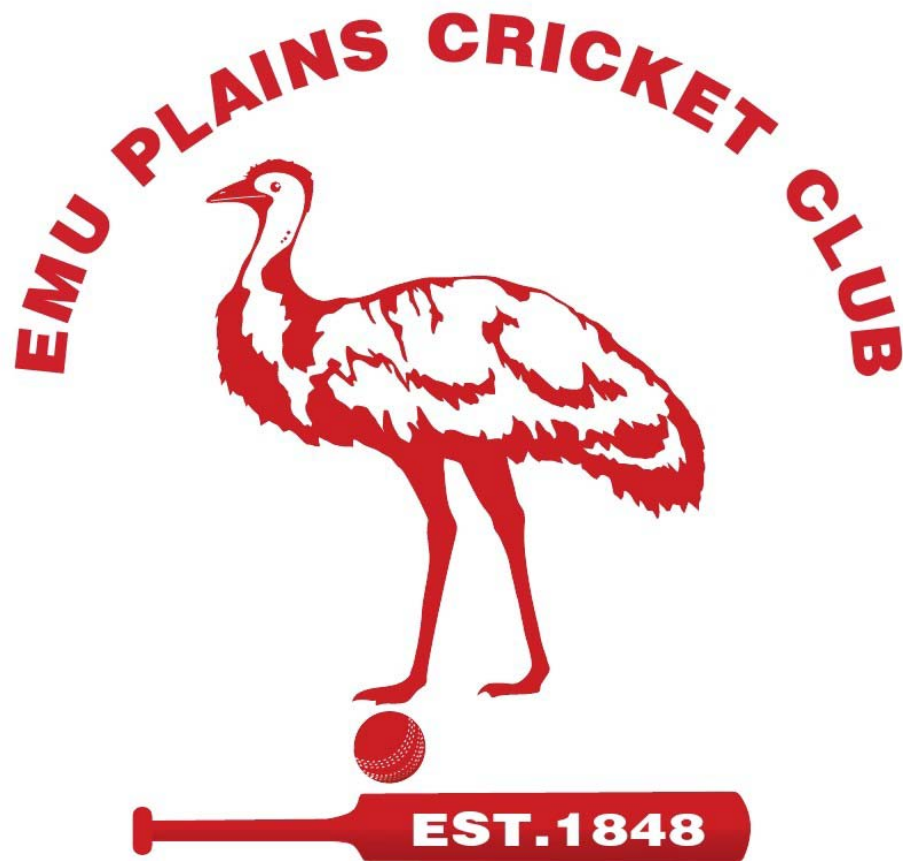


EMU PLAINS CRICKET CLUB INC.



SEASON REPORT 2012 / 2013

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OFFICE BEARERS

PATRONS

Alma Ristau (appointed 1996)
Lionel Gylar (1996)

Eddie Ristau (1996)
Phil & Phyllis Huthnance (2006)

Betty Coleman (1996)

LIFE MEMBERS

Leslie Mitchell (appointed 1990)
Garry Ross (1992)
Tony Hoy (1992)
Darran Harvey (2004)
Miles Anderson (2007)
Andrew Williams (2012)

Paul Ryan (1990)
Peter Watts (1992)
Lionel Gylar (1996)
Martin Romer (2004)
Trevor Wilson (2008)
Martin Bowerman (2013)

Tim Pedlar (1992)
Peter Mitchell (1992)
George Stanowski (2000)
Greg Bottrill (2005)
Jamie Large (2010)

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President: Martin Bowerman
Secretary: Jim Micsko

Vice-President: Sam Barbaro
Junior Secretary: Elizabeth Dowd

Treasurer: Ange Barbaro

Committee members: Sue Masters, Chris Longhurst, Ryan Graham, Regan Rist, Andrew Kennedy, Andrew Luzzi, Margot Drake, Lee Gray, Kim Longhurst.

SENIOR PREMIERSHIPS

1st Grade: Evans Memorial Shield

1923/24, 1925/26, 1931/32, 1932/33, 1935/36,
1937/38, 1946/47, 1947/48, 1948/49, 1949/50,
1950/51, 1951/52, 1952/53, 1955/56, 1957/58,
1993/94, 1995/96, 1997/98, 1990/00*, 2012/13

2nd Grade: Donald Reay Memorial Trophy

1990/91, 1996/97, 1999/00, 2007/08, 2009/10, 2011/12, 2012/13

3rd Grade: W & E Cammack Trophy

1993/94, 1995/96

4th Grade: Trevor Wholohan Trophy

1990/91

5th Grade: Darcy Smith Shield

1979/80, 1992/93, 1999/00, 2007/08

6th Grade: Howell Cup

1996/97

7th Grade: T.J. Rance Trophy

1980/81

8th Grade: Nepean Cup

2012/13

9th Grade: J.L. Mason Trophy

1996/97

“A” Grade Twenty20 Cup

2011/12

“B” Grade Twenty20 Cup

2008/09, 2009/10

* 1999/00 1st Grade Premiership declared vacant by NDCA after Club was deemed to have breached a player eligibility rule.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Emu Plains Cricket Club established itself in season 2012/13 as undoubtedly the pre-eminent Club within our district, with a fabulously successful season. Three senior and two junior premierships was our best season in recent history and something that was well deserved for everyone involved. As a Club we have been quietly building toward something like this for a while now.

To our 1st Grade, 2nd Grade, 8th Grade, u/14 Div 1 and u/11 sides, sincere congratulations from the whole Club. As well, our 4th Grade and u/13 sides, who were losing Grand Finalists.

It would be remiss of me if I didn't single out 1st Grade for a special mention. Despite going agonisingly close on a number of occasions, this is the first 1st Grade premiership for the Club since 1997/98 (we had one stripped from us in 1999/00). Well done to captain Martin Romer and the rest of the team, so thoroughly deserved. It's been a long time coming.

I outline below some other highlights of a truly memorable year:

- The Club ran its inaugural Fun Run on the weekend prior to the start of the season. Won impressively by young Ben Romer, we are hoping that this 10k run can become a regular feature of our Club activities. It was a great opportunity for the Senior and Junior parts of our Club to mix, with 45 people taking part. Get training for Run 2 in September.
- Our Milo In-2-Cricket Program was another great success, with 45 children enrolled, and supervised wonderfully again by Chris Longhurst and his team.
- We had more than 20 of our junior cricketers selected in PJCA representative sides.
- Our female cricketers were given a chance to participate in an event during the SCG Test Match in January.
- The introduction of the Club's Facebook page, which provided a great opportunity for match score updates and general encouragement across all the grades.
- The staging of an intra-Club 7-a-side competition on the final Saturday before Christmas again provided an opportunity for senior and junior interaction. It was pleasing to see the winning side was made up of a mix of seniors and juniors. This proved to be a very successful day for the Club and will be on the calendar again for 2013/14.
- The efforts of our 4th Grade side, ably led by Alex Mullen, to contribute to the Pink Stumps Day initiative, raising a significant amount of money for an extremely worthwhile cause.
- The Club touring Hawaii for the third time and regaining the Currie Cup with a last ball win in Honolulu.
- And, did I mention the 5 Premierships!

Thank you to all the team captains, Junior coaches, managers and parents, for your commitment throughout the year. Organising our 200+ cricketers does not happen without hard work, and on behalf of the committee please know that these efforts are appreciated.

The Club's committee has again undertaken a tremendous workload throughout the season. We expanded our numbers slightly this year enabling us to share the workload a bit, which worked well. To all of you, particularly Jim Micsko, thank you very much for your selfless efforts.

Sadly, Liz Dowd, our Junior Secretary for the past several years, has informed me that she will not be re-nominating for the post next season. Personally I will very much miss Liz's passion, work ethic and humour. She has made many meetings and registration days just that bit more bearable. More importantly, the Club has now got a very big hole to fill. All the best Liz, and a very big thank you on behalf of the whole Club.

As always, I encourage anyone who would like to contribute to the Club through a position on the committee to attend our AGM. A date will be announced in due course.

All the best to all involved with our fantastic Club.

