

**BLIGH PARK**  
CRICKET CLUB



**YEAR BOOK**  
**SEASON 2007/08**

**Senior Presentation**  
**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2008**

## BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB EXECUTIVE

| Year  | President       | Secretary             | Treasurer           |
|-------|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 97/98 | Fred Knox       | Leanne Van Der Reyden | Earl Snape          |
| 98/99 | Fred Knox       | Leanne Van Der Reyden | Earl Snape          |
| 99/00 | Fred Knox       | Leanne Van Der Reyden | Michael Byrne       |
| 00/01 | Fred Knox       | Leanne Van Der Reyden | Ron Airey           |
| 01/02 | Fred Knox       | Leanne Van Der Reyden | Mark Van Der Reyden |
| 02/03 | Raymond Bremner | Mark Van Der Reyden   | Michael Byrne       |
| 03/04 | Raymond Bremner | Mark Van Der Reyden   | Ross Thompson       |
| 04/05 | Raymond Bremner | Mark Van Der Reyden   | Ross Thompson       |
| 05/06 | Raymond Bremner | Mark Van Der Reyden   | Ross Thompson       |
| 06/07 | Raymond Bremner | John Bremner          | Tania Coull         |
| 07/08 | David Dray      | John Bremner          | Glen Corcoran       |

### BPPC LIFE MEMBERS

|             |                     |           |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Ray Bremner | Mark Van Der Reyden | Ron Airey |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------|

### BPPC 10+ YEARS MEMBERS

|                             |                                      |                           |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ray Bremner 97/98 - 06/07   | Mark Van Der Reyden 97/98 - 07/08    | Ron Airey 97/98 - 07/08   |
| John Bremner 97/98 - 07/08  | Michael Van der Reyden 97/98 - 07/08 | Daniel Apps 97/98 - 07/08 |
| Michael Byrne 98/99 - 07/08 | Nick Richardson 98/99 - 07/08        |                           |

### Award Criteria

Bligh Park Cricket Club awards players for averages and point score in accordance with the Hawkesbury District Cricket Association (HDCA) rules, which is:

- (a) Any player who plays in a higher grade for his/her club, will be eligible to incorporate those averages in the grade where he/she is graded at the conclusion of the competition. No figures may be incorporated from a lower grade.
- (b) Batting average - a player must have at least the same number of innings as there are opposing teams in that grade and score not less than two hundred and fifty (250) runs in all matches.
- (c) Bowling average - a player must procure at least twenty (20) wickets in all matches.

Where a team has no players eligible for an award, the bowler with the most wickets or batsman with the most runs becomes eligible for the award.

### Statistics

While we Endeavour to ensure the accuracy of the information in this year book, the quality of what goes into your scorebooks reflects the quality of your season's final statistics. As often has it, scores are recorded by the opposition or players who are not necessarily skilled scorers, so it's important that you regularly review that your statistics are correct and complete throughout the season.

### Life and 10 Year Members

Life Membership is the highest form of personal recognition for any member (player, coach, committee or other volunteer) who has contributed significantly to Bligh Park Cricket Club above normal means. To be eligible for nomination for Life Membership of the Club a person must have demonstrated that he or she has actively assisted the Club in achieving its objectives over a period of time prior to his or her nomination for Life Membership. 10 Year Members are those who have contributed or played 10 consecutive season for either solely for Bligh Park Cricket Club or a combination of 10 consecutive years of only Bligh Park Cricket Club and Representative Cricket. While not linked to Life Membership, this is recognition from the club on player loyalty and the value we see within it.

To all players, coaches, team personnel, family members and friends,

Today's presentation signals an end to a successful 2007/08 season, the 11<sup>th</sup> in the club's proud history. Once again the club was able to submit teams in all 6 junior age groups and 5 senior grade teams. This year the club also became a registered "Milo have a go" centre for the first time.

Bligh Park again this season was one of the largest clubs in the district. This I believe is the efforts of the committee, coaches, captains and players of the club to foster the development of junior cricket and maintain a sound junior base.

With a wealth of talent all of our junior teams made it into the semi finals. Our 14's and 16's progressed to the grand final, with the 14's winning and the 16's missing out. Many of our juniors have also stepped up and showed their worth playing in the senior grades.

Our seniors also fared well this season with three of our five teams making it into the semi finals this season. 1<sup>st</sup> grade once again made it into the semi's only to be out classed by Freemans Reach on the day. Here's hoping the 08/09 season will see them take the title. 7<sup>th</sup> grade ran in second position for most of the season but was also unlucky not to make the final.

Our 5<sup>th</sup> grade side stormed into the grand final only to go down in a titanic struggle. Not even a man of the match effort of 151 not out by an injured Shane Stephenson and a never say never attitude from the rest of the team could get them home.

On behalf of the club I would personally like to thank all of you for your time and efforts this season. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the committee for their efforts in making a successful season. To all the captains, managers and scorers for the teams, parents and guardians, family and friends and especially the players that have played the game in the spirit that is cricket. You have made this season an enjoyable and successful one. The club is extremely proud that you have chosen Bligh Park as your club and hope to see you all back next season.

Regards  
David Dray  
President, Bligh Park Cricket Club Inc.

# Club Awards

## **Senior Point Score:**

Shane Stephenson – 939

## **Bounty Award:**

David Ryan – 30; 30 Catches, 0 Stumpings

## **Gwen Hawkes:**

Brett Egan

## **Stephen Thompson:**

Mitchell Dray and Daniel Magner

## **Fred Knox:**

Andrew Coull – 46 wickets

## **Highest Score:**

Luke Mannell – 152 not out

## **JUNIOR CLUB REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS**

### **W G Foster Shield (U/10)**

Cooper Kwok  
Harrison Ridgewell

### **J H Creak Shield (U/11)**

Nathan Egan  
Josh Kwok  
Timothy Turner  
Adam Worsley

### **Arch Cawsey Shield (U/12)**

Hayden Wassall

### **W S Gee Shield (U/13)**

Brendan Sweeney  
Lachlan Wassall  
Robbie Woodhouse

### **Harold Moore Shield (U/14)**

Paul Gooley  
Hayden Cole  
Jarred Coull  
Jacob Magner

### **E G Weblin (U/15)**

Pat Lawrence  
Daniel Magner

### **Watson Shield (U/16)**

Matt Gooley  
Joel Tynan  
Charlie Woodhouse

### **City Emerging Blue Squads**

Paul Gooley  
Brendan Sweeney

# 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

## Award Winners

**Pointscore:** Mick Van der Reyden - 475

**Batting Average:** Luke Mannell – 43.4

**Bowling Average:** Geoff Drury – 17.3

## 5-Fors & 100's

**Luke Mannell – 152\*vs Nth Richmond Rd 2**

## Team Bests

**Keeping:** Joel Smelcher - 13

**Field Catches:** Geoff Drury – 7

**Highest Score:** Luke Mannell – 152\*

**Most Wickets:** Geoff Drury – 17

**Most Runs:** Al Williams – 230

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade - Year in Review

What ended up being a pretty ordinary year due to wet weather and inconsistent team make-up, the clubs 1st grade side seen some older faces and younger faces experience some real highs and some forgettable lows.

