around the fortunes straight away, winning four of the last five fixtures. Unfortunately it still wasn't enough to avoid relegation as we finished 11th, which was only half a game from 6th and two wins from a finals berth.

Highlights from the season include:

Dan Conway in a losing cause made 108 not out batting at six against Ocean Ridge. The next highest score in that innings was 21. He also took 2/30 in that game.

Ben Cadd took the only 5 fa for the season against Ocean Ridge. He ended up with the figures of 5/69 off 20 overs.

Leading run scorer was Dan Conway with 385 runs, followed by David Scheffer (228) and young Chade Steenholdt with

213 runs. Dan Conway was also leading wicket taker with 25 wickets at 16.12, followed by Ben Cadd with 19 wickets at 15.84. In round 11 versus Western Suburbs, we had to win to save relegation. We batted first and were in trouble at 9 for 92 when Alex Weir and Suba Sivandran put on 66 for the 10th wicket to get the team to 158. We then rolled Western Suburbs for 147 to win. Alex Weir made 76 and bowled 13.3 overs and took 4 for 21. Ap-plecross was relegated due to other results going against us.



Anthony Brennan



Dan Conway

In what was an odd sort of year, the 2nd XI (3rd Grade) as the side had no fixed captain and a number of guys (Brad Weir, Anthony Brennan, Alex Weir, Brad Douglas, Chris Teede) had a go at the role during the season. But our record of two wins from eleven matches suggests it wasn't particularly successful experiment. 33 players went through the 2s this year which is a high number for a second eleven side.

Leading run scorer was Chris Teede with 208 runs, followed by Mayuran Sivapalan with 163 runs. Ramon Fletcher was well on top as leading wicket taker with 27 wickets with a best of 5/53. Next best was Alex Weir with 14 wickets and a best of 5/55

3rd XI (5th Grade) captained by Cameron Stirling had a tough year losing seven of our eleven games and one of them a humbling outright to Freo Mosman Park. We did manage to win three of our games outright, but there were teams, Nollamara and Swan Valley with 8 and 7 outright losses respectively, struggling more than us.

Leading run scorer was captain Cameron Stirling with 197 runs with a best of 80 against Western Suburbs. Next



Robert Wilton

best was Ryan Greenwell with 172 runs from just three games. Leading wicket taker was Anthony Moffitt with 27 wickets including a best of 6/19 against Nollamara. Other key performances with the ball include Brad Weirs 6/11 against Swan Valley and Rob Wiltons 10 wicket match which included 2 five fas, finishing with 10/41 against Wembley Districts.

Not an overly successful year and probably looking at results through all the sides we are just a little bit off the pace at the moment, probably needing an influx of youth

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

4th XI (7th Grade) captained by Steve Lindsay, had a forgettable season winning just the three games to finish second last.

The major highlight from the season was the record partnership for the 5th wicket between Hayden Drage (122) and Brenton 'Judas' Jackson (79) of 171 against Wembley Districts in Round 7 at Stricko. In the same fixture Tom 'Left Field' McGill too 5/24.

The other highlight from the season was the bowling performance of Anthony Brennan. Defending a low total of 118 which was largely down to Rob Wiltons 48 and extras adding 35 runs, AB bowled 15 overs, 4 maidens, 8 for 29 which bowled us to victory by 32 runs in the first round of the season.

Leading run scorer was Hayden Drage with 220 runs, followed by Brenton Jackson with 136 runs. Brett Vance was leading wicket taker with 15, followed by Steve Lindsay with 12.

Brenton Jackson (79) and Hayden Drage (122) scored 171 for the 5th wicket against Wembley Districts.



Hayden Drage

5th XI (8th Grade) captained by Paul Slack-Smith had a forgettable season winning just two of fourteen games to finish last on the ladder. A few of those losses were forfeits as numbers was probably the main issue for the club. It's hard to build a team when you have a different team each week.

Damian 'Nutsy' O'Hara led the run scorers with 346 runs with three fifties. Andrew Walton played four games with us and made 167 runs featuring a top score 91 in one of our wins.

Andrew Sproul made 154 to round off the top 3.

Nick Ashbrook was leading wicket taker with 10 wickets, followed by Paul Slack-Smith with 9 and Andy Walton with 8, which highlighted our weakness in the bowling department.

Not a great year for us, but it wasn't much of a surprise going by how the rest of the club fared



## CAPTAINS REPORTS

The One Day Division 1 team captained by Angus Castley had a very good year finishing in fourth spot just a game and a half from top.

In the semi-final we played the youngsters from South Perth. We won the toss and batted first, posting a respectable 7/164 off our 35 overs, with Bruce Calder top scoring with 46 not out batting at 7. In reply they got off to a great start putting 74 on for the first wicket and from there they cruised to victory, five down, with 6 overs to spare.

Leading run scorer was Mark Hullett with 451 runs at 41, which included a top score of 110 against Subiaco Marist and another score of 99 which was slightly controversial as he walked off thinking he had 103 only for Brett Stralow to point out he hit one of Hullys boundaries. Next best was Angus Castley with 325 runs and Bruce Calder with 263 runs.

Bruce Calder was leading wicket taker with 26 wickets at 13, followed by Glen Wright with 21 wickets and Darren Monument with 19 poles.

With all other sides not making finals it was up to us to salvage something from the year, but unfortunately it wasn't to be

One Day Division 2 team captain by Garry Mawdesley narrowly missed out on playing finals, finishing 5th, one win outside of the top 4.

Leading run scorer was Garry Mawdesley with 447 runs which featured an unbeaten 106 against Wembley Districts in a losing cause. Next best was Craig Leicester with 233 runs, followed by Troy Sutherland with 204 runs.

Leading wicket taker was Michael Maher with 29 wickets at 13.3, followed by Troy Sutherland and Mark Wiley with 12 wickets each

**2007/08**

**2ND XI WINS PREMIERSHIP**

Bert Baetsen was appointed President, Joe Venter was his vice, Michael Marinovich was the club secretary and Murray Tribbeck was appointed treasurer.

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Mark Hullett, Cameron Stirling, Bruce Calder Paul Slack-Smith all played there 100th game for the club.



Big Merv Hughes at the club

**POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President	Burt Baetsen
Vice President	Johannes Venter
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Secretary	Michael Marinovich
Committee	Angus J Castley
Committee	Carrington C Shepherd
Committee	Anthony Moffitt
Committee	Leigh Petherick
Committee	Alexander Kerr
1st XI Captain	Peter A Jordan
2nd XI Captain	Cameron Stirling
3rd XI Captain	Steve Lindsay
4th XI Captain	Brett McGregor
5th XI Captain	Andrew Sproul
OD1 Captain	Vincent Stackpole
OD2 Captain	Garry Mawdesley

**PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman  
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy  
Johannes Venter  
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Coaches Award  
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The 'Brett McGregor' Most Determined to Succeed  
Tristram A Fletcher  
Presidents XI vs 100 Gamers  
Woodduck  
Aubrey King Club Trip Medallion

**WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

## TROPHY WINNERS

### 1st XI (2nd Grade)

Best & Fairest Mark Hullett

Batting Aggregate Paul Barber 553 runs

Batting Average Paul Barber 39.5

Bowling Aggregate David Scheffer 32 wickets

Bowling Average Alex Weir 11.59

Fielding

### 2nd XI (4th Grade)

Best & Fairest Ramon Fletcher

Batting Aggregate Doug P Stirling 226 runs

Batting Average Andrew P Stampalia 53.33

Bowling Aggregate Ramon Fletcher 17 wickets

Bowling Average Ramon Fletcher 19.18

Fielding

### 3rd XI (6th Grade)

Best & Fairest Brad C Douglas

Batting Aggregate Tristram A Fletcher 241 runs

Batting Average Steve Coyle 36.67

Bowling Aggregate Brett Vance 16 wickets

Bowling Average Brad C Douglas 12.36

Fielding

### 4th XI (8th Grade)

Best & Fairest Gareth A Ringrose

Batting Aggregate Gareth A Ringrose 201 runs

Batting Average Gareth A Ringrose 33.5

Bowling Aggregate Glen Wright 15 wickets

Bowling Average

Fielding

### 5th XI (9th Grade)

Best & Fairest Daniel Johnson

Batting Aggregate Andrew Evans 138 runs

Batting Average Andrew Evans 27.6

Bowling Aggregate Daniel Johnson 26 wickets

Bowling Average

### OD1

Best & Fairest Darren Monument

Batting Aggregate Darren Monument 285 runs

Batting Average Darren Monument 47.5

Bowling Aggregate Darren Monument 16 wickets

Bowling Average Darren Monument 12.69

Fielding

### OD2

Best & Fairest

Batting Aggregate Stefan M Vucens 465 runs

Batting Average Stefan M Vucens 35.77

Bowling Aggregate Michael J Shepherd 21 wickets

Bowling Average Michael J Shepherd 13.24

Fielding

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

1st xi after the disappointment of narrowly avoiding relegation from 1st Grade last season, we found ourselves in 2nd Grade for the first time since 1992/93. Peter Jordan who took over mid season last year, was again captain of the 1st XI, with the goal to move back to 1st Grade.

The season had it's up and downs and we didn't get automatic promotion via finishing top, as we finished the regular season in third place.

In the semi-final against second placed Bassendean, we won the toss and batted. We got off to a great start with a 73 run opening stand between Paul Barber and Mark Hullett (29). Followed by a 67 run stand with Greg Oldfield (40). Paul Barber was eventually dismissed for 107, guiding the team to 240 all out. Al Weir also made a valuable 30 at number 10 rescuing the innings after a middle order collapse. In reply Bassendean lost regular wickets to never really being in the hunt, with the pick of the bowlers Al Weir taking 3/15 off 11 overs, Adrian Hackett 2/17, Ben Cadd 2/53, Brad Weir 1/15 and workhorse Dave Scheffer keeping things tight with 1/55 off 24 overs. With top placed Bedford Morley also winning their semi-final we were guaranteed promotion back to 1st Grade. the grand-final against Bedford Morley, we won the toss and batted. We never really got going, but fought hard batting for 74.5 overs for 147. With Ben Cadd top scoring with 42, supported by Greg Oldfield's 37. In reply Bedford Morley got off to a flier due to Jurangpathy, but lost four quick wickets to be 4/68. At 7/110 we thought we were in with a good chance but they managed to get over the line 7 down. Pick of the bowlers was Brad Weir taking 4/48 and Dave Scheffer's 2/15. Leading run scorer was Paul Barber with 671 runs, followed by Mark Hullett with 529 runs. David Scheffer took 35 wickets, followed by Alex Weir with 32 wickets. We didn't quite win felt, but the other goal of getting back into 1st Grade was obtained, making our stay in 2nd grade a short one

The 2nd XI captained by Cam Stirling, were put into 4th Grade after being relegated from 3rd Grade because the 1st XI got relegated last season. So we went into the season playing clubs we don't normally play at some unfamiliar grounds. In the regular season we performed pretty well, losing just the three games to finish 3rd.

In the semi-final we managed to get a home final at Kent St despite finishing third, taking on Melville. We won the toss and batted first with an opening partnership of 127 between Scott Jackson (89) and Chris Teede (43). Leigh Petherick also made a quickfire 63 to finish on an imposing 6/259 off 72 overs. In reply Melville gave us a huge scare, getting off to a great start at 1/109, then 4/203. Leigh Petherick came onto bowl and took 4/46 including the two set batsmen. Chris Teede also took 3/30, as we bowled out Melville for 250 with a couple of overs remaining.

We played 4th placed Swanbourne at Jubilee in the grand final after they upset top of the ladder Bedford Morley in the semi. We won the toss and batted again and we got off to another great start with Scott Jackson (47) and Chris Teede (42) putting on 76 for the first wicket. We battled hard all day to make 9/191 off of our 72 overs. In reply Swanbourne lost regular wickets, to be bowled out for 131 off 63 overs. Best of the bowlers was Harry Moffitt with 4/15 off 10 overs. So after a very enjoyable season we managed to take back felt to Stricko.



Back Row: Hayden Drage, Scott Jackson, Alan Utterson, Nick Noel, Chris Teede, Ramon Fletcher, Doug Stirling.  
Scott Curren Front Row: Anthony Moffitt, Andrew Stampalia, Cameron Stirling (c), Leigh Petherick, Damian O'Hara

Leading run scorer for the season was Scott Jackson with 357 runs, followed by Doug Stirling with 229 runs. Ramon Fletcher was leading wicket taker with 19 wickets, followed by Harry Moffitt with 15



## CAPTAINS REPORTS

The 3rd XI (6th Grade) captained by Steve Lindsay we moved down from 5th grade due to the 1st grade relegation of the season before. We had a strong season finishing tied 1st but second on percentage. It was a tight competition with the top 5 teams only separated by 8 points.

In the semi-final we played Bassendean at the home of cricket Shirley Strickland. We won the toss and batted first. We got off to a poor start and it didn't get much better falling to 8/66 and looking in all sorts of trouble. Angus Castley (20) and Karl Norwood (24\*) saw us to 108 all out off 51 overs. By being bowled out early we were able to bowl a few overs at them before the end of play and we took 4 very cheap wickets to reduce them to 4/4, with Tickets taking 3 of them and Robbie Wilton taking a sensational diving one handed catch, to give us the momentum heading into day 2. Bassendean never recovered and were bowled out for 42. Chris Cooper took 4/18, Karl 'Tickets' Norwood took 4/22 and Don Pulley chimed in with 2/1 to give us an unlikely win from the position we were in.

We played Tuart Hill in the grand-final at Wembley Sports Park. They won the toss and batted first and batted the day out to finish 9/211 off 72 overs. They were 7/127 but managed to recover and build a very competitive score. In reply we lost early wickets to fall to 4/33. A 63 run partnership between Ryan Greenwell (38) and Angus Castley (29) got us back into the game but again lost 4 quick wickets to be 8/111. Karl Norwood with some lusty hitting gave us half a sniff, but he fell for a very quick fire 37 and we were all out for 163 to lose by 48 runs. Had we cleaned up their tail this could have been a different story, but unfortunately it wasn't to be.

Leading run scorer was Tristram 'Rowdy' Fletcher with 264 runs, followed by Steve Coyle (235) and Karl Norwood (230). Chris Cooper was leading wicket taker for 17 wickets, followed by Brett Vance on 16 wickets

The 4th XI (8th Grade) captained by Brett 'Snake' McGregor just missed out on finals, falling a game and a bit of percentage out of the four. We just couldn't recover after losing 4 of our first six games. We had 44 guys play in this side, which doesn't help as consistency is probably the key to a successful season.

Highlights from the season were few and far between, but young Andrew Shakespeare impressed with a very good 99 unlucky not to bring up the ton in just his third game for the club.

Leading run scorer was young Gareth Ringrose with 201 runs at 33.5 in his first year at the club. Robert Pulley was next best with 166 runs. Glen Wright was leading wicket taker with 15, followed by Kenn MacPherson (13) and Paul Wirth (12). Overall an unsuccessful season, but one that blooded many new young faces at the club, surrounded by experienced heads, which is probably a great thing for their integration to the club.

5th XI (9th Grade) captained by Andrew Sproul, came into the competition after three fixtures had already been completed due to Balcatta pulling out after forfeiting rounds two and three. Having scraped together a team at fairly short notice, it probably doesn't come as much of a surprise that this was a difficult season. But cricket isn't always about winning and losing, that the club had enough players to create an extra team, it was the right decision to join the competition at late notice to give guys who would be missing out an opportunity to play and stay at Applecross.

Highlights were tough to single out, but our best win came in Round 6 at Winthrop versus High Wycombe where we had a great team batting performance with everyone contributing to chasing down 210.

Leading run scorer was Andrew Evans with 138 runs, followed by Andrew Sproul with 102 runs. Daniel Johnson had a great season with the ball and was leading wicket taker with 26 wickets which included 2 five fives, with a best of 6/63. This was a huge effort considering the next highest wicket taker only took 8 wickets

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

OD1s captained by Vince Stackpole had a difficult season which saw us miss finals by a considerable distance and featured some very heavy losses, including a loss by 295 runs which is massive in a 35 over game.

It wasn't all doom and gloom however, as we managed to win five games. Darren Monument made a great 111 in a losing cause against the Robin Smith containing Western Suburbs. Gareth Foulkes took 5/10 against Freo Mosman Park, Rob Wilton also took the very good figures of 5/12 against Swan Valley. Paul Wirth also took a 5fa with 5/38 against Whitfords in Round 2.

Darren Monument was leading run scorer with 285 runs at 47.5, followed by Bruce Calder (234) and Matt Campbell (200). Darren Monument was also leading wicket taker with 16 wickets, with Bruce Calder again just behind with 10 wickets

OD2's captained by Garry Mawdesley enjoyed a strong season to finish in third place. We had a slow start to the season winning only one of the first four games, but then went on a nine game winning streak to lock in a finals spot before losing the final three games to miss out on a home final.

In the semi-final we played Melville at Tompkins Park and we batted first scoring a very healthy 8/208 off our 35 overs, which included a 57 run unbeaten stand for the 9th wicket between Troy Sutherland (43\* with 5 sixes) and Mark Wiley (15\*). Other handy contributions came from Brad Lynn (34) and Brett Bastow (36). In reply they looked to be cruising at 3/152 but after we broke the 127 run stand for the 4th wicket, they crumbled in a heap with only two players in double figures. We bowled them out for 167, winning by 41 runs. Michael Shepherd was the pick of the bowlers with 5/15, ably supported by Stuart Kaschula (3/39) and Bede Bruce-Cullen (2/21).

The Grand-Final pitted us against fourth placed Subiaco Marist at McLean Park. They won the toss and batted, despite a shaky start they settled and finished with 7/198 which was always going to be tough to chase down in a final. Wickets were shared around, with Brett Bastow (2/25), Troy Sutherland (2/28) and Bede Bruce-Cullen (2/34) the stand outs. In reply we got off to a great start, losing our first wicket at 76, Stefan Vucens making 45 and Brad Lynn 28. We took the game right to the wire, but unfortunately fell agonisingly short at 9/193 off our 35 overs, losing by 5 runs. A really disappointing result considering how close we came to pulling off our first flag for Applecross.

Leading run scorer was Stefan Vucens with 518 runs at 34.5, followed by Bede Bruce-Cullen with 310 runs, which featured a best of 139\* not out against Bedford Morley, that knock included 9 fours and 11 sixes. Garry Mawdesley also finished the season with 310 runs. Leading wicket taker was Michael Shepherd with 26 wickets, followed by Bede Bruce-Cullen with 21 wickets

**2008/09**

**VINCE STACKPOLE PRESENTED LIFEMEMBERSHIP**

**CLUB PROMOTED BACK TO FIRST GRADE**

**COLTS TEAM INTRODUCED AND WINS PREMIERSHIP**

**3RD XI FIFTH GRADE WINS PREMEIERSHIP**

Bert Baetsen was appointed President for the 3rd year, Joe Venter was his vice , Michael Marinovich was the club secretary and Murray Tribbeck was appointed treasurer.

If you have a copy of the 2008/09 AGM minutes please forward them to me at president@applecrosscricketclub.com so I can update both the presidents report and the treasurers report.

Tristram Fletcher Dean Phillips all played there 100th game for the club.

### **POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President	Burt Baetsen
Vice President	Johannes Venter
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Secretary	Michael Marinovich
Committee	Leigh Petherick
Committee	Anthony Moffitt
Committee	Dan Rogers
Committee	Carrington C Shepherd
Committee	Tristram A Fletcher
Committee	Alexander Kerr
Committee	Angus J Castley
Team Captains	
1st XI Captain	Mark Hullett
2nd XI Captain	Damian J O'Hara
3rd XI Captain	Johannes Venter
4th XI Captain	Paul C Slack-Smith
5th XI Captain	Andrew Sproul
OD1 Captain	Matthew Campbell
OD2 Captain	Stefan M Vucens
Colts Captain	Mark Hager

### **PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman
Michael Marinovich
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy
Anthony Moffitt
Best All Round Cricketer
Most Improved
Best Future Prospect Gareth Foulkes
The 'Tom Morgan' Fielding Award Brad Rodden
Coaches Award
Best 1st Year Player
The 'Brett McGregor' Most Determined to Succeed Damian J O'Hara
Presidents XI vs 100 Gamers
Wood Duck
Aubrey King Club Trip Medallion

### **WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

WASTCA: 1st Grade Batting Paul Barber

WASTCA: Colts Batting Brad Rodden

## TROPHY WINNERS

### 1st XI (1st Grade)

Best & Fairest Brad Rodden

Batting Aggregate Paul Barber 522 runs

Batting Average Paul Barber 47.45

Bowling Aggregate Brad Weir 20 wickets

Bowling Average

Fielding

### 2nd XI (3rd Grade)

Best & Fairest Deccan Schembri

Batting Aggregate Deccan Schembri 369 runs

Batting Average Deccan Schembri 41

Bowling Aggregate Anthony Brennan 22 wickets

Bowling Average Joseph Jeevaraj 11.57

Fielding

### 3rd XI (5th Grade)

Best & Fairest Robert Pulley

Batting Aggregate Doug P Stirling 232 runs

Batting Average

Bowling Aggregate Dean M Phillips 27 wickets

Bowling Average Nicholas Noel 8.9

Fielding

Man of the Match Grand Final Robert Pulley

### 4th XI (8th Grade)

Best & Fairest Steve Coyle

Batting Aggregate Steve Coyle 215 runs

Batting Average

Bowling Aggregate Bruce Leggett 23 wickets

Bowling Average

Fielding

### 5th XI (10th Grade)

Best & Fairest Gavin N Steinberg

Batting Aggregate Gavin N Steinberg 329 runs

Batting Average Douglas C Stewart 38.83

Bowling Aggregate Glen Wright 22 wickets

Bowling Average

OD1

Best & Fairest Matthew Campbell

Batting Aggregate Rian Elliott 389 runs

Batting Average Rian Elliott 97.25

Bowling Aggregate Darren Monument 13 wickets

Bowling Average

Fielding

OD2

Best & Fairest Brett Bastow

Batting Aggregate Brett Bastow 583 runs

Batting Average Stuart R Kaschula 59.4

Bowling Aggregate Brett Bastow 19 wickets

Bowling Average

Fielding

Colts

Best & Fairest Brad Rodden

Batting Aggregate

Batting Average

Bowling Aggregate

Bowling Average

Fielding

Man of the Match Grand Final Brad Rodden



## CAPTAINS REPORTS

Mark Hullett returned to the role as 1st XI (1st Grade) skipper and led the team strongly to see the team finish a win ahead of the competition by only losing the one game.

