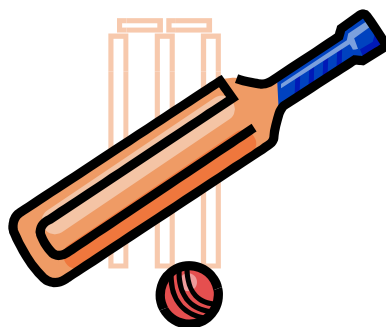


BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

SENIOR PRESENTATION DAY SEASON 2003/04

Saturday 29th May 2004



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To all players, family members and friends,

Season 2003/04 was undoubtedly the most successful season in the Club's history.

Starting from Grass-roots, our juniors excelled, with the Under 16's taking out BPCC maiden Junior Premiership title. Our Under 10's, were easily the benchmark side in the competition, though under the new rules, there's no competition ladder as such. The Under 11's missed out on the finals, with Mother Nature not helping out through the season. The Under 12's missed the finals by a whisker, while the Under 13's did make the semi finals, but unfortunately didn't progress to the final.

With the seniors, all but 3rd Grade made the finals, with 2nd and 5th Grade making the step to the Final. 5th Grade was unlucky on the day, while 2nd Grade won the Premiership in great style against North Richmond.

With BPCC winning in our senior teams in both the Junior and Senior competitions shows we are a true force in the district and shows we have a great future.

Like years gone and what we have planned for next season, BPCC had a great social presence within the Club. Firstly with the Trivia Nights, hosted for the first time by Danny, Duane and John, who did a great job, made it an extremely fun night for all that attended and helped raise the funds required for the Club.

The Super-8's was also another success story. We have a huge attendance with a lot of fun, plenty of wickets and plenty of runs scored. Shane Pollards 5th Grade took the title out this year.

I'm sure you'll find this year book very interesting while you compare your statistics against everybody else's, not only from this year, but from years gone by. We do still have some missing information. If anyone can provide information to fill the gaps, it will be greatly appreciated.

Like any sporting clubs, it takes a great deal of time and effort from many people to make it all happen. The following deserve a big Thank You:

- The Captains, scorers, parents, other relatives and team staff who help out with the day to day functions of each team
- Every player who played to the true spirit of the game.
- Our sponsors – who without them would make it impossible to run a sporting club
- To the Committee who's valued input has directed the club to where it is today and where it's going in the future. This includes everybody who has helped in the operations of the club, such as registrations, canteen and ground duties, regardless who has been playing.

As tonight concludes this season, we are all eagerly awaiting season 2004/05. With even further growth predicted, BPCC can only get stronger and the players and teams get better. Have a fun off-season and we'll see you next season!

Regards,
Ray Bremner
President
Bligh Park Cricket Club

Senior Club Trophies

Senior Point Score: <i>“Clubman of the Year”</i>	Matt Herbert – 899
Bounty Award – Most Dismissals:	Scott Blackwood – 21
Gwen Hawkes Trophy: <i>“Service to B.P.C.C.”</i>	Shane Pollard
Team Challenge Shield: <i>“Super 8’s”</i>	5TH Grade
Stephen Thompson Memorial Shield: <i>“Spirit of Cricket Award”</i>	Stephen Thompson
Fred Knox Trophy: wickets <i>“Most wickets, Seniors”</i>	Wayne Sargent – 44
Most Runs, Junior or Senior: Reyden <i>“Most runs in an innings”</i>	Michael Van der

2nd Grade Honour List

PREMIERS

Point Score:	Daniel Apps - 629
Batting Average:	John Fressard – 30.88
Batting Aggregate:	Daniel Apps - 404
Bowling Average:	Terry Whitney – 15.24
Bowling Aggregate:	Terry Whitney - 21
Most Catches (fielding):	Daniel Apps - 12
Most Keeping Dismissals:	John Fressard – 10

Milestones

100's:	John Fressard – 106
5 wickets:	Nil
Hat tricks:	Nil

2ND Grade – Season in Review

Season 03/04 was a varied year for the 2nd grade team, with a few new faces to the club and some old ones who just continue to hang around.....(and tear up their whites and somehow retire every year and still be the first to register the next season).

The year started off well with two outright wins which put us in first place. From that point on, nothing went our way. The weather rained on the days when we were looking like winning, and when we needed Mother Nature to intervene it was close to 40 degree's.

Heading into the last few games, our chances for making the finals grew thinner than my hair.... It came down to the last game of the season, which without much of a surprise, we lost. This left us dependant on the result of another game, and something happened that was not supposed too.. Luck went our way..

Nothing to lose...

4th place and in the finals. To some, this might seem a daunting situation, but to the mighty BPCC 2nd grade, it was the opportunity to prove to our critics from season 01/02 when we won the final by default, that we were more than deserving of our crown. As luck would have it, we were up against the same foes from the 01/02 final. The 03/04 semi-final was the match that had both teams playing for more than a final's birth, we were playing for pride.

BPCC were sent in to bat and left the scorers with plenty of ink left in the pen, having been bowled out for 103 in the most crucial game of the season. With Pitt Town on a high, they started their innings in a natural scoring manner and ended the day with everything but the win on 2 for 69...

As you can imagine, the Clarendon Tavern seen the boys down a few as the season was looking like it was going to end very early the next morning. Fate, it seems, had other ideas. Sunday morning came around and with the game seemingly lost, BPCC had nothing to lose. The 3rd wicket fell when the score was 79, leaving the minor premiers 24 runs left to get with 7 wickets in hand. The next hour was some of the toughest cricket we have ever played.

Pitt Town choked on their confidence and fell 2 runs short of victory for 101. BPCC had won the first innings and had done what had seemed to be impossible. The rest of the day ended up fizzling out with the weather which seen the underdogs secure their place in the 2nd grade final for season 03/04.

(2nd Grade Season in review cont.)

For anyone who witnessed the final, all that can be said is that it was the best performance BPCC had ever put on to a cricket field, and I am willing to argue that with anyone. We bowled and fielded like a true champion side. In demoralising fashion, we knocked over North Richmond for 127, and unlike Pitt Town, we chased the total in net practise fashion as the openers smashed their way to score 79 between them. Up until this point, I must admit, I would have thought the best cricket we played all year was done at the Clarendon Tavern on Saturday nights.