Martin Bowerman, President

TREASURER'S REPORT

EMU PLAINS CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED Statement of Income and Expenditure as at 31 March 2013

Income		Expenditure	
Junior Registrations	\$5,930.00	Equipment, Clothing and Plant Purchases	\$8,426.42
Senior Registrations	\$8,490.00	Phone, Fax, Internet & Website	\$169.00
In2Cricket Registrations	\$1,380.00	Postage	\$118.20
Income from Previous Season	\$300.00	Umpires	\$400.00
Uniforms/equipment	\$1,797.70	Junior Team Registrations	\$2,950.00
Bank Account Interest	\$1.23	Senior Team Registrations	\$2,800.00
Sales	\$1,265.30	In2Cricket	\$2,025.00
Miscellaneous Cash Receipts	\$265.40	Nepean High School - Hire of Fields	\$500.00
Presentation	\$440.00	Bank Fees	\$10.94
		Turf Wicket fees	\$950.00
		*Miscellaneous Expenses	\$4,622.26

Total Income	<u>\$19,869.63</u>	Total Expenditure	<u>\$22,971.82</u>
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Opening Balance 31/3/2012	\$6,280.37
Closing Balance 31/3/2013	\$11,370.27
Current Balance 08/04/2013	\$12,370.27

Note: As per previous years, the senior registration fee collection has proven difficult for captains as evidenced by there being approximately 40 players who have not paid their registrations by the time of the presentation. This represents \$3,145 that is outstanding.

This fee collection then unfairly falls to other committee members and the ladies at the door on the night of the presentation. Considering this should be an enjoyable night for all, these players should think seriously about paying the fees well before the presentation directly to their captains so that the presentation can be a night of celebration in place of a fee collection event.

Also note that the figures are not audited and a full list of accounts will be presented at the AGM in July.

Ange Barbaro, Treasurer

*Includes in2Cricket expenses from 2011-12 \$1,799.82 and Presentation \$1,000.00

SENIOR REPORT

What a fantastic season for the Club. I'd like to add my congratulations to all junior and senior premierships winning sides, commiserations to those that narrowly missed out and a big thank you to everyone involved in the running of this great Club. One hundred and twelve players played senior cricket for us in 2012/13 with almost 72% of players playing 7 games or more.

At the start of each season, the Committee aims to place teams into grades where we believe they will be competitive but also face a challenge. I think, for the most part, we achieved this goal in 2012/13 with 6 out of the 7 senior sides making the semi finals, an improvement over an excellent 2011/12 season which saw 4 out of 7 into the semis. Where we improved even more over last season was the winning of 3 senior premierships which has not happened for the Club since the 1996/97 season when we won 2nd, 6th and 9th Grades.

The most pleasing part about being involved with this Club is the way the teams work together with captains helping each other out over the weekend so all teams get to field a full side. The Club Spirit and camaraderie shown is fantastic and goes a long way towards a successful season like this. It may have been only 3 of the 7 senior teams winning their actual premierships but success was celebrated by everyone in the Club and shared with everyone in the Club. It takes a lot of time and effort by many people to keep the Club chugging along and seasons like this confirm that the effort is well worth it.

I'm particularly pleased for the 1st Grade side which has been building up to this for a number of years now. After 16 long years without a 1st Grade title (after the NDCA took away the 99/00 winning premiership), it was nice to see Marty holding the Evans Shield aloft. The fact that it was Panthers that they defeated will go some way to easing the pain of the drubbing given to us by Panthers in the Club's last 1st Grade Grand Final appearance in 2006/07. "Survivors" from that team are Marty, Andrew Williams, Andrew Pesle, Craig Sheens and Jason Shandler and it is terrific that they all got a chance to be involved in winning this title. Another highlight was Andrew Williams winning the "Dickie Williams Medal", named in honour of his late father, for the player of the match in the Grand Final.

The Club placed 2nd in the NDCA Club Championship, narrowly missing 1st spot. After winning this for the first time in 2010/11 we are keen to regain the Ray Jordan Shield.

The Facebook page got a lot of use over the season as the Club's social media strategy kicked in ☺ It was always good to catch up on all team's performances over the weekend and I'd encourage all captains to keep using this facility next season.

Sadly, after six years, Liz Dowd is hanging up her boots as Junior Secretary. It has been fantastic working alongside Liz over all of these years and her passion and commitment to the Club will be sorely missed and even harder to replace. Year after year Liz has gone above and beyond the call of duty to ensure that all junior players are well looked after, treated fairly and made to feel a part of this wonderful Club. We wish Liz all the very best for the future and thank her wholeheartedly for her efforts over the last six years.

The Club is again entering a team into the SMCC Winter Cricket competition and we wish the side well over the coming months.

Finally, we are venturing back to Hawaii for the fourth annual trip in June/July. As current holders of the "Currie Cup", you can bet the Honolulu CC boys will be keen to exact revenge and reclaim the Cup as theirs. As always, the tours are great fun and anyone wishing to join in is more than welcome to come along for the ride.

Congratulations again to all involved with the Emu Plains Cricket Club. I look forward to seeing you all at the nets in August as we kick off the 2013/14 season.

Jim Micsko, Secretary

JUNIOR REPORT

Wow! It's been a whirlwind season of cricket. Four of our junior teams made it to the finals and two were victorious in winning the top position in their age group and division.

This season we had a total of 116 players registered to play in the red and white, forming nine junior teams; one team in each of the Under 9 and U10 age groups, two teams in each of the Under 11 and 12 age groups and one team each in the Under 13, 14 and 16 age groups.

Four of our teams made it into the semi-finals – U11 Johnson, U12 Gillies, U13 and U14 Division 1. Unfortunately the U12 Gillies didn't even have the chance to take the field due to rain, and so were runners up in their competition based on points. The U13 team took to the field against Glenmore Park and although Glenmore Park walked away with the win, our mighty U13 team were great ambassadors for the club and themselves. The U11 Johnson team continued their dominance of their age group and took out their second premiership in two years! Congratulations Terry, John and the team!! Similarly, the U14/1 team came back with renewed vigour and took out their third premiership in the red and white. Congratulations Peter, Richard and the team. Fantastic work!

We had an unprecedented number of juniors in the higher age groups scoring centuries this season.

Congratulations to:

Simon Masters

2012-13 U16 Div 2

117 runs

Rd 6 vs. Springwood

109* runs

Rd 8 vs. Penrith RSL Gold

Bailey McNulty

2012-13 U13

116* runs

Rd 2 vs. Penrith RSL

Hugh Kermond

2012-13 U14 Div 1

111 runs

Rd 1 vs. St Clair Hawks

Nicholas Arnold

2012-13 U14 Div 1

100* runs

Rd 1 vs. St Clair Hawks

Isaac Kennedy

2012-13 U13

100* runs

Rd 3 vs. St Clair Hawks

Twenty-eight of our talented players were selected to represent Penrith in the NSW Districts Cricket Competition. Our players and official representatives for 2012-13 were:

U16 C S Watson Shield	Simon Masters
U16 President's Cup	Christopher Hinkley
U15 E G Weblin Shield	Mikayla Hinkley
U14 Harold Moore Shield	Nicholas Arnold
	Hugh Kermond
U14 President's Cup	Aidan King
	Brendon Speechley
	Max Turner
U13 Walter Gee Shield	Murray Miles
	Jarrold Morley
U13 President's Cup	Ethan Clout
	Jack Eisenhuth
	Bailey McNulty
U12 Arch Cawsey Shield	Adrian Agius
U12 President's Cup	Luke Cook
U11 J H Creak	Jackson Bentvelzen
	Ryan Graham
	Matthew Sullivan
U11 President's Cup	Jared Caelear-King
	Luke Gale
	Joel Reeves
	Jack Trezise
	Lochlan Watts
	Lachlan Jacobs
U10 Development Squad	Jacob Bulluss
	Jerry Crumpton
	Lachlan Jacobs
	Ryley Smith

In total, 25% of our players played representative cricket this season. An indication of how strong our junior club is becoming. Congratulations to you all. You've done the Bird proud!