In the Semi-Final we played Bedford Morley at Jones Paskin Reserve. We won the toss and batted first. At one stage we were 8/97 but some lower order resistance from Carrington Shepherd (38) and Alex Weir (35) saw us to a competitive 157. In reply Bedford Morley were in trouble early falling to 6/37 before a 73 run partnership edged them closer to victory with nemesis Jurangapathy making 63. However, once we broke the partnership the final poles fell pretty quickly to bowl out BM for 136 to win by 21 runs. Tim McCormick was the pick of the bowlers taking 6/82.

We then played Bentley in the Grand-Final at Wembley Sports Park and lost the toss, so we bowled first. We managed to take early wickets, but Bentleys lower order fought hard to take them to 203 off 78 overs. Alex Weir was the pick of the bowlers with 4/37. In reply we lost some very early wickets to be 3/1 and from there it was always going to be a tough ask. We fought hard but came well short, as we were all out for 128. Unfortunately, no first XI felt this season.



Mark Hullett

Leading run scorer this season was Brad Rodden with 546 runs with a top score of 111.

Followed by Paul Barber with 522 runs, featuring two tons with a top score of 120. Mark Hullett finished third with 436 runs. Top wicket taker was Tim McCormick with 27 wickets, followed by Brad Weir with 23 wickets, with Dave Scheffer third with 17 poles.

Paul Barber also won the WASTCA batting award with his 522 runs at 47.45.

Paul Barber against Swan Valley made 120 off 133 balls, his innings included 20 fours and 2 sixes. He ran himself out in the 41st over which was three overs before tea. The first wicket partnership with Scott Jackson (44) on his first grade debut was 160 in 33 overs.

Carrington Shepherd took 7 catches behind the wickets against Wembley Districts, 3 off Dave Scheffer, 3 off the Weir Bros and 1 off Clarke. This effort must put him very high in all time keeping dismissals in a single 1st Grade innings or innings in any grade for that matter.

2nd XI (3rd Grade) captained by Damian 'Nutsy' O'Hara, went through the regular season undefeated finishing top and made it to the grand final only to lose at the final hurdle.

In the semi-final we had a home final at Kent St against Whitfords. Winning the toss and batting we got off to a shaky start losing Ben Cadd without scoring. That brought Joe Jeevaraj

(80) and Deccan Schembri (100) together and they put on 160 for the second wicket. We ended up making 6/263 off our 72 overs. In reply Adrian Hall (99) played a lone hand for Whitfords as they were bowled out for 173 giving us a 90 run win. The wickets were shared amongst all the bowlers.

The Grand Final was played at Charles Varyard West against Doubleview-Carine. We won the toss and sent them in. They managed to fight their way to 223 with Adrian Hackett the pick of the bowlers with 5/64. In reply due to only needing a draw to win we batted slowly in difficult conditions. Unfortunately, we lost our last wicket on the last ball of the day, giving Doubleview the win. We were bowled out 67 off 62 overs. A disappointing way to end what was a magnificent season. Our leading run scorer for the season was Deccan Schembri with 469 runs, followed by Leigh Petherick with 291 runs. Anthony Brennan was leading wicket taker with 24 wickets, followed by both Adrian Hackett and Ben Cadd with 17 wickets each

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

3rd XI (5th Grade) was captained by Joe Venter who returned to captaincy after a few years without that responsibility. The season got off to a slow start narrowly losing the first two games and having a draw with Doubleview-Carine because of rain when we only needed one more wicket for victory. However, we hit our straps from there on, only losing one more game in the regular season. In finals we had a couple of great games of cricket to clinch a piece of felt for the club.

The semi-final saw us take on Doubleview-Carine out at Beach Reserve. We won the toss and batted, however we got off to an ordinary start, being 5/45 when Andrew Shakespeare was dismissed for 30. A lower order fightback with Chris Cooper (54) batting superbly with the tail, including 41 for the last wicket with Dean Phillips, to see us to a very competitive 168. In reply we took regular wickets to dismiss Doubleview for 94 off 50 overs. Each of the four bowlers (Fletcher, Cooper, Phillips, Pulley) chimed in with 2 or 3 wickets to take us to victory.

The grand-final was played at Wembley Sports Park against Bentley. We lost the toss and bowled first, which ended up being a good toss to lose as we rolled through them, bowling them out for 85 in just 32 overs. Chris Cooper and Ramon Fletcher both took 2 early wickets each to put Bentley on the back foot. Don Pulley though had the standout figures, ripping through the middle and lower order to take the ridiculous figures of 5/3 off 7 overs. In reply we were looking good at 1/42 but had a collapse to leave the game hanging in the balance at the end of day one at 7/70. Rob Pulley (29) and Ramon Fletcher (12) saw us to the total before we were dismissed for 113. They had a go at winning outright but it never seemed likely with us taking home the felt. Robert Pulley was man of the match for his outstanding performance.

Doug Stirling was the leading run scorer with 240 runs, followed by Rob Pulley (229) and Andrew Shakespeare (227). Rob Pulley was leading wicket taker with 32 wickets followed by Dean Phillips on 31 wickets. Best figures were Nick Noels 6/37 against Wembley Districts



Back Row (L-R) Nick Noel, Ramon Fletcher, Mark Hager, Doug Stirling  
Front Row (L-R) Robert Pulley, Len Blakey, Andrew Shakespeare, Chris Cooper, Dean Phillips, Joe Venter  
(c) Damien Roussel

4th XI (8th Grade) was captained by Paul Slack-Smith who returned to captaincy after not captaining the year before. The side got off to a flier winning the first four games and the fifth was a washout. After that we limped into finals winning only three of our last nine games. We finished the regular two games clear of fifth in third position but four games adrift of second.

In the semi-final we played a very strong Western Suburbs who had only lost the two games for the season. We lost the toss and bowled first out at Dalkeith Oval. They had a number of handy contributors on a fast outfield and made 290 off their 72 overs, with Paul Slack-Smith the pick of the bowlers with 6/59. In reply we got off to a fairly poor start being 4/45, but we rallied really well and were well ahead of the required run rate. However, we ultimately fell 48 runs short with still over fifteen overs to be bowled. Key contributors with bat were Steve Lindsay with a brilliant 70, Steve Coyle (44) and Graham Cooper (33).

Leading run scorer was Steve Coyle with 259 runs with no one else passing 200 runs for the season. Top wicket taker was Bruce Leggett with 23 wickets, followed by Paul Slack-Smith with 21 wickets.

Other key performances were Harry Moffit's 6/22 against Doubleview-Carine and Rob Wilton's 6/36 against Bas-sendean

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

5th XI (10th Grade) was once again captained by Andrew Sproul. The team performed strongly during the regular season to finish second, one and half games clear of third placed Tuart Hill. The season is marred in a bit of controversy as for the One Day Grand Final we were found to have played a player who had not qualified for the grand final. It was really unfortunate as the team had a great victory in that fixture chasing down 152 with one over to spare.

The two day Semi-Final against Tuart Hill was played at Shirley Strickland. We won the toss and sent them into bat, they batted their 72 overs for 206 runs. Pick of the bowlers was Jack Barendse with 2/33. In reply no one could make a substantial contribution, with plenty of guys getting starts Stuart Carr topped scored with 26. We were bowled out for 137, losing by 69 runs.

Leading run scorer was Gavin Steinberg with 343 runs which included a 104 against Whitfords. Other key contributors were Doug Stewart (248), Dan Rogers (238) and Elton Barendse (236). With the ball Glen Wright took 24 wickets which included two 6fas (6/18 against Whitfords and 6/44 against Curtin Victoria Park). Second was Gavin Steinberg with 19 wickets which includes a 5/25 against Curtin Victoria Park.

Unfortunately, the season will always be remembered for the flag that was taken off us and what could have been. Need to be more vigilant with finals selections in the future.

OD1s captained by Matt Campbell had a season to forget finishing six and half wins outside the top four.

Rian Elliot led all run scorers with 389 runs including a top score of 105\* against Subiaco Marist, despite only playing six matches. Matt Campbell was second with 296 runs and Rob Wilton third with 208 runs. Leading wicket taker was Darren Monument with 13 wickets followed by Rob Wilton with 10.

Judging by stats, bowling looks like the area we will need improve on going forward to be competitive in this grade

OD2's captained for the first time by Stefan Vucens, had a very strong regular season finishing tied top but second on percentage.

In the semi-final we played Bentley at home at Winthrop Park. We won the toss and batted first, unfortunately after being 2/62 we were rolled for 98 with no one really making a sizable contribution, just a heap of starts. In reply we had them on the backfoot by reducing them to 3/14. However, they found a couple of handy middle order partnerships to pass our score six down

Leading run scorer was Brett Bastow with 604 runs, followed by Stefan Vucens on 432 runs and Brad Lynn on 395 runs. Top wicket taker was tied by three guys, with Michael Shepherd, Troy Sutherland and Brett Bastow all finishing the season with 19 wickets each.

Two key performances with the bat were Stuart Kaschula's massive 146 not out against Bassendean in the opening round, which included 15 fours and 11 sixes. In the final round before finals Brad Lynn scored 101 in quick time, dismissed in the 24th over having hit 5 fours and 10 sixes.

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

.Colts returned to the Cross this year under the leadership of Mark Hager. The side finished 4th after the regular season having won four out of six, with one abandoned due to rain.

The Semi-Final saw us take on top of the ladder Swan Valley away from home. We won the toss and batted first making 8/187 off 40 overs with Alex James making 64 and Brad Rodden 46. Swan Valley in reply found the going tough, losing regular wickets to be bowled out for 142. David Ince starring with the ball taking 4/25, well supported by Andrew Cunningham 3/25 and Gareth Foulkes 2/37.

In the Grand Final we took on Bedford Morley in a home grand final at Kent St. Again, we won the toss and batted first with Brad Rodden (70) and Gareth Foulkes (26) setting up a very competitive score of 7/198 with a partnership of 76 for the 3rd wicket. In reply, Bedford Morley put up a great fight but were always behind the required run rate falling 26 runs short when the overs ran out. Brad Rodden also starred with the ball taking 3/23 off his 8 overs. Other wicket takers were Glenn Syme 2/27 and Gareth Foulkes 2/34. Brad Rodden was name man of the match by the umpires. With that the lads were able to bring the club its first bit of Colts felt.

Brad Rodden was leading run scorer with 296 for the season including finals and was awarded with a WASTCA Batting award. He was followed by Scott Jackson on 190 runs with a top score of 85. With the ball David Ince and Gareth Foulkes led the way with 14 wickets each, followed by Andrew Cunningham on 11 wickets.



Back Row: Brad Rodden, David Ince, Glenn Syme, McLane Edinger, Graham Cooper, Alex James, Andrew Cunningham Front Row: Gareth Ringrose, Gareth Foulkes, Scott Jackson, Mark Hager (c), Alexander Kerr



The club bestowed Life Membership to Vine Stackpole. Vince has become the 13th life member of the ACC. His contribution to the club over the years has been massive, whether that has been off field as President or on field as a captain. Welcome Vince to the life member club.

Debuted 1994/95 Total Games 243 Total Runs 2,011 Total Wickets 27 , Catches 136

Premierships 1

Off Field Positions

4 years as President 3 years as Captain , 4 years on General Committee 1 year as Chairman of Selectors

2 x Best and Fairest awards 1 x Batting Aggregate Award 1x Batting Average Awards 1x Fielding Award.

Set up the first club website . Just a ripper bloke congratulations Stacky!.



**2009/10**

**TWENTY20 INTRODUCED FOR THE FIRST TIME**

Joe Venter was appointed President for the year, Angus Castley was his vice, Scott Curren was the club secretary and Murray Tribbeck was appointed treasurer.

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Steve Lindsay played there 100th game for the club.

The club made an annual Profit of \$3,444.61



Michael  
Marinovich



Joe  
Venter

**POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President	Johannes Venter
Vice President	Angus J Castley
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Secretary	Scott Curren
Committee	Carrington C Shepherd
Committee	Anthony Moffitt
Committee	Chris Teede
Committee	Michael Marinovich
Committee	Deccan Schembri
Committee	Alexander Kerr
Committee	Leigh Petherick
1st XI Captain	Paul Barber
2nd XI Captain	Damian J O'Hara
3rd XI Captain	Len Blakey
4th XI Captain	Paul C Slack-Smith
5th XI Captain	Andrew Sproul
OD1 Captain	Campbell, Matthew
OD2 Captain	Vucens, Stefan M
Colts Captain	Hager, Mark
T20 Div. 1 Captain	Brad Rodden

**PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman
Angus J Castley
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy
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Best All Round Cricketer
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**WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

WASTCA: 10th Grade Batting	Jack Barendse
WASTCA: 3rd Grade Bowling	Anthony Brennan
WASTCA: 8th Grade Bowling	Callum Smith

## TROPHY WINNERS

### 1st XI (1st Grade)

Best & Fairest    Tim McCormick

Batting Aggregate Brad Rodden 367 runs

Batting Average Brad Rodden 33.36

Bowling Aggregate Tim McCormick 31 wkts

Bowling Average David Scheffer 13.89

Fielding

### 2nd XI (3rd Grade)

Best & Fairest    Peter A Jordan

Batting Aggregate Peter A Jordan 310 runs

Batting Average Peter A Jordan 38.75

Bowling Aggregate Anthony Brennan 23 wickets

Bowling Average Anthony Brennan 12.43

Fielding

### 3rd XI (5th Grade)

Best & Fairest    Patrick Henning

Batting Aggregate Steve Coyle 298 runs

Batting Average Robert Pulley 44.8

Bowling Aggregate Nicholas Noel 14 wkts

Bowling Average Patrick Henning 12.33

Fielding Tristram A Fletcher

### 4th XI (8th Grade)

Best & Fairest    Richard J Manning

Batting Aggregate Richard J Manning 382 runs

Batting Average Richard J Manning 54.57

Bowling Aggregate Callum Smith 19 wickets

Bowling Average Callum Smith 11.05

Fielding

### 5th XI (10th Grade)

5th XI Best & Fairest    Jack Barendse

5th XI Batting Aggregate Jack Barendse 425 runs

5th XI Batting Average Jack Barendse 42.5

5th XI Bowling Aggregate Gavin N Steinberg 22 wkts

5th XI Bowling Average

OD1

OD1 Best & Fairest    Rob Wilton

OD1 Batting Aggregate Rob Wilton 408 runs

OD1 Batting Average Rob Wilton 34

OD1 Bowling Aggregate Bruce Rudrum 18 wickets

OD1 Bowling Average Leigh Wardell-Johnson 12.81

OD1 Fielding

OD2

OD2 Best & Fairest

OD2 Batting Aggregate Stefan M Vucens 237 runs

OD2 Batting Average Stefan M Vucens 29.63

OD2 Bowling Aggregate

OD2 Bowling Average

OD2 Fielding

Colts

Colts Best & Fairest    Scott Jackson

Colts Batting Aggregate

Colts Batting Average

Colts Bowling Aggregate

Colts Bowling Average

Colts Fielding

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

1st XI (1st Grade) was captained by Paul Barber this year. The team got off to a slow start being 1 win and 5 losses at Christmas. The side rallied a bit in the second half of the season, winning 3 of the last 5 games to avoid relegation, finishing 8th out of 12 first grade teams.

Highlights for the season include Deccan Schembri carrying his bat for 87 not out, batting for 92 overs in the team's first win of the season in Round 3 against Balcatta as we chased down 174. Tim McCormick took two five fers in losing causes.

Brad Rodden led the batting with 367 runs, Paul Barber close behind on 272 runs and Tim McCormick made 248 runs. Tim McCormick also led the bowlers with 31 wickets, with Dave Scheffer on 18 wickets and Al Weir on 17 wickets.



Deccan Schembri

Unfortunately, it was ultimately an unsuccessful season for the 1s but at least they remained in first grade for another go at the title next season.

2nd XI (3rd Grade) captained by Damian 'Nutsy' O'Hara, had a very strong season winning 8 games and losing only 3 to finish the regular season in 2nd place. By finishing second the 2s earned a home semi-final at Kent St. Unfortunately, the side went down in the semi to Doubleview Carine. Chasing 192 for victory the side battled hard, batting 72 overs in reply but falling 33 runs short, bowled out for 159 with Scott Jackson top scoring with 41. Chris Cooper also a strong contributor with 2/39 and 31 runs.

Season highlights include a maiden ton (121) for Andrew Shakespeare and two tons for Peter Jordan (113\* and 100). For the bowling Adrian Hackett's 6/24 against Swanbourne and Anthony Brennan's 5/38 against Bentley were the standout performances.

Peter Jordan led the batting with 319 runs, with Chris Cooper on 227 runs and Cameron Stirling 226 runs. For the bowlers AB stood out with 25 wickets, with Adrian Hackett and Cameron Stirling second and third with 16 and 15 wickets respectively. Anthony Brennan also won the WASTCA bowling average award with an average of 12.43 runs per wicket.

Unfortunately, we didn't finish a very good season with some felt, but it showed that the club has a bit of depth.

3rd XI (5th Grade) 'thirsty thirds' was captained by Len Blakey this season. The side had an up and down season but managed to scrape into finals by 0.0053% with a 6 win and 5 loss record. Sneaking into the four meant we had to play an in-form top of the ladder Whitfords at Jubilee Reserve in semi-final. We lost the toss and bowled first, with Whitfords making a very strong 5/271 off their 72 overs. In reply we were all out for 144, with the major turning point going from 0/32 to 3/32 in an over.

Highlights from the season include, Steve Coyle's 106 against Wembley Districts in a losing cause and the partnership of 179 between Rob Pulley (101\*) and Mark Hager (103) for the third wicket against Bedford Morley, with both players scoring tons. Bowling highlights were Nick Noels 5/52 against Murdoch University Melville and Dean Phillips 5/64 against Whitfords.

Steve Coyle led the batting with 342 runs, followed by Len Blakey and Rob Pulley on 299 and 224 runs respectively. Dean Phillips was leading wicket taker with 15 wickets followed by Nick Noel on 14 and Pat Henning on 12 wickets

## CAPTAINS REPORTS

4th XI (8th Grade) was again captained by Paul Slack-Smith. The side again performed strongly, finishing the regular season tied on points with second placed Western Suburbs but having an inferior percentage. Western Suburbs had a very strong side with many players playing well below their standard. We managed to beat them in Round 11 at Stricko when we took early wickets including their star players, but the Semi-Final was a different story as they piled on 6/233 and in reply we were knocked over for 112.

We also made the One Day Grand Final where we played Whitfords at McDonald Park. We won the toss and batted first and made a competitive 7/134 with Vishal Khairnar top scoring with 35. In reply Whitfords lost early wickets to be 3/26, but then built a couple of partnerships to win by six wickets with 9 overs to spare. Pick of the bowlers was Cal Sauer with 3/38.

The season featured some great batting highlights, including Sean Adam's 140 against Doubleview-Carine, Dick Manning's 128 in a loss against a powerful Western Suburbs, Des Carruthers 109 against Tuart Hill and Gareth Foulkes 104 against eventual two-day premiers Wembley Districts. Best bowling figures belonged to Dean Phillips with 6/18 against Doubleview-Carine. Cal Sauer chimed in with two five fers, while Cal Smith and Andrew Cunningham both took one five each. Cal Smith won the WASTCA bowling average award with an average of 11.05 runs per wicket.

So unfortunately, two finals campaigns ended without a win, but still an enjoyable, fairly successful season.

5th XI (10th Grade) captained again by Andrew Sproul, had a late season run of form to charge into the finals, winning the last three games to finish the season with a positive win loss record and finishing in third position. The Semi-Final was played at Shirley Strickland against Curtin Vic Park and Applecross won the toss and batted first making a competitive 147 with Gavin Steinberg top scoring with 40 runs. In reply we bowled out Curtin for 113 with both Rob Wilton and Suj taking 3 wickets each.

The Grand Final against Wembley Districts was played at RA Cook. We again won the toss and batted first but unfortunately were skittled for 92, with Robbie Wilton the major contributor with the bat with 49 runs. In reply Wembley Districts chased the runs fairly comfortably and ended on 8/181 before the game was called off.

Highlights with the bat include Hayden Drage's 104 against Bedford Morley and Jack Barendse's 72 in the same fixture. With the ball Gavin Steinberg took two five fers with the best figures of 5/25 against Fremantle Mosman Park. Jack Barendse also took 5/67 against Wembley Districts.

Highest run scorer for the season was Jack Barendse with 453 runs, he also won the WASTCA batting average award with an average of 42.5. Next best was Gavin Steinberg on 252 runs for the season. Leading wicket taker was Gavin Steinberg with 25 wickets, Glen Wright was second with 22 wickets and Jack Barendse close behind on 21 wickets.

Ultimately it was an unsuccessful campaign, but we were mightily close to some unexpected felt



## CAPTAINS REPORTS

OD1s were again captained by Matthew Campbell. We won 10 out of 18 games, but unfortunately fell a game outside of the top 4, finishing in 5th place.

Highlights from the season include a massive 123 scored by Rian Elliot in Round 1 against Subiaco Marist. Robbie Wilton also scored a ton (101) against Fremantle Mosman Park in Round 14.