Starting the year off with a bang were the openers: Mitch Regan - who batted the team to a great start to the year with an dominating 64 on home soil, and Luke Mannell who - in the round 2 win against last years premiers - set a new club record for most runs in an innings for a 1st grade batsman with unbeaten 152no.

From here the rain decided most of the results, and we were definitely had come unlucky wash-outs in the matches to come. Rarely finding two consecutive weekends on the paddock we struggled to backup performances in and out of games.

There were scattered highlights throughout the season with some younger personnel of BPCC showing their faces in the clubs top-side. Many thanks to the under 16's that played and showed their skills when the time came. Many of you are the clubs future 1st grade players and there will be many opportunities in the next few years to come. As i am sure most of you have noticed, a few of the current players are getting a little long in the tooth... (Poppy?)

A few highlights I would like to mention:

- Poppy throwing away his potential maiden 1st grade 50
- Luke Mannell for knocking my name out of the record books with his 165no
- Nick Richardson for his 1st Grade Rugby Union loss of 180-0
- Dave Adam for showing some real guile with his very accurate finger spin
- Luke Rogan for backing up week after week and showing some of us older punters how to enjoy our cricket
- Al Williams who performed the most consistently all season through
- Mick Van der Reyden for reminding the captain he was a bowler in the 5th game of the year
- Panthers now only sell half-strength 'Incredible Hulks' due to a group of 20-odd cricketers who had a little too much fun
- Joel Smelcher who scattered the ball to all parts against Schofields
- Jason & Troy Armstrong for both combining during the final to add some respect to our run chase
- Another mention to Luke Mannell for managing to remember to wear undies to most of the games this year...

All in all, not much can be said about the cricket this year... The weather and conditions were dismal... The confidence struggled at times... But the spirit after our semi-final hammering was as strong as ever!

Looking into the seasons to come, I am sure the juniors will continue to build with a changing side and the younger contingent start to step up and take on more responsibilities. If the club continues to support the younger talent coming through the ranks and ensures a solid team, I am sure that a maiden BPCC 1st Grade Premiership is not far around the corner...

Bring on the Jagers`!

Danny Apps 1st Grade Captain, 06/07 to 07/08

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 1st GRADE STATISTICS

| NAME                  | BATTING |      |    |      |      |         | BOWLING |      |      |      |         | FIELDING |          |      | Points |
|-----------------------|---------|------|----|------|------|---------|---------|------|------|------|---------|----------|----------|------|--------|
|                       | Mtchs   | Inns | NO | HS   | Runs | Average | Overs   | Mdns | Runs | Wkts | Average | Ct (F)   | Ct (W/K) | Stpd |        |
| Mick Van Der Reyden   | 10      | 8    | 0  | 86   | 225  | 28.1    | 75.3    | 15   | 202  | 15   | 13.5    | 1        | 1        | 0    | 475    |
| Al Williams           | 8       | 9    | 3  | 78*  | 230  | 38.3    | 78.1    | 9    | 221  | 12   | 18.4    | 1        | 0        | 0    | 420    |
| Luke Mannell          | 8       | 7    | 2  | 152* | 217  | 43.4    | 58      | 10   | 199  | 9    | 22.1    | 3        | 0        | 0    | 382    |
| Geoff Drury           | 10      | 7    | 2  | 39   | 56   | 11.2    | 106     | 27   | 294  | 17   | 17.3    | 7        | 0        | 0    | 381    |
| Joel Smelcher         | 6       | 7    | 0  | 33   | 68   | 9.7     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 13       | 0    | 263    |
| Danny Apps            | 9       | 10   | 2  | 41*  | 164  | 20.5    | 10      | 0    | 63   | 4    | 15.8    | 3        | 0        | 0    | 254    |
| Troy Armstrong        | 8       | 7    | 1  | 65   | 121  | 20.2    | 40      | 8    | 138  | 4    | 34.5    | 3        | 0        | 0    | 211    |
| Mitch Regan           | 9       | 9    | 0  | 64   | 128  | 14.2    | 14      | 0    | 90   | 3    | 30.0    | 1        | 0        | 0    | 183    |
| Nick Richardson       | 8       | 7    | 1  | 40   | 70   | 11.7    | 10.2    | 0    | 38   | 4    | 9.5     | 4        | 0        | 0    | 170    |
| Jason Armstrong       | 8       | 9    | 0  | 34   | 82   | 9.1     | 7       | 0    | 40   | 2    | 20.0    | 0        | 0        | 0    | 112    |
| Dave Adam             | 4       | 1    | 0  | 3    | 3    | 3.0     | 26      | 7    | 88   | 6    | 14.7    | 0        | 0        | 0    | 93     |
| Luke Rogan            | 7       | 8    | 2  | 11   | 29   | 4.8     | 1       | 0    | 5    | 0    | N/A     | 3        | 0        | 0    | 59     |
| Daniel Van Der Reyden | 3       | 2    | 0  | 13   | 15   | 7.5     | 5       | 1    | 26   | 2    | 13.0    | 0        | 0        | 0    | 45     |
| Steve Magnar          | 1       | 2    | 1  | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 2       | 0    | 8    | 2    | 4.0     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 30     |
| Joe Connolly          | 1       | 1    | 0  | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 2        | 0        | 0    | 20     |
| Ron Airey             | 1       | 1    | 0  | 2*   | 2    | 2.0     | 2       | 0    | 9    | 1    | 9.0     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 17     |
| Matt Gooley           | 1       | 1    | 0  | 14   | 14   | 14.0    | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 14     |
| Abe Vella             | 1       | 0    | 0  | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 2       | 0    | 12   | 0    | N/A     | 1        | 0        | 0    | 10     |
| Adrian Daley          | 2       | 2    | 0  | 6    | 8    | 4.0     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 8      |
| Mark Van Der Reyden   | 1       | 1    | 1  | 1*   | 1    | N/A     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 1      |
| Daniel Magnar         | 1       | 0    | 0  | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 2       | 0    | 17   | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 0      |

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 1st GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>   |            | <u>Batting Average</u> |             | <u>Bowling Average</u> |             | <u>Most Wickets</u> |           |
|-------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-----------|
| 97/98       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 98/99       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 99/00       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 00/01       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 01/02       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 02/03       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 03/04       | No Team             |            | No Team                |             | No Team                |             | No Team             |           |
| 04/05       | Daniel Apps         | 457        | Daniel Apps            | 42.91       | Troy Armstrong         | 13.67       | Troy Armstrong      | 27        |
| 05/06       | Geoff Drury         | 567        | Luke Roberts           | 25.42       | <b>Geoff Drury</b>     | <b>11.8</b> | Geoff Drury         | 30        |
| 06/07       | <b>Geoff Drury</b>  | <b>704</b> | Jason Armstrong        | 24.3        | Geoff Drury            | 15.5        | <b>Geoff Drury</b>  | <b>41</b> |
| 07/08       | Mick Van der Reyden | 475        | <b>Luke Mannell</b>    | <b>43.4</b> | Mick Van der Reyden    | 13.5        | Geoff Drury         | 17        |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>  |           | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> |            | <u>Highest Score</u> |            | <u>Position</u> |  |
|-------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------------|----------------------|------------|-----------------|--|
| 97/98       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 98/99       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 99/00       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 00/01       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 01/02       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 02/03       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 03/04       | No Team              |           | No Team                  |            | No Team              |            | No Team         |  |
| 04/05       | <b>Glen Jacobson</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>Daniel Apps</b>       | <b>472</b> | Daniel Apps          | 97         | <b>3rd</b>      |  |
| 05/06       | John Fressard        | 11        | Luke Roberts             | 305        | <b>Daniel Apps</b>   | <b>120</b> | <b>3rd</b>      |  |
| 06/07       | Scott Tuckerman      | 12        | Daniel Apps              | 311        | Luke Mannell         | 86         | 4th             |  |
| 07/08       | <b>Joel Smelcher</b> | <b>13</b> | Al Williams              | 230        | Luke Mannell         | 152*       | 4th             |  |



# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 2nd GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>           | <u>Batting Average</u>       | <u>Bowling Average</u>      | <u>Most Wickets</u>  |
|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 98/99       | Ian Toomsalu 629            | Tim Twomey 44                | <b>Scott Fairburn 15.03</b> | <b>S.Fairburn 34</b> |
| 99/00       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 00/01       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 01/02       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 02/03       | Luke .Roberts 724           | Daniel Apps 35.5             | Ron Airey 19.4              | L..Roberts 25        |
| 03/04       | Daniel Apps 829             | John Fressard 30.88          | Terry Whitney 15.24         | Terry Whitney 21     |
| 04/05       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 05/06       | <b>Scott Tuckerman 1136</b> | <b>Scott Tuckerman 48.15</b> | Jason Armstrong 18.42       | Jason Armstrong 24   |
| 06/07       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |
| 07/08       | No Team                     | No Team                      | No Team                     | No Team              |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>       | <u>Batting Aggregate</u>   | <u>Highest Score</u>  | <u>Position</u> |
|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 98/99       | I. Toomsalu, S. Moise 10  | Tim Twomey 484             | <b>Tim Twomey 166</b> | 5th             |
| 99/00       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 00/01       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 01/02       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 02/03       | John Fressard 22          | Daniel Apps 462            | Daniel Apps 116       | 5th             |
| 03/04       | John Fressard 15          | Daniel Apps 404            | John Fressard 106     | Premiers        |
| 04/05       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 05/06       | <b>Scott Tuckerman 28</b> | <b>Scott Tuckerman 626</b> | Scott Tuckerman 163*  | 5th             |
| 06/07       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |
| 07/08       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team               | No Team         |

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

## Award Winners

|                         |                             |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Pointscore:</b>      | <b>Chris Brennan – 659</b>  |
| <b>Batting Average:</b> | <b>Chris Brennan – 20.4</b> |
| <b>Bowling Average:</b> | <b>Chris Brennan – 9.3</b>  |

## 5-Fors and 100's

**Abe Vella 5-24 vs Freemans Reach, Round 6  
including Hat-Trick**

**Chris Brennan 6-36 vs Windsor Leagues, Round 5  
Chris Brennan 5-23 vs Richmond, Round 12**

## Team Bests

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>Keeping:</b>       | <b>Wayne Johnson – 5<br/>John Bremner – 5</b> |
| <b>Field Catches:</b> | <b>Abe Vella – 7<br/>Trent Hawkett – 7</b>    |
| <b>Highest Score:</b> | <b>Chris Brennan – 76</b>                     |
| <b>Most Wickets:</b>  | <b>Abe Vella – 31</b>                         |
| <b>Most Runs:</b>     | <b>Chris Brennan – 204</b>                    |
| <b>Most Ducks:</b>    | <b>Wayne Johnson – 5</b>                      |

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade - Year in Review

Season 2007-08 actually had some promise to it. We had full numbers and a team that had very good all-round balance. The HDCA even tried to move us up into a vacant spot in 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade.

What eventuated was an outright loss in Round 1, which laid a platform for what would happen for most of the season. In that game, we were bowled out of a little over 50 runs in about 12 overs. With only two players with a batting averaging over 15, it was what really hurt us, particularly when on paper we had a very strong batting line-up.

With our bowling and fielding, we had no issue at all and would comfortably say that we easily had the best attack in the comp. We had a very good roster to choose from, with quality right-handers, left-handers, pace, swing, spin, slow, mediums and Harko – you name, we had it. We also covered the field quite well, dropped little chances, giving the opposition little opportunity.

While questionable events during the last round of the season could be said to have robbed us from a final's spot, we can't look further than at ourselves for not capitalising on the many chances throughout the season. The constant interruptions with the rain also halted our momentum in getting out of the form slumps.

A few highlights I would like to mention:

- Johnno trophy hunting again by scoring his 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive duck award
- Harko's form with his mouth on the field. Warney and McGrath would have been proud of Harko's psyching out of opposition batsmen .
- Mitch Hawkett – for giving cricket a go. Not easy playing your first ever season starting in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, but he showed plenty of natural talent.
- Joe Conolly season stuffed in a round 1 injury helping 1<sup>st</sup> grade
- Adam Armstrong easily bowling his best since he's returned to outdoor cricket.
- The Brenno-Harko 1<sup>st</sup>-change bowling partnerships. They always gave the opposition nothing and often got wickets.
- Oh yeah – and Abe got a hat-trick!!!

I'd like to thank the under 16's and the lower grades for helping both 1st grade and us out when players were short.

The vibe within the team took a turn for the better this season despite the poor results. If we can keep the core of the team and add a couple of quality bats it should see this team win a premiership sometime sooner than later.

Cheers  
John Bremner



# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 3rd GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>   |             | <u>Batting Average</u> |              | <u>Bowling Average</u> |             | <u>Most Wickets</u> |           |
|-------------|---------------------|-------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------|---------------------|-----------|
| 97/98       | <b>Ian Toomsala</b> | <b>1149</b> | <b>Ian Toomsala</b>    | <b>59.91</b> | Robert Dunn            | 19.23       | <b>Ian Toomsala</b> | <b>37</b> |
| 98/99       | Scott Fairburn      | 945         | Daniel Apps            | 41.58        | Paul Airey             | 17.29       | Terry Whitney       | 29        |
| 99/00       | <i>No Team</i>      |             | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>         |             | <i>No Team</i>      |           |
| 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       | <i>No Team</i>      |             | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>         |             | <i>No Team</i>      |           |
| 03/04       | Joel Taylor         | 759         | Stuart Taylor          | 27           | Joel Taylor            | 18.93       | Joel Taylor         | 28        |
| 04/05       | Michael Boyle       | 761         | Trent Hawkett          | 34.33        | <b>Michael Boyle</b>   | <b>8.69</b> | Abe Vella           | 33        |
| 05/06       | Trent Hawkett       | 855         | Mick Van Der Reyden    | 57           | Mick Van Der Reyden    | 13.94       | David Harkins       | 19        |
| 06/07       | John Bremner        | 675         | John Bremner           | 30           | Ross Corser            | 22.4        | Ross Corser         | 16        |
| 07/08       | Chris Brennan       | 659         | Chris Brennan          | 20.4         | Chris Brennan          | 9.3         | Abe Vella           | 31        |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>               |           | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> |            | <u>Highest Score</u> |             | <u>Position</u> |  |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------------|--|
| 97/98       | <b>Bevan Smith</b>                | <b>33</b> | <b>Ian Toomsala</b>      | <b>719</b> | Ian Toomsala         | 167         | Premiers        |  |
| 98/99       | John Fressard                     | 15        | Daniel Apps              | 499        | Daniel Apps          | 87          | 4th             |  |
| 99/00       | <i>No Team</i>                    |           | <i>No Team</i>           |            | <i>No Team</i>       |             | <i>No Team</i>  |  |
| 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       | <i>No Team</i>                    |           | <i>No Team</i>           |            | <i>No Team</i>       |             | <i>No Team</i>  |  |
| 03/04       | Joel Taylor                       | 12        | John Bremner             | 384        | John Bremner         | 121         | 6th             |  |
| 04/05       | Trent Hawkett                     | 15        | Anthony Evans            | 390        | <b>Trent Hawkett</b> | <b>170*</b> | Premiers        |  |
| 05/06       | Trent Hawkett                     | 21        | Mick Van Der Reyden      | 513        | Mick Van Der Reyden  | 163         | 6th             |  |
| 06/07       | J. Bremner, T. Hawkett, M. Wilson | 6         | John Bremner             | 420        | John Bremner         | 92          | 6th             |  |
| 07/08       | Trent Hawkett                     | 9         | Chris Brennan            | 204        | Chris Brennan        | 76          | 5th             |  |