And it's not just the kids who have done so well!! Geoff Sullivan (U12 Gillies) coached the U11 Creak Shield team, Terry Jacobs (U11 Johnson) managed the U11 President's Cup team and Kate Turner (U14/1) managed the U14 President's Cup team. Pat Anderson, our U16 coach, was asked to coach the U15 District girl's team for the four day NSW Gala Competition held earlier this year. Congratulations to you all on accepting these positions and the great results achieved.

As this is my last season as junior secretary, I would like to say a huge thank you to the EPCC committee members, especially to Martin Bowerman and Jim Micsko. Martin and Jim embody everything that EPCC stands for – a passion for cricket and a great sense of fairness and inclusion for all. I would like to thank each of the coaches and managers I have worked with – some of them for one season, and some of them for six seasons. Any position on the committee, coaching or managing is done on a voluntary basis. The commitment and dedication that these people show consistently to your children throughout the season is second to none. I have seen and experienced first-hand the amount of time involved and I extend my thanks to each and every one of them for the six year period that I have been junior secretary, as well as the five years previous that my son played junior cricket.

Huge thanks also to the parents (and grandparents) of our players. Your support in taking players to training and games, celebrating their achievements and encouraging their efforts is invaluable.

On a personal note, it has been so rewarding to watch these little children become young men and women who represent themselves, their families and their club with pride. I wish each of them every success in the future and encourage them to follow their dreams and never give up! May our club continue to be a celebration of passion and love for cricket, fairness and inclusion for all.

Go the bird!!

Elizabeth Dowd, Juniors Secretary

MILO In2CRICKET REPORT

What a great season 2012 was!!!

We had over 40 future superstars and even if they started off with difficulty, they certainly didn't finish that way. This year I used the success of last year's program with starting each session with 15 minutes of catching practice. As you can imagine, the first few sessions were a little rusty but as practice does, they were soon doing classic catches.

The highlights for me were our female participants. The Australian women's cricket team will have a few new recruits within 15 years. I know it will be selfish of The Bird to have half the Australian Women's team being a product of Emu but will they have a choice? Time will tell. Keep up the great work ladies.

Another highlight was parent participation day. The children loved it and it gave us the chance to see where their kids got their talent from (more importantly to let the kids 'show up' their parents). We also had a great number of parent helpers who were fantastic this year. Special mention to Lee Koutzas, Shane Richards, Jim Micsko, Rob Jobling, Dave Williams, Keiry Pascoe, Jeremy Bentveltzen, Brett Savage and if I've missed you I'm very sorry but your help this year has been so much appreciated and I hope you enjoyed yourself as much as the kids did.

Special thanks to our new coaches this year. Stuart Ericson and Brian Longhurst brought their own style of coaching to the mix which made for the perfect blend of coaches. And of course I couldn't do it without the help of our regular coaches Kim Longhurst, Nathan Christensen and John Ryan. Your support makes it possible and enjoyable each year both on and off the field.

And a special thank you to the committee for helping with the start of program and with the BBQ at the end. As always, it was greatly appreciated and well received. Thank you all.

However, it didn't stop there. Our female participants were selected to be the on field entertainment for Jane McGrath Day at the SCG. But Kim will go through that after my report.

I hope to see you all next year. Bring plenty of friends along. If you are ready to don the red cap next season we all wish you the best of luck.

Go the Bird.

Chris Longhurst, In2Cricket Coordinator

On Field Entertainment Report – Day 3 of the Sydney Test (Jane McGrath Day)

When we all arrived at the Sydney Cricket Ground the participants were given new pink shirts and hats to wear, which immediately added to the excitement. We were then given our tickets and ushered to our seating area. After watching the exciting innings from Matthew Wade, we were given instructions to run onto the field to our designated area where we played continuous cricket. I'm proud to say our participants were the most well behaved and skilled! Special mention to Kate Pelle who hit more boundaries than Matthew Wade, she put on a great show, as did all of them.

Special thank you to all the parents and friends who made the journey and cheered us on. Also to Brian Longhurst for his help on the day too. Also a special thank you to Mitchell Johnson for smiling and winking at me. I'm sorry you all couldn't make it to our wedding.

I could not have been more proud of the girls and I hope to see you all next season with some of your friends.

Kim Longhurst, In2CRICKET Assistant Coach

WINTER CRICKET REPORT

Prior to winter 2012, numerous Emu Plains Cricket Club players had spent the winter months preparing for the summer by participating in Sydney Winter Cricket, with other players in Western Sydney in teams put together for the sole purpose of playing winter cricket (such as "Mountain Goats").

At the end of NDCA 2011/12 season, a number of Emu Plains cricketers indicated that we should enter an Emu Plains team in Sydney Winter Cricket. With the support of Emu Plains Cricket Club committee, a team was entered in 7th division of the competition, comprising players who had participated in the previous NDCA 2011/12 season for Emu Plains.

We put in a good effort in our first match, and only lost by one wicket. For the record, the first ever Emu Plains team to represent the club in an official "out of season" match was:

Andrew Kennedy (captain)
Jim Micsko
Alex Mullen
Shane Richards
Andrew Luzzi
Chris Longhurst
Isaac Clayton
Michael Mullen
Alan Tran
Nick Sciberras

Unfortunately, we did not have a successful season. We only won one match, however, three of our losses were by very small margins, and we had one washed out match. With a bit of luck going our way, we could have had four wins and a draw - enough to gain a place in the semis.

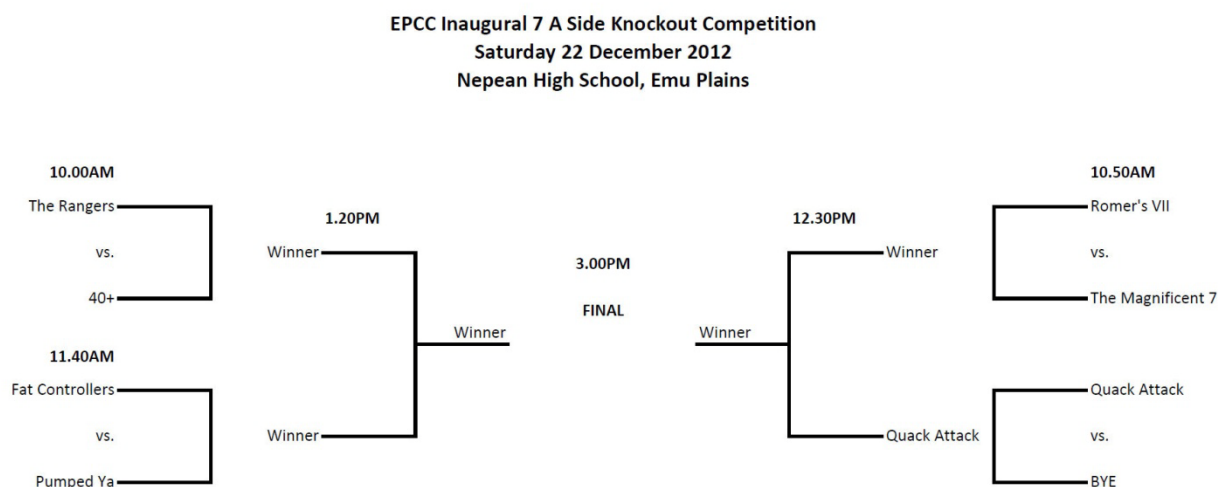
We all enjoyed our first season nonetheless. Winter cricket is a far more relaxed atmosphere than the "play for keeps" that is experienced in summer in the NDCA, and is an ideal way to keep the fitness and prepare for summer. It should be noted that matches and scores in winter cricket do not count towards club records. Winter Cricket matches are played with rule variations such as: 9 players per team. Batsmen retire at 40 runs, but can resume their innings when everybody else is dismissed. Last man carries. 36 overs/ innings. Bowlers bowl 6 overs maximum. 6 bowlers must be used, even when the overs are reduced 10th man can bowl but not bat or vice versa.

EPCC has entered a team in Sydney Winter Cricket in 2013, and we look forward to improving our results on 2012.