Leading run scorer for the season was Rob Wilton with 408 runs, Matt Campbell was second with 284 runs, followed by Angus Castley with 269 runs. Leading wicket taker was Bruce Rudrum with 18 wickets followed by Leigh Wardell-Johnson on 16 wickets for the season.

Unfortunately, no finals this season, so hoping to regroup next year for another tilt at the flag

OD2's was captained again by Stefan Vucens. This was a tough year for the 'Postels' winning the first game, but not winning again until Round 13. After finishing second the year before, obviously this was a very disappointing result.

Highlights for the season were few and far between, but the 93 run first wicket partnership between Garry Mawdesley (88) and Brad Lynn (53) stood out in our win against Bentley in round 13. Which was followed by a 75 run partnership between Garry and Mick Maher, in definitely our best batting performance of the year.

Leading run scorer was Stefan Vucens with 237 runs, followed by Brad Lynn with 227 runs. Leading wicket taker were both Troy Sutherland and Mike Maher with 11 wickets each.

Colts were captained again by Mark Hager, looking to defend the Colts premiership won in 08/09. We finished the season tied 4th but unfortunately in 5th place on percentage, ending what was a promising campaign that could have gone all the way with a bit of luck.

Highlights of the season included, Brad Rodden's amazing 137\* against Bedford Morley and Scotty Jacksons 100\* against Doubleview Carine.

Scott Jackson ended up as leading run scorer with 277 runs at 69.25. Followed by Brad Rodden with 225 runs at 75. Andrew Cunningham was the pick of the bowlers with 11 wickets, followed by Pat Henning with 9 wickets.

ACC's inaugural T20 Div. 1 team was captained by Brad Rodden. The team won three matches and only lost one, but the nature of the competition with a 19-team ladder makes for an uneven competition. Looking at the ladder we finished tied 2nd but finished 6th on percentage, thus ending our season before finals.

Highlights with the bat included Karl 'Tickets' Norwood's quick fire 54 and Brad Rodden's 50. Chris Teede had the best bowling figures with 3/29.

Leading run scorer was Brad Rodden with 99 runs followed by Andrew Shakespeare with 84 runs. Chris Teede was leading wicket taker with 6 wickets followed by Ramon 'Fabio' Fletcher with 5 wickets.

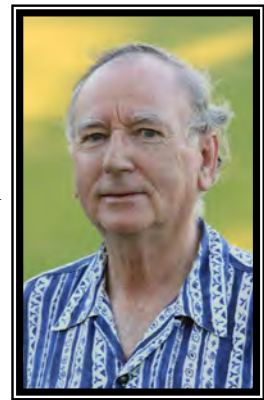
## 2010/11

This season is remembered by the passing of Carol Prince the wife of club life member George. Carol was instrumental in writing the 20 year club history with George and they won the President trophy for their contribution and commitment in undertaking this enormous task. Carol will always be remembered by helping the man of the matches award winners drink their glass of Amarulla. Our thoughts will always be with you.

Joe Venter was appointed president and Angus Castley his vice with Murray Tribbeck as treasurer and Scott Curran as secretary. The club did appoint a coach for the season and duties were left to the individual captains. Michael Kapiteyn was appointed chairman of selectors.

The club where the 3rd and 5th grade winners, Dean Phillips won the WASTCA bowling award in 8th grade with an average of 11.36. New member Gavin Steinberg won the WASTCA 10th grade batting award with 468 runs at an average of 52.0.

The club finished 9th in the club championship with 49.15 average. Robert Wilton passed 6,000 runs and Peter Jordon passed 4,000 runs. Robert Pulley played his 300th game in a memorial win over Bentley, Brad Weir and Matt Campbell played their 200th games, Alex Weir played his 150 game obtaining WASTCA player life membership. Al Field and Nick Noel played their 100 game for the club.



### 100 Gamers v President XI

The 100 gamers was captain by Angus Castley and the Presidents XI was captain by Allan Utterson. The presidents XI batted first with father and son opening partnership of 103 between Elton and Jack Barendse with Callum Sauer smashing a quick fire 44 they posted 227. The 100 gamers had their backs to the wall Stephen Perer scoring 50 to fall 9 runs short to be out for 216.

Murray Tribbeck

### 100 Gamers Dinner

Chris Teede organized the club's 14th annual 100 gamers dinner this year at the View Restaurant in Fremantle. 28 of the 51 players attended the evening and welcomed the newest member Al Field to the club.

### Financial

The club started with 49,667.01 and finished with 65,642.93 with an annual profit of 15,975.92. The bar turnover was 35,017.25. A fantastic year financially with saving from not appointing a club coach for the season.

## Appointments

### Off Field

President	Joe Venter
Vice President	Angus Castley
Secretary	Scott Curran
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck
Director	Mark Hagar
Director	Chris Teede
Director	Deccan Schembri
Director	Al Field
Director	Mike Marinovich
Director	Leigh Petherick
Director	Simon Shub
Director	Carrington Shepherd

### On Field

Coach	Not Appointed
Nets Co Coordinator	Val Steenholdt
1st XI Captain	Deccan Schembri
2nd XI Captain	Peter Jordon
3rd XI Captain	Len Blakey
4th XI Captain	Tristram Fletcher
5th XI Captain	Andrew Sproul
6th XI Captain	Matthew Campbell
7th XI Captain	Brett Gresele
Colts Captain	Chade Steenholdt
Chairman of Selectors	Michael Kapiteyn

### 1ST XI—1ST GRADE

#### SAVED RELAGATION BY 11 RUNS !!

The team was captain by Deccan Schembri won 3 and lost 8 games and finished 10th with 24 points to save relegation by just 11 runs !

The bowling was weakened by retirements of Al Weir and the 2 Kiwis Tim McCormick and Brad Rodden staying home after 2 years with the club. When batting we had no batting partnerships over 100 so to save relegation and stay up was a magnificent achievement. As we all know a new season is the start of something special.

Callum Pilcher debuted in 1st grade for the club. The club imported from Sri Lanka a tall fast opening bowler Chandan Pushpalal he ended up only taking 7 wickets for the season but scored 472 runs at 67.43 and with his 109 against Whitfords saved the club from relegation. The game against Whitfords also showed us the G & T that Ramon Fletcher has in stifling humid conditions he bowled 23 overs straight 8 maidens and took 4 for 53. The club also imported young English batsman Jak Martin who struggled at times and scored 339 runs at 28.3.



Chandan Pushpalal



Ramon Fletcher

Batting Aggregate	Chandana Pushpalal	472 Runs
Batting Average	Chandana Pushpalal	67.40
Fielding	Carrington Shepherd	
Bowling Aggregate	Callum Pilcher	21.30
Bowling Average	Callum Pilcher	26 Wickets
Best & Fairest	Callum Pilcher	
Robert Pulley Perpetual Trophy		



Callum Pilcher

## 2ND XI—3RD GRADE

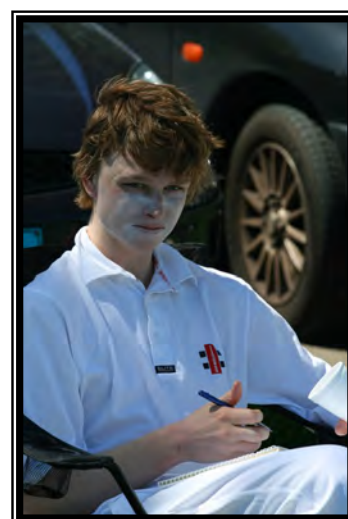
The team was captain by Peter Jordon played 12 won 8 , lost 3 and drawn 1 to finish top of the ladder and win the grade. Unfortunately they lost the semi final.

During the season they played Swan Valley and chased 286 to win also chased down 232 against Subiaco Marist.

Andrew Shakespeare scored 116 v Western Suburbs and the skipper lead from the front and scored 324 runs at 46.29 and finished runner up in the WASTCA batting for the grade.

It was a very disappointing end to the season for a team that won the grade.

Batting Aggregate	Peter Jordon	324 Runs
Batting Average	Andrew Shakespeare	42.67
Fielding	Sujeevan Shamuganathan	
Bowling Aggregate	Sujeevan Shamuganathan	16 Wickets
Bowling Average	Sujeevan Shamuganathan	14.13
Best & Fairest	Ramon Fletcher	



Andrew Shakespeare



### 3RD XI—5TH GRADE

The team was captain by Len Blakey they played 12 games won 9 lost 3 to finish top of the ladder to win the grade. The team to struggle to score runs after Xmas and the semi final against Balcatta failed to score 100 runs. It was a very disappointing end to the season for a team that won the grade.

Shaun Adam and Len Blakey put on 164 for the 1st wicket against Bedford Morley with Shaun going on to make a wonderful 132.

Robert Pulley played his 300th game for the club against Steve Shearing's Bentley. Applecross scoring 7 for 283 to make Don's 300th very special.

Simon Shub had a good year taking 23 wickets at 12.85 to finish 4th in WASTCA bowling for the grade.



Robert Pulley

Batting Aggregate	Len Blakey	323 Runs
Batting Average	Leigh Petherick	28.57
Fielding	Leigh Petherick	
Bowling Aggregate	Simon Shub	23 Wickets
Bowling Average	Al Field	9.21
Best & Fairest	Al Field	



Simon Shub



Len Blakey

The team who played Bentley at Shelley Reserve with Don in his 300th game

#### 4TH XI 8TH GRADE

The team was captain by Tristram Fletcher they played 17 games won 9 lost 6 and tied 2. Amazing to tie 2 games in one season. They finished top of the ladder to win the grade to win promotion to 7th grade.

The team played a mixture of one day and two day games the team played in both one and two day grand finals against Tuart Hill and lost both. Which was a very disappointing ending to the season .

Brad Weir and Nick Noel played there 200th and 100th games together at Shirley Strickland reserve. Dean Phillips took 27 wickets for the season.

Jack Barendse had a wonderful game against Tuart Hill during the home and away season going into bat when the team was 4 for 57 and made a wonderful 106. He also bowled 19 overs 8 maidens and took 4 for 30.



Nick Noel and Brad Weir

Gareth Foulkes batting at number 6 went in when the score was 5 for 27 he went on to be the 2nd last man out and scored 85 he also bowled 22 overs and took 5 for 66 to win the game.

Richard ‘ Dick’ Manning in the two day semi final was batting at number 3 the team was chasing Melville’s 152 and we where in trouble early being 3 for 5. Dick occupied the crease for 4 hours to finish on 75 getting out only when the scores where tied all of this at the ripe age of 59 simply magnificent. ACC going on to win the game.

Batting Aggregate	Dick Manning	254 Runs
Batting Average	Gareth Foulkes	44.0
Fielding	Andrew Cunningham	
Bowling Aggregate	Dean Phillips	27 Wickets
Bowling Average	Nick Noel	14.15
Best & Fairest	Dick Manning	



Richard ‘ Dick ‘ Manning

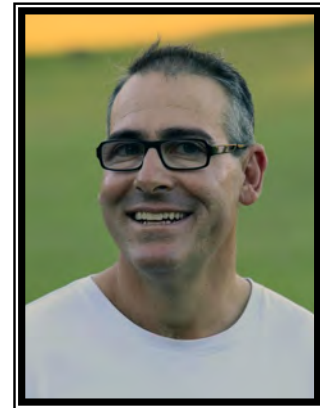
## 5TH XI—10TH GRADE

The team was captain by Andrew Sproul they played 12 games won 4 lost 7 and drawn 1 to finish 5th on the ladder. The team played 43 players through out the season so it was difficult to obtain and maintain any momentum in this situation to have a serious crack at winning finals of cricket.

Gavin Steinberg had a wonderful season scoring 468 runs at an average of 52.0 this won him the WASTCA batting award for the grade. Ivan Osborne filled in a couple of times at scored a wonderful 116 v Melville and he was involved with Gavin Stenberg for a 2nd wicket partnership of 114 against Melville.

But the highlight with out question was to bowl Fremantle / Mosman Park out for just 13 a new club record .

Batting Aggregate	Gavin Stenberg	468 Runs
Batting Average	Gavin Steinberg	52.0
Fielding	Matthew Thompson	
Bowling Aggregate	Glen Wright	14 Wickets
Bowling Average	Glen Wright	17.36
Best & Fairest	Gavin Steinberg	



Gavin Steinberg



Al Field , Brad Favas , Mark Hullet and Justin Crowder

## 6TH XI—ONE DAY COMPEITION DIVISION 1

Matthew Campbell captain the team and they played 18 games won 8 lost 10 and finished 6th missing out on the finals.

The team struggled to beat the top 4 teams all year but always lifted against Melville (formerly the young and spirited South Perth team) who went on to win the flag but could not still beat Applecross.

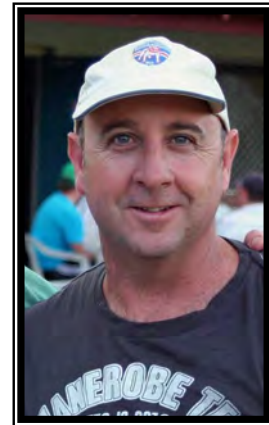
The skipper Matt Campbell played his 200th game for the club against Wembley Districts and team raised to the romance and won it for there much loved skipper.

Doug Stirling and Robert Wilton scored 107 for the 1st wicket against Subiaco

Marist. Leigh Wardell Johnson made a wonderful 98 no when he went into bat the team was struggling at 6 for 69 he got the team to 216 to set up the victory.

Dean Phillips took 4 for 26 and also took 4 catches against Fremantle Mosman Park.

Batting Aggregate	Robert Wilton	344 Runs
Batting Average	Leigh Wardell	36.78
Fielding	Richard Campbell	
Bowling Aggregate	Burt Baetsen	19 Wickets
Bowling Average	Robert Wilton	19.20
Best & Fairest	Richard Campbell	



Matthew Campbell



The team that beat Wembley Districts to help Matthew Campbell celebrate his 200th game.



## 7TH XI ONE DAY COMPETITION 2ND DIVISION POSTALS

The 7th XI Postal's was captain by Brett Gresele they played 18 games won 10 lost 7 and drawn 1 to finish 4th and play off in finals.

The team had to win the last home away game to make finals they achieved this by beating Tuart Hill unfortunately they could not carry the momentum in the finals and lost the semi final to Curtin Vic Park.

Batting Aggregate	Stuart Kaschula	284 Runs
Batting Average	Stuart Kaschula	56.80
Fielding	Brett Klumper	
Bowling Aggregate	Michael Maher	24 Wickets
Bowling Average	Stuart Kaschula	9.32
Best & Fairest	Stuart Kaschula	



Michael Maher

## 8TH XI COLTS

The colts team was captain by 3 captain through out the season Callum Pilcher , Scott Jackson and Chade Steenholdt. The team played 6 games won 4 and lost 2 playing off in the grand final. The team struggled for numbers at times so to make the grand final was a good achievement.

The semi against Balcatta the boys dominated them bowling them out for 96 with Andrew Cunningham taking 3 for 14. We batted and passed them 1 down with Campbell Ince 45 no and Gareth Foulkes 40 no.

The grand final against Ocean Ridge we restricted them to 9 for 151 with Shaun Adam taking 3 for 38 and the boys fell 8 runs short to bowled out for 143 with Chade Steenholdt scoring 67.

Batting Aggregate	Chade Steenholdt	148 Runs
Batting Average	Gareth Foulkes	52.00
Fielding	Scott Jackson	
Bowling Aggregate	Sean Adam	11 Wickets
Bowling Average	Sean Adam	36.40
Best & Fairest	Sean Adam	



Chade Steenholdt

2011/12

### CLUB CELEBRATES 4 PREMIERSHIP REUNIONS

The club was organized right from the start appointing Mark Hullett as club coach and appointing young Ben Christie from Fremantle WACA club as 1st grade skipper during the winter. The 1st grade team was young talented group.

Joe Venter announced this would be his last year as president and was planning the succession plan. The club finished the season with a profit of \$2,876.89 with the club auction making \$7,512.00 .

The club celebrated 4 premierships reunions on the evening 6 past players who played in the 1st team for ACC back in 1975 attended the evening to say it was simply magnificent is a understatement and we must congratulate Al Field for organizing the evening. Surely a future president in the making.

Carrington Shepherd , Steve Coyle , Andrew Cunningham and Nathan Petherick and Leigh Wardell Johnson played there 100th game for the club. Vince Stackpole played his 200th game for the club. Bruce Rudrum and Paul Slacksmith played there 150th game to receive WAST-CA player life membership and Glen Wright played his 250th game for the club.

Anthony Brennan took his 200th wicket , Joe Venter claimed his 200th catch. Brad Weir and Gavin Pascoe broke the club record for the 10th wicket batting partnership scoring 76 versus Tuart Hill in 5th grade.

The club finished 4th in this years club championship with 5.06 points. We also picked up the grade winners for 7th grade and the one day sides division 2 and 3.



Steve Coyle

#### 100 Gamers

Damian O'Hara organized this years dinner at Publican restaurant in Victoria Park which inducted 4 new members to the 100 gamers club. Mark Hullett has been given the honour to organize next years dinner.

The Presidents XI continued there dominance by defeating a gallant 100 Gamers.

#### Perpetual Trophy Winners

Most Improved	Andrew Cunningham
Best First Year Cricketer	Nic Lambert
Best All Round Cricketer	Stuart Lobb
Best Future Prospect	Matthew Taylor
Tom Morgan Best Fieldsman Award	John McMurtie
Most Determined To Succeed “ Brett McGregor Trophy”	Chad Steenholdt
Presidents Award	Murray Tribbeck
Wood Duck Award	Chris Teede
Best Clubman Award	Richard Manning

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Director	Chade Steenholdt	6th XI Captain	Matthew Campbell
Director	Simon Shub	Chairman of Selectors	Michael Kapiteyn
Director	Carrington Shepherd		
Director	Ryan Carmody		
Director	Murray Sutherland		

### 1st XI— 1st Grade

The team was full of youth and 1st year players in Suburban turf and finished 6th with 5 wins and 6 losses . What cost the team a spot in finals was the inability to bat all there overs and there was no wicket partnership over 100 for the year. Overseas player Stuart Lobb had a very good year taking 31 wickets with a superb display against Balcatta taking 8 for 37 to carry us to victory. Campbell Ince scored a magnificent 101 versus Bassendean. The old timer Andy Walton scored a incredible 84 off 36 balls in the 1st game of the year against Wembley Districts. The team and 1st year club captain Ben Christie would have gained enormous experience this year that will hold them in good stead going forward.



Stuart Lobb

Batting Aggregate	Andy Walton	330 Runs
Batting Average	Andy Walton	36.70
Fielding		
Bowling Aggregate	Stuart Lobb	27 Wickets
Bowling Average	Stuart Lobb	15.30
Best & Fairest	Stuart Lobb	



Andy Walton

### 2nd XI—3rd Grade

Peter Jordon was appointed captain and the season started poorly winning only 1 of the first 5 games but finished the season off well by winning 5 of the next 6 games to just miss out on finals. No one scored over 170 for the season !!! Anthony Brennan took 19 wickets at 10.79 and David Scheffer took 19 wickets at 16.21.

Nathan Petherick took his 100 wicket for the club and also played his 100th game.

Batting Aggregate      No Qualification

Batting Average      No Qualification

Fielding

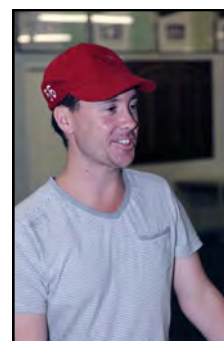
Bowling Aggregate      Anthony Brennan      19 Wickets

Bowling Average      Anthony Brennan      10.80

Best & Fairest      David Scheffer



Anthony Brennan



Nathan Petherick

### 3rd XI—5th Grade

The team was captain by Robert Pulley and they finished 3rd winning 9 games and losing 3 making the semi finals. Batting letting the team down with only 1 partnership over 100 for the season. Chasing 264 against Whitfords in the semi was a huge ask and they ended up with 198 with plenty of starts and no one going on.

Andrew Cunningham played his 100th game and Robert Pulley and Len Blakey put on 160 for the 1st wicket against Subiaco Marist.

The season was a breakout year for Andrew Cunningham if he continues to work and train hard higher honours are just around the corner.

Batting Aggregate      Nick Lambert      206 Runs

Batting Average      Nick Lambert      36.70

Fielding

Bowling Aggregate      Adrian Hackett      18 Wickets

Bowling Average      Adrian Hackett      12.50

Best & Fairest      Adrian Hackett



Andrew Cunningham



#### 4th XI—7th Grade

The team was captained by Tristram Fletcher winning 13 games lost 1 and tied 2 to finish grade winners. They played Tuart Hill in both the 2 day and 1 day grand finals but unfortunately lost to there bogie team.

Gavin Pascoe took 7 for 25 off 15.2 overs with 6 maidens against South Perth in the semi final. The captain lead from the front all year as always the game against Bentley was a very special individual performance. Tristram bowled 16 overs 2 maidens and took 7 for 28 including 3 catches . He then open the batting and carried his bat to be 83 not out . He scored 253 WASTCA points the highest achieved by a player in 1 game in the clubs history. Steve Coyle played his 100th game for the club against Fremantle Mosman Park.

Batting Aggregate	Alistair Field	247 Runs
Batting Average	Alistair Field	35.29
Fielding		
Bowling Aggregate	Paul Slacksmith	25 Wickets
Bowling Average	Paul Slacksmith	10.84
Best & Fairest	Tristram Fletcher	



Alistair Field

#### 5th XI—10th Grade

Dan Rogers was appointed captain winning 3 games and losing 9 to finish 6th on the ladder. The team struggled to field a consistent team and exposed some quality juniors to the senior ranks. The highlight for year with out doubt was Robert Wilton 129 versus Melville in a 40 over one day game. Vince Stackpole played his 200th game for the club against Bentley scoring 35 not out to steer the team home to victory. The team actually defeated the eventual premiers Whitfords with Matthew Taylor and Vince Stackpole putting on 111 for the 3rd wicket a out-standing effort by a very young and not so young team.