# 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Award Winners

**Pointscore:** Glen Corcoran – 661

**Batting Average:** Glen Corcoran – 23.4

**Bowling Average:** Heath Lane – 12.3

## 5-Fors and 100's

Glen Corcoran 5/45 vs Riverstone, Round 1

Glen Corcoran 6/46 vs Freemans Reach, Round 5

Glen Corcoran 5/35 vs Freemans Reach, Round 14

Heath Lane 5/17 vs North Richmond, Round 13

Charlie Woodhouse 5/19 vs Maroota, Round 2

Glen Corcoran Double Hat-trick vs Freemans Reach,  
Round 5

## Team Bests

**Keeping:** Jason Stubbs – 8

**Field Catches:** Glen Corcoran – 6  
Heath Lane - 6

**Highest Score:** Jason Stubbs – 98

**Most Wickets:** Heath Lane – 29

**Most Runs:** Glen Corcoran – 211

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade - Year in Review

Due to the inclement weather, 2007/08 was one of the most frustrating seasons of cricket that I can remember. With over twenty five percent of games abandoned due to rain and others shortened to one-day matches, it was always going to be a battle of consistency. Unfortunately, a stable game didn't turn out to be our strongest asset, but what else could anyone expect from a group of guys who get together only on Saturday afternoon to test skills they learnt years ago. The lack of play also meant that we never actually completed a match against the competition winners, which also added to the annoyance.

That's not to say that things weren't enjoyable when we managed to get on the pitch and there were plenty of highlights.

Glen Corcoran took a sensational double hat-trick in round five. We all thought he'd be capable of this every week, but it just wasn't to be. He made up for it with the pergola christening however. Heath Lane also helped out by bowling the lions share of the overs (he's young and will get over it) and ended the season as the leading wicket taker.

Jason Stubbs made an outstanding 98 in our first game on the new Colonial ground. Steve Muller waited until the second last game to compile his stylish 91, again at Colonial, so both Steve and Jason missed out on the maiden century prize on offer there. Greg Lane and Dave Flood were robbed of potential 100's as well, both being dismissed in their early 50's. I would have been glad just to make a 50, but both Mark Sweeney and myself had enough not outs at the bottom of the order to make a case for a rise up the batting order next year. Steve 'Frosty' Winters on the other hand averaged over 30 with the bat, so it looks like he'll need to be promoted.

Jason Sweetman joined the club this year after a long absence from the game. He looked the part with both bat and ball and I know he's already working on being a little more available for next season. Ron Airey and David Lloyd also didn't get to play for us much this year. Ron was secreted away to play for 3rd Grade (as their commitment was lacking) and David suffered from work issues i.e. mother nature wanting to continually drop large chunks of ice onto people's roof's.

Danny Flood only managed a few innings before suffering an injury. This was disappointing given his exploits with the bat in the 2006/07 season. At least he was there for all of us to say "Sorry" and I'm sure there will be plenty more opportunities to express this to him again next season.

Paul Wright snuck in for a few games as well. Everyone agrees you need a Paul in your team. Someone with experience in stirring the pot and keeping things positive when required.

Andrew Coull HAD to play for us for a couple of games after Christmas, so this burglar won't get any further mention here.

Thanks to Daniel Magner, Joel Tynan, Charlie Woodhouse, Lachlan and the Butlers (Louis and David) who also helped us out during the season. Also thanks to Brendan, Pat and Hayden who were always there to sub-field if needed as well.

David Wassall  
Sometimes Captain – BPCC 4th Grade 2007/08

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 4th GRADE STATISTICS

| NAME              | BATTING |      |    |    |      |         | BOWLING |      |      |      |         | FIELDING |          |      | Points |
|-------------------|---------|------|----|----|------|---------|---------|------|------|------|---------|----------|----------|------|--------|
|                   | Mtchs   | Inns | NO | HS | Runs | Average | Overs   | Mdns | Runs | Wkts | Average | Ct (F)   | Ct (W/K) | Stpd |        |
| Glen Corcoran     |         | 10   | 1  | 39 | 211  | 23.4    | 132     | 30   | 405  | 26   | 15.6    | 6        | 0        | 0    | 661    |
| Heath Lane        |         | 10   | 2  | 14 | 46   | 5.8     | 132     | 31   | 356  | 29   | 12.3    | 6        | 0        | 0    | 541    |
| Steve Muller      |         | 10   | 1  | 91 | 197  | 21.9    | 62      | 14   | 218  | 8    | 27.3    | 3        | 1        | 0    | 362    |
| David Wassall     |         | 9    | 5  | 28 | 62   | 15.5    | 85      | 13   | 312  | 15   | 20.8    | 5        | 0        | 0    | 337    |
| Jason Stubbs      |         | 10   | 0  | 98 | 181  | 18.1    | 2       | 0    | 13   | 0    | N/A     | 2        | 7        | 1    | 321    |
| David Flood       |         | 10   | 0  | 55 | 202  | 20.2    | 5       | 2    | 5    | 1    | 5.0     | 2        | 0        | 0    | 237    |
| Greg Lane         |         | 7    | 0  | 50 | 134  | 19.1    | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 5        | 3        | 0    | 229    |
| Jason Sweetman    |         | 6    | 0  | 35 | 74   | 12.3    | 60      | 15   | 156  | 6    | 26.0    | 2        | 0        | 0    | 184    |
| Steve Winters     |         | 6    | 2  | 40 | 123  | 30.8    | 11      | 2    | 49   | 3    | 16.3    | 1        | 0        | 0    | 178    |
| Ron Airey         |         | 4    | 0  | 32 | 73   | 18.3    | 15      | 1    | 101  | 4    | 25.3    | 1        | 0        | 0    | 143    |
| Danny Flood       |         | 4    | 0  | 29 | 61   | 15.3    | 18      | 1    | 69   | 3    | 23.0    | 3        | 0        | 0    | 136    |
| Daniel Magner     |         | 5    | 0  | 32 | 58   | 11.6    | 2       | 0    | 11   | 0    | N/A     | 5        | 0        | 0    | 108    |
| Charlie Woodhouse |         | 3    | 0  | 2  | 2    | 0.7     | 11      | 1    | 32   | 6    | 5.3     | 1        | 0        | 0    | 102    |
| Joel Tynan        |         | 3    | 0  | 31 | 48   | 16.0    | 11      | 2    | 48   | 2    | 24.0    | 2        | 0        | 0    | 98     |
| Mark Sweeney      |         | 12   | 6  | 20 | 71   | 11.8    | 2       | 0    | 12   | 1    | 12.0    | 1        | 0        | 0    | 96     |
| Andrew Coull      |         | 1    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0.0     | 17      | 2    | 41   | 4    | 10.3    | 0        | 0        | 0    | 60     |
| David Lloyd       |         | 6    | 0  | 15 | 30   | 5.0     | 12      | 0    | 59   | 1    | 59.0    | 0        | 0        | 0    | 45     |
| Paul Wright       |         | 5    | 1  | 12 | 27   | 6.8     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 27     |
| David Butler      |         | 1    | 0  | 3  | 3    | 3.0     | 0       | 0    | 0    | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 3      |
| Lachlan Wassall   |         | 1    | 1  | 3  | 3    | N/A     | 2       | 0    | 13   | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 3      |
| Lewis Butler      |         | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | N/A     | 3       | 0    | 10   | 0    | N/A     | 0        | 0        | 0    | 0      |



# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 4th GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>   |            | <u>Batting Average</u> |              | <u>Bowling Average</u> |              | <u>Most Wickets</u>     |           |
|-------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| 97/98       | Glen Oneil          | 815        | Andrew Brazier         | 42.4         | Glen Oneil             | 17.19        | Glen Oneil              | 27        |
| 98/99       | Jason Stubbs        | 678        | Phill Hunt             | 25.36        | Jason Stubbs           | 16.06        | Jason Stubbs            | 33        |
| 99/00       | <i>No Team</i>      |            | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>          |           |
| 00/01       | Jason Stubbs        | 821        | <b>Jason Stubbs</b>    | <b>57.29</b> | Wanye Sargent          | 12.55        | D.VanderReyden,J.Stubbs | 26        |
| 01/02       | <b>Aaron Perrin</b> | <b>966</b> | Wanye Sargent          | 47.73        | Aaron Perrin           | 16.9         | Aaron Perrin            | 29        |
| 02/03       | Abe Vella           | 768        | Anthony Evans          | 30.8         | Abhinav Mathur         | 17.8         | <b>Abe Vella</b>        | <b>41</b> |
| 03/04       | <i>No Team</i>      |            | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>         |              | <i>No Team</i>          |           |
| 04/05       | John Bremner        | 757        | Aiden Porth            | 31.22        | Aaron Collinson        | 13.59        | Aaron Collinson         | 27        |
| 05/06       | Jason Stubbs        | 925        | Jason Stubbs           | 29.55        | <b>Jason Stubbs</b>    | <b>10.56</b> | Jason Stubbs            | 34        |
| 06/07       | Joe Conolly         | 921        | Steve Winters          | 37.6         | David Wassall          | 12.6         | David Wassall           | 31        |
| 07/08       | Glen Corcoran       | 661        | Glen Corcoran          | 23.4         | Heath Lane             | 12.3         | Heath Lane              | 29        |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u> |           | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> |            | <u>Highest Score</u>    |            | <u>Position</u> |  |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-----------------|--|
| 97/98       | Jason Donnelly      | 12        | Glen Oneil               | 435        | Andrew Brazier          | 114        |                 |  |
| 98/99       | David Hunt          | 17        | Phill Hunt               | 279        | <b>Peter Miller</b>     | <b>140</b> | Runners Up      |  |
| 99/00       | <i>No Team</i>      |           | <i>No Team</i>           |            | <i>No Team</i>          |            | <i>No Team</i>  |  |
| 00/01       | Bevan Smith         | 9         | Jason Stubbs             | 401        | Jason Stubbs            | 124        | 2nd             |  |
| 01/02       | Brian Sargent       | 17        | Wanye Sargent            | 525        | Wanye Sargent           | 133        | 3rd             |  |
| 02/03       | Mark Ross           | 13        | Anthony Evans            | 400        | Shane Pollard           | 95         | 4th             |  |
| 03/04       | <i>No Team</i>      |           | <i>No Team</i>           |            | <i>No Team</i>          |            | <i>No Team</i>  |  |
| 04/05       | <b>John Bremner</b> | <b>19</b> | John Bremner             | 437        | John Bremner            | 104        | Premiers        |  |
| 05/06       | Steve Clarke        | 10        | Steve Clarke             | 392        | Jason Stubbs            | 106*       | 3rd             |  |
| 06/07       | Mick Boyle          | 10        | <b>Joe Conolly</b>       | <b>531</b> | J. Conolly, G. Corcoran | 109        |                 |  |
| 07/08       | Jason Stubbs        | 9         | Glen Corcoran            | 211        | Jason Stubbs            | 98         | 5th             |  |

# 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Award Winners

**Pointscore:** Shane Stephenson – 939

**Batting Average:** Shane Stephenson – 51.0

**Bowling Average:** Andrew Coull – 9.3

## 5-Fors and 100's

**Scott Rogan 100n.o vs Windsor Leagues, Round 6**

**Shane Stephenson 111n.o. vs North Richmond, Round 2**

**Shane Stephenson 151n.o. vs Wilberforce, Final**

**Andrew Coull 5/38 vs North Richmond, Round 2**

**Andrew Coull 5/30 vs North Richmond, Round 3**

**Andrew Coull 5/39 vs Wilberforce, Round 4**

**Andrew Coull 5/16 vs Glossodia, Round 15**

**Andrew Coull 6/36 vs Windsor Leagues, Semi-Final**

**Shane Stephenson 5/33 vs Wilberforce, Round 14**

## Team Bests

**Keeping:** David Ryan – 30

**Field Catches:** Shane Stephenson – 9  
Damien Williams – 9

**Highest Score:** Shane Stephenson – 151\*

**Most Wickets:** Andrew Coull – 46

**Most Runs:** Shane Stephenson – 459

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade - Year in Review

It was a very successful season, which unfortunately fell just a little short. I wish to thank all the players this year, I very much enjoyed playing cricket with you all and hope that we can do it all again later this year.

We had a good year all round. The season was a real team effort, and there was always someone that stepped up with the bat or the ball when others failed. No one player dominated the team with their performances and that is a sign of a good team.

There were some notable performances though that I feel need to be noted.

We were beaten in the Grand Final, although we scared the daylight out of Wilberforce with a second innings effort that will be remembered by those who saw it, for a long time.

Shane STEPHENSON'S 150 n.o. In the second innings was an absolute joy to watch. He hit 15 6's in his innings, some that cleared the road at Breakaway, and he totally dismantled a bowling attack that had dominated all teams in 5<sup>th</sup> grade throughout the year. This innings allowed me to declare and gave us a chance of winning the game. When we took 4 wickets in the second innings, some concern from Wilbo was evident.

It was a big year for Shane, who scored his first 50, and went on in that innings to turn this milestone into his first ton. He then went on to win the Bradman Medal with the innings I have already described.

Andrew COUL mesmerised batsmen with his swing bowling, sometimes off the long run.

Gavin HYDE battled hard, with not a lot of opportunity, and took some vital wickets. New to the club was Gavin CLEVERLY whose accurate lengthy spells of bowling and aggressive opening batting so often placed us into good early positions.