Andrew Kennedy, Winter Cricket Organiser and Captain 2012

7 A SIDE GALA DAY REPORT

On Saturday 22 December, the Club held the inaugural EPCC 7-a-side Knockout Competition at Nepean High School. The match format was 6 overs per side with all players except the wicketkeeper bowling an over. Seven sides nominated and the draw was randomly generated (see below). It was great to see a number of juniors playing alongside the seniors in this competition and we certainly hope this continues and junior participation increases as we keep fostering a great relationship between the junior and senior arms of the Club. We raised a few dollars for the Club and helped Mikayla Hinkley raise some funds for the Steve Waugh Foundation.



Match 1: Rangers (4/90 - Stu Ericson 32*, James Wood 27) defeated 40+ (2/66 - Andy Lucas 27, Ange Barbaro 21). Lou's boys too good for the old boys.

Match 2: Romer's 7 (0/115 - Tom Romer 94*, Marty Romer 20*) defeated The Magnificent 7 (0/112 - Josh Wood 70*, Alex Mullen 26*). Not a match for bowlers and an incredible 17 sixes in the match!

Match 3: Fat Controllers (3/77 - Simon Masters 27, Tim Foat 20*) defeated Pumped Ya (2/60 - Dave Schramm 37). Good win to the St Doms boys.

1st Semi-Final: Romer's 7 (0/71 - Geoff Sullivan 45*, Hugh Kermond 21*) defeated Quack Attack (6/68 - Jake Couchman 33). Marty's team first into the final and the 1st round bye didn't help the Quack Attack.

2nd Semi-Final: Fat Controllers (1/65 - Simon Masters 22, Nick Arnold 19*) defeated Rangers (2/63 - Chris Longhurst 25*, James Wood 19). Another solid win to the competition dark horses.

Final: Batting first, Fat Controllers posted a very good 3/75 with Simon Masters (36) and brother Joe (18*) dominating. Marty Romer with 2/7 off his over was the pick of the bowlers. In response, Romer's 7 were cruising at 0/34 after 3 overs but 2 quick runouts saw them needing 17 off the last over to be bowled by Nick Arnold. Tom Romer (48) was bowled 1st ball, Geoff Sullivan came in, hit a 4, a 1, then was runout. This left Marty Romer on strike with 12 needed off 2 balls. Cool as a cucumber, Marty dispatched the next 2 balls over the boundary to win a very close and exciting game of cricket. Congratulations to the inaugural EPCC 7-a-side Knockout Comp – Romer's 7.

Thanks to Miles Anderson for umpiring every game, Ange and Sam Barbaro and Jamie Large for their work on the BBQ, AK for his help setting up, Al Tran for his photography and all others who pitched in and helped out. With some tweaking of the rules (batsmen retiring at 25), we look forward to December 2013 when we will run this great day again.

Jim Micsko, Gala Day Organising Committee

HAWAII TOUR REPORT

EPCC returned to Hawaii for our 3rd annual trip and played 3 matches on the 7th, 8th and 10th of July against our great friends at Honolulu Cricket Club and, for the first time this year, the Maui Cricket Club.

Match 1 vs Honolulu CC at Baldwin Beach Park, Paia, Maui. Sat 7th July.

Captain Peter Gibson won the toss and elected to bat. Good call as half of both teams were up to 4am and no one really wanted to take the field first. Emu were soon in trouble at 4 for not many until Ange (23) and Bottrill steadied the ship. Some lower order resistance from Ryan Barbaro who scored 9 (our 10 year old superstar getting 9 more than his old man Sam) and Burnsy (27) in his EPCC debut saw us reach 129 all out. Old man Bottrill (37*) continues his Bradman-esque Hawaii form scoring over 100 runs in his 3 games and yet to be dismissed....and won't he be reminding everyone about it even more tonight!

A quick change of innings and some fiery opening bowling from Wood and Withers had Honolulu in trouble until our old nemesis Subbu saved the day for Honolulu but not before 9 wickets had fallen. A one wicket win to HCC and they get to enjoy a day off for golf while EPCC return to Baldwin Beach Park tomorrow to seek redemption against Maui CC. We've been advised that EPCC is the first foreign side to officially play a game of cricket in Maui so we'll take that honour and give it our best tomorrow.

EPCC 129 (Greg Bottrill 37 no, Jake Burns 27, Ange Barbaro 25, Subbu Raman 3/18, Vishan Dookhu 2/5, Srinivas Inti 2/17) defeated by HCC 9/133 (Subbu Raman 41 no, Allan Greenridge 22, Owen O'Callaghan 18, Dave Withers 3/21, Andrew Luzzi 2/17).

A big thanks to our hosts, the Maui CC, their organiser Uday Kari, Mark and the HCC boys and everyone that helped out today. It was a good close game and enjoyed very much by all.

Match 2 vs Maui CC at Baldwin Beach Park, Paia, Maui. Sun 8th July.

After a very narrow loss to Honolulu we turned up ready to make amends against the Maui boys....or Hawaiian West Indies. Skipper for this match, Andrew Luzzi lost the toss and Maui sent us in to bat. The Barbaro twins got us off to a good start with a 25 run opening stand before a few cheap wickets fell and Greg Bottrill came to the rescue again with his 4th consecutive retired not out score in Hawaii. Some big hitting at the death by Dave Withers saw us post a very competitive 7/175 off our 35 overs. After scoring 130 the day before we thought this would be more than enough but complacency and some very good batting from Maui saw them smash us all over the park to win the game in the 24th over with 5 wickets in hand. Congratulations to Maui CC especially their captain Danny Lovell who did it all in the game - batting, bowling, keeping and fielding. A big thanks to Uday Kari and the Maui CC for hosting us over the weekend and showing us the true Hawaiian hospitality we've all come to love over the last 3 years. Special mention to Chris and Irene for putting on a great feed for everyone. Maui CC 5/176 (Danny Lovell 67 no, Rahu Vijayakumar 35 no, Joel 19, Greg Bottrill 1/3, Jim Micsko 1/20, James Wood 1/24) defeated Emu Plains CC 175 (Greg Bottrill 34 no, Ange Barbaro 31, David Withers 26, Sam Barbaro 23, Glaston Cumberhatch 2/25).

Match 3 vs HCC at Kapiolani Park, Honolulu, Oahu. Tue 10th July. Played for the "Currie Cup".

After 4 consecutive defeats in Hawaii (we did win both games in 2010) all of the EPCC boys were keen to put an end to the losses. Returning as skipper, Micsko won the toss and put HCC in figuring that setting targets hadn't quite worked out thus far. HCC could have been in deep trouble in the first few overs but three dropped catches off James Wood (who was working up some good pace and had the HCC fellas hopping around) let them off the hook. Frank Sidrak, in his Hawaii debut, took the first wicket of HCC keeper Owen O'Callaghan. Runs were coming easily and a few more dropped catches didn't help our cause. A fine 31 no from Mark Berwick saw HCC take control before Ange Barbaro picked up a couple of wickets, Luzzi taking another, and a pair of run outs towards the end of the innings saw HCC score 6/181 from their 30 overs. Good contributions from Harsha, Tahir and Subbu left EPCC with a formidable run chase although we felt anything under 200 was achievable if we batted well.

A great opening stand of 59 in 11 overs from Patty and Gibbo set the chase up nicely and another retired not out from Bottrill and 24 from Sam helped the cause but we fell a bit behind the run rate and needed 45 from the last 5 overs. Jimmy joined James Wood and they took 8 runs off the 26th, only 5 off the 27th, 8 off the 28th and a disastrous 3 off the 29th over. Needing 21 off the final over the skipper took a single to "let the big dog finish it" which he proceeded to do with a 6, 6, 2, 2 and 4 off the last 5 balls from Rahu "Cookie" Vijayakumar to get us over the line by 1 run. Sensational stuff from Woody who was struggling with an injured finger from the Maui leg of the tour. Rumours of Cookie being an undercover EPCC member are yet to be proven true but the HCC boys will be monitoring his form over the next few matches :)

HCC - 6/181 off 30 overs. Mark Berwick 31 no, Tahir Ali 28, Subbu Raman 27, Harsha Choudhary 26, Ange Barbaro 2/30, Frank Sidrak 1/25, Andrew Luzzi 1/36 defeated by EPCC - 6/182 off 30 overs. Greg Bottrill 32 no, James Wood 31 no, Peter Gibson 29, Pat Anderson 27, Sam Barbaro 24, Tahir Ali 2/17, Allan Greenridge 1/4, Mark Berwick 1/12, Harsha Choudhary 1/22, Rahu Vijayakumar 1/40.