Batting Aggregate	Jamie Stackpole	102 Runs
Batting Average	Jamie Stackpole	20.40
Fielding		
Bowling Aggregate	Dan Rogers	10 Wickets
Bowling Average	Dan Rogers	16.10
Best & Fairest	Vince Stackpole	



Vince Stackpole

### 6th XI—One Day Comp Division 2

The team was captained by Matt Campbell they finished 1st winning 13 games and losing 5 games. Unfortunately they lost the semi final to Fremantle Mosman Park a very disappointing end to a season that promised so much.

The highlights of the year was Bruce Rudrum played his 150th game for the club and Leigh Wardell Johnson played his 100th game .( He will loose his cap without doubt) . Bruce Rudrum took 6 for 22 against Ocean Ridge which are outstanding figures for a 35 over one day game.

Batting Aggregate	Todd Burgess	347 Runs
Batting Average	Todd Burgess	58.00
Fielding		
Bowling Aggregate	Burt Baetsen	21 Wickets
Bowling Average	Burt Baetsen	11.00
Best & Fairest	Burt Baetsen	



Burt Baetsen

### 7th XI—One Day Comp Division 3

The team was captained by Brett Gresle they finished 1st with 12 wins , 1 draw and 3 loss's to be grade winners. They won a hard fought semi against Fremantle Mosman Park and in amazing grand final against Curtin Victoria Park scored 165 off there 35 overs . We then had them 5 for 18 off 10 overs , Curtin then made an incredible come back in the last over they needed 3 runs to win with 1 wicket in hand unfortunately we lost a nail bitter, the game that was fitting for a grand final.

Batting Aggregate	Tim Knox	454 Runs
Batting Average	Tim Knox	41.27
Fielding		
Bowling Aggregate	Greg Manning	20 Wickets
Bowling Average	Greg Manning	16.50
Best & Fairest	Tim Knox	



The Reunion night celebrated the following premierships

1. 30 year anniversary of the clubs 1st flag in 1981/82
2. 25 year anniversary of the clubs 2nd flag in 1986/87
3. 20 year anniversary of the clubs 4th flag in 1991/92
4. 10 year anniversary of the clubs 8th flag in 2001/02 .

The speakers of Burt Baetsen , Russell Kingdon , Richard Mulroney , Val Steenholdt , Gerard Marquis and Mark Hullet provided a wonderful insight to not only the premierships but the culture of the club at these times. Club president Joe Venter presented WASTCA chairman Paul Pierce a gift from the ACC as he was retiring and moving to Canada to live.

The highlight of the evening without question was the attendance of 6 past players who played in the very first team in 1975 with Chas Eadon Clark. They where Ross Tozer , Chris Cooper , Tim Searson , Dave Turner , George Heydon and Hannes Gebauer. They provided an insight on how the club was formed and played back in the formation years.



Ross Tozer



Chris Cooper



Tim Searson



Dave Turner



George Heydon



Hannes Gabaur



Richard Mulroney



1st grade Boys



Gerard Marquis



The 6 Originals



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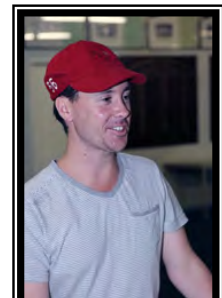
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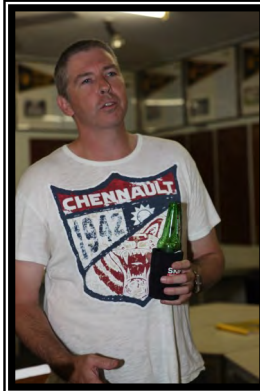


Anthony Barranca &  
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**“Clubs wins WASTCA Club Championship”**

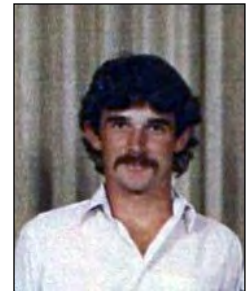
**“Club has 8 teams playing finals”**

The club lead by first year president Al Field the club fielded 8 senior teams for the first time in its history.

The club went onto to win the Way 79 trophy as the club champions , also the club won the Spirit of the Game award the EJ Ireland and PJ Pearce Trophy for the first time. The club fielded 8 teams with all teams playing off in the finals with 3 teams playing off in the grand final with a return of no flags. This was a very disappointing result after dominating the home and away season. Cricket is simple you must bat your over's and build partnerships in the entire finals campaign the club had 3 batting partnerships over 50 . This is something the club needs to work on.

Premiership player John Trueman lost his battle with cancer during the season, the world is a lesser place and we will always remember our mate.

This was a season when old club values came back that had been missing for the past 5 or 6 years, such as man of match awards and the jug sculls for the personal achievements like sirs and milestone achieved. This tradition must never disappear again regardless of political correctness. The club built a brand new website that is simply magnificent to say the least and will be the envy of most cricket clubs.



John Trueman

Mark Hullet was once again appointed as club coach and Ben Christie was appointed 1st grade skipper with some astute recruiting big improvement was expected.

The club made a annual loss of \$5,789.75 on the year but invested heavily in upgrading the training nets and equipment that will see the club benefit for the next 6 years.

Bert Baetsen took his 500th wicket for the club and is close to the all time record. Damian O'Hara played his 200th game in 1st grade , Ramon Fletcher also played his 200th game for the club. Adrian Hackett , Daren Monument , Brett Stralow , Anthony Brennan , Robert Gauderi , Mike Maher , Shane Steenholdt and Nick Noel played there 100th game for the club. Tristram Fletcher played his 150th game to obtain WASTCA player life membership.

Ramon Fletcher took his 400th wicket , Bruce Calder and Brad Douglas took there 200th wicket. Doug Stirling passed 6,000 runs with Angus Castley scoring his 5,000 run and played his 250th game. Simon Shub and Chris Cooper (Junior) both took there 100th wicket. Carrington Shepherd took his 150th catch for the club.

First year player Ben Solomon scored 3 big hundreds starting in 6th grade with 123 no , 5th grade with 120no and then 3rd grade with 133 and went onto to play in the first grade semi final. Simply a magnificent debut season in anyone's language.

Campbell Ince won the WASTCA batting award in 1st grade and Bert Baetsen won the bowling award in the one day competition division 2.

The hundred games finally won a game against the presidents XI , but the winner on the day was the club with 5 old founding members playing in the presidents XI Tim Searson , Ross Tozer , Dave Turner , Chris Cooper and Rob Adair. Simply a wonderful day enjoyed by all.

## POSITIONS APPOINTED

President	Al Field	Coach	Mark Hullett
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Director	Val Steenholdt	6th XI Captain	Alexander Kerr
Director	Simon Shub	7th XI Captain	Angus Castley
Director	Steve Coyle	8th XI Captain	Stuart Kashula
Director	Ryan Carmody	Chairman of Selectors	Val Steenholdt
Director	Andrew Cunningham		



The four founding members of the club Tim Searson , Ross Tozer , Dave Turner and Chris Cooper at the 100 gamers game .



The club the Way79 club championship for the 2nd time its history. We also won the Spirit of the Game award for the 1st time in our history.

## PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

Most Improved	Chade Steenholdt
Best First Year Cricketer	Ben Solomon
Best All Round Cricketer	Luc Durant
Best Future Prospect	Jake Forsyth
Tom Morgan Best Fieldsman Award	Chad Forsyth
Most Determined To Succeed “ Brett McGregor Trophy”	Len Blakey
Presidents Award	Len Blakey
Wood Duck Award	Robert Pulley
Best Clubman Award	Simon Shub
Coaches Award	Scott Curren
Aubrey King Medallion	Not Presented
Paul Pearce Shield ( Applecross v Tuart Hill)	Tuart Hill



The on field leaders off the club proudly showing off the WASTCA Way 79 club championship flag.



Damien O'Hara leads out 1st grade for his 200th game.

Elton and Jack Barendse pump out the tunes at the Xmas show.



### 1st XI – 1st Grade

The team lead by Ben Christie won 9 games for the season to finish 3rd on the ladder. The club obtained the services of two overseas players Quirijn Gunning from Holland and Luc Durant from England.

The highlights of the season was a superb 164 not out against Whitfords at MacDonald park by Campbell Ince and Luc Durant scoring a wonderful 174 against Swanbourne at Allen Park to score the 2nd highest individual score for the club in 1st grade. Damien O'Hara played his 200th game against Wembley Districts. Jeremy Toswill scored a 128 against High Wycombe and 1st year player James Hawksley impressed as a quality all rounder scoring a wonderful 71 against Western Suburbs to get the boys over the line. Campbell Ince won the WASTCA batting award for 1st grade.

The season was an large improvement on the previous season but with such a strong batting line up and unable to chase 142 in the semi final was bitterly disappointing. The club captain Ben Christie has indicated to the club he will be unable to captain next season due to work commitments in the country, he will be missed enormously as he is a fine young man and the club wishes him all the best with his teaching career.

Batting Award	Luc Durant	516 Runs @ 46.91
Bowling Award	Quirijn Gunning	33 Wkts @ 13.42
Best & Fairest	Luc Durant	



Luc Durant



Campbell Ince

### 2nd XI – 3rd Grade

The team was captained by Robert Pulley winning 8 games to finish 3rd on the ladder. They won a classic nail biter against Wembley Districts in the semi final defending a modest 128 bowled the opposition out for 110. The grand final defeat against High Wycombe highlighted a weakness in the batting with the team not scoring any 100 run partnerships in the season.

The highlights of the season was a gritty 33 run partnership for the 9th wicket in the semi final against Wembley Districts by Robert Pulley and David Scheffer. Leigh Petherick scored 111 against High Wycombe, Scott Curren scored a wonderful 143 not out against Bentley, Ben Solomon smashed a 133 Swanbourne all coming after tea, Chris Chellew scored 104 against Swan Athletic and Allan Utterson finally delivering with a 124 not out against Swan Valley and his performance in the semi final with the ball was fantastic. Nick Noel took 6 for 23 against High Wycombe. Twin brothers Leigh and Nathan Petherick open the batting against High Wycombe and put on 96 for the 1st wicket. Surely a talking point at every Christmas day going forward on what could have been.

Batting Award	Joseph Jeeveraj	367 Runs @ 45.88
Bowling Award	Anthony Brennan	19 Wkts @ 10.95
Best & Fairest	Scott Curren	



Ben Solomon



Scott Curren



### 3rd XI – 5th Grade

Peter Jordon was appointed captain the team won 9 games and finished 2nd on the ladder only 20 runs behind the top side. The team played in the semi final at Harold Rossitier park not a great hunting ground for the club . The team batted poorly and without luck and lost the game. Chad Forsyth took 5 for 37 off 18 over's in the semi final

The highlights of the season was Ben Solomon scoring 120 not out and Peter Jordon scoring 102 against Wembley Districts they also put on 162 for the 5th wicket a club record for the grade. Nick Noel played a great game against Western suburbs scoring 57 not out and then taking 5 for 44 to win the game by 19 runs. Len Blakey and Jeremy Toswill put on 106 for the 1st wicket against Doubleview Carine

Batting Award	Peter Jordon	437 Runs @ 36.42
Bowling Award	Jake Forsyth	13 Wkts @ 12.38
Best & Fairest	Peter Jordon	



Peter Jordon



Jake Forsyth

### 4th XI – 6th Grade

The team was captained by Paul Slacksmith they won 10 games and finished 3rd on the ladder. The highlights of the season was Ben Solomon scoring 123 not out against Swan Athletic all scored in the last 23 over's of the day. Russell Jaszazcuk taking 7 for 39 in an innings against Tuart Hill he also batted for 38 over's to make 25 with a severally broken knuckle just simply brilliant . Tristram Fletcher and Ben Solomon put on 131 for the 2nd wicket against Swan Valley a club record for the grade. Shane Steenholdt & Lachlan Hogg put on 119 for the 5th wicket against Bedford/Morley a club record for the grade.



Russell  
Jaszazcuk

The semi final victory against Bentley was over shadowed by a 10th wicket performance with Simon Shubb and Chris Cooper putting on 69 to get the team to 167 a club record for the grade. Trevor Blackburn took 4 for 16 off 11 over's and Adrian Hackett took 3 for 32 off 25 overs. The grand final against Tuart Hill was a tuff hard game and we fell 16 runs short , the highlight was Simon Shubb taking 5 for 37 off 15 overs with his leg spinners.

Batting Award	Shayne Steenholdt	282 Runs @ 28.20
Bowling Award	Waqas Mehdi	23 Wkts @ 12.00
Best & Fairest	Waqas Mehdi	



Simon Shubb &  
Chris Cooper



Shayne  
Steenholdt

### 5th XI – 10th Grade

Dan Rogers was appointed captain the team won 9 games and finished 2nd on the ladder. The team played in the semi final. The team bowled and fielded well all season conceded the least amount of runs in the competition but inconsistent batting cost the team when it mattered.

The highlights of the season was Vernon Abraham and Jack Barendse scoring 126 for the 4th wicket against Western Suburbs which is a club and WASTCA record for the grade. Jamie Stackpole and Michael Shaw scored 70 not out for the 6th wicket against Whitfords which is a club record for the grade.

Batting Award	Evan McMurtie	272 Runs @ 20.92
Bowling Award	Mishra Manoranjan	22 Wkts @ 12.18
Best & Fairest	Michael Shaw	



Evan McMurtie



Mishra  
Manoranjan

### 6th XI – One Day Competition Division 1

The team was captained by Alexander Kerr they won 14 games and finished 2nd on the ladder. The team was a very talented and exciting batting team but lacked bowling depth to win the big one. If this young team keep together and can find another bowler success is just around the corner.

The highlights of the season was Stuart Taylor taking a hat trick against Swanbourne, Andrew Shakespeare and Scott Jackson scored 164 for the 1st wicket against Swan Athletic and these were scored off just 24 overs simply outstanding. Gareth Ringrose scored 78 in the semi final but unfortunately the team fell short.



Scott Jackson

Batting Award	Scott Jackson	461 Runs @ 32.93
Bowling Award	Stuart Taylor	28 Wkts @ 16.68
Best & Fairest	Stuart Taylor	



Stuart Taylor



Alex Kerr

### 7th XI – One Day Competition Division 2

Angus Castley was appointed captain the team won 14 games and finished 1st to be grade winners. The team played in the semi final against Curtin / Victoria Park and had a comfortable win. The grand final against Ocean Ridge chasing 144 and being 1 for 75 at drinks required 70 runs from 17 overs with 9 wickets in hand unfortunately they were bowled out for 142 a bitterly disappointing result from a very experienced team. Its one we will never get back.

The highlights of the season was Angus Castley and Doug Stirling scored 171 for the 1st wicket against Balcatta. Leigh Wardell Johnson and Darren Monument scored 91 in 8 overs against Curtin Victoria Park. Burt Baetsen won the WASTCA bowling award also took his 500th wicket for the club. Angus Castley had arguable his best season with the bat for the club.

Batting Award	Angus Castley	470 Runs @ 39.17
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Bowling Award	Burt Baetsen	25 Wkts @ 13.28
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Best & Fairest	Doug Stirling	
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Angus Castley



Doug Stirling

### 8th XI – One Day Competition Division 3

The team was captained by Stuart Kaschula they won 12 games and finished 2nd on the ladder. The team was again had a large South African ingredient and team consistently plays finals but unfortunately find ways not to win the big one.

They lost the semi final to eventual premier High Wycombe, cricket is a simple game bat and score enough runs to defend and hold your catches its easier to take 10 wickets not 14.

The highlights of the season was Gary Mawdesley scoring 461 runs and Stephen Wilson taking 28 wickets.

Batting Award	Gary Mawdesley	461 Runs @ 32.93
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Bowling Award	Stephen Wilson	28 Wkts @ 16.68
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Best & Fairest	Brett Gresele	
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Stuart Kaschula



Michael Maher



## **CLUB HISTORY**

### **PART 3**



## Part 3



Starts with the season 2013/14 to the present



Cover Photograph

The 1st XI team taking the field at Kent Street.

**2013/14**

**“Club wins 2 Premierships”**

**“Doug Stirling presented Life Membership ”**

The club was lead by first year president Andrew Sproul . Eight senior teams were fielded for the season, winning 2 premierships in the 2nd XI—3rd Grade and the 7th XI—One Day Division 2. Unfortunately the 8th XI -One Day 3 Division lost their Grand Final.

This was the season the club introduced the Members Protection Policy ( The MPP). The document outlines the standards and requirements for behavior and performance.

Chad’e Steenholdt was appointed 1st grade skipper and Vince Stackpole was appointed Chairman of Selectors.

The club made a annual profit of \$1,013.46. The club bar made a net profit of \$4,913.30 and the club auction made \$3,556.50.

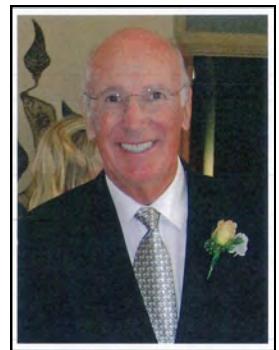
Robert Pulley took his 500th wicket for the club and is closing on the all time record. Robert Wilton played his 200th game, Ramon Fletcher took his 450th wicket. Len Blakey , Richard Campbell , Scott Jackson , Darren Monument, Gary Mawdesley and Dan Rogers all played there 100th game for the club. Robert Wilton scored his 7,000 run for the club and Peter Jordan scored his 5,000 run for the club. Jason Markwart played his 150th game to obtain WASTCA Players Life Membership.

Doug Stirling played his 300th game for the club and was bestowed Club Life Membership.

Second season overseas player Luc Durant scored 349 runs and took 11 wickets up to Christmas but unfortunately he was not allowed back in the country after a short holiday to Asia. He was a huge loss to the club and was primed for a successful season.

Shaban Ahmed scored 2 wonderful hundreds in the Second XI, 131 and 100 no.

The Presidents XI gave the 100 Gamers a cricket lesson in showing true grit and fight. The club honoured Roger Weir who lost his battle with cancer and the game is now played for the Roger Weir Cup.



Roger Weir

## POSITIONS APPOINTED

President	Andrew Sproul	Coach	N/A
Vice President	Al Field	Chairman of Selectors	Vince Stackpole
Secretary	Len Blakey	1st XI Captain	Chade Steenholdt
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck	2nd XI Captain	Scott Curren
Director	Chris Cooper	3rd XI Captain	Antonio Shanmuganathan
Director	Chade Steenholdt	4th XI Captain	Vince Stackpole
Director	Jack Barendse	5th XI Captain	James Dockery
Director	Cal Sauer	6th XI Captain	Jack Barendse
Director	Simon Shub	7th XI Captain	Angus Castley
Director	Murray Sutherland	8th XI Captain	Gary Mawdesley
Director	Ryan Carmody		
Director			



Doug Stirling played his 300th game.



The 100 Gamers present the club with funds raised at the 100 Gamers Dinner.

## PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

Most Improved

Shaban Ahmed

Best First Year Cricketer

Josh Guillianse

Best All Round Cricketer

Ben Christie

Best Future Prospect

Mark Nicholls

Tom Morgan Best Fieldsman Award

Scott Curren

Most Determined To Succeed “ Brett McGregor Trophy”

Kieran Vanpraag

Presidents Award

Al Field

Wood Duck Award

Not Presented

Best Clubman Award

Len Blakey

Coaches Award

Scott Curren

Aubrey King Medallion

Not Presented

Paul Pearce Shield ( Applecross v Tuart Hill)

Tuart Hill



Shaban Ahmed won the Most Improved Player.



Len Blakey won the Best Clubman Award.



### 1st XI—1st Grade

The team lead by Chade Steenholdt won 5 games for the season to finish 8th on the ladder. The club obtained the services of overseas player Luc Durant from England for his second season for the club.

The highlights of the season were a superb 122 by Luc Durant against Bassendean. Callum Pilcher took 7 for 74 off 22 overs against Wembley. Ben Christie scored a magnificent 109 no in 40 + degrees heat against Swan Athletic.

Who can forget that catch by Callum Pilcher in the gully, an absolute beauty or Allan Utterson hitting a 6 off the last ball of the day to win a wonderful game against Murdoch Melville .

The season was a large rebuilding one, which provided opportunities to the young second XI players like Allan Utterson and Ben Solomon.



Luc Durant

Batting Award	James Hawksley	310 Runs @ 38.75
Bowling Award	Callum Pilcher	22 Wkts @ 25.23
Best & Fairest	Ben Christie	

### 2nd XI—3rd Grade

The team was captained by Scott Curren, winning 6 games to go on and win the premiership.

The highlights of the season were an entertaining 131 from 23 overs by Shaban Ahmed against Wembley Districts when the team was 4 for 40. Dave Scheffer scored his maiden ton for the club scoring 102 not out, batting at number 3. Waqis Mehdi took 7 for 52 against Bassendean.

The team showed wonderful spirit and fighting qualities in defending 131 in the Semi Final and defended 127 in the Grand Final to provide evidence of this.



Batting Award	Shaban Ahmed	454 Runs @ 75.67
Bowling Award	Waqas Mehdi	19 Wkts @ 12.95
Best & Fairest	Dave Scheffer	

### 3rd XI—5th Grade

The team was captained by Antonio Shanmuganathan, winning 2 games to finish 8th on the ladder. Suj broke his finger in the first game of the year and Tristram Fletcher captained the team for the next 10 weeks.

The team was forced to play on a under prepared turf wicket at College Park against Western Suburbs. They finished with the lowest team score in the clubs history, scoring 21. The team was very youthful and lost a few close games which will put the club in a good position going forward. The team blooded youngsters Steve Mathews , Josh Millar and Jamie Stackpole.