Steve MAGNER filled any hole in the batting or bowling order that I asked him to. He scored some runs and took some wickets throughout the year, bowling some spin and some occasional medium pace. I must make mention of his enormous effort during the Grand Final. We went into Grand Final without one front line bowler, and then had two others break down throughout the match. Steve stepped up bowled his heart out with the new ball for lengthy spells, and really kept us in the match. His effort in the Grand Final was outstanding.

Aaron COLE dug out of a few holes with the bat, and his batting got better and better as the year went on. His gully fielding was as usual, very good. He was nearly back to the Aaron of old.

To me one of the greatest highlights of the year was the first grade debut of Damien WILLIAMS. Fortunately for Damo this occasion was commemorated in the Gazette with a photograph of him batting and playing a shot (of sorts). The caption read '... Bligh Park First Grader Damien WILLIAMS...' I am told by contacts at the Gazette that this issue was their first issue to be sold out since their Royal Wedding Souvenir addition in 1984!

Rumour has it that you are able to buy some signed copies in Perth??????

Thanks again to everyone for your efforts throughout the year. It was a pleasure to Captain a great team of blokes, who enjoyed themselves playing a game we all love.

See you all in the up coming season.

Scott ROGAN



# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 5th GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>           | <u>Batting Average</u>      | <u>Bowling Average</u>  | <u>Most Wickets</u>     |
|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                     | No Team                     | No Team                 | No Team                 |
| 98/99       | Mark Thomas 491             | Mark Thomas 21.82           | B. McCarthy 25.88       | B. McCarthy 17          |
| 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       | No Team                     | No Team                     | No Team                 | No Team                 |
| 02/03       | <b>Jason Armstrong 1207</b> | <b>Jason Armstrong 53.0</b> | John Byrne 18.7         | J.Taylor/A.Collinson 27 |
| 03/04       | Daniel Hamerlok 734         | Daniel Hamerlok 43.9        | Nick Richardson 11.24   | Nick Richardson 33      |
| 04/05       | Mark Ross 814               | Mark Ross 24.94             | Chris Bilson 17.37      | Chris Bilson 30         |
| 05/06       | David Wassall 677           | Steven Winters 27.0         | David Wassall 11.32     | David Wassall 34        |
| 06/07       | No Team                     | No Team                     | No Team                 | No Team                 |
| 07/08       | Shane Stephenson 939        | Shane Stephenson 51.0       | <b>Andrew Coull 9.3</b> | <b>Andrew Coull 46</b>  |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>  | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> | <u>Highest Score</u>   | <u>Position</u> |
|-------------|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| 97/98       | No Team              | No Team                  | No Team                | No Team         |
| 98/99       | C. McCarthy 7        | Mark Thomas 371          | Mark Thomas 105        | 6th             |
| 99/00       | Jarad Larnach 10     | Ted Langford 320         | <b>Mark Thomas 171</b> | 4th             |
| 00/01       | Jarad Larnach 13     | Aaron Perrin 384         | Aaron Perrin 112       | 5th             |
| 01/02       | No Team              | No Team                  | No Team                | No Team         |
| 02/03       | Stuart Taylor 14     | <b>John Bremner 783</b>  | John Bremner 137       | Premiers        |
| 03/04       | Shane Pollard 13     | Daniel Hamerlok 439      | Daniel Hamerlok 97     | Runners Up      |
| 04/05       | Mark Ross 17         | Mark Ross 449            | Greg Lane 95           | 5th             |
| 05/06       | Glen Corcoran 9      | Joe Conolly 403          | Martin Crew 96         | 6th             |
| 06/07       | No Team              | No Team                  | No Team                | No Team         |
| 07/08       | <b>David Ryan 30</b> | Shane Stephenson 459     | Shane Stephenson 151*  | Runners Up      |

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 6th GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>        | <u>Batting Average</u>   | <u>Bowling Average</u>      | <u>Most Wickets</u>     |
|-------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                  | No Team                  | No Team                     | No Team                 |
| 98/99       | No Team                  | No Team                  | No Team                     | No Team                 |
| 99/00       | No Team                  | No Team                  | No Team                     | No Team                 |
| 00/01       |                          | Brian Sargent 48.89      | Matt Van der Reyden 12.37   | Matt Van der Reyden 27  |
| 01/02       | Jared Larach 828         | Scott Tuckerman 41.67    | <b>Jarrold Larach 10.83</b> | Ross Corser 40          |
| 02/03       | Nick Richardson 928      | Mitchel Regan 37.7       | Nick Richardson 13.5        | Nick Richardson 41      |
| 03/04       | Matt Herbert 899         | Matt Herbert 32.07       | Adam Schmidt 13.27          | <b>Wayne Sargent 44</b> |
| 04/05       | Scott Rogan 866          | Scott Rogan 52.21        | Nathan Cole 14.49           | Nathan Cole 37          |
| 05/06       | Andrew Coull 910         | Andrew Coull 30.71       | Andrew Sumner 12.6          | Andrew Coull 30         |
| 06/07 (w)   | Andrew Coull 741         | <b>Danny Flood 70.28</b> | Andrew Coull 15.58          | Shane Stephenson 34     |
| 06/07 (b)   | <b>Bill Crawford 941</b> | Bill Crawford 41         | Gavin Hyde 17.3             | Gavin Hyde 40           |
| 07/08       | No Team                  | No Team                  | No Team                     | No Team                 |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>       | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> | <u>Highest Score</u>    | <u>Position</u>     |
|-------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                   | No Team                  | No Team                 | No Team             |
| 98/99       | No Team                   | No Team                  | No Team                 | No Team             |
| 99/00       | No Team                   | No Team                  | No Team                 | No Team             |
| 00/01       |                           | Brian Sargent 440        | Brian Sargent 128       | 5th                 |
| 01/02       | Mark Knox 10              | John Bremner 423         | Scott Tuckerman 117     | Runners up          |
| 02/03       | <b>Steve Cole 21</b>      | Mitchel Regan 566        | Mick Van der Reyden 160 | 3rd                 |
| 03/04       | <b>Scott Blackwood 21</b> | Michael Byrne 508        | Michael Byrne 138       | 3rd                 |
| 04/05       | S Blackwood/ S Rogan 12   | <b>Scott Rogan 731</b>   | Michael Byrne 122       | Minor Premiers      |
| 05/06       | Stephen Cole 14           | Andrew Coull 430         | Andrew Coull 102*       | 5th                 |
| 06/07 (w)   | David Ryan 18             | Scott Rogan 526          | <b>Danny Flood 191*</b> | 2nd (semi-finalist) |
| 06/07 (b)   | Matthew Andrews 10        | Bill Crawford 656        | Bill Crawford 130*      | 5th                 |
| 07/08       | No Team                   | No Team                  | No Team                 | No Team             |

# 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Award Winners

|                         |                            |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Pointscore:</b>      | <b>Ben Mitchell - 763</b>  |
| <b>Batting Average:</b> | <b>Ben Mitchell – 30.3</b> |
| <b>Bowling Average:</b> | <b>Paul Cowley – 8.6</b>   |

## 5-Fors and 100's

**Steve Clark 6-32 vs Glossodia, Round 4**

**Steve Clark 5-47 vs Glossodia, Round 14**

## Team Bests

|                       |                           |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Keeping:</b>       | <b>Justin Logue – 13</b>  |
| <b>Field Catches:</b> | <b>Ben Mitchell – 10</b>  |
| <b>Highest Score:</b> | <b>Ben Mitchell – 71</b>  |
| <b>Most Wickets:</b>  | <b>Paul Cowley - 29</b>   |
| <b>Most Runs:</b>     | <b>Ben Mitchell - 303</b> |

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade - Year in Review

Well that was fun!!!