A great game played in great spirit and the perfect way to end the cricket part of the tour. An awesome night out at the Honolulu Lawn Bowls club followed with presentations, a great feed and plenty of drinks from the open bar. Adi's bucks night followed a few nights later and was another treat for the Emu boys.

The camaraderie we all share with the Honolulu (and now Maui too) CC players is something we all enjoy and we feel privileged to be able to visit Hawaii, play some cricket and be looked after so well by all the guys there. We've started a bit of a tradition over the last 3 years and hope to keep it going in the years ahead. Over 20 players from our club have now been here for cricket and everyone has thoroughly enjoyed the tours. The local liquor industry has certainly benefited from our tours but everyone has had the opportunity to get out and explore these great islands. Mahalo nui loa to all of our friends in Hawaii and we'll see you again soon.

Jim Micsko, Tour Manager

PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNERS

KEITH COLEMAN MEMORIAL SHIELD (SENIOR ALL ROUNDER)

Awarded to the Senior Player who has accumulated the most points during the season. Points are allocated for the 1st innings of each game, semi-finals and finals excluded. Allocation of points is outlined in the constitution.

Curtis Shuttleworth 695 points

TONY HOY SHIELD (SENIOR CRICKETER OF THE YEAR)

Awarded to the senior player who has accumulated the most points, obtained from each round. Players doubling up with a second team in the same round shall also be included. Players from each senior team shall vote at the end of each round on best performed player. Points shall be awarded as 3 for the player who contributed the most to the match followed by 2 and 1 for the next best performed players. At the completion of round 14 player's points are to be tallied.

Mitchell Carter 22 points

DAVE RISTAU MEMORIAL TROPHY (SENIOR WICKET KEEPER)

Awarded to the senior cricketer with the most dismissals as a Wicket Keeper during the Season.

David Williams 25 dismissals

CRAIG HUTHNANCE MEMORIAL TROPHY (1ST GRADE CRICKETER OF THE YEAR)

Awarded to the most outstanding player in the first grade team for the season, final games included. Allocation of points is outlined in the constitution.

Tom Romer 597 points

A & E RISTAU AWARD (U/21 BATTING AGGREGATE)

Awarded to the player (Junior Competition only or Senior Competition only) who is under the age of 21 years at 30 September of that season, who has scored the most runs for the Club. Competition matches only – semi & final games not included.

Curtis Shuttleworth 564 runs

THE HALLY AWARD (U/21 BOWLING AGGREGATE)

Awarded to the player (Junior Competition only or Senior Competition only) who is under the age of 21 years at 30 September of that season, who has taken the most wickets for the Club. Competition matches only – semi & final games not included.

Alex Mullen 28 wickets

SENIOR CATCHING AWARD

Awarded to the senior player that has taken the most catches as a fielder (non-wicketkeeper) in competition rounds only. Finals games are not included.

Andrew Kobryn 10 catches

CLUBMAN OF THE YEAR

Awarded to the person deemed to have contributed the most to upholding the spirit of the Club during the past season. The winner, chosen by the Executive Committee, may be a player (junior or senior), a committee member, a coach/manager, a parent, a supporter or any combination of these. It is not compulsory that the award be given if an appropriate candidate is not nominated that season.

Andrew Kennedy

SHIELD OF SHAME (MOST SENIOR DUCKS)

Awarded to the senior cricketer who has achieved the most ducks during the season.

James Wood/Chris Tonks/Dan 4 ducks
Zayit/James Hewett/Rhys Martin

SENIOR ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Awarded to the senior cricketer playing his first full season in seniors after having played the previous season for Emu Plains juniors. The award recognises performance as well as what the recipient has contributed to upholding the spirit of the Club.

Robbie Drake

LONG SERVICE AWARDS

OFFICIALS (EIGHT YEARS SERVICE)

At the completion of eight years service as a coach, manager or executive committee member (or a combination of these) the Executive Committee may approve by majority vote the award of a Long Service Award to such person. Service need not be continuous.

None Awarded

SPECIAL SERVICE AWARD – UNDER 16 YEARS

Players who play continuously with the Club from Under 9 to Under 16 shall receive an award at the annual presentation in recognition of their contribution to the Club. Team Coaches and Managers who meet the criteria shall also be eligible to receive the award.

Chris Hinkley

SPECIAL SERVICE AWARD – SENIORS

Senior players who have played with the Club for a period of ten years shall receive an award. Years of service need not be consecutive.

None Awarded

100 GAME CAPS

Awarded to players who play 100 games for the club, without breaking that service to play for another club within the Nepean/Penrith District.

Samantha Arnold

Chris Hinkley

Nicholas Arnold

Craig Sheens

SENIORS

DISTRICT AWARDS – NEPEAN DISTRICT CRICKET ASSOCIATION

NDCA Club Championship

RANK	CLUB	POINTS
1	Glenmore Park	63.10
2	Emu Plains	59.55
3	St Clair Hawks	50.18
4	Cranebrook	47.51
5	Colyton St Clair	45.55
6	Glenbrook Blaxland	40.33
7	Springwood	33.54
8	Penrith RSL	30.36

NDCA Premiers

1st Grade

2nd Grade (and Minor Premiers)

8th Grade

NDCA 1st Grade Player of the GF (Dickie Williams Medal)

Andrew Williams

NDCA 2nd Grade Player of the Year

Chris Tonks

NDCA 2nd Grade Bowling Average

Jim Micsko

NDCA 3rd Grade Batting Aggregate

Curtis Shuttleworth

NDCA 5th Grade Batting Aggregate

Patrick Anderson

NDCA 5th Grade Wicket Keeper of the Year

Patrick Anderson

NDCA 7th Grade Batting Aggregate

Robert Carter

NDCA 7th Grade Wicket Keeper of the Year

David Williams

SEASON STATISTICS – ALL GRADES

Win / Loss Record

GRADE	MAT	W1	W2	DRAW	L1	L2	%WIN
1 st	16	8	1	5	2	0	56%
2 nd	16	10	0	3	3	0	63%
3 rd	14	3	0	2	9	0	21%
4 th	16	8	1	2	4	1	56%
5 th	15	6	0	2	7	0	40%
7 th	15	7	1	2	4	1	53%
8 th	16	10	0	2	4	0	63%
Total	108	52	3	18	33	2	51%

Batting Statistics

GRADE	RUNS	WKTS	RUNS/WKTS	OVERS	RUNRATE	100s	50s	DUCKS
1 st	2081	80	26.01	474	4.39	2	8	9
2 nd	1971	128	15.40	595	3.31	1	3	27
3 rd	1723	128	13.46	480	3.59	1	4	28
4 th	2142	124	17.27	510	4.20	0	9	21
5 th	2094	117	17.90	529	3.96	1	8	19
7 th	2223	103	21.58	499	4.45	1	8	15
8 th	2429	112	21.69	652	3.72	3	5	15
Total	14663	792	18.51	3739	3.92	9	45	134

Bowling Statistics

GRADE	WKTS	RUNS	RUNS/WKT	OVERS	RUNRATE	5W
1 st	99	1694	17.11	451	3.75	2
2 nd	134	1724	12.87	533	3.23	4
3 rd	103	2222	21.57	515	4.31	2
4 th	127	2000	15.75	535	3.74	5
5 th	116	1986	17.12	583	3.40	1
7 th	130	2031	15.62	575	3.53	2
8 th	138	2337	16.93	597	3.91	2
Total	847	13994	16.52	3789	3.69	18

BATTING & BOWLING – AGGREGATE AND AVERAGE AWARDS – ALL GRADES

Batting & bowling aggregate and average awards are calculated on non-finals games only.