Replying with 287, we had combined as a complete batting unit for the first time all season and had more than doubled the asking total set the previous day. North Richmond had nothing to lose, took up the unlikely task of attempting an outright turn-around. This proved in vain, as North Richmond scraped over the mark by 16 runs and left us with 17 runs to complete an outright smashing in the 03/04 2nd Grade final.

The rest is inscribed on our Premiership trophy..

At this point I'd like to thank the Clarendon Tavern for providing a place to mourn our losses and celebrate our lucky wins, which funnily enough turned into thrashings after a few golden strokes...

Being my first year as a captain of a side (other than indoor), I received an abundance of support from my peers and those old blokes that made up numbers, I thank you.

And last but not least, I'd like to thank Ray Bremner, for what I don't know, just for being Ray Bremner... Thanks Ray...

Regards,

Danny Apps
BPCC 2nd Grade '*Premiership*' Captain

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
2nd GRADE AVERAGES

NAME	BATTING						BOWLING					FIELDING			Points
	Mtchs	Inns	NO	HS	Runs	Average	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Average	Ct (F)	Ct (W/K)	Stpd	
Daniel Apps	14	16	1	71	404	26.93	29		122	5	24.40	12	1	1	629
Luke Roberts	12	13	1	63	301	25.08	90		341	14	24.36	6			571
Craig Shepherd	13	14	1	69	281	21.62	85		313	18	17.39	2			571
John Fressard	12	13	5	106	247	30.88	4		11	2	5.50	5	10		477
Troy Armstrong	9	8	0	65	189	23.63	96		305	13	23.46	3			414
Terry Whitney	12	10	3	14	40	5.71	90		320	21	15.24	3			385
Michael Boyle	11	11	1	35	122	12.20	64.1		294	14	21.00	5			382
Billy Visocchi	12	12	1	63	243	22.09	50		220	9	24.44				378
David Lloyd	13	15	2	25	142	10.92	0		0	0	N/A	7			212
Ron Airey	8	8	2	19	67	11.17	42		183	6	30.50	1			167
Robert Bucksath	9	8	1	22	76	10.86	22		105	4	26.25	3			166
Ben George	3	3	1	7	16	8.00	21		76	4	19.00	3			106
Scott Fairburn	5	5	1	19	47	11.75	16		59	2	29.50	1			87
Josh Larnach	7	8	0	11	30	3.75	0		0	0	N/A	1	3		85
Trent Hawkett	3	3	0	23	38	12.67	0		0	0	N/A	1	1	1	78
Mitchell Regan	1	1	0	10	10	10.00	6		31	1	31.00				25

**BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
2nd GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS**

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99	Ian Toomsalu	629	Tim Twomey	44	Scott Fairburn	15.03	Scott Fairburn	34
99/00								
00/01								
01/02								
02/03	Luke Roberts	724	Daniel Apps	35.5	Ron Airey	19.4	Luke Roberts	25
03/04	Daniel Apps	629	John Fressard	30.88	Terry Whitney	15.24	Terry Whitney	21
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99			Tim Twomey	484	Tim Twomey	166	5th	
99/00								
00/01								
01/02								
02/03	John Fressard	22	Daniel Apps	462	Daniel Apps	116	5th	
03/04	John Fressard	15	Daniel Apps	404	John Fressard	106	Premiers	

3rd Grade Honour List

Point Score:	Joel Taylor - 759
Batting Average:	Stu Taylor – 27.00
Batting Aggregate:	John Bremner - 384
Bowling Average:	Joel Taylor – 18.93
Bowling Aggregate:	Joel Taylor - 28
Most Catches (fielding):	Joel Taylor - 12
Most Keeping Dismissals:	John Bremner - 13

Milestones

100's:	John Bremner – 121 Stu Taylor - 106
5 wickets:	Joel Taylor – 6/57 Abhinav Mathur – 5/34 Pete Gerisch – 5/15
Hat tricks:	Nil

3rd Grade - Season in Review

This was definitely a season that never was. We submitted the side for 4th grade, but with the falling out of Macquarie Towns, we were promoted up to 3rd grade based on our strength. I suppose that could be a nice compliment, but the facts were $\frac{3}{4}$ of the team were from the premiership winning 5th grade side from the season before, two were from 4th grade the season prior and another player did play 1st grade, but not for about 13 years or so..... Then it started falling apart. Before the season started, 4 players pulled out because of a variety of reasons.

After starting the first game, scoring 7(dec)/426 and then rolling Richmond for 228, with 8 players on the second day things looked extremely positive.

Losing more players, plus the high number of casual players in our side, we were stretch in our next couple of games (playing one day with 6 players) – but still being competitive.

Mother nature was not on our side this year either. One game we needed 1 wicket, another game chasing 150, us 1/60 and the other team short on numbers..... ..opportunities lost.

We then went through more player issues. Some players leaving after getting frustrated with our current situation of having 8 or 9 at every game, then us gaining players – who played only one or two games – the season never flowed.

We finished the season, just missing out of the finals.

Some positives were:

- Our bowlers having respectable figures, even though there were often only 6 in the field
- Our oppositions amazed we weren't in the finals as we were the best all round team in their opinions
- Our boys keeping their heads up, even with the week-in, week-out situation of player number issues.

I'd like to thank the following who did help big time:

- Mark Gerisch, who came up from 6th Grade, who were more certain to make the finals, to help us out.
- Players from other grades (generally 7th Grade) who helped out when numbers were needed.
- Duane James, who hates cricket, but loved being with the boys and helping out everytime we needed a player.
- Joel - for organising a great end of year trip. Next year – we have to keep Matty away from the fat chicks.
- Joel again – for helping our side become a part of H.D.C.A. history, being captain of our all out for 9 score....

Thanks again guys for a good year, even through all the troubles we had to go through. I'd like to thank the ones who stood strong and kept their heads up and kept playing as easy options could have been to simply quit or go elsewhere. Next year, we'll ensure we get 11 full time players on the field and win the comp again.