I am sure everyone had a good time in 7th grade this year, we had a great bunch of guys who all got on really well together.

We tried to be as competitive as we could, and also tried to give everyone a go at bowling and batting, the game was always played in a good spirit (except when our mad captain had "junior" Phelps bowling spin to help his average, and he still got wickets!!).

We made the semis in 2nd spot, all feeling pretty happy and confident, but the old heads at Glossodia put us to the sword, and showed up our weaknesses. They completely outplayed us in this match and deserved to go through to the final and went on to win.

Some special awards and a little bit about our players:

**Catch of the year:** Tie between Ben Mitchell & Steve Clark

Both on the boundary, running 20 metres, diving and taking a blinder, same catch same position in two different games.

**Drop of the year:** Ashley Johnson

Running around the boundary leaps in the air knocks it down at full stretch saves six, we will teach you to catch next season!!!!

**Partnership of the year:** Dave Phelps & Brett Egan

A 58 run partnership for the 9th wicket, no doubt won the game for us, from two guys who said they couldn't hold a bat at the start of the season. Both improved their batting out of sight.

**Most improved player:** Josh Dickie "Captain Josh" "biggus" "big red"

Improved his batting throughout the year, bowling was great, took 4 good catches much to the surprise of his junior coach, who calls him Codral (couldn't catch a cold). Biggest improvement was in attitude and commitment.

**Most valuable player:** Mick Byrne "Monty"

Monty did a great job of opening the batting (just ask him), fielded like a "demon", on many occasions outrunning the kids to get to the ball, and bowled brilliantly when called upon (just ask him), was under-bowled all season (just ask him). First man chosen next season.

**Most memorable bowling:** Sascha Hottwagner

Bowled one over to Glossodia's no 11, (who just happens to be 73 years of age) and gets "smashed" for six over mid-wicket.

### **The team**

Craig Hazell (captain of vice) "Nuts" "Fat Assassin"

Solid batsman, wily left arm spinner, runs and chases all day in the field (with 130kg)

Reads the game like a pro, should get buckets of runs next year.

Nicholas Cowley "Nick" "mini micro box" "capoffnick"

First year of any cricket, hard to believe but started the year as a bigger pain in the ... than his old man. After a couple of games, realized it is a game of a team of eleven not eleven individuals, and then started to try his heart out. Had a bowl a few times, did well, learnt a lot by the seasons end. Will go well next year.



Justin Logue "Bodgie"

Was sorely missed the few games he could not play, set a HUGE standard of fielding every match with his brilliant keeping, did not drop a catch all year, as said last year could keep for any grade and do them proud.

Brett Egan "Phar Lap"

Every game was a delight to have Brett on the field, never had a day without a beaming smile, enjoyed every minute of the game. Bowled better as the year went on, even though he said he could not bat, showed great technique and guts when needed. Fielded like a 16 year old.

Sascha Hottwagner "The Rock" "Tendulkar"

Opened the batting most games, and as in previous years was "solid as a rock". A delight to captain, fields enthusiastically in any position. Always puts the team before himself. Bowling ..... see above??

Dave Phelps "Junior" "Dave the cricket"

Was the spearhead of our bowling, and when re-graded left a huge hole to fill. Tried his guts out every game. Took 8 catches in 8 games, never looked like dropping one. Came into the team claiming he could not hold a bat, finished being a genuine all rounder. Need him back next year!!!

Steve Clark "Clarkie"

Another who can do it all, bowls slow medium, quick medium, leg spin, wrong uns and flippers, all in the same over!!!  
Smart batsman, can hit when needed and can dig in when needed. Brilliant fielder.

Tony Dickie "Big T"

Came into the game as a part timer, opened the bowling nearly every game. Loved the game (and a beer afterwards), batting, well next year we will send Adele in for him!!!  
Memorable moment: Caught Dickie-bowled Dickie- scored by Dickie.

Ashley Johnson "The ash man" "Rashley" "Tonka 1"

A recruit from baseball, and wow!! can he hit the ball, bowled well when needed, and kept well when Bodgie was unavailable. Great young fella, with Ben great potential.

Ben Mitchell "Big Ben" "Tonka 2"

We saw last year Ben has HUGE potential, has improved his batting out of sight, and will get even better. Bowled great all year, deserves to go up to 3rd or 4th grade.

Mick Byrne(s) "Monty" "Mr Byrnes"

Mick you would never believe is the oldest player in the team, he would frequently outspurt the juniors to the ball in the field (yes Nick & Josh should hang their head). Caught brilliantly all year, as always batted well, and had a knack of picking up a couple of wickets with the ball. Great man to have in any team.

A very big thank you to some terrific juniors who played a big part in our getting to the semi finals. We look forward to seeing them as regulars next season.  
Jason Corcoran, Jacob Magner, Ben Connolly & Rory Dodds

Many thanks from all the players to Adele Dickie.

Paul Cowley



# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 7th GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>           | <u>Batting Average</u>     | <u>Bowling Average</u>      | <u>Most Wickets</u>   |
|-------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                     | No Team                    | No Team                     | No Team               |
| 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       | <b>Nick Richardson 1182</b> | 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     |
| 04/05 White | Chris Brennan 907           | David Ryan 44.8            | Chris Brennan 9.59          | Chris Brennan 29      |
| 04/05 Blue  | Andrew Sumner 826           | Shaun Brown 22.6           | Andrew Sumner 17.5          | Andrew Sumner 34      |
| 05/06       | Jeff Ryan 928               | <b>Matt Nicholls 65.33</b> | <b>Matt Nicholls 4.87</b>   | <b>Jeff Ryan 40</b>   |
| 06/07       | Paul Cowley 956             | Paul Cowley 25.9           | Paul Cowley 12              | <b>Paul Cowley 40</b> |
| 07/08       | Ben Mitchell 763            | Ben Mitchell 30.3          | Paul Cowley 8.6             | Paul Cowley 29        |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>       | <u>Batting Aggregate</u>   | <u>Highest Score</u>            | <u>Position</u>     |
|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| 97/98       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team                         | No Team             |
| 98/99       | Steve Cole 17             | Mark. Van der Reyden 406   | <b>Mark Van der Reyden 159*</b> |                     |
| 99/00       |                           | Luke Carlisle 589          | Luke Carlisle 103*              | 3rd                 |
| 00/01       | No Team                   | No Team                    | No Team                         | No Team             |
| 01/02       | Steve Cole 10             | <b>Nick Richardson 607</b> | 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                 |
| 04/05 White | Jeff Ryan 16              | Chris Brennan 372          | Jeff Ryan 154                   | Minor Premiers      |
| 04/05 Blue  | Dylan Parker 8            | Shaun Brown 339            | Shaun Brown 88                  | 6th                 |
| 05/06       | <b>Michael Reardon 25</b> | David Flood 436            | Danny Flood 96                  | 2nd                 |
| 06/07       | Ben Mitchell 14           | Paul Cowley 311            | Tom Turner 71                   | 6th                 |
| 07/08       | Justin Logue 11           | Ben Mitchell 303           | Ben Mitchell 71                 | 2nd (Semi-Finalist) |