Batting

1st Grade	Agg & Avge - Geoff Sullivan	274 @ 34.25
2nd Grade	Agg - Chris Tonks	234 runs
	Avge - James Wood	189 runs @ 23.63
3rd Grade	Agg & Avge - Curtis Shuttleworth	560 @ 40.00
4th Grade	Agg & Avge - Mitchell Carter	365 @ 33.18
5th Grade	Agg & Avge - Patrick Anderson	348 @ 26.77
7th Grade	Agg & Avge - Robert Carter	416 @ 32.00
8th Grade	Agg & Avge - Andrew Lucas	374 @ 46.75

Bowling

1st Grade	Agg & Avge - Tom Romer	26 @ 15.15
2nd Grade	Agg & Avge - Jim Micsko	27 @ 7.30
3rd Grade	Agg & Avge - Joe Masters	20 @ 15.35
4th Grade	Agg & Avge - Alex Mullen	26 @ 11.46
5th Grade	Agg - Andrew Luzzi	26 wickets
	Avge - Chris Longhurst	17 @ 11.71
7th Grade	Agg & Avge - Alan Tran	20 @ 12.10
8th Grade	Agg - Andrew Kennedy	23 wickets
	Avge - Clayton Chantler	16 @ 9.81

CENTURIES – ALL GRADES

Andrew Lucas - 129, 8th Grade, Round 10 vs. Glenbrook Blaxland @ Sales Park
Daniel Lindsay - 113 NO, 1st Grade, Round 7 vs. Colyton Hotel @ Darcy Smith Oval
Greg Bottrill - 109 NO, 7th Grade, Round 6 vs. Penrith RSL @ Sales Park
Patrick Anderson - 107, 5th Grade, Round 9 vs. Panthers @ Kingsway No.1
Curtis Shuttleworth - 105, 3rd Grade, Round 11 vs. Cranebrook @ Andromeda Drive
Todd Marshall - 103, 1st Grade, Round 5 vs. Panthers @ Jamison Pak No.5
James Wood - 102, 2nd Grade, Round 6 vs. Colyton St Clair @ Boronia Park
Andrew Lucas - 100, 8th Grade, Round 7 vs. St Clair Hawks @ Ridge Park
Andrew Lucas - 101, 8th Grade, Grand Final vs. GWS Institute SE @ Boronia Park

BOWLING – 6W IN INNINGS – ALL GRADES

Mark Roser - 8/66 vs. Springwood, 2nd Grade, Round 9 @ Jamison Park No.5
Jim Micsko - 7/23 vs. Glenmore Park, 2nd Grade, Round 12 @ Parker St No.2
David Schramm - 7/37 vs. St Clair Hawks, 4th Grade, Round 3 @ Glenmore Park No.2
Tom Romer - 7/68 vs. Colyton St Clair, 1st Grade, Round 11 @ Jamison Park No.5
Michael Mullen - 6/33 vs. St Clair Hawks, 8th Grade, Round 7 @ Ridge Park
Luke Fitzpatrick - 6/34 vs. St Clair United, 3rd Grade, Round 12 @ Jamison Park No.5
Stuart Ericson - 6/43 vs. Henry Lawson, 5th Grade, Round 12 @ Claremont Meadows

BOWLING – 10W IN MATCH – ALL GRADES

David Schramm - 12/59 vs. St Clair Hawks, 4th Grade, Round 3 @ Glenmore Park No.2

BOWLING – HAT-TRICKS – ALL GRADES

Keegan Jones vs. GWS Institute SE, 8th Grade, Round 12 @ Sales Park

BATTING PARTNERSHIPS – ALL GRADES

WKT	PARTNERSHIP	BATTERS	GRADE	RND	OPPONENT
1 st	98	Robert Carter - Matthew Kobryn*	7 th	2	Henry Lawson
2 nd	103	Andrew Williams* - Daniel Lindsay	1 st	GF	Panthers
3 rd	140	Syed Hussain - David Williams*	7 th	2	Henry Lawson
4 th	81	Clayton Chantler - Andrew Lucas*	8 th	GF	GWS Institute SE
5 th	106	Frank Sidrak - Mitchell Carter*	4 th	12	Glenmore Park
6 th	93	Robert Carter* - Jake Denoord	7 th	SF	Oriental Hotel
7 th	115	Nicholas Sciberras - David Schramm*	4 th	11	Penrith RSL
8 th	71	Chris Longhurst - Mark Stafford*	5 th	1	Glenbrook Blaxland
9 th	76*	Peter Gibson* - Shane Richards*	5 th	12	Henry Lawson
10 th	37	Chris Tonks - Jim Micsko*	2 nd	11	Colyton St Clair

MILESTONES

200 Senior Games

Chris Longhurst

3000 Senior Runs

Chris Longhurst

2000 Senior Runs

Peter Gibson

1000 Senior Runs

Shane McPherson

Robert Carter

Josh Wood

Shane Richards

Matthew Kobryn

Shane McPherson

200 Senior Wickets

Chris Longhurst

Chris Tonks

100 Senior Wickets

Jim Micsko

Andrew Kennedy

2000 Runs / 200 Wickets Senior Double

Chris Longhurst

Chris Tonks

1000 Runs / 100 Wickets Senior Double

Jim Micsko

Shane Richards

400 1st Grade Wickets

Martin Romer

100 1st Grade Wickets

Craig Sheens

1000 2nd Grade Runs

Sam Barbaro

Chris Tonks

Most 3rd Grade Runs in a Season

Curtis Shuttleworth - 560

1000 7th Grade Runs

Robert Carter

Most 7th Grade Runs in a Season

Robert Carter - 484

100 8th Grade Wickets

Andrew Kennedy

1ST GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

1ST GRADE PREMIERS, doesn't it feel fantastic to say that!

A great season finished off with a dominant Grand Final victory lapping Panthers.

We started the season with the strongest 1st Grade side we have fielded in several seasons, having a squad of 15 players. We had some very talented young blokes and a couple of old blokes who will just not retire! Although after going through the season and not picking Martin Bowerman, as per Andrew Pesle's requests, he may now leave us alone and retire.

We have some very interesting personalities in our side:

- Brett Savage or as he call himself "The Big Show" (we think more like the side show). He is always complaining that other team members wives constantly call him
- Andrew Pesle who refuses to take an outfield catch
- Tom Romer who just wants to punch your head in
- Andrew Williams constantly counting how many beers you have had after the game
- Dan Lindsay attending every wedding in NSW this year
- Craig Sheens trying to tell anybody who will listen he is a night watchmen
- Jason Shandler forever trying to tell us his straight drives over slips are deliberate
- Luke Murphy preparing himself to be the next Emu 1st Grade captain by getting every other team to hate him
- Todd Marshall constantly sledging opposition fielders when he is batting
- Mark Tilden taking a wheelbarrow out to bat with him to carry his bat
- Luke Stanowski wanting all games moved to night clubs so he never has to leave
- Geoff Sullivan who wants running three's barred from the game he just wants singles (not quick ones) fours and sixes

This list probably highlights our strength. We are all good mates who constantly take the piss out of each other at any opportunity, but they are all very talented cricketers and very proud Emu's.

Thank you to the committee for your support and efforts in making this club the success it is today. Looking forward to winning two in a row next season.

Go The Emu's.

Martin Romer
Captain 1ST Grade 2012/13

2ND GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

Another successful year for 2nd grade. Having lost 6 of our usual players, including last year's club champion, 2 of our opening bowlers and arguably our best bat, I was scratching my head at the beginning of the year wondering where we were going to scramble some players. Then I receive a message from Jim saying that he has a few players that we could join together and make a team. He sent me a small list and I quickly realised that every one of his players were over 40 years old (sorry if that was a secret gents). Thinking that 2nd grade was a little too high for our newly formed team I tried to scramble into 3rd grade and push Curtis's side into 2nds. Curtis let me know that most of his side had never played before so I resigned myself to the fact that we had to have a go in 2nds. Pretty glad we did now.