Regards,
John Bremner

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
3rd GRADE AVERAGES

NAME	BATTING						BOWLING						FIELDING			Points
	Mtchs	Inns	NO	HS	Runs	Average	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Average	Ct (F)	Ct (W/K)	Stpd		
Joel Taylor	15	15	3	37	219	18.25	107	6	530	28	18.93	12	0	0	759	
Abhinav Mathur	15	14	4	54	195	19.50	114	13	474	24	19.75	5	1	2	650	
John Bremner	15	17	1	121	384	24.00	5	0	24	2	12.00	2	9	4	629	
Stu Taylor	15	16	6	106	270	27.00	88	20	288	12	24.00	5	0	0	500	
Anothony Evans	13	15	0	55	262	17.47	6	1	21	0	N/A	0	8	2	412	
Scott Tuckerman	5	5	0	56	136	27.20	30	5	102	7	14.57	3	1	0	286	
Jarrold Larnach	5	4	0	53	54	13.50	54	5	229	14	16.36	2	0	0	284	
Jason Armstrong	4	4	2	90	154	77.00	13	0	74	3	24.67	1	0	0	209	
Mark Gerisch	15	13	1	20	126	10.50	32	3	129	13	9.92	5	0	0	371	
John Byrne	5	5	0	59	135	27.00	5	0	23	0	N/A	0	0	0	135	
Mark Knox	5	4	1	54	93	31.00	0	0	0	0	N/A	1	0	0	103	
Garry Alcorn	6	7	0	20	73	10.43	8	1	28	1	28.00	0	0	0	88	
Peter Gerisch	3	3	0	1	1	0.33	14	2	69	5	13.80	1	0	0	86	
Matt Ford	6	7	2	8	22	4.40	23	3	92	2	46.00	2	0	0	72	
Luke Mannell	3	3	0	25	49	16.33	20	3	66	1	66.00	0	0	0	64	
Duane James	5	4	1	10	15	5.00	1	0	5	1	5.00	2	0	0	50	
Matt Van der Reyden	4	3	1	5	10	5.00	8	1	26	1	26.00	2	0	0	45	

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB 3rd GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98	Ian Toomsala	1149	Ian Toomsala	59.91	Robert Dunn	19.23	Ian Toomsala	37
98/99	Scott Fairburn	945	Daniel Apps	41.58	Paul Airey	17.29	Terry Whitney	29
99/00	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
00/01	Ron Airey	701	Ron Airey	28.83	Scott Fairburn	12.52	Scott Fairburn	23
01/02	Scott Fairburn	818	Scott Fairburn	33.79	Luke Roberts	17.3	Michael Boyle	25
02/03	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
03/04	Joel Taylor	759	Stuart Taylor	27	Joel Taylor	18.93	Joel Taylor	28
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98	Bevan Smith	33	Ian Toomsala	719	Ian Toomsala	167	Premiers	
98/99	John Fressard	15	Daniel Apps	499	Daniel Apps	87	4th	
99/00	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
00/01	John Fressard	19	Ron Airey	346	John Morris	100	Runner up	
01/02	John Fressard	22	Daniel Apps	537	Scott Fairburn	122	Premiers	
02/03	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
03/04	Joel Taylor	12	John Bremner	384	John Bremner	121	6th	

**BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
4th GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS**

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98	Glenn O'neil	815	Glenn O'neil	29	Glenn O'neil	17.19	Glenn O'neil	27
98/99	Jason Stubbs	678	Phil Hunt	25.36	Jason Stubbs	16.06	Jason Stubbs	33
99/00	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
00/01	Jason Stubbs	821	Jason Stubbs	57.29	Wayne Sargent	12.55	D.VanderReyden,J.Stubbs	26
01/02	Aaron Perrin	966	Wayne Sargent	47.73	Aaron Perrin	16.9	Aaron Perrin	29
02/03	Abe Vella	768	Anthony Evans	30.8	Abhinav Mathur	17.8	Abe Vella	41
03/04	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score			
93/94								
94/95								
95/96					Ian Toomsala	208*		
96/97								
97/98	Bevan Smith	33	Glenn O'neil	435	Andrew Brazier	114		
98/99	David Hunt	17	Phil Hunt	279	Peter Miller	140	Runners Up	
99/00	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
00/01	Bevan Smith	9	Jason Stubbs	401	Jason Stubbs	124	2nd	
01/02	Brian Sargent	17	Wayne Sargent	525	Wayne Sargent	133	3rd	
02/03	Mark Ross	13	Anthony Evans	400	Shane Pollard	95	4th	
03/04	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	

5th Grade Honour List

Point Score:	Daniel Hamerlok - 734
Batting Average:	Daniel Hamerlok – 43.9
Batting Aggregate:	Daniel Hamerlok - 439
Bowling Average:	Nick Richardson – 11.24
Bowling Aggregate:	Nick Richardson - 33
Most Catches (fielding):	Shane Pollard - 13
Most Keeping Dismissals:	Bevan Smith - 9

Milestones

100's:	N/A
5 wickets:	Nick Richardson – 5/21 Nick Richardson – 5/10
Hat tricks:	Nick Richardson

5th Grade - Season Review 2003/04

After a while not captaining a team, I had the pleasure of looking after this seasons' Bligh Park 5th Grade.

At the start of the season, it would be fair to say that we were a team thrown together. We had players from other clubs and from various grades in the preceding season. To highlight this, I have included the club or BPCC grade each player played in last season, in the player profiles to follow.

The season was a frustrating one in that I knew we had a team capable of winning the competition, but for some inexplicable reason, we couldn't quite put a whole game together. We had fantastic individual performances like Nick Richardsons' hat trick, Danny Hamerloks' power hitting, Steve Magners' heroics in the Semi and Grand Final, Paul Cowleys' brilliant transition from 7th grade to 5th grade, etc, etc. For all of this, we couldn't seem to put it all together on a consistent basis.

Having said that, we accumulated enough points to scrape into the semis', with a powerful display against Pitt Town in the final round. The semi-final was played against Freemans Reach and turned out to be a true epic in which we needed to score over 240 to make the Grand Final. A gritty display by Paul Cowley and some lusty hitting by Steve Magner got us to the final game of the year.

The Grand Final against Riverstone started promisingly enough and we dismissed Riverstone for about 190. Unfortunately our batting fell apart and we were 7 for 50 at one stage. Thankfully, Steve Magner came in and blasted 66 runs in short time to give us a shot at an outright win. However, we were to be denied by some good resistance by the Riverstone batsmen. The highlight of the game was Steves' hitting and, as a result, he was awarded the Bradman medal by the umpires.