The highlight of the season was a 94 not out by Mark Hullet against Bedford Morley.

Batting Award	Tristram Fletcher	204 Runs @ 17.00
Bowling Award	Antonio Shanmuganathan	21 Wkts @ 21.00
Best & Fairest	Tristram Fletcher	



Antonio Shanmuganathan

### 4th XI—6th Grade

The team was captained by Vince Stackpole. Paul Slacksmith was appointed captain at that start of the season but due to a career change could not continue. A winless season saw them finish 8th on the ladder.

The highlights of the season with out doubt is the captains report in the year book by Vince Stackpole, with his humour simply outstanding.

But the game against top side Bassendean in the last round was full of determination and guts and anyone would be proud of their performance. Brett McGregor and Thomas Davidson put on 58 for the 10th wicket against Bentley. At any level of cricket this is just simply brilliant.

Batting Award	Mike Shaw	192Runs @ 20.43
Bowling Award	Kieran Vanpraag	14 Wkts @ 20.43
Best & Fairest	Kenn MacPherson	



Vince Stackpole

### 5th XI—10th Grade

The team was captained by James Dockery, winning 3 games to finish 7th on the ladder. The team struggled to field a side all year, only playing 8 out of the total 14 games.

The highlights of the season were;

5th wicket partnership of 177 runs between Darren Monument and Rhys Jenkins against Curtin Vic Park.

Nathan Johnson and founding member Tim Searson scored 104 runs for the first wicket against Murdoch Melville.

Dan Rogers playing his 100th game for the club.

Jack Rudrum taking 4 for 19 and 13 year old Mitch Rudrum batting for 12 overs to score 12 not out.

Batting Award	Nathan Jones	107 Runs @ 26.75
Bowling Award	James Dockery	10 Wkts @ 20.00
Best & Fairest	Sam McNamara	



James Dockery

### 6th XI— One Day Competition Division 1

The team was captained by Jack Barendse, winning 12 games to finish 3rd on the ladder. They lost the grand final to Murdoch Melville. They were an outstanding fielding team with remarkable catches taken by Callum Sauer and Scott Jackson.

The highlights of the season were the only 100 run partnership between Stuart Taylor and Ross Smith. The pair added 103 for the 7th wicket against Subiaco Marist. Alex McGlue took 5 for 10 against Doubleview Carine, an outstanding effort in One Day cricket. Josh Miller scored 30 runs off 1 over against Tuart Hill.

Batting Award	Scott Jackson	309 Runs @ 25.75
Bowling Award	Jack Barendse	14 Wkts @ 20.43
Best & Fairest	Mark Hager	



Jack Barendse

### 7th XI—One Day Competition Division 2

The team was captained by Angus Castley, winning 14 games to finish 1st on the ladder. They went on to win the premiership against Western Suburbs. In the grand final Applecross batted first and scored 9 for 135 from their 40 overs. Western Suburbs was 2 for 44 after 18 overs when the rain came down and washed the game out, thus handing the flag to the highest placed team. Chris Cooper was awarded the player of both finals

The highlights of the season were Doug Stirling playing his 300th game and Robert Pulley taking his 300th wicket and scoring his 6,000 run for club all in his 350th game. Robert Wilton scoring his 7,000 run for the club and Darren Monument winning the association bowling award. Burt Baetsen become the club record holder for the most wickets.



Batting Award	Robert Pulley	378 Runs @ 37.80
Bowling Award	Darren Monument	25 Wkts @ 9.24
Best & Fairest	Robert Pulley	

### 8th XI—One Day Competition Division 3

The team was captained by Gary Mawdesley, winning 12 games to finish 2nd on the ladder. They played 40 players throughout the season. The average age of the team on a number of occasions was 46 +. Applecross and Bentley dominated the season and played some ding dong games throughout. They played Bentley in the grand final. Chasing 197 off 40overs, they where 4 for 70 off 18 overs. Rain then washed away any hopes of winning that elusive premiership.

The highlights of the season were Troy Sunderland's outstanding fielding throughout the year. Stuart Kaschula scored 113 no against Bentley. Stefan Vucens scored 120 against Western Suburbs and Russell Brownley took a rare hattrick against Tuart Hill.

Batting Award	Stefan Vucens	388 Runs @ 43.11
Bowling Award	Stephen Wilson	26 Wkts @ 16.73
Best & Fairest	Stuart Kaschula	



Stuart Kaschula



## 2014/15

### “Burt Baetsen presented Life Membership ”

The club lead by first year President Ryan Carmody, fielded 7 senior teams for the season. Dave McKay was appointed Coach.

This was a season the club introduced a new club emblem that will take effect at the start of the following season.

Burt Baetsen has played at the club since the late 1970's and was a member of the first ever Premiership team. Burt was awarded club Life Membership .

Murray Tribbeck signaled this would be his last season as club Treasurer after holding the position for the past 10 years. Murray was also the bar manager. Surely a Life Membership effort !

Jeremy Toswill was appointed 1st grade skipper and Len Blakey was appointed Chairman of Selectors.

The ongoing Shirley Strickland redevelopment took a significant step forward with the council completing a feasibility of the bowling club to be relocated to Strickland. This is a significant step that should see this wonderful facility that honours one of our greatest Olympians be developed within the next 5 years. The club also announced the possibility to relocate to Tompkins Park as part of the council consolidation program.

The club also became proactive with the juniors. Senior players James Dockery and Dan Clouting helped coach the juniors. This is a must for the club to survive. Without the juniors coming through, we have nothing.

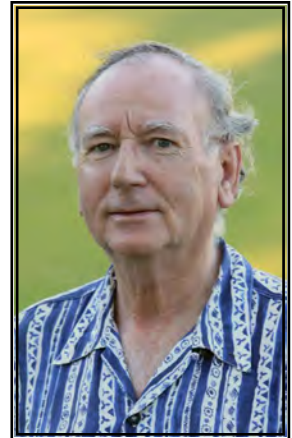
First grade was winless and relegated to 2nd grade. Of the 7 teams, 4 played finals and 3 were relegated.

The club made an annual loss of \$ 1,326.00. The club auction made \$ 4,500. The club held investments and cash of \$65,000. Deanne Criddle audited the books for the season.

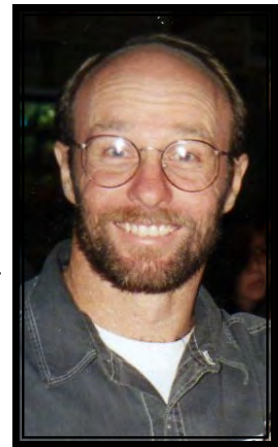
Mark Hager , Leigh Petherick , David Scheffer and Chris Cooper all played there 100th game for the club.

Anthony Brennan took his 250th wicket and Darren Monument took his 200th wicket. Robert Pulley scored his 7,000 run for the club.

This was also the season the young Phillip Hughes died playing the game he and we all love. The emotions of this tragedy were staggering as this could have been anyone of us playing on a Saturday afternoon.



Murray Tribbeck



Burt Baetsen

## POSITIONS APPOINTED

President	Ryan Carmody	Coach	David McKay
Vice President	Chris Cooper	Chairman of Selectors	Len Blakey
Secretary	Jason Markwart	1st XI Captain	Jeremy Toswill
Treasurer	Murray Tribbeck	2nd XI Captain	Scott Curren
Director	Burt Baetsen	3rd XI Captain	Chris Cooper
Director	Simon Shub	4th XI Captain	Kieren Vanpraag
Director	Murray Sunderland	5th XI Captain	Alexander Kerr
Director		6th XI Captain	Angus Castley
Director		7th XI Captain	Gary Mawdesley
Director			



The 4th XI team captained by Kieren Vanpraag pay their respect to the late Phillip Hughes.

## PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

Most Improved	Not Presented
Best First Year Cricketer	Awais Mehdi
Best All Round Cricketer	Robert Pulley
Best Future Prospect	Josh Brennan
Tom Morgan Best Fieldsman Award	Mark Hager
Most Determined To Succeed “ Brett McGregor Trophy”	Josh Dawson
Presidents Award	Chris Cooper
Wood Duck Award	Not Presented
Best Clubman Award	Len Blakey
Coaches Award	Connor Hutton
Aubrey King Medallion	Not Presented
Paul Pearce Shield ( Applecross v Tuart Hill)	Tuart Hill

The club updated the club’s emblem in time for the 40th year anniversary in the 2015/16 season.



The Old



The New

### 1st XI—1st Grade

The team lead by Jeremy Toswill did not win a game for the season and were relegated to 2nd grade.

The team had more than 8 changes from the previous season, so it was always going to be challenging. It's a credit to all the boys who played, to keep turning up and having a crack with such an undermanned team.

The highlights of the season were a superb effort from Adam Palumbo who bowled 38 overs straight in taking 6 for 70. A simply magnificent effort in any form of the game. Jeremy Toswill and David Scheffer put on an 80 run 6th wicket partnership against Swan Athletic.

Batting Award	Awais Mehdi	232 Runs @ 23.20
Bowling Award	Anthony Brennan	13 Wkts @ 23.23
Best & Fairest	Damien O'Hara	



Ben Solomon

### 2nd XI—3rd Grade

The team lead by Scott Curren, won 2 games for the season to finish 11th on the ladder. After winning the Premiership the year before, to then be relegated was very disappointing.

The highlight of the season was an incredible effort chasing 237 against Bassendean. At 9 for 188, Jason Markwart and Mark Nicholls put on 52 for the last wicket to enable a great victory. Jason finished on 70 and Mark on 13.

The team was very youthful and the experience will put them and the club in a very good position going forward.

Batting Award	Carrington Shepherd	179 Runs @ 17.90
Bowling Award	Simon Shub	16 Wkts @ 16.63
Best & Fairest	Simon Shub	



Simon Shub and Chris Cooper



### 3rd XI—6th Grade

The team lead by Chris Cooper, won 6 games for the season to finish 4th on the ladder. They lost the semi final to Bedford Morley. It was a good effort from a team that was relegated from 5th grade the previous season to play finals.

The highlights of the season were the development of Jamie Stackpole, Josh Brennan and Michael Venn-Brown.

A superb 102 not out by Dan Clouting against Doubleview Carine. Dan carried his bat ! Brilliant !

Campbell Ince and Chris Cooper put on 91 for the 9th wicket against Balcatta.

Batting Award	Peter Jordan	256 Runs @ 32.00
Bowling Award	Chris Cooper	22 Wkts @ 17.09
Best & Fairest	Brendon King	



Peter Jordan

### 4th XI—8th Grade

The team lead by 1st year captain Kieran Vanpraag, won 2 games for the season to finish 8th on the ladder.

The team played a lot of young juniors. Jarrod Crowley, Ashal Wahid and Ryan Jones along with the Irish international Connor Hutton whose passion for the game is second to none.

The highlights of the season were the development of a young captain and a group of youngsters that will be around the club for a generation. Muhammad Zaheer and Nick Ashbrook put on 113 for the 7th wicket against Bassendean. Len Blakey and Alex Weir put on 77 for the second wicket against Curtin Vic Park.

Batting Award	Josh Brennan	143 Runs @ 28.60
Bowling Award	James Dockery	20 Wkts @ 21.80
Best & Fairest	James Dockery	



Len Blakey

### 5th XI—One Day Competition Division 1

The team lead by Alexander Kerr won 12 games for the season to finish 4th on the ladder. The team lost the Semi Final to Murdoch Melville by 7 runs. They only had a core group of 7 players and struggled to field consistent teams.

The highlights of the season were;

A superb opening stand of 117 by Scott Jackson and Gareth Ringrose against Bassendean.

Mark Hagar and Alex James put on 118 for the 5th wicket against Subiaco Marist.

Alex McGlue took 33 wickets at a very impressive 12.85 average.

Batting Award	Alex James	316 Runs @ 28.73
Bowling Award	Alex McGlue	33 Wkts @ 12.85
Best & Fairest	Ross Smith	



Alexander Kerr

### 6th XI—One Day Competition Division 2

The team lead by Angus Castley won 13 games for the season to finish 2nd on the ladder. The team played Bentley in the Semi Final. Bentley batted first and scored 187, a very good score in any final or grade. The team was bowled out for 159.

The highlights of the season were;

Adrian Hackett had 8 innings with 6 not outs and a highest score of 103 not out to average 150.50 for the season.

Robert Pulley scoring 597 runs and taking 26 wickets.

Doug Stirling scoring 130 not out against Fremantle-Mosman Park .

Robert Pulley and Doug Stirling putting on an unbroken 163 for the 2nd wicket against Fremantle-Mosman Park.

Batting Award	Robert Pulley	597 Runs @ 45.92
Bowling Award	Robert Pulley	26 Wkts @ 13.04
Best & Fairest	Robert Pulley	



Adrian Hackett

### 7th XI—One Day Competition Division 3

The One Day Division 3 enjoyed a brilliant year both on and off the field. The side completed the season in 2<sup>nd</sup> place on the Ladder and were very narrowly beaten in the Grand Final by only 1 wicket against League Leaders Tuart Hill.

Stefan Vucens, Garry Mawdesley, Mark Hattenfels, Stuart Kaschula and Dan Rogers all had fine years with the bat making over 200 runs for the season. Steven Wilson chipped in with very handy runs late in the innings to end up averaging 44.33. Mark Hattenfels made 3 50's for the season.

Troy Sutherland had a brilliant year with the ball taking 23 wickets @ an average of 7.22, with two 5 for performances, best being 6 for 19. Troy also took 2 Hatricks for the season, a fantastic effort. Michael Maher had a good season taking 16 wickets from 9 matches at an average of 11.75. Mark Wiley, Stephen Wilson, Russell Brownley and Stuart Kaschula all took over 10 wickets for the year.

Team Captain Garry Mawdesley played his 100<sup>th</sup> game for the Club and was presented with his club cap by fellow 100 Gamer Michael Maher before the match.

Batting Award	Stefan Vucens	319 Runs @ 19.94
Bowling Award	Troy Sutherland	23 Wkts @ 7.22
Best & Fairest	Troy Sutherland	



Dan Rogers

**2015/16**

**40th Year Anniversary**

**Angus Castley presented Life Membership**

**Club wins 3 Premierships**

The club was lead again by President Ryan Carmody and fielded 7 senior teams for the season.

The season started with the club losing the use of the Kent Street turf wicket. This put the club in a urgent position to find another wicket and fast tracked it having its own turf wicket. Damian O'Hara was appointed 1st XI skipper, an outstanding choice to start the rebuild. This appointment must not be underrated.

The Club held the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations at the Swan Yacht Club on Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> of November 2015. Over 100 current & former players, partners, friends, mothers and legends enjoyed a 3 course meal with great company along the Swan River. The club announced the team of the decade and team of 40 years.

Key people making their debut at the club were Jack Joy, John Stone and James Cabbage.

Angus Castley was awarded club Life Membership.

Burt Baetsen played his 300 game, Simon Shub, Ryan Carmody , Chris Cooper , Jason Markwart , Troy Sutherland and Alexander Kerr played their 100th game for the club.

Angus Castley scored his 6,000 run for the club , Len Blakey scored his 3,000 run and Robert Wilton took his 400th wicket.

The club made a financial loss of \$ 7,467 for the year.

Awais Mehdi made club history by scoring two centuries in each of the 2 Grand Finals in the 1st XI. 108 in the 2 day GF and 102 in the 1 day format. Incredible effort.

The club won 3 Premierships;

1st XI—One Day Competition

1st XI—2nd Grade

3rd XI—7th Grade



Angus Castley



Damian O'Hara



Awais Mehdi



## **POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President      Ryan Carmody  
Vice President   Christopher Cooper  
Treasurer      Jason Markwart  
Secretary      Jason Markwart  
Committee      Burt Baetsen  
Committee      Adrian Hackett  
Committee      Angus Castley  
Committee      Murray Sutherland

Chairman of Selectors   Anthony Brennan

1st XI Captain   Damian O'Hara  
2nd XI Captain   Mark Hager  
3rd XI Captain   Ramon Fletcher  
4th XI Captain   Kieran Vanpraag  
OD1 Black Captain   Angus Castley  
OD1 Red Captain  
OD2 Captain   Michael Maher

## **PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman   Alastair Field  
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy  
Murray Sutherland  
Best All Rounder   Awais Mehdi  
Most Improved   Conor Hutton  
Best Future Prospect   Tane Maxted-Frost  
The 'Tom Morgan' Best Fieldsman Award  
Jayden Gaudieri  
Coaches Award   Elliott Hawkins  
Best 1st Year Player   Rao Zafar  
Life Membership   Angus Castley #16

## **WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

WASTCA 2nd Grade Champion Cricketer  
James Cabbage

Awais Mehdi

## Team of the Decades

A hand selected team was given the great opportunity to select the team of the decades. The teams will always cause room for debate but without doubt these magnificent teams would be very difficult to beat on any given day.

### ACC Team of the First 20 Years (1975 -1995)

Peter Spencer (C)

John Wright

Tom Morgan

Michael Broadbridge

Gary Tuckwell

Phil Holman

Stuart Rankin (VC)

George Prince (WK)

Eric Taylor

Alex Weir

Robert Pulley

Allan Seubert

### ACC Team of the Decade (1996 -2005)

Anthony Barranca(WK)

Greg Oldfield

Paul Holtham

Chris Mole

Stefan Perer

Andy Walton

Mark Hullett (C)

Brendon Crowder

Alex Weir

Al Field

Gerard Marquis

Greg Brautigam

### ACC Team of the Decade (2006 -2015)

Paul Barber (VC)

Luc Durandt

Campbell Ince

Brad Rodden

Ben Christie

Andy Walton

Mark Hullett (C)

Carrington Shepherd (WK)

Callum Pilcher

Alex Weir

Brad Weir

David Scheffer

## Team of the 40 Years

1975 –2015

A hand selected team was given the great opportunity to select the greatest team of the first 40 years of the club. The team will always cause room for debate but without doubt this is a magnificent team and would be very difficult to beat on any given day.



PETER SPENCER  
Vice Captain



PAUL BARBER



ANTHONY BARRANCA  
(WK)



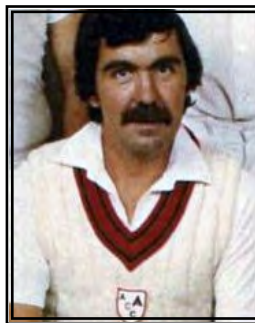
GREG OLDFIELD



STEFAN PERER



TOM MORGAN



STUART RANKIN



MARK HULLETT  
Captain



ALEX WEIR



GERRY MARQUIS



ROBERT PULLEY



ANDY WALTON

Sir David Well's is the official scorer for this wonderful team ! Take it easy mate.

### 1st XI—2nd Grade

The team lead by Damian O'Hara finished 3rd, winning 8 games but more importantly winning 2 Premierships, the One and Two day competitions. To win promotion to first grade was a remarkable effort as the club lost the use of its home wicket Kent Street and only had 2 players from the previous season. Talk about the greatest rebuild in the clubs history. The highlights of the season were Awais Mehdi scoring 108 and 102 in each of the Grand Finals to ensure Felt X 2. It was a great season and all credit must go to Damian as he rebuilt the team to ensure they enjoyed their cricket. They gave everything on the pitch and had fun off it.

Batting

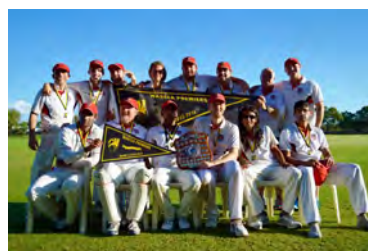
Awais Mehdi

Bowling

James Cabbage

“The Robert Pulley Award”

Awais Mehdi



### 2nd XI—4th Grade

The team lead by first year captain Mark Hagar, finished 8th, only winning 1 game.

The team struggled to score runs consistently all year. The solitary win was not a true reflection, as they lost a handful of games to the strongest teams by small margins after the Xmas break.

The highlights of the season were Elliott Hawkins snaring 6/12 vs Doubleview Carine, 3/10 v Wembley Districts and 3/52 v Bentley, proving he could match it with the best teams in the grade (strong A grade teams).

Simon Shub's two spells vs Fremantle-Mosman Park (including his season best 5-29) were truly inspiring, as was his round 13 performance vs Swan Valley (2-28), including a big turning leg break around the legs. Simon finished the season with 21 wickets at 15.62.

The team was very youthful and the experience will put them and the club in a very good position going forward.

Batting

Scott Curren

Bowling

Simon Shub

Best & Fairest

Ross Smith



### 3rd XI—7th Grade

The team lead by Ramon Fletcher finished 2nd, winning 9 games and drawing 1. They won the Premiership in a pressure cooker of a Grand Final. The team was experienced with a sprinkling of youth . They rolled Melville Murdoch in the Grand Final for 43 with another flawless day in the field. Ramon lead from the front with 6/10 off 11.2 overs and Suj bagged 2/12 off 9 overs. Chasing the runs got very interesting indeed, stumbling to 7/32. When Cunningham was run out, the side slumped to 8 for 41. Out came Ryan to join Pulley at the crease requiring 3 runs. They patiently nudged the required runs with Carmody hitting the winning quick single to square leg. Ramon and Carmody then pushed on with some old school dogged batting, staying out in the middle for around 40 overs in scoring a partnership of 43. Ramon top scored with 27 runs.

The highlights of the season were Peter Jordan scoring 107no against Doubleview Carine and the opening partnership of Michael Shaw and Len Blakey.

Batting	Peter Jordan
Bowling	Robert Pulley
Best & Fairest	Robert Pulley



### 4th XI—9th Grade

The team lead by Kieren Vanpraag finished 7th, winning 4 games for the season. The team was youthful and struggled with batting all year.

They blooded new faces to the Club, with an array of new talent such as Richie Connell, Luke Crosswell, Steven Aspinall, Angus Paterson and Jonathan Hailes, all playing at least 7 games.