No-one really stood out with the bat this year. Our top 6 batters scored a within 100 runs of each other. The top was Chris Tonks on 234 and in 6th was Matt Davey on 134. What this tells me is that it was a shared effort with the bat this year. In past years we always had 1 or 2 that held the team together. This year, it was pretty much a shared effort across the team. The highlight with bat was definitely James Woods' round 6 century v Colyton St Clair.

The older fellas showed the younger fellas what to do when it came to the bowling. Roser's 8 for 66 was pretty impressive v Springwood. Not to be outdone was Jim with 16 wickets in the last 3 games of the season including a 4 fa in the GF and a 7 fa and 5 fa leading up to the finals. Jim finished with 31 wickets for the season which was a pretty solid effort. I think not having to run the side meant he could concentrate more on his cricket and the results sure showed this season.

Obviously the highlight game for the season for 2nd grade was the GF. The GF itself was pretty nerve-wracking. At drinks Glenmore Park were 2 for 13 off 16 overs. A solid effort from Chris, James and Roser. But then our fielding let us down a little. A few dropped catches let GP get to 114 off 58. It doesn't sound like much, but Darcy was playing exceptionally slow and they only had one boundary in their whole innings. 114 was like a 200 or maybe even 250+ on most wickets. We should have been chasing 70 to 80. We had 3 ducks in our top order and finished day 1 on 5 for not much over 50. Must admit was feeling pretty nervous. I normally bat up the order but due to a calf injury was unsure if was going to be able to run or bat on day 2. When my leg collapsed on me when I got out of bed on the Sunday I did let fly with a few expletives. But I kept moving all morning and found as long as I had heat in my calf the pain was bearable so I went down to day 2 with a renewed confidence. When we lost our 6th wicket at 58 I felt the nerves kick back in. A 28 run partnership between Sheens and myself put us back on track but when Sheens fell at 86 and I fell shortly after we were 8 for 89 with 25 runs still to get, the nerves settled in again. It was the slowest most nerve-wracking 25 runs I have experienced. But then it probably only felt slow because we were riding every delivery. The experienced heads of Sam and Jim put on a delicious 40 run partnership to get us across the line and when Roser went out to bat, GP had seen enough and called it a day. (I think those last 25 runs were felt the most by Roser...he was pretty quiet for the entire 9th wicket partnership).

I'd like to thank all the new boys that came to our team. I was unsure how we were going to fill some pretty big holes in our side, but you all did that perfectly.

Thanks to all the 2nd grade players: Chris Tonks (on field captain), Ange Barbaro, Sam Barbaro, Mat Davey, Peter Gibson, John Lennon, Jim Micsko, Mark Roser, Ben Sheens, Kyle Siczak and James Wood. And can't forget our part time players Stephen Sargent and Josh Wood.

Thanks also goes to Joe Masters, Ryan Gander, Martin Bowerman, Craig Sheens, Luke Fitzpatrick, Chris Longhurst, Shane McPherson and Curtis Shuttleworth who all filled in when we were short.

Thanks also to the committee and last but not least to all our partners who put up with us before during and after each game.

Anthony Tonks
Captain 2nd Grade 2012/13

3RD GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

Not submitted.

4TH GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

2012/13 was a very enjoyable and a highly successful season. By keeping the core group of boys from last year and adding in a few key players we were confident of giving the title a crack. In the regular season we won 8 games and lost only 3, as a team hitting a total of 2142 runs and taking 127 wickets. After being a young side last year, Steve Lemon and Shane Richards added some much needed experience to the team. Adding the strike power of Mitch Carter helped us lead 3rd place by more than 2 wins after at the end of the regular season.

Our semi final was washed out by persistent rain, which put us straight through to the grand final. Despite putting in our best performance in the field on the first day, an undefeated Glenmore Park were too strong over the weekend. The team is hungry to go one better next season, with all the boys keen to stick together once again. It was a great season off the field as well. A major highlight being our participation in the McGrath Foundation Pink Stumps Day. This raised over 700 dollars and left me so proud as to how the whole team got involved. This is something we would like to continue every year.

With a strong win first up it didn't take long for our new boys to bond with the team. The heart and soul of 4th grade, Jef Miles, opened up the batting with a man who found his youth. New to the team, it didn't take Steve Lemon long to feel like an 18 year old again. More often than not these 2 got us off to a steady start at the top of the innings. Jef Miles with 171 runs at 15 and Steve Lemon 143 at 11.

Our number 3 was big T.T, also known as Tim Foat. He was the perfect number 3 ensuring if an early wicket was lost, he would not follow, doing his job every time he came to the crease. Tim scored 157 runs at 15.

At number 4 Mitch Carter was a great find for Emu. A big team player who put the group first before himself every game. After 4 years out of the sport Mitch struggled for about 2 games and went on to score big nearly every innings in total hitting 378 runs at 29 including four 50's. He was extremely unlucky not to get a ton against Penrith RSL, where a big highlight was a massive team total of 8 for 372. Carter also did the keeping for us and was safe as a house behind the sticks, letting a total 4 byes go through for the year. This was extremely helpful for the close games. Mitch also never dropped them, taking 12 catches for the year.

In at number 5 was a bloke that could also bowl pretty quick, (not that quick) Ryan Gander. Doing great things with both bat and ball, he set the standard early in the year for the rest of our batsman, getting us out of trouble in round 1 (along with Dave Schramm). He followed this up by guiding us to a strong total against St Clair Hawks in round 3 which saw us take an outright victory. With the bat he scored 230 runs at 28, including one 50.

At no 6, Mr Ricky himself, Nick Scib, didn't have his best year with the bat but still hit a half century and contributed some important innings. He also had another gun year in the field taking 5 catches from 1st or 2nd slip, a few handy runouts and took a few wickets with his leggies. Dave Schramm was a consistent all-rounder and is continuing to get better every year as our opening bowler. Dave had a great year with the bat, with two 50s that included an 80 odd not out off about 25 balls late in the innings. He finished on 239 runs at 21 and 20 wickets at 15 with the ball. This included a 12 fa, where he took 7 in the first innings and 5 in the 2nd, to put in a Man of the match performance to outright St Clair Hawks.

Mr Cricket aka Josh Neal, loves the game and showed this whenever he batted or bowled. Unlucky to be batting down the order, easily top 5 in any other team but steered us home with the bat every time, placing value on his wicket every time he walked to the middle. With the ball he bowled very tight, getting through his 8 overs without much notice going for 1 or 2 an over. It was great to get Josh back in Emu colours and he puts the team first every time.

In his debut year of outdoor cricket Rhys Martin had an outstanding time, managing 9 wickets at 19 with best figures of 3 for 15. He exceeded expectations in his first year and showed at times that he will be a strike bowler in years to come.

After being out for a few years due to injury, Luke Wilson joined the team late but looked like he had missed no cricket. Wilso tallied 60 odd runs late in the year and bowled like a man possessed in the grand final (with his partner in crime Ryan Gander) to take 6fa in the match.

Shane Richards was another great asset for the team and despite playing only 3 games with us this year showed his excellent value by steering us to the win in our round 13 clash against Springwood. He was always was solid with the ball and we can't wait to have him as a full timer next year. Also we did very well in the field, it being our strong point, not often did we drop catches and being a young side we were able to turn 3's into 2's and 2's into 1's and as a team took a fair few run outs. Also had 3 guys in the top 5 for catches in the grade with Steve and Timmy the notable mentions with 12 each.

I would like to thank everyone who filled in for us, with particular thanks to Franky Sidrak and Chris (Aussie) Longhurst. Finally but not least as a team we would like to thank Jim for all the help and support you gave us throughout the year.

On behalf of 4th grade I would like to extend congratulations to the rest of the club on such a great year. Big club highlights for me were all the captains working together to make sure every player got a game and every grade had 11 players, in round 7 where every grade won, getting 6 out of 7 teams to the finals, winning 1st and 2nd grades and showing we have depth right through winning the 8th grade decider. 2012/13 was a great year and it's so good to be at this club and I would also like to thank the committee and everybody who has been involved in making all this happen.