To wrap up, I would like to thank all the players for their contributions throughout the year. A special thanks to Bevan Smith for his advice and support as my Vice Captain. I would also like to thank Ben Pollard, Liam Ryan, Chris Gentles, Andrew Coull and Willie Chute for filling in at various stages throughout the year.

To me the greatest reward from this season is the enjoyment gained from playing the game with a wonderful team of players who go out there every week, have a go and enjoy themselves. Thanks guys, see you all next season.

Regards,
Shane Pollard

Player Profiles

Paul Cowley (Milhouse) – Played 7th grade BPCC

Paul came to us part way through the season as a fill-in for another player. We were so impressed by his ability, I approached Paul, and club, to keep him with us. Paul proved to be a pivotal player. He is an exceptionally good spin bowler and a very good middle to lower order bat. Has a quick wit, likes a drink and doesn't like North Richmond scorers. All good reasons to have him back next year.

Chris Evan (Chrisso) – Played BPCC 4th Grade

Chris played a small role in last seasons' 4th grade. This season I gave him more opportunity with the bat and ball and he accepted the challenge. At one stage Chris had a batting average in the eighties. Chris takes the award in the team for the best hair cut. At the start of the season he looked a bit like Crusty the Clown but ended up like Dr Evil after shaving his head for charity.

Danny Hamerlok (Dan, Danny) – Played Penrith Panthers

I had played with Danny in previous years and knew just how devastating he could be with both bat and ball. Danny tore apart some of the bowling attacks this year and his batting probably won us a few games. With the ball, Danny can be deadly. His speed was well up on almost anything else in the grade. Hopefully we can keep Danny graded sufficiently low enough for us to have him back next season.

Wayne Johnson (Johnno) – Played Mac Towns 4th Grade

Wayne started the season as our wicket keeper but didn't really have a good time of it. In fact Araldite wanted to sponsor an award for him this year. Johnno opened the batting and played some very good innings. Johnno also had a bowl and surprised us with a glimpse of his sheer pace off the long run. Provided good advice and thoughtful insights (just ask him which is the only word in the dictionary that doesn't echo).

Greg Lane (Pappa Smurf) – Played Nth Richmond 4th Grade

Greg came to us as a batsman from Northo. I remember him as a complete pain in the butt that we couldn't get out. Greg had a few good innings this year and would always do what was required for the team. Probably didn't excel with the bat as much he hoped. If only you could've transformed that net form into the games. Maybe next season.

Steve Magner (Smeggy) – Played BPCC 7th Grade

Steve can be one of the most damaging batsmen in the competition. He proved that in the Semi and Grand Finals. Steve also proved to be a very good medium pace change bowler who comes in of long run and will bowl all day if required. It would not be an exaggeration to say that Steve has a big heart and will give it everything for the team. A pleasure to have in the side and a worthy winner of the Bradman Medal for player of the Grand Final.

Player profiles (continued)....

Patrick Pollard (Patty) – Played BPCC U14 and U16

Pat stepped up to the senior ranks this season and soon became an integral member of the team. Was used as a first change bowler most of the time and caused batsmen a lot of grief with movement through the air and off the pitch. Pat batted at 11 all season but only because I felt that seniors should bat higher than him as he was already getting a game in the 16's each week. Pat should benefit greatly from the experience this year and be a better cricketer because of it in years to come.

Nick Richardson (Nicko) – Played BPCC 6th Grade

Nick was our number one strike weapon with the ball and performed the role brilliantly. Nick ended up with a bowling average of around 10. He took one hat trick and almost collected a few more. Unfortunately Nick didn't bowl as quick as he could have. I think his skirt kept getting the way. Nick was dynamite in the field and played some good innings with the bat. Hopefully Nick can be graded low enough next year for us to use him again.

Mark Ross (Rincey, The Rim Rider, Marco) – Played BPCC 4th Grade

Mark has played in my sides for quite some time now and has always proven to be a good opening bat and a reliable wicket keeper. Mark decided not to keep this year (something about age, knees, etc) but proved to be a good outfielder who thought out a few batsmen by positioning himself in various places on the boundary (hence the name Rim Rider). Probably didn't have as good a year with the bat this year but will probably turn it around next season. Remember Mark, you're now contracted to play again!

Bevan Smith (Bev, Bevo and other names) – Played BPCC 4th Grade

Bev was voted in as Vice Captain early in the season. His advice and views were an invaluable contribution throughout the season and I don't think we would have gone as far as we did without his help. Took over the keeping duties during the season and performed the job well. Bev's confidence grew enough for him to stand up to the stumps at various times for all of our bowlers. Didn't really fire with the bat this year but is good enough to turn it around next season. Thanks again Bev for all of your help.

Rob Ryall

Rob only played a hand full of games for us this year as his work commitments became a problem. It was unfortunate because the games Rob did play showed what a valuable player he is. A good bat and bowler, Rob is an asset to any team.

Steve Parrott

Stevie only played 2 games for us this year due to work commitments. I think the team missed his insightful comments and displays of sportsmanship throughout the season.

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
5th GRADE AVERAGES

NAME	BATTING						BOWLING						FIELDING				Points
	Mtchs	Inns	NO	HS	Runs	Average	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Average	Ct (F)	Ct (W/K)	Stpd			
Danny Hamerlok	13	12	2	97	439	43.90	87.1	8	484	15	32.27	7			734		
Nick Richardson	13	9	3	42	112	18.67	126	28	371	33	11.24	5			657		
Steve Magner	14	11	2	62	163	18.11	87	6	332	15	22.13	12			508		
Chris Evans	12	14	3	86	311	28.27	53	4	251	8	31.38	4			471		
Shane Pollard	14	10	1	32	90	10.00	93.2	19	336	13	25.85	13			415		
Mark Ross	13	14	1	53	271	20.85	12.5	1	109	3	36.33	9			406		
Paul Cowley	9	7	3	39	71	17.75	86	5	386	20	19.30	3			401		
Wayne Johnson	14	15	1	45	198	14.14	8	1	22	1	22.00	1	3		268		
Rob Ryall	5	5	1	44	121	30.25	38	6	145	8	18.13	2			261		
Bevan Smith	13	12	1	26	103	9.36	0	0	0	0	N/A	1	8	1	248		
Pat Pollard	13	5	3	8	15	7.50	79	16	285	13	21.92	3			240		
Greg Lane	12	11	1	41	166	16.60	6	1	40	0	N/A	1			176		
Steve Parrot	2	2	0	13	13	6.50	0	0	0	0	N/A	0			13		

**BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
5th GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS**

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99			Mark Thomas	21.82				
99/00	Ken Leach	629	Ted Langford	45.71	Ken Leach	17.41	Ken Leach	27
00/01	Aaron Perrin	1009	Aaron Perrin	25.6	Aaron Perrin	15.35	Aaron Perrin	37
01/02								
02/03	Jason Armstrong	1207	Jason Armstrong	53	Aaron Collinson	17.1	J.Taylor/A.Collinson	27
03/04	Daniel Hamerlock	734	Daniel Hamerlock	43.9	Nick Richardson	11.24	Nick Richardson	33
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99			Mark Thomas	371	Mark Thomas	105	6th	
99/00	Joshua Larnach	10	Ted Langford	320	Mark Thomas	171	4th	
00/01	Jared Larnach	13	Aaron Perrin	384	Aaron Perrin	112	5th	
01/02								
02/03	Stuart Taylor	14	John Bremner	783	John Bremner	137	Premiers	
03/04	Shane Pollard	13	Daniel Hamerlock	439	Daniel Hamerlock	97	Runners Up	

6th Grade Honour List

Point Score:	Matt Herbert - 899
Batting Average:	Matt Herbert – 32.07
Batting Aggregate:	Mick Byrne - 508
Bowling Average:	Adam Schmidt – 13.27
Bowling Aggregate:	Wayne Sargent - 44
Most Catches (fielding):	James Stapely - 12
Most Keeping Dismissals:	Scott Blackwood - 21

Milestones

100's:	Mick Byrne – 138 Matt Herbert – 106 Matt Herbert - 120
5 wickets:	Wayne Sargent – 7/82
Hat tricks:	Nil

(The Alphabetical) 6th Grade - Year in Review

- A. A great year had by all and my personal thanks to the boys.
- B. Big congratulations to Matt for taking out the point score.
- C. Couully”The Bradman of Breakaway”
- D. Dead.....Anybody down wind from Couully.
- E. Every reason to keep playing cricket. To beat North Richmond.
- F. Freakin weirdGlossodia’s Twin Towers.
- G. Glossodia. I wish I too had friends in the grading committee.
- H. Hey which side do I shine on this new ball! Good on ya Schmittty.
- I. Iron Gloves took more catches this year without the mits.
- J. Jock. The Jana Pittman of Don’t Worry Oval.
- K. Ken WoodsNorth Richmonds 13th man.
- L. Laurie Lane and Bruce Woods retire and the Trophy now goes to Windsor.
- M. Mr Cricket...Lucky there is only one Nostradamis..
- N. Nugget moved up the hill to be closer to his Northo buddies Carver & Baker in retirement..
- O. Outstanding performance for impersonating a cricket team....and the winner is Windsor.
- P. Pedophile Pete .First in the huddle when a wickets taken.
- Q. Quiet...Those all too familiar words from our scorer to her kids.
- R. Riverstone Cricket TeamWhere’s your Pub?
- S. Scotty superkeeper supported Nugget no end with those dodgy LBW calls.
- T. The ultimate in fair play..Schofields calling back Monty after giving him the send off.
- U. Underdog 7th grade player helps out 6,s and breaks string of ducks.
- V. Van der Reyden wins the toss and surprises everyone.
- W. Will I get a bowl? Marc still asks the same question since under 10’s.
- X. Excellent outcome .North Richmond beaten in final.(All of them)
- Y. You guessed it ...Wild Willy takes on all comers but falls to Couully’s kids.
- Z. The Last letter and the last time I expect to get justice from the appeals committee.

Regards,
Mark Van der Reyden

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
6th GRADE AVERAGES

NAME	BATTING						BOWLING						FIELDING			Points
	Mtchs	Inns	NO	HS	Runs	Average	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Average	Ct (F)	Ct (W/K)	Stpd		
Matt Herbert	15	18	4	120	449	32.07	103	6	436	24	18.17	9			899	
Wayne Sargent	13	14	0	49	185	13.21	195	33	602	44	13.68	0			845	
James Stapely	14	14	1	62	220	16.92	109	8	398	18	22.11	12			610	
Michael Byrne	15	18	1	138	508	29.88	6	0	37	0	N/A	5			558	
Glen Oneil	13	14	1	50	291	22.38	48	1	227	9	25.22	3			456	
Scott Blackwood	14	15	5	91	125	12.50	0	0	0	0	N/A		21		440	
Adam Schmidt	11	8	3	12	46	9.20	112	12	292	22	13.27	1			386	
Marc Herbert	11	11	2	22	122	13.56	47	6	136	8	17.00	4			282	
William Shute	13	9	2	60	119	17.00	44	2	200	9	22.22	3			284	
Mark Van der Reyden	10	8	0	46	165	20.63	0	0	0	0	N/A	2			185	
Aaron Cole	7	8	3	29	133	26.60	0	0	0	0	N/A	2			153	
Andrew Coull	12	11	1	41	102	10.20	14	1	36	0	N/A	1			112	
Steven Cole	7	8	1	10	47	6.71	0	0	0	0	N/A	3			77	
Dale Moore	6	4	0	10	10	2.50	1	0	5	0	N/A	0			10	

**BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
6th GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS**

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99								
99/00								
00/01			Brian Sargent	48.89	Matt Van der Reyden	12.3 7	Matt Van der Reyden	27
01/02	Jared Larnach	828	Scott Tuckerman	41.67	Jared Larach	10.8 3	Ross Corser	40
02/03	Nick Richardson	928	Mitch Regan	37.7	Nick Richardson	13.5	Nick Richardson	41
03/04	Matt Herbert	899	Matt Herbert	32.07	Adam Schmidt	13.2 7	Wayne Sargent	44
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99								
99/00								
00/01			Brian Sargent	440	Brian Sargent	128	5th	
01/02	Mark Knox	10	John Bremner	423	Scott Tuckerman	117	Runners up	
02/03	Steve Cole	21	Mitch Regan	566	Mick Van der Reyden	160	3rd	
03/04	Scott Blackwood	21	Michael Byrne	508	Michael Byrne	138	3rd	