The highlights of the season were Luke Crosswell scoring 69 vs Whitfords and Richie Connell 61 vs Western Suburbs. Rhys Jenkins scored 53 vs Fremantle Mosman Park. Alex Bell captured 5 for 15 vs Curtin Victoria Park and Angus Paterson took 4 catches in one game against Balcatta (he wasn't keeping and not one simple chance out of the lot, all absolute screamers).

Batting	Luke Crosswell
Bowling	James Dockery
Best & Fairest	Richie Connell



### **5TH XI—One Day One Black**

The team lead by Angus Castley finished 5th, winning 7 and drawing 2 of 16 games. The Season started with the dubious decision of the Association to put 2 Applecross sides in the same 1 day division, namely 1 day division 1.

The highlights of the season were against Fremantle Mosman Park who scored 7 for 152 from their 40 overs. Matthew Campbell and Angus Castley opened the batting in Gus's 300<sup>th</sup> game. The pair chased down that score with none for 153 from 23 overs. Rhys Jenkins and Angus Castley put on 104 for the 3rd wicket against Western Suburbs.

Batting	Matt Campbell
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Bowling	Jeromy Harvey
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Best & Fairest	Matt Campbell
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### **6th XI—One Day One Red**

The team finished 8th, winning 3 and drawing 1 from the 16 games.

They struggled all year trying to field a team and forfeited some games.

Tim Hughes and Ashal Wahid put on 106 for the 4th wicket against Western Suburbs.

Batting
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Bowling
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Best & Fairest
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### 7th XI—One Day Two

The team lead by Michael Maher finished 9th, winning 1 game for the season. The side completed the season in last place on the League Ladder but were able to finish the year with a win. Sadly injuries and old age caught up with many of us, which was reflective on the field and with players availability throughout.

The highlights of the season were Mark Hattenfels, who had a fine year with the bat in the limited games he played, ending with 238 runs @ an average of 47.60. Mark Hattenfels against High Wycombe made a brilliant 127 and shared an opening partnership with Dan Rogers of 142 runs.

Troy Sutherland and Steve Wilson played their 100<sup>th</sup> games for the Applecross Cricket Club and were presented with their club caps by fellow 100 Gamers Michael Maher & Garry Mawdesley before the matches.

Batting

Mark Hattenfels

Bowling

Michael Maher

Best & Fairest

Michael Maher



Jason Markwart



Ryan Carmody

**2016/17**

## **WASTCA Club Champions**

### **Club wins 6 Premierships & 5 Minor Premiers**

### **Bert Jeffery Turf Works Start**

The club was again lead by Ryan Carmody as President for the third year. The club fielded 8 senior teams for the season.

The top 5 sides finishing Minor Premiers, the top 3 winning flags and the club winning the prestigious Champion Club award.

The single greatest on field season in the clubs history.

After we gained promotion back to First Grade, the WASTCA then decided to re-structure the competition to shorten the number of teams in 1st Grade, meaning ACC would stay in 2nd Grade, with 6 teams dropping down from 1st grade.

The work started on Bert Jeffery turf wicket, with lots of work by many people over the years but special mention to Harry Moffatt and Al Field for their enormous contributions.

The club hired a turf wicket from Tuart Hill for the season to allow the club to have a home ground of some sort.

Jack Joy was appointed 1st XI skipper.

Kenn MacPherson played his 300th game , Bruce Calder played his 200th game and Michael Shaw , Jack Barendse , Scott Curren and Rhys Jenkins played their 100th games for the club. Ramon Fletcher took his 500th wicket and Chris Cooper took his 200th wicket. Doug Stirling scored his 7,000th run and Matthew Campbell scored his 5,000th run for club.

Damian O'Hara took his 300th catch for the club.



**The Turf is in**



**The First Dig**

**Ryan Carmody , Russell Aubrey and Al Field .**



## **POSITIONS APPOINTED**

President	Ryan Carmody
Vice President	Angus Castley
Treasurer	Jason Markwart
Secretary	Tristram Fletcher
Chairman of Selectors	Christopher Cooper
General Committee	Steven Aspinall
General Committee	Conor Hutton
General Committee	Jack Joy
General Committee	Alastair Field
General Committee	Cassandra Brennan
General Committee	Joshua Brennan
General Committee	Murray Sutherland
1st XI Captain	Jack Joy
2nd XI Captain	Anthony Brennan
3rd XI Captain	Tristram Fletcher
4th XI Captain	Luke Crosswell
OD2 Captain	Angus Castley
OD4 Captain	Alastair Field
Colts Captain	Joshua Brennan

## **PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS**

Best Clubman	Christopher Cooper
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy	Steven Aspinall
Best All Round Cricketer	Yahya Ali
Most Improved	Conor Hutton
Best Future Prospect	Carson O'Dell
The 'Tom Morgan' Fielding Award	Scott Jackson
Coaches Award	Conor Hutton
Best 1st Year Player	Yahya Ali
Wood Duck	Ryan Carmody

## **WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS**

WASTCA: 7th Grade Bowling Average

Simon Shub 12.5

WASTCA: 8th Grade Bowling Aggregate

Carson O'Dell 22 wickets (Joint winner)

Antonio Shanmuganathan 22 wickets (Joint winner)

WASTCA: 8th Grade Batting Aggregate and Average

Peter A Jordan 415 runs at 51.9

WASTCA: OD2 Batting Aggregate

Matthew Campbell 401 runs

WASTCA: OD4 Champion Cricketer

David Scheffer

### 1st XI—2nd Grade

The team lead by Jack Joy finished 1st winning 9 games. After we gained promotion back to First Grade last year, the WASTCA then decided to re-structure the competition to shorten the number of teams in 1st Grade. This meant ACC would stay in 2nd Grade with 6 teams dropping down from 1st grade. More importantly we ended up winning 2 Premierships, the One and Two day competitions.

The highlight of the season was Chris Cooper who bowled 18.4 overs 6 maidens and took 9 for 28 against Fremantle Mosman Park.

Batting Shaban Ahmed

Bowling Chris Cooper

“The Robert Pulley Award” Chris Cooper

Best & Fairest



### 2nd XI—7th Grade

The team lead by first year captain Anthony Brennan, finished 1st winning 8 games and drawing 2, to win the two day Premiership.

The 2016/2017 season started off with frustration after having been moved to 7<sup>th</sup> grade by circumstances out of our control. With a team full of talent, the expectation to win and bring home both one day and two day Premierships was high. The standard we set was to play to our ability as a team week in week out and judge our performance against it - the results would take care of themselves.

The highlights of the season were Lachlan Hogg scoring 99 in the Grand Final against Bedford Morley to ensure victory. Scott Jackson scored 137 v Western Suburbs and Anthony Brennan took a Hatrick against Bassendean.

Batting Joshua Brennan

Bowling Simon Shub

Best & Fairest Joshua Brennan



### 3rd XI—8th Grade

The team lead by Tristram Fletcher finished undefeated and won 2 Premierships .

The highlights of the season were 16 year old Carson O'Dell taking 6/10 against the second best team in the grade, helping bowl them out for a paltry 47. Ramon Fletcher and Sujeevan Shanmuganathan put on 59 for the last wicket in the Grand Final to get the team to 149, which they defended and went onto win Felt. Ramon Fletcher was undefeated on 36 batting at 10. He then went on to take 6/27 off 28 overs the next day which included 14 maidens, to help win the two day flag for Applecross. Michael Shaw and Peter Jordan shared a 204 run partnership against Tuart Hill which only ended when Michael Shaw retired. Shawbo scored 103 not out and PJ scored 97.

Batting

Peter Jordan

Bowling

Antonio

Best & Fairest

Carson O'Dell



### 4th XI—10th Grade

The team lead by Kieren Vanpraag finished 1st, winning 11 games and drawing 2. Unfortunately the team did not pick up any felt.

The highlights of the season were Lennon Marlin and Matthew Norris putting on 233 for the 1st wicket against Swanbourne, simply superb. Lennon Martin scored 137 against Swanbourne and Matthew Norris scored 118 against Swan Valley.

Batting

Matthew Norris

Bowling

Rob Purcell

Best & Fairest

Rob Purcell



### **5TH XI—One Day Two**

The team lead by Angus Castley finished 1st, winning 15 of 16 games. They had an outstanding season but unfortunately played their worst game of the year in the big dance. They were dismissed for 42 and the opposition managed that score, no wickets down in the 11<sup>th</sup> over.

The highlight of the season was against Bassendean with Matthew Campbell and Mark Hullett putting on 254 for the 1st wicket. With Matthew scoring 140 and Hully scoring 120.

Adrian Hackett and Robert Wilton also scored tons against Bassendean scoring 101no and 111no .

Batting	Matthew Campbell
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Bowling	Jonno Seen
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Best & Fairest	Adrian Hackett
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### **6th XI—One Day Four**

The team lead by Al Field finished 3rd, winning 10 games and drawing 1 for the season. Unfortunately we only made the Semi Finals.

Great gains were made from Aamir, Aravinda, Row Row, Asanka & Dan Rogers who have all shown massive improvement and a huge upside for next season.

The highlights of the season were Dave Da Silva taking 5 wickets in the Semi Final. Also a great all round effort by David Scheffer who had a superb season, which included 7 scores of over 50.

Batting	David Scheffer
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Bowling	David Scheffer
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Best & Fairest	David Scheffer
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### **7TH XI—Colts**

The team lead by Joshua Brennan finished 3rd, winning 5 of 7 games.

The highlights of the season were;

Adam Hankin and Dominic Sampson who added 47 for the 1st wicket against Swan Athletic in the GF.  
Oliver Arkinstall and Iszak Milento combining for 71 for the 3rd wicket against Subiaco Marist in the SF.

The team went on to win the Premiership.

The side was as follows;

Joshua Brennan (Captain) , Adam Hankin , Dominic Sampson , Oliver Arkinstall , Iszak Milentis , Shaun Byrne , Joel Davies , Will Dagg , Carson O'Dell , Sheamus Byrne , Joshua Dawson .

Batting	Oliver Arkinstall
Bowling	Adam Hankin
Best & Fairest	Adam Hankin

### **8th XI—Twenty20**

The team finished 5th, winning 1 game for the season.

The highlights of the season were Oliver Arkinstall's batting average of 65.

Jack Joy and Jarrod Aspinall adding 79 for the 1st wicket against Curtin Vic Park.

Jack Joy and Shaaban Ahmed contributing 110 for the 3rd wicket against Fremantle Mosman Park.

Batting	N/A
Bowling	N/A
Best & Fairest	Elliot Hawkins

**2017/18**

## **“Club Fields 2 Women's Teams”**

### **“Club plays first game on Bert Jeffery Turf Wicket”**

The club lead by first year President Tristram Fletcher, fielded 11 teams for the season. 6 Men's teams on Saturday's, 2 Twenty20 , 1 Colts and 2 Women's teams on Sunday's. It was the most teams the club had fielded in it's history. John Stone was appointed Coach.

The club introduced “The Hall of Fame”, where people are recognized for their contribution to the club and future Life Members are only selected from this group. A brilliant concept that saw the club introduce 11 people into the H.O.F.

The club finally played on Bert Jeffery turf wicket after many years of hard work by plenty but especially Al Field and Ryan Carmody. The first game was Round 9 1st Grade versus Murdoch Melville on 13th January 2018.

The club lost two legends during the year with Jack Gregan and Aubrey King passing away. They both made wonderful contributions to the club and helped build the foundations of the club we see today.

From nothing in December 2017, the ACC was able to field two Women's teams thanks to 23 women, most of whom had never played cricket before. The drive, determination and improvement over just 4 months was outstanding and Women's cricket is now very much a part of the ACC.

The greatest achievement this season and one of the most important events in the clubs history, the introduction of two women's teams. The club leads the competition in this field and the club and cricket will only get stronger by having as many women playing the game. The two teams finished 3rd and 1st winning the club's first Premiership in the women's league. Just simply brilliant !

Jack Joy was appointed 1st grade skipper and Chris Cooper was appointed Chairman of Selectors.

The ongoing Shirley Strickland redevelopment took a significant step forward with the council approving the development and works will start in 2019/20.

The club made a annual loss of \$ 26,095. This included the build cost of Bert Jeffery. The club books were not audited in this year.

Matthew Campbell played his 300th game and Robert Pulley played his 400th to become the clubs leading game player.

Tim Searson , Stuart Kaschula ,Mark Hagar , Leigh Petherick , David Scheffer and Chris Cooper all played their 100th game for the club.

Anthony Brennan took his 250th wicket and Darren Monument took his 200th wicket. Robert Pulley scored his 7,000th run for the club.

Tim Searson played his 100th game for the club. He was one of the founding fathers of the club back in 1975 and has taken 42 years to play his 100th , which says your never to old to play and you're a long time retired.



Jack Gregan



Aubrey King



Tim Searson

## POSITIONS APPOINTED

President	Tristram Fletcher
Vice President	Ryan Carmody
Treasurer	Jason Markwart
Secretary	Sam McNamara
Committee	Adam Hankin
Committee	Jack Barendse
Committee	Joshua Brennan
Committee	Matt Scales
Committee	Angus Castley
Committee	Steven Aspinall
Committee	Christopher Cooper
Committee / Director of Cricket	Jack Joy
Coach	John Stone
Chairman of Selectors	Christopher Cooper
Grounds Officer	Dixie Joy
1st XI Captain	Christopher Cooper
2nd XI Co-Captain	Jayden Gaudieri
2nd XI Co-Captain	Elliott Hawkins
3rd XI Captain	Jack Barendse
4th XI Captain	Matt Scales
OD1 Captain	Angus Castley
OD3 Captain	David Scheffer
T20 Div. 1 Captain	Robbie Montgomery
T20 Div. 2 Captain	Steven Aspinall
Colts Captain	Joshua Brennan
Women Pink Co-Captain	Amy Townson
Women Pink Co-Captain	Rebecca Has
Women Red Co-Captain	Hannah Innes
Women Red Co-Captain	Samantha Kershaw

## PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

Best Clubman
Jack Barendse
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy
Christopher Cooper
Best All Round Cricketer
Robbie Montgomery
Most Improved Daniel Bonasera
Best Future Prospect
Liam McGarrigal
The 'Tom Morgan' Fielding Award
Jayden Gaudieri
Coaches Award Phillip Ranieri
Best 1st Year Player Ryan Jarvis
The 'Brett McGregor' Most Determined to Succeed
Will Dagg
Mark Hulleth Medal Yahya Ali
Wood Duck James Dockery
Women's - Most Improved
Gautami Sithambaram
Women's - Coaches Award
Samantha Kershaw & Rebecca Has
Women's - Best All Round Cricketer
Hannah Innes
Women's - Spirit of Cricket
Amy Townson

## WASTCA TROPHY WINNERS

None awarded

### 1st XI—1st Grade

The team was lead by Jack Joy until injury saw Chris Cooper replace him as Skipper. They unfortunately did not have a good run with injury and finished 6th, with 6 wins from 14 games. Remaining in 1st Grade after recent promotion was a good result.

The highlights of the season were a superb 169 by Yahya Ali against Wembley Districts, with the team scoring 9 for 437. This was a club record for the highest team score. Jarrod Aspinall scored a wonderful 112 no against Swan Athletic.

Best & Fairest The Robert Pulley Award

Robbie Montgomery

Batting Award

Yahya Ali

Bowling Award

Chris Cooper



Action at Bert Jeffery

### 2nd XI—5th Grade

#### Clubs first win at Bert Jeffery

The team lead by Jayden Gaudieri and Elliott Hawkins, finished top of the table winning 9 and tying 1 of 14 games. They unfortunately lost the Grand Final. This was a great effort for such a young team.

The team had the first club win on the new Bert Jeffery turf wicket. First of many on this wonderful cricket oval.

The highlights of the season were an incredible 131 by Mark Coso against Subiaco Marist and Dan Baker scoring 117 against Western Suburbs.

The team was very youthful and the experience will put them and the club in a very good position going forward.

Best & Fairest

Joseph Bonasera

Batting Award

Mark Coso

Bowling Award

Sheamus Byrne



Back Row L-R: Chris Thomas, Sheamus Byrne, Will Dagg, Joel Davies, Simon Shub

Front Row L-R: Conor Hutton, Adam Hankin, Daniel Baker, Joshua Brennan, Ryan Jarvis ,  
Laying: Elliott Hawkins (c)



### 3rd XI—7th Grade

The team lead by Jack Barendse was significantly younger than the previous year due to retirements and unavailability of senior players. The team started poorly but grew from strength to strength to play in the Grand Final. This was an outstanding effort after a poor start to the year. The team won 8 of the 14 games.

The highlights of the season were a superb 114 by Karl Norwood. He scored his ton off 68 balls with his first ten balls faced failing to trouble the scorers. The skipper lead from the front taking 6 for 19 against Ocean Ridge, who needed 30 runs to win with 7 wickets in hand. The win allowed the team to scrape into finals. Len Blakey and Peter Jordan put on 148 for the second wicket against Nollamara. Young Carson scored 40no in the semi and followed it up in the GF with 24 and 5 for 46.

Best & Fairest                  Peter Jordan

Batting Award                  Peter Jordan

Bowling Award                  Simon Shub



Strickland Training Nets

### 4th XI—9th Grade

The team lead by Matt Scales finished 5th, winning 5 of the 12 games. The team developed and promoted players such as 15 yo Liam McGarrigal, Robert Purcell and Ryan Jarvis in his first year at the club ended up playing 1st grade.

The highlights of the season were an incredible 123 by Robert Gauderi against Doubleview Carine and Lachlan Hogg scoring 122no off 109 balls against Kalamunda. Robert Purcell and Liam McGarrigal put on 118 for the sixth wicket against Kalamunda.

Tim Searson played his 100th game for the club, his first game for the club was in the 1975/76 season.

Best & Fairest                  Steven Aspinall

Batting Award                  Joshua Dawson

Bowling Award                  Steven Aspinall



Tim Searson

### 5th XI— One Day Comp Division 1

The team lead by Angus Castley finished 6th, winning 7 of the 18 games. It was the first time this team had missed finals, finding the jump from Division 2 difficult.

The highlights of the season were Robert Pulley playing his 400th game and Matt Campbell playing his 300th. Anthony Brennan took his 300th wicket and old boy Robert Wilton scored his 8,000 run. Angus Castley and Jono Seen put on 110 for the 6th wicket against Subiaco Marist and Darren Monument and Jono Seen put on 61 for the 9th wicket against Swanbourne.

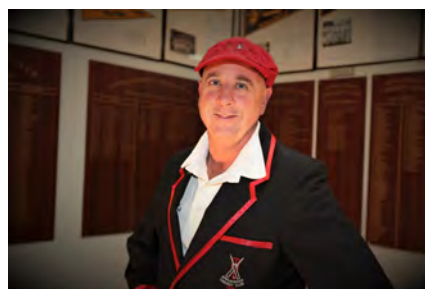
Best & Fairest      Anthony Brennan

Batting Award      Rhys Jenkins

Bowling Award      Anthony Brennan



400 Games for Robert Pulley



300 Games for Matt Campbell

### 6th XI—One Day Comp Division 3

The team was lead by first time skipper David Scheffer. They used 39 players for the season but developed some young talent such as Rohan Hughes and Phillip Ranieri. History will show they made the final four, however, this is based on South Perth forfeiting points for their season indiscretions after the Semi Finals were played. We did not play any finals games. In fact, of the 9 wins, 4 were by forfeit and one an adjusted win after the fact (South Perth) of the 18 games.

Best & Fairest      David Scheffer

Batting Award      Dan Rogers

Bowling Award      David Scheffer



Aubrey King on holiday from the UK

### 7th XI— Colts

The team lead by Josh Brennan finish 3rd, winning 2 of 4 games. New players Ryan Jarvis and Dylan Freason made their debut for the club.

The highlights of the season were the all round performance of Liam McGarrigal. Daniel Baker and Will Dagg put on 130 for the first wicket against Bedford Morley..

Best & Fairest	Daniel Baker
Batting Award	Daniel Baker
Bowling Award	Liam McGarrigal



Back Row L-R: Liam McGarrigal, Dylan Freason, Daniel Baker, Joshua Brennan (c), Will Dagg, Joshua Dawson

Front Row L-R: Nic Frenis, Ryan Jarvis, Adam Hankin, Daniel Lefroy, Joel Davies

### 8th XI—Twenty 20 Division 1

The team lead by Josh Brennan finished 4th, winning 1 of 4 games. They struggled to get regular players to play on Sunday's.

The highlights of the season were an incredible 91 by Robbie Montgomery against Western Suburbs .

Ryan Christie and Brayden Meyers put on 97 for the 5th wicket against Fremantle Mosman Park. Brendan Cusick and Robbie Montgomery put on 86 for the 1st wicket against Western Suburbs..

Best & Fairest	Robbie Montgomery
Batting Award	Robbie Montgomery
Bowling Award	Awais Mehdi

### 9th XI— Twenty 20 Division 2

#### Premiers!

The team lead by Steven Aspinall finished 2nd, winning 2 of 3 games. They went on to win the Premiership. The highlights of the season were a superb team effort all season. The Grand Final effort against Balcatta was prime example of the team that wanted it so much and enjoyed their cricket. Richie Connell's run a ball 39 was the game changer with big Stu Kaschula bowling superbly to win the man of the match.

Best & Fairest          Jack Barendse

Batting Award          Jack Barendse

Bowling Award          Simon Shub



#### T20 Div. 2 Premiership:

Back Row L-R: James Birbeck, Simon Shub, Stuart Kaschula, Jack Barendse, Richie Connell, Luke Crosswell (12<sup>th</sup> Man), Lennon Marlin, Dixie Joy Front Row L-R: Steven Aspinall (c), Conor Hutton, Joseph Bonasera, Chris Thomas

### 10h XI—Women's Twenty20 Red

The team was lead by Hannah Innes and Sam Kershaw and finished 3rd, an outstanding effort in their first season. The continual improvement throughout the season was obvious and will place them well going into the future.