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## 8th-9th GRADE HALL OF FAME

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Pointscore</u>    |      | <u>Batting Average</u> |       | <u>Bowling Average</u> |       | <u>Most Wickets</u>  |    |
|-------------|----------------------|------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|----------------------|----|
| 97/98       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |
| 98/99       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |
| 99/00       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |
| 00/01       |                      |      |                        |       |                        |       |                      |    |
| 01/02 (9)   | Paul Lambourne       | 831  | Martin Holt            | 20.5  | Luke Hagerty           | 13.44 | Luke Hagerty         | 32 |
| 03/04 (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 |    |
| 04/05       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |
| 05/06       | Stephen Baker        | 1026 | Sam Belcastro          | 48.29 | Stephen Baker          | 12.56 | Stephen Baker        | 39 |
| 06/07       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |
| 07/08       | No Grade this season |      | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season   |       | No Grade this season |    |

  

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Most Catches</u>    |           | <u>Batting Aggregate</u> |     | <u>Highest Score</u> |     | <u>Position</u>      |  |
|-------------|------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----|----------------------|-----|----------------------|--|
| 97/98       | No Grade this season   |           |                          |     |                      |     |                      |  |
| 98/99       | No Grade this season   |           |                          |     |                      |     |                      |  |
| 99/00       | No Grade this season   |           |                          |     |                      |     |                      |  |
| 00/01       |                        |           |                          |     |                      |     |                      |  |
| 01/02 (9)   |                        |           | Martin Holt              | 369 | Jarad Larnach        | 52* | 5th                  |  |
| 03/04 (8)   | <b>Norm Dickinoski</b> | <b>17</b> | Paul Lambourne           | 324 | Martin Holt          | 69  | 4th                  |  |
| 03/04       | No Grade this season   |           | No Grade this season     |     | Steve Magnar         | 116 | 8th                  |  |
| 04/05       | No Grade this season   |           | No Grade this season     |     | No Grade this season |     | No Grade this season |  |
| 05/06       | Mark Stachan           | 14        | Stephen Baker            | 421 | No Grade this season |     | No Grade this season |  |
| 06/07       | No Grade this season   |           | No Grade this season     |     | Bill Crawford        | 140 | 3rd                  |  |
| 07/08       | No Grade this season   |           | No Grade this season     |     | No Grade this season |     | No Grade this season |  |

# BLIGH PARK CRICKET CLUB

## ALL TIME HALL OF FAME

| <b>Year</b> | <b>Pointscore</b>             |             | <b>Batting Average</b>      |              | <b>Bowling Average</b>             |             | <b>Most Wickets</b>            |           |
|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 97/98       | Ian Toomsala (3rd)            | 1149        | Ian Toomsala (3rd)          | 59.91        | Glen Oneill (4th)                  | 17.19       | Ian Toomsala (3rd)             | 37        |
| 98/99       | Ken Leach (5th)               | 718         | Tim Twomey 2nd)             | 44.00        | Daniel Van der Reyden(7th)         | 14.71       | Scott Fairburn ( 2nd)          | 34        |
| 99/00       | Wayne Sargent (7th)           | 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        | Jarad Lanach (6th)                 | 10.83       | Ross Corser (6th)              | 40        |
| 02/03       | <b>Jason Armstrong ( 5th)</b> | <b>1207</b> | Jason Armstrong ( 5th)      | 53.00        | Nick Richardson (6th)              | 13.50       | A.Vella / N.Richardson         | 41        |
| 03/04       | Matt Herbert (6th)            | 889         | Daniel Hamerlok 5th)        | 43.90        | Nick Richardson (5th)              | 11.24       | Wayne Sargent (6th)            | 44        |
| 04/05       | Chris Brennan (7th)           | 907         | Scott Rogan (6th)           | 52.21        | Chris Brennan (7th)                | 9.59        | Nathan Cole (6th)              | 37        |
| 05/06       | Mick Van Der Reyden (3rd/1st) | 1143        | Matt Nicholls (7th)         | 65.3         | <b>Matt Nicholls (7th)</b>         | <b>4.87</b> | Jeff Ryan (7th)                | 40        |
| 06/07       | Paul Cowley (7th)             | 956         | <b>Danny Flood (6th)</b>    | <b>70.28</b> | Paul Cowley (7th)                  | 12.00       | Geoff Drury (1st)              | 41        |
| 07/08       | Shane Stephenson (5th)        | 939         | Shane Stephenson (5th)      | 51.0         | Andrew Coull (5th)                 | 9.30        | <b>Andrew Coull (5th)</b>      | <b>46</b> |
|             | <b>Most Fielding Catches</b>  |             | <b>Batting Aggregate</b>    |              | <b>Highest Score</b>               |             | <b>Most Keeping Dismissals</b> |           |
| 97/98       | Glen Oneill (4th)             | 11          | Ian Toomsala (3rd)          | 719          | Ian Toomsala (3rd)                 | 167         | <b>Bevan Smith (3rd)</b>       | <b>38</b> |
| 98/99       | Unknown                       |             | Daniel Apps (3rd)           | 499          | Tim Twomey 2nd)                    | 166         | David Hunt (4th)               | 17        |
| 99/00       | Unknown                       |             | Luke Carlisle (7th)         | 589          | Mark Thomas (5th)                  | 171*        | John Fressard (3rd)            | 19        |
| 00/01       | Unknown                       |             | Brian Sargent (6th)         | 440          | <b>Mick Vander Reyden (U/14'S)</b> | <b>210*</b> | John Fressard (3rd)            | 32        |
| 01/02       | Unknown                       |             | Nick Richardson (7th)       | 607          | Nick Richardson (7th)              | 140*        | John Fressard (3rd)            | 22        |
| 02/03       | Stuart Taylor (5th)           | 14          | <b>John Bremner (5th)</b>   | <b>783</b>   | Scott Tuckerman (5th)              | 185         | John Fressard (2rd)            | 26        |
| 03/04       | Shane Pollard (5th)           | 13          | Mick Byrne (6th)            | 508          | Mick Byrne (6th)                   | 138         | Scott Blackwood (6th)          | 21        |
| 04/05       | <b>Jeff Ryan</b>              | <b>16</b>   | Scott Rogan (6th)           | 731          | Trent Hawkett (3rd)                | 170*        | John Bremner (4th)             | 19        |
| 05/06       | Shane Stephenson (7th)        | 11          | Mick Van Der Reyden( 3/1st) | 673          | S.Tuckerman/ M.Vanderreyden        | 163         | Scott Tuckerman (2nd)          | 34        |
| 06/07       | Ben Mitchell (7th)            | 14          | Bill Crawford (6th)         | 656          | Danny Flood (6th)                  | 191*        | Dave Ryan (6th)                | 16        |
| 07/08       | Ben Mitchell (7th)            | 10          | Shane Stephenson (5th)      | 459          | Luke Mannell (1st)                 | 152*        | Dave Ryan (5th)                | 30        |