7th Grade Honour List

Point Score:	Gavin Hyde - 677
Batting Average:	Chris Brennan – 33.22
Batting Aggregate:	Gavin Hyde - 317
Bowling Average:	Chris Brennan – 14.06
Bowling Aggregate:	Paul Lambourne - 22
Most Catches (fielding):	Gavin Hyde - 6 Shaun Brown - 6
Most Keeping Dismissals:	Gavin Hyde – 4 Chris Brennan – 4

Milestones

100's:	Paul De Oliveira - 103
5 wickets:	Paul Lambourne – 8/80 Paul Lambourne – 5/40
Hat tricks:	Nil

7TH Grade – Year in Review

The year was tumultuous to say the least. It started badly but ended with elation and some sorrow. We came from well behind requiring two Outrights and one Win. Rain cancelled all games other than ours at Bounty where Richmond and we needed a win for a chance to make the Semi's and leap frog Glossy. So 'Game on'. Well we won that match on a final ball 'wide'. Our President Ray Bremner was present at that match as were half of 6th Grade and a few of 3rd Grade who had come down to support us. I'd sat that round out as we needed our strongest team. I did have the pleasure of umpiring one of the closest games of Cricket I have ever seen. It was also a match that should go down in the history of Hawkesbury Cricket as the most Good willed, Fair and Sports like game to be played. The Second day saw both teams sharing bench space, cigarettes and drinks. The guys were saturated on Day one, batting Pads weighed about 5 Kilo's more and the ball was a cake of soap.

Thanks 7th Grade for a year that will always live fondly in our memories. See you all in 2004-2005.

PLAYER PROFILES:

Chris Brennan

About him:

Our Captain and a good mate to have on the field. Chris took over the role of Captain late in the season. His commitment inspired a group of guys who were not exactly thrilled with the teams performance to date. Chris gave (and I can only use a cliché) 110% all the time from Wicket Keeper to Bowler to Batsmen often in the same day.

Magical moment:

Knocked out cold from a top edge while attempting a solid hook shot. Chris got up knowing he was the last batsmen (or person to hold a bat) and carried on. We needed 4 runs to win and Chris scored three of them from a fully fledged completed hook shot to the boundary.

I'd be remiss if I didn't mention this one. Chris was bating in extreme heat from which we were all suffering. Last ball of the over he cracked his favourite hook shot which towered over the tree line, we all raised our hand to shield our eyes as it headed off into the distance. He ran towards the scorers' tent.....we called to him that drinks were elsewhere, he ran to the edge of the field a smile as big as all outdoors on his face and said "Was that the biggest SIX you have ever seen" immediately turned and ran back to the crease.

(7th Grade player profile cont.)

Shaun Brown

About him:

What can we say about 'Brownie' if there was ever a guy to keep the laughs on the field going it's him. Brownie found humour in everything, well except that time his Captain gave him out caught off a bounced ball. Brownie is a true Clubman of the highest order, came to every game and played in just about every other Grade in the Club, sometimes on the same day! Brownie's knowledge of cricket should never be underestimated he has a keen eye for a batsmen's weak area although the blank stares at their back side often concerned us. (Kidding Brownie we luv ya mate).

Magical moment:

I though I had heard every noise the human body could give off after years in the construction industry. At least until one day at Bounty Reserve. Brownie fielding at cover point ran in for a top edge that must have gone 30 metres into the air. He completely lost it in the sun but he had placed himself perfectly under the ball. Like a meteor out of that movie Armageddon the ball struck Brownie straight on the fore head with only the type of noise Bone can make. It put a chill through all of us, well, except Brownie he turned fielded the ball and apologised for not making the catch!?!?

James Brown Snr

About him:

The 2nd oldest fellow on the team and father of James Brown Jnr. Often referred to as JB (more because of his drinking habits than his initials) or Senior. JB had a masterful grace at the wicket were he reminded you of a swash buckling fellow as he slashed at every fast paced bowler half his age. JB was always good for a short double figure innings which was better than most of us and why we play 7th Grade. He has an infectious laugh and a good humour, sharing attitude that being his first year soon made him a well liked member of the team.

Magical moment:

I watched as I saw what looked to be a cover drive with a long languid stroke turn out to be a massive 'SIX' straight over the Umpires head. The ball must have come to earth 50 metres beyond the boundary.

James Brown Jnr

About him:

A youngster amongst the old fella's. Son of JB and shared his fathers humour. It was always a joy to see this Father & Son act like best mates and sledge each other. God help you if you tried to jump in on the sledging they soon turned to defend one another. Junior as he was known affectionately would bat & bowl. Junior was probably one of the best off the leg batsmen I have seen in a long time at this or maybe any grade. Junior will undoubtedly become an exceptional batsman over the next few seasons.

(7th Grade player profile cont.)

Magical moment:

Waiting for the day he buys a set of shoes that have a tread on them. There was not a game we did not crack up laughing as he collected a ball headed to the boundary at full pace only to see his extreme turn North head South.

Paul De Oliveira

About him:

One of nature's nice guys. Paul has it all the ability to Bat well, bowl at varying paces and a master in the field. I cannot remember a time Paul did not have a smile on his face. Paul belongs with a better grade of players but we'd love him to stay with us.

Magical moment:

He and Brownie Released/Unleashed and Unconcerned at Don't Worry. Chris our Captain called to them advising 5 Overs before we declared going for the outright. You have never seen a faster 36 Runs scored or scored with more confidence in your life.

Norm Dicoski

About him:

A stalwart for the team and the Club. Norm only got a few games in this year due to a back injury. Norm backed up as Wicket Keeper, bowler and Batsman. Norm is his mid 40's is yet to hear or a block shot. He'll never make less than 8 but once his eye is in a 50 will be on the books before anyone has thought of drinks.

Magical moment:

Every time he took to the crease.

Brad Hayward

About him:

Another guy to put in 110%. Brad loved to bowl and bat and was likely our pace attack on his own. Brad always had a perfect length and never over pitched. His McEnroy like grunt at the point of delivery made very batsmen take notice. Towards the end of the Season with Chris insisting on care of the ball Brad's bowing attack always found a wicket and minimal runs.