The team played for 3rd position against SKLPCC . Lead into the final by Sam Kershaw, they bowled first and wickets from Stackpole (1/12), Vandebok (1/7) and Kershaw (2/4) restricted a much improved SKLPCC side to 4/62 from their 20 overs. An early wobble sent heart rates soaring but assured batting from Player of the Match Emily McGarrigal (26 from 26) and Claire Sands (13 from 25) saw the ACC Red team finish on 6/86 to take home 3<sup>rd</sup> place. The highlight of the season was Hannah Innes scoring 44 off 20 balls and taking 3 for 3 off 4 overs against SKLPCC.

Best & Fairest          Hannah Innes

Batting Award          Hannah Innes

Bowling Award          Tahlia Burtenshaw



Women's Team after first ever game at Tompkins Park Back Row L-R: Jess Kinsman, Tegan Pridham, Rebecca Has, Cadian Lodge, Sam Kershaw, Amy Townson, Victoria Matthews Front Row L-R: Emily Ballantyne, Hannah Innes, Emily McGarrigal, Elizabeth Stackpole, Kate Goldie



## 11th XI— Women's Twenty20 Pink

### Premiers !

The team lead by Amy Townson & Rebecca Has exceeded all expectations by winning the club's first ever Women's Premiership.

In the Grand Final we scored 5 for 157, the teams highest score for the season. Victoria Matthews scored 19 from 27 balls, Wendy Booth 33 from 21 balls, Jess Kinsman 22 off 20 balls and Hannah Innes 41 from 20 balls. We then proceeded to bowl Hillman out for 57, with Wendy Booth taking 2 for 13 and Hannah Appleyard taking 2 for 7. Player of the final was awarded to Hannah Innes.

The highlights of the season were Hannah Innes scoring 41 no off 20 balls in the Grand Final and Rebecca Has taking 3 for 10 off 3 overs. The greatest highlight was clearly the Felt! Incredible effort.

From nothing in December 2017, the ACC was able to field two Women's teams thanks to 23 women, most of whom had never played cricket before. The drive, determination and improvement over just 4 months was outstanding. Women's cricket is now very much a part of the ACC, that the club cannot live without.

Best & Fairest	Rebecca Has & Tegan Pridham
Batting Award	Sam Alborn
Bowling Award	Cadian Lodge



### Women's Perth Scorchers League Premiership

Back Row L-R: Hannah Appleyard, Hannah Innes, Cadian Lodge, Jess Kinsman, Wendy Booth, Victoria Matthews, Sam Alborn, Tegan Pridham Front Row L-R: Rebecca Has (c), Amy Townson (c)



The winning moment for the women's first flag!



Tegan Pridham & Rebecca Has

## HALL OF FAME

Introducing the ACC Hall of Fame as the next tier of status down from the very exclusive Life Member 'Legend' status.

Becoming an ACC Hall of Famer is a stepping stone to becoming a Life Member. To become a Hall of Famer you will need to have made a significant contribution to the club on and/or off the field.

On field contributions include number of games played, captaining a side, Chairman of Selectors, coaching, nets captain, club scorer or significant individual performances and contributions towards winning felt.

Al Field	1
Tom Morgan	2
Mark Hullett	3
Murray Tribbeck	4
Greg Oldfield	5
Damian O'Hara	6
Gerard Marquis	7
Glen Wright	8
Joe Venter	9
Murray Sutherland	10
Ramon Fletcher	11



## **Greatest Off Field Achievements in History**

### **1975 to Present**

In recent seasons the club has achieved great things from Bert Jeffery Turf wicket, Shirley Strickland Redevelopment, Hall of Fame and the introduction of women's cricket. Below is the list of the greatest events in the clubs history. All the below had major impacts on the club at the time and forever. All those involved should be very proud to ensure the great successful future for the club.

Key events in the clubs history	Season
Club Founded	1975
1st Players Club Trip	1980/81
ACC Moved to Shirley Strickland	1981/82
ACC Joined AMPSA	1982/83
First Under 16 Team Introduced	1982/83
ACC laid Synthetic wicket at Winthrop	1987/88
Club Incorporated	1990/91
New Training Facilities at Shirley Strickland	1992/93
Honour Boards Installed at Shirley Strickland	1992/93
Premiership Flags Framed	1992/93
Club History Part 1	1993/94
First 100 Gamers Dinner	1997/98
First 100 Gamers v President XI Game	1998/99
Club Website Created	1998/99
Kent Street Turf wicket becomes our Home Ground	1999/00
Club History Part 2	2001/02
Club Auction Introduced	2005/06
Player Obligation Procedure	2013/14
40th Club Celebrations	2015/16
Club History Part 3	2015/16
Turf Wicket laid at Bert Jeffery Oval	2016/17
Shirley Strickland Redevelopment Approved	2016/17
Women's Cricket Teams start playing for ACC	2017/18
Club Website Upgraded	2017/18
Hall of Fame Introduced	2017/18
First game played on Bert Jeffery Turf Wicket	2017/18

These above events are purely the opinion of the club historian. But it will surely start a great debate .

**2018/19**

## **Al Field Presented Life Membership**

### **4th XI & Colts win Premierships**

The club was lead again by President Tristram Fletcher. They fielded 11 teams for the season. 6 Men's teams playing on Saturday's and 2 Twenty20, 1 Colts and 2 Women's teams playing on Sunday's.

Robbie Montgomery was appointed 1st XI captain and was replaced during the season by Chris Cooper and John Stone was appointed coach.

Club life membership was presented to Al Field for his outstanding contribution to the club .

The club won 2 premierships with 7th grade and the colts team shining through , in the 7th grade grand final defending 113 Stuart Kaschula took 7 for 40 to win the felt outstanding effort

The club made history with new rules allowing women to play in the WASTCA mens competition. Emily Ballantyne and Sam Kershaw making history for the ACC playing 8th grade at Winthrop Park.

The season the club identified all players that debuted in the clubs 1st XI and identified the cap number sequence for them all. A great achievement that just keeps adding to the great history of the club.

Sammy Kershaw started a great initiative of the Bunnings sausage sizzle as a future annual fundraiser going forward.

The planned changerooms at Bert Jeffrey funding going to council for the budget in June.

Richard Campbell played his 200th game and Jono Seen played his 100th and Chris Cooper, Simon Shubb and Rhys Jenkins all playing there 150 games for the club.

The ongoing Shirley Strickland redevelopment took a significant step forward with the council approving the development and works will start in 2020/21.

The club made a annual loss of \$ 7,399, The priority for the club is to stabilize this trend and start making a profit each year for the next 3 to 5 years.



Al Field



Stuart Kaschula



Jack Barendse providing some tips to the team.



Emily Ballantyne and Sam Kershaw making history for the ACC at Winthrop Park.



## POSITIONS APPOINTED

President	Tristram Fletcher
Vice President	Ryan Carmody
Vice President	Alastair Field
Treasurer	Chris Thomas
Secretary	Sam McNamara
Turf Curator	Dixie Joy
Committee	Jack Barendse
Committee	James Birbeck
Committee	Christopher Cooper
Committee	Will Dagg
Committee	Murray Sutherland
Committee	Amy Townson
Committee	Samantha Kershaw
Committee	Joel Davies
1st XI Captain	Robbie Montgomery
2nd XI Captain	Sheamus Byrne
3rd XI Captain	James Birbeck
4th XI Captain	Matt Scales
5th XI Captain	Tristram Fletcher
OD1 Captain	Angus Castley
T20 Div. 1 Captain	Robbie Montgomery
T20 Div. 2 Captain	Steven Aspinall
Colts Captain	Daniel Baker
Women's Pink Captain	Samantha Kershaw
Women's Red Captain	Hannah Innes

## PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

Best Clubman	John H Stone & Kylie Bain
The 'Russell Kingdon' Presidents Trophy	Scott Townson
Mark Hullet Medal: Best All Round Cricketer	Chris Thomas
Most Improved	Liam Whipp
Best Future Prospect	Shaun M Byrne
The 'Tom Morgan' Fielding Award	Sebastian Woods
Coaches Award	Nicholas M Edwards
Best 1st Year Player	not awarded
The 'Brett McGregor' Most Determined to Succeed	Fillip A Ranieri
Wood Duck	Joshua Dawson
Womens - Most Improved	Rachael Morgan
Womens - Coaches Award	Victoria Matthews Red
Womens - Coaches Award	Amy Townson Pink
Womens - Best All Round Cricketer	Kelly McKay
Womens - Spirit of Cricket	Emily Ballantyne
100 Gamers vs Presidents XI	Presidents XI

## ASSOCIATION TROPHY WINNERS

PSCWL Champion Player
Cassie A MacKenzie Runner up

I'm here to speak about the induction of our 17<sup>th</sup> "Life member" in this the 44<sup>th</sup> year of the club's existence, which is significant because it goes to show that Life Memberships are not handed out willy-nilly or light heartedly, actually it's been 5 years since the last inductee which was Angus Castley.



Some of you may not be aware Life Membership is the highest award that can be bestowed upon anyone at the club, and is historically awarded to members who have done a mountain of work not only on Committees, but also behind the scenes and displayed passion and commitment over a long period of time.

So this person first arrived at the club 28 years ago in the 91/92 season along with some Applecross high school mates who had graduated the previous year. Like most of his mates he started down the grades, he'd rock up in his Mustard coloured Combi van, probably nursing a hangover but clearly a keen contributor with considerable skills, particularly with the ball in hand.

In just his 3<sup>rd</sup> season he put his hand up to be on the committee in the same year that he snared over 30 wickets in our 3<sup>rd</sup> XI.

In somewhat of a chalk-and-cheese season, in 94/95 he won the award of Best and Fairest in the 3<sup>rd</sup> XI and also took out the Wood Duck award for Spewing black Sambuca over himself in bed on the club trip in Fairbridge.

His on-field achievements make for very good reading, too many to list actually. He is a "Sir" 3 times over, twice for taking 7 wickets in an Innings, and he top scored with 114 not out in 2001/02.

3 times he's taken more than 30 wickets in a season bowling late hooping in-swingers.

With the Bat, he was the master of cow corner hitting which was evident in 2001 where he and Bruce Calder put on 195 runs in only 20 overs which is still a club and association record to this day for that grade.

In recent years he has won more Best and Fairest awards and Captained teams in 2 seasons.

If not for his 10 year hiatus from ACC in the UK between 2002 and 2011 he would have clocked up his 100<sup>th</sup> game long before he did as member number 51 in 2016/17.

Off the field, his contributions and achievements are also too long to fully explain here tonight, but I've done my best to condense them. Between 1993 and now he has served on 9 ACC committees. He served as Vice Prez in 2011/12 which was as soon as he returned from the UK.

The following year in 2012/13 he stepped up to the roll of President and was instrumental in overseeing the club in securing only our second WASCA Club Championship and first WASTCA Spirit of the game award.

He was recognised as Best clubman in 2015/16. In 2017/18 he was inducted into the ACC Hall of Fame and in just this past season he served as Vice President.

At a time when it appeared inevitable that the Club would become strictly a hard-Wicket Club, his work was critical in securing Turf at Burt Jeffery. His tireless work with the council and positive never-say-die attitude combined with outstanding organizational skills has resulted in the Club remaining a formidable force in the association with a bright future.

Clearly his passion and pride in the ACC is immense. His love for the game and everyone he's met through ACC is plain to see for all. If there was an award for the club's most popular person, I think he would be a perennial winner. He's always the first to welcome new comers to the club, a true people's person and all round great guy. I'm sure you all agree he is an extremely worthy Life Member inductee.



The club identified the cap number sequence for all players that has represented the First XI in the history of the club.

All 285 identified players are listed over the next 3 pages. Makes an interesting read.

Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round	Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round
1	Chas Eadon-Clarke Jr	7th	1975/76	4	51	Steve Batterham	5th	1979/80	8
2	Ross Tozer	7th	1975/76	4	52	B Brown	5th	1979/80	9
3	Peter Clifford	7th	1975/76	4	53	Stuart Rankin	5th	1980/81	1
4	M Pusey	7th	1975/76	4	54	Stephen Melville	5th	1980/81	1
5	Chas Eadon-Clarke Sr	7th	1975/76	4	55	John Trueman	5th	1980/81	3
6	George Heydon	7th	1975/76	4	56	Gary Tuckwell	5th	1980/81	4
7	Christopher J Cooper	7th	1975/76	4	57	John Speering	5th	1980/81	9
8	P Gelmi	7th	1975/76	4	58	Robert Meuleman	4th	1981/82	1
9	Hannes Gebauer	7th	1975/76	4	59	Daryl Preedy	4th	1981/82	1
10	Glyde Ferguson	7th	1975/76	4	60	Tom Morgan	4th	1981/82	3
11	Steven Chamberlain	7th	1975/76	4	61	Robert Preedy	4th	1981/82	4
12	David Turner	7th	1975/76	6	62	Burt Baetsen	4th	1981/82	6
13	Tim Searson	7th	1975/76	6	63	Danny Costello	4th	1981/82	11
14	Bob Mulcahy	7th	1975/76	6	64	Gavin Jones	3rd	1982/83	1
15	Kevin Blades	7th	1976/77	1	65	Peter Bentley	3rd	1982/83	1
16	Pete Radovich	7th	1976/77	1	66	Phil Sexton	3rd	1982/83	4
17	Daryl Haley	7th	1976/77	1	67	Kevin Curgenvin	3rd	1982/83	5
18	Fred Grasso	7th	1976/77	1	68	Richard Mulroney	3rd	1982/83	6
19	Newad Ninkov	7th	1976/77	6	69	Robin Smith	2nd	1983/84	1
20	P Marks	7th	1976/77	8	70	Steve McLarn	2nd	1983/84	1
21	Peter Hewitt	7th	1977/78	1	71	Nick Ashbrook	2nd	1983/84	1
22	Paul Searson	7th	1977/78	1	72	Peter Marshall	2nd	1983/84	3
23	Paul Machin-Everill	7th	1977/78	3	73	Phil Martin	2nd	1983/84	4
24	M Cribb	7th	1977/78	6	74	Wes Lawrence	2nd	1983/84	5
25	P Reddell	7th	1977/78	6	75	Stefan Perer	2nd	1983/84	7
26	P Carmen	7th	1977/78	6	76	Robert Pulley	2nd	1984/85	1
27	Garry Gregan	6th	1978/79	1	77	Jason Ramsay	2nd	1984/85	3
28	Eric Taylor	6th	1978/79	1	78	Alex Weir	2nd	1984/85	3
29	Val Steenholdt	6th	1978/79	1	79	Mark Anderson	2nd	1984/85	3
30	Mike Johnson	6th	1978/79	1	80	Damien Knowles	2nd	1984/85	4
31	Dave Higginson	6th	1978/79	1	81	Mark Gandy	2nd	1984/85	4
32	Alan Seubert	6th	1978/79	1	82	Wayne Rideout	2nd	1984/85	5
33	Rob Steenholdt	6th	1978/79	1	83	Andrew Banks	2nd	1984/85	5
34	Allan Burrough	6th	1978/79	3	84	Brett McGregor	2nd	1984/85	6
35	Doug Higginson	6th	1978/79	3	85	Brian Kearney	2nd	1984/85	7
36	Jack Gregn	6th	1978/79	3	86	Andrew Randles	2nd	1984/85	9
37	Rob Adair	6th	1978/79	5	87	Hamish Ch'ng	2nd	1984/85	9
38	Mike Higginson	6th	1978/79	5	88	Hedley Skehan	2nd	1984/85	10
39	Geoff Johnson	6th	1978/79	5	89	Bradley Gandy	2nd	1984/85	11
40	William Ellis	6th	1978/79	6	90	Terry Clark	3rd	1985/86	1
41	D O'Brien	6th	1978/79	7	91	Brad Douglas	3rd	1985/86	2
42	Andrew Johnson	6th	1978/79	8	92	Paul Linehan	3rd	1985/86	2
43	Anthony Hewitt	6th	1978/79	8	93	Trevor Goddard	3rd	1985/86	6
44	George Prince	5th	1979/80	1	94	Ron Goddard	3rd	1985/86	7
45	Rolf Mulder	5th	1979/80	1	95	Phil Holman	3rd	1985/86	10
46	Steve Luff	5th	1979/80	1	96	Robert White	3rd	1985/86	10
47	Aidan Higgins	5th	1979/80	5	97	Tim Downey	3rd	1985/86	11
48	Peter McLean	5th	1979/80	5	98	Ray Alberts	3rd	1985/86	11
49	Anthony Dolin	5th	1979/80	6	99	Pat O'Dwyer	3rd	1985/86	11
50	Kevin Kelly	5th	1979/80	6	100	Peter Spencer	3rd	1986/87	1



Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round	Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round
101	Glen Spencer	3rd	1986/87	2	151	Grant Morrissey	1st	1997/98	9
102	Paul Brooks	2nd	1987/88	1	152	Graham Cashin	1st	1998/99	1
103	Dave McIlwraith	2nd	1987/88	2	153	Justin Crowder	1st	1998/99	1
104	John Wright	1st	1988/89	1	154	Steve Laden	1st	1998/99	1
105	Eddie Rigg	1st	1988/89	1	155	Simon Luckhurst	1st	1998/99	4
106	Sam Hume	1st	1989/90	1	156	Mark Hullett	1st	1998/99	7
107	Doug Stirling	1st	1989/90	4	157	Greg Brautigam	1st	1998/99	10
108	Paul Foley	1st	1990/91	2	158	Wayne Ritzema	1st	1999/00	1
109	Phil Keukelaar	1st	1990/91	4	159	Brendon Crowder	1st	1999/00	1
110	Matthew Rigg	1st	1990/91	7	160	Richard Kenway	1st	1999/00	3
111	Russell Kingdon	1st	1990/91	10	161	Ben Warne	1st	1999/00	3
112	John Scarff	1st	1990/91	10	162	Anthony Barranca	1st	2000/01	1
113	Allan Williamson	1st	1990/91	11	163	Chris Mole	1st	2000/01	1
114	Michael Kapiteyn	2nd	1991/92	1	164	Justin May	1st	2000/01	1
115	Simon Shalders	2nd	1991/92	1	165	Nick Edwards	1st	2000/01	3
116	Brad Favas	2nd	1991/92	1	166	Tom Mole	1st	2000/01	4
117	Rocky Musolino	2nd	1991/92	2	167	Crispian Marcar	1st	2001/02	1
118	Robert Mulroney	2nd	1991/92	2	168	Steve Tomlinson	1st	2001/02	1
119	Kim Stammers	2nd	1991/92	9	169	Matthew Bullbeck	1st	2001/02	7
120	Brad Weir	2nd	1991/92	9	170	Ramon Fletcher	1st	2001/02	SF
121	Alastair Field	2nd	1991/92	10	171	Derek Kenway	1st	2002/03	1
122	Richard Lynch	2nd	1992/93	1	172	Paul Holtham	1st	2002/03	1
123	Greg Oldfield	2nd	1992/93	1	173	Andrew Walton	1st	2002/03	4
124	Damian O'Hara	2nd	1992/93	3	174	Anthony Brennan	1st	2002/03	5
125	Lee McIntosh	2nd	1992/93	3	175	Mark Davies	1st	2002/03	7
126	Matt Halliday	2nd	1992/93	9	176	James Ashford-Brown	1st	2002/03	11
127	Jeff Wootton	2nd	1992/93	9	177	James Hibberd	1st	2003/04	2
128	Rod Littlejohn	1st	1993/94	1	178	Darren Monument	1st	2003/04	4
129	Mike Broadbridge	1st	1993/94	2	179	Paul Barber	1st	2004/05	1
130	John Slater	1st	1993/94	2	180	James Farmer	1st	2004/05	1
131	Paul Broadbridge	1st	1993/94	4	181	Lee Carr	1st	2004/05	2
132	Lee Monument	1st	1993/94	9	182	Adrian Hackett	1st	2004/05	7
133	Brian Bilton	1st	1994/95	1	183	Leigh Petherick	1st	2005/06	1
134	Troy Kinnane	1st	1994/95	1	184	Ben Cadd	1st	2005/06	1
135	Ian Williamson	1st	1994/95	5	185	Tim Miles	1st	2005/06	1
136	Gordon Webster	1st	1994/95	6	186	Glen Read	1st	2005/06	1
137	Kevin Miles	1st	1995/96	1	187	Andrew Stampalia	1st	2005/06	4
138	Bryan Seymour	1st	1995/96	1	188	Chris Teede	1st	2005/06	5
139	Cameron Stirling	1st	1995/96	1	189	Michael Baer	1st	2005/06	6
140	Steven Geldenhuys	1st	1995/96	2	190	Nathan Petherick	1st	2006/07	1
141	Peter Godau	1st	1995/96	5	191	Dan Conway	1st	2006/07	1
142	Peter Jordan	1st	1995/96	7	192	Chade Steenholdt	1st	2006/07	1
143	John McGuire	1st	1996/97	1	193	Callum Pilcher	1st	2006/07	1
144	Duncan Collie	1st	1996/97	1	194	Anmol Bedi	1st	2006/07	1
145	Gerard Marquis	1st	1996/97	2	195	Chris Chellew	1st	2006/07	2
146	Grant Newport	1st	1996/97	3	196	Alan Utterson	1st	2006/07	3
147	Troy Cawthorn	1st	1996/97	7	197	Lewis Richards	1st	2006/07	3
148	Jamie Goddard	1st	1997/98	3	198	David Scheffer	1st	2006/07	4
149	Mark Darlington	1st	1997/98	3	199	Subajan Sivandran	1st	2006/07	4
150	Jeff Orchard	1st	1997/98	4	200	Carrington Shepherd	1st	2006/07	5

Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round	Number	Name	Grade	Year	Round
201	Mayuran Sivapalan	1st	2006/07	6	251	Visura Fernando	1st	2014/15	9
202	Jack Conway	2nd	2007/08	1	252	James Cubbage	2nd	2015/16	1
203	Mark Hager	2nd	2007/08	6	253	Jarrod Aspinall	2nd	2015/16	1
204	Kale Watkins	2nd	2007/08	9	254	Jamie Stackpole	2nd	2015/16	1
205	Anthony Moffitt	2nd	2007/08	10	255	Jack Joy	2nd	2015/16	1
206	Scott Curren	2nd	2007/08	10	256	Jayden Gaudieri	2nd	2015/16	1
207	Brad Rodden	1st	2008/09	1	257	Ishfaq Khan	2nd	2015/16	1
208	Tim McCormick	1st	2008/09	1	258	Rao Zafar	2nd	2015/16	2
209	Scott Jackson	1st	2008/09	3	259	Wade McKay	2nd	2015/16	4
210	Joseph Jeevaraj	1st	2008/09	4	260	Elliot Hawkins	2nd	2015/16	6
211	Darren Clarke	1st	2008/09	8	261	Ryan Covey	2nd	2015/16	9
212	Deccan Schembri	1st	2008/09	9	262	Yahya Ali	2nd	2016/17	2
213	Andrew Shakespeare	1st	2009/10	2	263	Christopher Jones	2nd	2016/17	2
214	Jarrad Gardner	1st	2010/11	1	264	Mitchell Hogan	2nd	2016/17	2
215	Jak Martin	1st	2010/11	1	265	Daniel Bonasera	2nd	2016/17	2
216	Ben Mustard	1st	2010/11	1	266	Ashley Griffin	2nd	2016/17	2
217	Binuk Kodituwakku	1st	2010/11	1	267	Sheamus Byrne	2nd	2016/17	5
218	Christopher S Cooper	1st	2010/11	1	268	Will Dagg	2nd	2016/17	12
219	Chandana Pushpalal	1st	2010/11	4	269	Josh Petersen	1st	2017/18	1
220	Benjamin Ireland	1st	2010/11	8	270	Brendan Cusick	1st	2017/18	1
221	Campbell Ince	1st	2010/11	9	271	Robbie Montgomery	1st	2017/18	1
222	Ben Christie	1st	2011/12	1	272	Cameron Burrage	1st	2017/18	3
223	Sam Dutton	1st	2011/12	1	273	Daniel Baker	1st	2017/18	5
224	Jason Hunt	1st	2011/12	1	274	Mark Coso	1st	2017/18	7
225	Stuart Lobb	1st	2011/12	1	275	Joel Davies	1st	2017/18	7
226	Elijah Turriff-Smith	1st	2011/12	2	276	Brayden Meyers	1st	2017/18	7
227	Nick Noel	1st	2011/12	8	277	Ryan Christie	1st	2017/18	7
228	Dane McBride	1st	2012/13	1	278	Ryan Jarvis	1st	2017/18	13
229	Luc Durandt	1st	2012/13	1	279	Aiden Griggs	1st	2018/19	1
230	Quirjin Gunning	1st	2012/13	1	280	Dylan Smith	1st	2018/19	1
231	Jeremy Tosswill	1st	2012/13	2	281	Matt Edwards	1st	2018/19	1
232	James Hawksley	1st	2012/13	3	282	Ashley Forde	1st	2018/19	1
233	Jake Forsyth	1st	2012/13	7	283	Elliot Ireland	1st	2018/19	5
234	Ben Solomon	1st	2012/13	SF	284	James Courtney-Bennett	1st	2018/19	12
235	Adam Bartholomew	1st	2013/14	1	285	Shaun Byrne	1st	2018/19	12
236	Lachlan Hogg	1st	2013/14	4					
237	Ashley Lovick	1st	2013/14	4					
238	Sean Adam	1st	2013/14	7					
239	Shaban Ahmed	1st	2013/14	9					
240	Waqas Mehdi	1st	2013/14	10					
241	Idhar Kalzee	1st	2014/15	1					
242	Pranav Kush	1st	2014/15	1					
243	Dan Clouting	1st	2014/15	2					
244	Bobby Banerjee	1st	2014/15	3					
245	Awais Mehdi	1st	2014/15	3					
246	Shohan Bowala	1st	2014/15	5					
247	Simon Shub	1st	2014/15	5					
248	Steve Matthews	1st	2014/15	7					
249	Adam Palumbo	1st	2014/15	7					
250	Jason Markwart	1st	2014/15	7					

### 1st XI—1st Grade

The team was lead by Robbie Montgomery but was replaced by Chris Cooper during the season. During the 2018/2019 season, the 1st XI looked to build on last summer's success and consolidate itself as a strong contender in the 1<sup>st</sup> grade competition.

The squad was boosted with a few new faces and the club welcomed Aidan Griggs, Dylan Smith and Ashley Forde into the squad who provided very handy batting and bowling options.

The side unfortunately lost the services of Yahya Ali and Awais Mehdi who transferred to Bentley. The club would like to take the opportunity to thank Yahya and Awais for their services and notes they were integral in the club's recent successes and promotion back into 1<sup>st</sup> grade. Special thanks to John Stone and Kylie Bain for their fantastic support and assistance throughout the year. Chris Cooper played his 150th Game for the club.

Best & Fairest The Robert Pulley Award

Ashley Forde

Batting Award

Daniel Baker

Bowling Award

Ashley Forde

### 2nd XI—3rd Grade

Coming into 2019 we were expecting to have another big year after two consecutive grand final appearances and moving up two grades. However after losing some of the core members that have structures the team in the last few seasons, we knew it was going to be more of an uphill battle. But to our credit we fought hard every week and found ourselves in winning positions in most games.

Best & Fairest

Shaun Byrne

Batting Award

James Courtney-Bennett

Bowling Award

Sheamus Byrne



Shaun Byrne coming into to bowl at Bert Jeffrey Park

### 3rd XI—5th Grade

The 2018/19 5th Grade season was some of the most fun I've ever had playing sport.

With 13 players starting their first year at Applecross and an average age of about 20, there was a chance my first year as captain was going to be a tough one. Instead, we had a fantastic year where everyone stood up at different points and we finished the season in 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

All of the clubs future stars showed their potential with highlights of Ian Cooper's 146\* and 147\*, Eddie Swan's 140, Seb Woods chanceless 77\*, Callum Kay's game saving 48 and Lachy Kay's refusal to bowl away from a good line and length, as well as current stars and relative old boys Jack Barendse and Chris "Mad "Mark Hullett Medal Winner" Dog" Thomas making consistent contributions.

Unfortunately we were on the wrong side of a brilliant Semi Final, having our score of 244 - lead by Ian's 147\* - chased down with 3 overs to go, but the experience was invaluable a young side who are hungrier than ever to get some felt.



Best & Fairest                      Ian Cooper and

Chris Thomas

Batting Award                      Ian Cooper

Bowling Award                      James Birbeck

Ian Cooper and Peter Jordan following their 5<sup>th</sup> grade record 5<sup>th</sup> wicket partnership of 195\* against Tuart Hill

### 4th XI—7th Grade

The 4<sup>th</sup> XI started the season with a mixture of youth and experience and a last minute change to the Vice Captaincy with Steven Aspinall injured and not available, Dylan Frearson stepped into the role and as the season progressed he was really helpful and assisted in leading the team.

We started the season with a last ball win against Tuart Hill, Liam Whipp with the winning runs followed with a "ride of the bull" Adam Hankin and Michael Matthews partnership of 80 in that game was crucial.

7 changes the next week really didn't help us in a loss to Curtin Vic Park but the highlight was Joshua Dawson's 70 and he was unfortunately run out. Liam Whipp again starring with 5 wickets.

Round 3 saw another 5 wicket haul from Liam Whipp against Western Suburbs. 66\* from Conor Hutton and that man again Liam Whipp hitting the winning runs. A 62 run partnership between Hutton and Connell essential to the teams win.

Round 4 saw us play old rivals Fremantle Mosman-Park, a pretty demoralizing loss here. They made 193 and we were skittled for 64. Conor Hutton with his first 5 wicket haul with 5/20.

Whitfords was next for us and with Hanks as 11B, I really wanted to bowl. I lost the toss and sent us in to bat. We made 8/248 with Joshua Dawson making his 1<sup>st</sup> ACC hundred scoring 128. He and Michael Matthews partnership of 103 was a joy to watch. With the ball everyone chipped in with either 1 or 2 wickets.

A loss to Bentley was next and apart from Conor Hutton's 2<sup>nd</sup> 5 wicket haul there wasn't much to talk about in this game. Young Sam Nancarrow and Nick Edwards put on 55 for the last wicket. Conor was running for Nico as he rolled his ankle bowling. Elliot Hawkins bowled exceptionally well taking 2/14 off 8 overs.



The first game after Christmas break was a tough and emotional day for the side. We wore our black armbands in respect of Sam Nancarrow's fathers passing. This game also featured the ACC returns of Pep Bonasera, Jarrod Aspinall and Liam McGarrigal (from injury). Michael Matthews opened the batting for the first time and made 65. Pep made 46 and a quick fire 40 from McGarrigal got us to a very good score of 8/220. McGarrigal then took 4/30 off his 8 overs. JA took 4 catches and we bowled them out for 193.

Next up we went back to Bentley looking for a much better performance than earlier in the season. We started really well having them 7/44 with Ryan Rollason on debut for ACC with a 5 wicket haul backed up by Liam Whipp with 4 wickets. We ended up bowling them out for 154. The story of day 1 of this game was Adam Hankin. Hanks was 11A, we finished the day 0-162 off 25 overs, with Hanks retired not out on 132.

Another match highlight was Scott Townson's exciting 48. His highest score ever.

The last round of the season was a disappointing performance against Tuart Hill. Josh Dawson top scored with 38 and we were bowled out for 133. They chased it down 3 down. Sam McNamara was unlucky not to get a wicket but was the pick of the bowlers that day.

We turned up on the Sunday with belief that with our bowling lineup we could defend the total. Enter Stuart Kaschula, 7/40 off 21.5 overs including the final wicket, he was sensational. Really well back up by Steven Aspinall (2/21 off 19) and Ryan Rollason (1/16 off 17) and the felt was ours!

It was an honor to captain this group of lads during the season, we worked really hard to improve and we did.

#### **Semi Final Vs Curtin Vic Park**

They won the toss and elected to bat. We bowled and fielded really well for the first 2 sessions. At 4/102 I brought myself on and they were bowled out for 126. Captain Matt Scales with 5/8 off 8.3 overs. We started well in the run chase but kept losing wickets at inopportune times. Dylan Frearson top scored with a delightful 33. At 8/120 still needing 7 runs to win enter Captain Scales. Hit the winning runs and then they made us keep playing so we finished all out for 157.

#### **Grand Final Vs Fremantle Mosman Park @ Gil Fraser Reserve.**

I won the toss and elected to bat, an hour later we were 5-42. Richie Connell and Ryan Rollason then dug in and worked really hard for the next 2 hours and put on 42. Some quick lower order runs from Nick Edwards got the team up to a defendable 113 off 61 overs.

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Best & Fairest	Michael Matthews and Liam Whipp
Batting Award	Joshua Dawson
Bowling Award	Liam Whipp



#### **7<sup>th</sup> Grade Premiers**

**Back Row (L-R):** Richie Connell, Michael Matthews, Liam Whipp, Dylan Frearson, Stuart Kaschula, Steve Aspinall, Ryan Rollason

**Front Row (L-R):** Conor Hutton, Nick Edwards, Sam McNamara, Matt Scales (c), Josh Dawson

### 5th XI—8th Grade

The 5<sup>th</sup> XI moved up from One Day 3s to two day cricket in 8<sup>th</sup> grade – which was essentially the old 10<sup>th</sup> grade after the competition restructure. I must say the standard of competition was better than I expected with some of the batting of other teams fairly impressive for this grade and the bowling more accurate than I imagined. A big thanks to Sam Kershaw and Emily Ballantyne for filling in for a few games, who became the first women to play in the men's sides and both performed really well, with Sammy taking 3 wickets and Emily one. Sammy also hit a 4 off her first ball faced. Emily was probably the best ground fielder in the team. So thanks girls you two were brilliant.

I think it was a season of missed opportunities as we let many winnable games slip in the first half of the year. We started by beating eventual premier Subiaco Marist in round 1, but went on to lose the next 5 games, 4 of which we were in really strong positions – either dropped catches or

Best & Fairest	James Dockery	an untimely batting collapse costing us victory.
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Batting Award	Tristram Fletcher
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Bowling Award	James Dockery
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Emily Ballantyne and Sam Kershaw making history at the ACC at Winthrop Park.

### 6th XI—One Day Team

Season 2018/2019 started similarly to the previous season, with great promise.

We won three out of our first four games, two of those victories being against eventual finalists Curtin Vic Park Cricket Club and perennial finalists Murdoch University Melville.

The victories against Curtin Vic Park and Murdoch Melville came on the back of some good bowling where we contained them to 145 and 141 respectively. Likewise we bowled Tuart Hill out for 135.

Unfortunately after that time we struggled to contain sides and our batting was inconsistent. We struggled to hit the required par scores of 200 and even on the occasions when we did we still seemed to get smashed.

Best & Fairest	Angus Castley
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Batting Award	Angus Castley
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Bowling Award	Anthony Brennan
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### Richard Campbells 200<sup>th</sup> Game

**L-R:** John Eade, Damian O'Hara, Jamie Pursell, Adrian Hackett, Bruce Calder, Richard Campbell, Matt Campbell, Robbie Wilton, Rhys Jenkins, Darren Monument, Angus Castley, Doug Stirling

### **7th XI—Twenty20 Division 1**

In a short season the Div. 1 boys got off to a flier beating rival Bentley by 6 wickets which was the perfect start to the campaign and ultimately got us into finals with a bit of a percentage boost. Brendan Cusick 48\* and Matt Edwards 58\* in an unbroken 79 run stand got us over the line after Will Dagg's 2/22 helped us restrict Bentley to 125 for 5.

Next up we took on Murdoch Uni Melville and in a dramatic finish the match was tied. A club record 71 run stand between Dan Baker and Eddie Swan for the 6<sup>th</sup> wicket saw us post a competitive target of 6/132 before Ash 'DJ Profits' Forde took 3/23 and Daggy 2/15 to salvage a tie, knocking Murdoch out of the finals.

The last regular season game was a bit of a struggle on Bert with only Josh Petersen 58 not out making a notable contribution with the bat as we scored an under par 7/123. Curtin Vic Park looked like they were going to comfortably chase it down, but DJ Profits made them earn it, taking 3/19, but it wasn't enough as they passed with 4 wickets in hand and an over to spare.

In the Quarter Final we played Subiaco Marist who bowled tightly to restrict us to 8/104 with Daggy top scoring with 37 not out. It proved well under par as they passed the score two down with six overs to spare.

Whilst we improved on last years performance, making finals in T20 Div. 1 for the first time, we can no doubt build on this next year and get further in the finals.

Best & Fairest The Robert Pulley Award

Will Dagg

### **8th XI—Twenty20 Division 2**

So after a massive first season where we were lucky enough to win the competition all the lads were really keen to go again, Unfortunately we lost a hard fought semi final against Balcatta.

The best and fairest went to Yarbs. He was consistent all season without starring. Pep would probably have won the thing if he didn't miss one game. Also Shubbs bowling and Stu Kash at the death were also amazing all season. Conor and Richie did really good things too.

**Highest Team Score for Applecross** was 6/177 vs Tuart Hill

Best & Fairest

James Birbeck

### 9th XI—Colts

The 2018/19 Colts season was set up to be very successful early doors, with some extremely talented young cricketers amongst the group. The likes of Daniel Baker, Will Dagg, Shaun Byrne, Matt Edwards & James Courtney-Bennett all playing 1st Grade at some point during the season. Proud to say the club is and will be in good hands going into the future, with such strong and raw talent within this young group to be very successful as individuals, but also as team mates.

After a very successful colts campaign from the past 2 seasons, winning 1 flag and just missing out on finals last season, even though there were some stellar performances across the board last season. All players and especially the likes of the eldest boys of the group were hunting a flag as it would be the last season of colts for them. I can proudly say the dedication by all boys to get to training, accountability to use up their Sundays to represent Applecross was phenomenal and their efforts were shown in results on a weekend, and resulting with winning the flag this season.

The team shows a lot of character and a lot of values that a club should be looking for. To not only have the respect towards others in the team, but from other clubs also. Noting, that South Perth were the rival side this season, having losing to them in a fixtured game by 1 run, then winning the grand final against them and winning by 1 run as well. The boys showed true sportsmanship, representing our club with pride and a good attitude, which shows as well by comfortably being able to celebrate a grand final win with the opposition with a few frothies.

Been an absolute privilege leading the boys this year, unfortunately missing out on the grand final due to injury. It was unreal to see our boys go through and win the competition.

Best & Fairest The Robert Pulley Award

Will Dagg

Will Dagg in the grand final made 41 with the bat, took 4/11 off 4 overs with the ball, to help the Colts win by 1 run.



**Back Row (L-R)** Lachie Kay, Seb Woods, Will Dagg, Dan Baker (c), Eddie Swan, James Courtney-Bennett, Shaun Byrne

**Front Row (L-R)** Callum Kay, Ryan Rollason, Matt Edwards, Elliot Ireland, Adam Hankin, Nic Frenis



## Women's Pink

The Summer league of 2018/2019 faced us with some big battles for this season. We ended the last season with our star player Wendy Booth tearing her ACL which cost us critical team strength. Coming into the season we also had the lovely Tegan marry Jack Barendse, which saw her out preparing her amazing day, we also lost a few others to injury and Tennis championships. Shortly after we gained a few new players to the team, with the likes of Charlotte Connon who is a great batter which really helped our batting depth, along with opening partner Kathleen Land who is the sister of Reds star player Kelly Land. Charlotte and Kathleen have been two valued and great additions to the women's side. A short time later we were blessed with two new young emerging players of the likes of Ashleigh Appleyard, sister of our strong batter Hannah Appleyard, and Ashleigh Laird who both came in with great attitudes and a go getter spirit!

One of our players who in particular deserves some recognition is Rachael Morgan, since joining the women at Applecross she has come leaps and bounds. Rach attends every session, giving 100% commitment and her skill level has just progressed so much. I can't wait to see her come back in the 2019 season and smash some boundaries!

Every player in our team has come so far from their first game, the skill level is adapting and changing every week. We are all equally committed and we love this game and the spirit we have for each other. Our season may not have ended the way we would have liked, but with the injuries, family commitments and other sporting commitments I was faced with as captain, I feel that we couldn't have stuck together any better if we tried. We gave it our all and drained the tanks in the semi-final against Perth and that is all I could ask for with the team.

Best & Fairest	Charlotte Connon
Batting Award	Hannah Appleyard
Bowling Award	Sam Kershaw



Top (L-R): Tegan Barendse, Charlotte Connon, Amy Townson, Kathleen Land, Kate Clarke

Bottom (L-R): Rachael Morgan, Ashleigh Laird, Sam Kershaw (c), Ashleigh Appleyard

Missing: Hannah Appleyard, Wendy Booth, Rebecca Has, Emily Ballantyne,

## Women's Red

The Summer league of 2018/2019 welcomed a number of new players to the Applecross Red side. Jess Brynes, Kelly McKay, Cassie MacKenzie, Laura Carabetta, Krittika Divadkar and Shay Johnson greatly strengthened our side finishing the season 5 and 3. As a team, we continued to grow and develop under the leadership of Hannah Innes and Victoria Matthews with the support of a number of ACC members to encourage participation in women's cricket.

We commenced the first game against new comers Kardinya Lakes. The team worked well together to defeat Kardinya and saw some very impressive performances from MacKenzie and Brynes who scored 29 and 26 not out respectively. Divadkar also had a successful day taking 2 wickets. We then faced ACC Pink who took the win on the day. The game was played in good spirits and each side showed great potential. ACC's Red player Victoria Matthews had a great day bowling 2/1 alongside Divadkar who bowled 2/9.

Red continued to improve as a team and finished off the remainder of the season 4-1. There were some impressive batting performances from Cassie MacKenzie scoring a high of 29\*, Kelly McKay scoring 32\*, Hannah Innes scoring 44\* and Jess Brynes scoring 38\*. We saw some fantastic bowling from Divadkar, Villips, Allen, Land and MacKenzie who were our leading wicket takers. A special mention to Kate Goldie, Kelly Land and Kelly McKay who all kept like champions throughout the season. Shay Johnson joined our side mid-way through the season and greatly improved with every game. She was a valuable fielder for the Red side.

Coming into the latter end of the season, ACC Red said farewell to star bowlers Allen and Divadkar who moved interstate. They were greatly missed by the Red team. Nonetheless, we entered finals feeling strong and finishing on top of the ladder. This meant we secured a seat in the grand final coming up against Perth Cricket Club. On the day, we were missing 2 strong players – Brynes and Divadkar. This was a great loss to our team but we gave it our best on the day. Red saw some great batting performances from Innes and MacKenzie scoring 43\* and 25 respectively. A special mention to Red's Kate Goldie who scored her first 4 on the big day. Villips had a very successful day, taking 2 wickets alongside S Johnson who took 1 wicket. It was a very good team performance, but Perth CC were the better side on the day. The ladies played with class and held their heads high.

Overall, Red finished the season off well improving week by week. We are looking forward to another season ahead and hoping we can go one extra to bring home the flag for the club!

Best & Fairest                  Cassie MacKenzie

Batting Award                  Hannah Innes

Bowling Award                  Krittika Divadkar



Back Row (L-R) Victoria Matthews, Cassie MacKenzie, Kelly McKay, Lizzie Vilips, Kelly Land  
Front Row (L-R) Hannah Innes, Laura Carabetta, Kate Goldie, Shaylyn Johnson