Magical moment:

I believe it was against Pitt Town a diving catch that deserved to make the Top Ten on wide world of Sports.

(7th Grade player profile cont.)

Sascha Hottwagner

About him:

Probably one of the best opening batsmen in Bligh Park. Sascha Tendulka as he is known would take to the opening bowlers without fear.

Magical moment:

Watching Sascha charge down the wicket to a fast pace bowler.

Gavin Hyde

About him:

The term "Character" was coined with guys like this. Gavin came to the team and within minutes stood there with us as though he'd been with us for years. A likeable larrikin if there ever was one. Gav as we know him knows no fear in any part of the game. He is likely the best Wicket Keeper I have seen since Marsh and has the same character traits. Gav would have to be reminded that we were playing against the guys batting as he would enjoy a good friendly banter with any facing batsman. (His nickname was Lumpy but I promised not to put that in).

Magical moment:

Some memories should not be shared and this is one. While I was fielding at Fine leg he turned to me and said "God how much sweat have I got in my crack aye!". As for other memories well the results for this season tell all. He could perform and was a better player than we deserved in 7th Grade.

Paul Lambourne

About him:

Here is a guy that epitomises 7th Grade. Paul loves the game and although as competitive as any player can be Paul wanted to have fun. Stumpy as he is affectionately known often held the team together at a crucial time. Paul would bowl any number of overs requested of him without complaint regardless of heat. Paul played at a higher level of performance than most of us and did it graciously and even with two 5 Wicket innings always remained humble. Paul was one of the true gentlemen that the game was created by.

Magical moment:

Basically seeing the faces of our team mates as we ran in to congratulate Paul on his 5 wicket haul within an innings.

Pere Pualilo

About him:

I looked at this guy as the Gentle Giant of the team. A nicer guy you could never meet. Pere was a great slow to medium swing bowler. His talent at bowling was discovered late in the season and he can only become a great bowler with time and practice.

(7th Grade player profile cont.)

Magical moment:

What can beat this – First Ball, Wicket and not the wicket of a weak batsmen either.

Gavin Roberts

About him:

Gav only got in about 3 games. Gav with Brad would have been a viscous pace attack. If Gav had been able to put in a full year with us I'd say we would have made the Semi's without such a huge effort at the end.

Magical moment:

The look on his face while fielding at slip when Gav made the comment about his perspiration.

Greg Stuart

About him:

Greg leaves us this year bound for another club.

Magical moment:

He actually walked in with the bowler once.

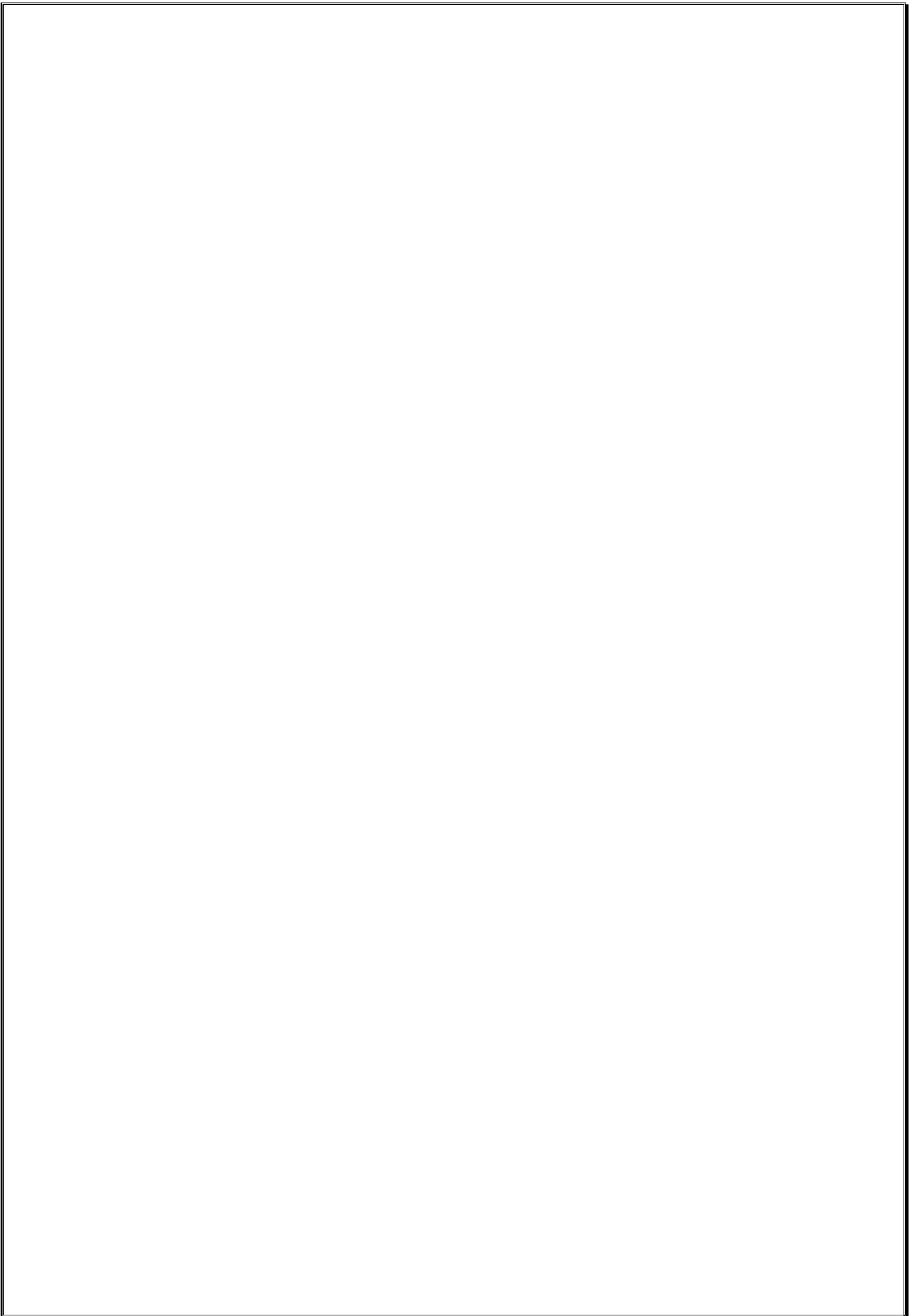
Ross Thompson

About him:

Well I can say this as I'm the author Can't Bat, Can't Bowl, Can't field. The "Duckman" finally made some contribution to the team by being the opening bat for a few games. I figured as I always faced the openers as number 9 or 10 I might as well take some of the shine off the ball.

Magical moment:

Got a 'FOUR' my team mates will tell you it was a lucky outside edge to a pace bowler which first slip missed but I still say it was a masterful deflection.



BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
7th GRADE AVERAGES

NAME	BATTING						BOWLING						FIELDING				Points
	Mtchs	Inns	NO	HS	Runs	Average	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Average	Ct (F)	Ct (W/K)	Stpd			
Gavin Hyde	11	15	0	63	317	21.13	83	5	474	16	29.63	6	4		677		
Chris Brennan	9	11	2	61	299	33.22	72	6	239	17	14.06	2	4		634		
Paul Lambourne	11	16	0	74	179	11.19	119	8	537	22	24.41	5			559		
Greg Stuart	11	15	1	85	189	13.50	74	3	350	20	17.50	2			509		
Brad Hayward	10	14	1	41	123	9.46	78	7	341	11	31.00	4			328		
Paul De Oliveira	9	12	1	52	238	21.64	17	0	114	1	114.00	2			273		
Shaun Brown	9	9	1	79	203	25.38	3.2	1	15	2	7.50	6			293		
Sascha Hottwagner	10	13	3	81	207	20.70	6	0	34	1	34.00	2	1		257		
Gavin Roberts	6	7	2	30	47	9.40	34	7	103	7	14.71				152		
Paul Cowley	4	6	1	28	81	16.20	26	3	101	3	33.67				126		
James Brown Jnr	10	14	1	33	71	5.46	10	0	76	1	76.00	4			126		
Norm Dicoski	7	10	3	31	54	7.71	14	0	104	2	52.00	2	1		119		
Pere Paulilo	8	12	1	5	20	1.82	15	2	45	3	15.00	4			105		
James Brown Snr	8	11	0	19	48	4.36	0	0	0	0	N/A				48		
Ross Thompson	9	12	3	6	6	0.67	0	0	0	0	N/A				6		

**BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
7th GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS**

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99	Ken Leach	718	Mark Van der Reyden	31.29	Daniel Van der Reyden	14.71	Ken Leach	33
99/00	Wayne Sargent	1110	Luke Carlisle	53.55	Wayne Sargent	15.58	Wayne Sargent	36
00/01	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
01/02	Nick Richardson	1182	Nick Richardson	37.94	Nick Richardson	18.35	Nick Richardson	31
02/03	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
03/04	Gavin Hyde	677	Chris Brennan	33.22	Chris Brennan	14.06	Paul Lambourne	22
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99	Steve Cole	17	Mark. Van der Reyden	406	Mark. Van der Reyden	159		
99/00			Luke Carlisle	589	Luke Carlisle	103*	3rd	
00/01	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
01/02	Steve Cole	10	Nick Richardson	607	Nick Richardson	140*	2nd	
02/03	No Team		No Team		No Team		No Team	
03/04	Gavin Hyde	10	Gavin Hyde	317	Greg Stuart	85	4th	

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB
8th – 9th GRADE ALL TIME RECORDS

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99								
99/00								
00/01								
01/02 (9)	Paul Lambourne	831	Martin Holt	20.5	Luke Hagerty	13.44	Luke Hagerty	32
02/03 (8)	Paul Lambourne	889	Steve Magnar	48.2	Paul Lambourne	15.7	Paul Lambourne	33
03/04	No Grade this season		No Grade this season		No Grade this season		No Grade this season	
	Most Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Position	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98								
98/99								
99/00								
00/01					Jared Larnach	52*	5th	
01/02 (9)			Martin Holt	369	Martin Holt	69	4th	
02/03 (8)	Norm Dickinoski	17	Paul Lambourne	324	Steve Magnar	116	8th	
03/04	No Grade this season		No Grade this season		No Grade this season		No Grade this season	

BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB ALL TIME RECORDS

Year	Pointscore		Batting Average		Bowling Average		Most Wickets	
93/94								
94/95	John Griffiths							
95/96	Peter Miller (4th)							
96/97	Jason Donnelly (4th)							
97/98	Ian Toomsala (3rd)	1149	Ian Toomsala (3rd)	59.91	Glenn O'neil (6th)	17.19	Ian Toomsala (3rd)	37
98/99	Ken Leach (5th)	718						
99/00	Wayne Sargent (4th)	1110	Luke Carlisle (7th)	53.55	Wayne Sargent (7th)	15.58	Wayne Sargent (7th)	36
00/01	Aaron Perrin (4th)	959	Jason Stubbs (4th)	57.25	Matt Van der Reyden (6th)	12.37	Aaron Perrin (5th)	37
01/02	Nick Richardson (7th)	1027	Brian Sargent (4th)	47.73	Jarrod Lanach (6th)	10.83	Ross Corser (6th)	40
02/03	Jason Armstrong (5th)	1207	Jason Armstrong (5th)	53	Nick Richardson (6th)	13.5	A.Vella (4th) / N.Richardson (6th)	41
03/04	Matt Herbert (6th)	899	Daniel Hamerlock (5th)	43.9	Nick Richardson (5th)	11.24	Wayne Sargent (6th)	44
	Most Field Catches		Batting Aggregate		Highest Score		Most Keeping Dismissals	
93/94								
94/95								
95/96								
96/97								
97/98			Ian Toomsala (3rd)	719	Ian Toomsala (3rd)	167	Bevan Smith (3rd)	38
98/99							David Hunt (4th)	17
99/00			Luke Carlisle (7th)	589	Mark Thomas (5th)	171*	John Fressard (3rd)	19
00/01			Brian Sargent (6th)	440	Mick Vander Reyden (6th)	210*	John Fressard (3rd)	32
01/02			Nick Richardson (7th)	607	Nick Richardson (7th)	140*	John Fressard (3rd)	22
02/03	Stuart Taylor (5th)	14	John Bremner (5th)	783	Scott Tuckerman (5th)	185	John Fressard (2nd)	26
03/04	Shane Pollard (5th)	13	Mick Byrne (6th)	508	Mick Byrne (6th)	138	Scott Blackwood (6th)	21