Thanks

Alex Mullen
Captain 4th Grade 2012/13

5TH GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

A great year for Emu Plains Cricket Club and I would like to extend our congratulations to all the teams who made the Grand final and extra kudos those of pulled off 1st prize in the big show. 5th Grade made the Semi Finals this season but fell short, playing the bench mark on a rain affected Semi Final weekend.

Our opening partnership was played in two halves. Patrick and Nathan started the year, doing great things and making decent scores, but Christo was lured to the fresh food people with promises of minimum wage and all the out of date Devon he could eat, and so he became a part timer for the rest of the season. David Connolly stepped up to the openers role and did a great job. This renewed partnership went on to spawn A Maiden Ton for P Anderson (107) and some handy runs and great catching from Dave. Around this time the Punters Club was also born, where Dave came into his own and added so much to the team off the park.

The Mexican Frank Sidrack occupied the 3 spot for much of the year and in the back end showed real promises. A change in batting style paid dividends. Frank was drastically under bowled this year, just ask him and he will tell you I'm sure. Jon "Lightning" Ferguson also floated into the 3 spot at times, showing much, but delivering mixed results. 6 then out best describes his year. In a must win game round 13 Fergo showed his true worth pointing out to all and sundry every lightning strike, including camera flashes, to the umpire. He and Miles "Manderson" Anderson were worth their weight in gold that day, and let me say, That's a lot of gold.

The Middle order was held together by the little master, the fired up bundle of muscle that is Shane McPherson. His passion on the field is unmatched with bat and ball and he was a great addition to the team this year and a main contributor to our successes.

Aussie Longhurst had a steady season and held the side together well in the middle order. His bowling on several occasions kept us in games we were slowly losing a grip on. Chris is Emu through and through serving on the committee and leading the Milo Cricket programme with several other 5th grade team members.

The all rounding honours goes to Stu "Cheeky" "Popeye" "Jacques Kallis" Ericson. His power hitting and swing bowling was outstanding this year. Slips catches and the occasional rant made him indispensable. Scoring 37 out of a team total of 60 in the SF, including back to back bombs, typified his year.

Mark Stafford started the year with runs and added very slowly to them all year, falling 2 runs shy of 100 for the year, his bowling was deceptive and much admired and his fielding always sets the bench mark. Andy Kobryn played several games for us this year and shone in the field like a beacon. His bowling was handy and his hair magnificent.

John Ryan opened the bowling this year and bowled without luck on most occasions. His natural variations on turf were where he excelled and after a few rounds of anger, he found his niche and sunny disposition and played a pivotal role in our success this year. He also took one of the best park cricket catches seen, in the mud late in the year. We wish him all the best on his "Tour de amour" to San Jose in April.

A big thanks to the men who played only a few games but all made meaningful contributions, Dave Withers, Brock Alewood, Mathew Kborny, Superstar Junior Chris Hinkly, Joe Masters, Nathan Sebbens and finally the super subs Peter Gibson and Shane Richards who batted us into finals contention.

Final thanks need to go to Kim Longhurst who attended all the games and supported us so well all year, it was and is greatly appreciated. Also Ryan Graham who also showed us much love at the ground and on Facebook.

The people at Ranger industrial helped us out with our snazzy singlets and we appreciate all the support they have given us. Find them on Facebook and Twitter!

Already looking forward to next year with the Bird! In case you haven't heard, The Bird is the word!

Andrew Luzzi
Captain 5th Grade 2012/13

7TH GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

Firstly I would like to congratulate the 1st, 2nd & 8th grade on their premierships successes, also congratulations to 4th & 5th grade for making the semi finals. A truly great year for the club.

Another successful year for 7th grade making the semi finals and some great individual performances along the way. Most frustrating & difficult part of the season was getting the same side on the park each week. Also there was a gloomy period during the year where we lost 6 points due to an old archaic rule & also we had to forfeit a match due to lack of numbers.

A big thank you to Alex Mullen & Andrew Kennedy for constantly help me fill our side each week with players from there grades. We could not have got through the season without there support.

Batting honours this year went to:

Rob Carter 416 runs @ an average of 32
Greg Bottrill 249 runs @ an average of 62
Syed Hussain 196 runs @ an average of 25
Jake Denoord 170 runs @ an average of 25

Bowling honours this year went to:

Alan Tran 20 wickets @ an average of 12.1
Jake Denoord 17 wickets @ an average of 15.2
Syed Hussain 13 wickets @ an average of 12.1
Rob Carter 12 wickets @ an average of 7.0

I have to mention some players who performed outstandingly during the year, Rob Carter who had easily his best season ever again easily being the highest run scorer & also having a pretty good bowling average as well. Alan tran was our leading bowler for the season with 20 wickets but he was also the unluckiest, he could have easily got 30+ wickets with a bit more luck.

Craig Vicary who was playing his second season for the club had a great season with the ball and was a big improver. I could not forget to mention the veteran of the club Greg Bottrill who only played 5 games for us until numerous injuries stopped his season short. During his 5 game tenor, he scored 249 runs which 109 not out, an amazing effort, thanks Botts.

Overall a great year. Disappointed to lose in the semi final, but looking forward to a bigger and better season next year with all the boys.

David Williams
Captain 7th Grade 2012/13

8TH GRADE CAPTAINS REPORT

Congratulations to everybody in the club for a great year. Additional congratulations to 1st and 2nd grades, U11's, and U14's for their premierships, and to U/13's and 4th grade for making the grand final.

Prior to the start of the 2012/13 season I was encouraged by some senior members of the club to take on the role of captain of Emu Plains 8th grade. The previous season EPCC finished last in 8th grade. There were a number of 2011/12 U16/2s moving up to the senior ranks, and a substantial change in nominated players also occurred. Only 2 other players apart from myself were listed in 8th grade that had played in the previous year's 8th grade. We were fortunate to acquire players new to the senior ranks, fathers of younger players, and mates of players who hadn't played cricket for a long time. With an age range of 16 to 54, it was quite a mix of youth and experience making up our team.

We started the season with a solid win, then a big first innings loss. After that, we put together consistent performances, and the few losses were not by large margins (although we'll all prefer to forget round 13 against Henry Lawson).

Throughout the season we experimented with the batting and bowling orders to see where everybody was comfortable and would fit in. One of the luxuries we had which you just don't get in an 8th grade side was that we had ten players who, on their day, could win matches with their bowling alone. It made it hard to not give certain players a bowl, or more of a bowl.

We found ourselves without a regular wicketkeeper at the start of the year. Risty put his hand up to have a go, and sure enough, it paid off. A bit rusty to start, but he really threw himself into the challenge and was very solid behind the stumps. His stumping technique was more reminiscent of Bruce Lee rather than Matthew Wade, but still very effective nonetheless. Also, he helped a lot with advice on what to bowl, what the opposing batsmen were doing, etc., etc. As is well known throughout the club, Risty is a real team player, and his input was invaluable.

Nearly everybody took wickets, and everybody managed to put in at least one match-saving or match-winning batting or bowling performance throughout the season. Also, every player got the opportunity to play in a higher grade during the season.

The 2012/13 NDCA 8th grade competition consisted of 10 teams, and so we didn't play each team twice. As it turned out, we, along with Glenmore Park, had the harder draw than any other of the teams that finished in the top 4.

We finished the competition rounds in 2nd place on the ladder, one point ahead of 3rd place Henry Lawson. The semi was to be played at Monfarville, a very ordinary ground in fine weather, let alone the quagmire it became after the week of rain leading up to the first day of the semi. The ground didn't improve on the Sunday, so we went through to the grand final. Not the best way to advance from a semi, but we don't make the rules – others do.

Grand final was at Boronia Park, in ideal cricket weather. Minor Premiers GWS won the toss and elected to bowl. On a slow ground, Emu batted out the maximum 85 overs to grind out 9/262. We even got the opportunity to bowl on the Saturday, and we picked up a wicket before stumps, putting us in a great position for the following day. Early on Sunday, GWS were looking very shaky at 4/31. However, their middle order didn't give up, and they fought back admirably to be 6/208 in the 57th over. We had one more trick up our sleeve, in the form of Jason Jones' partnership-breaking leggies. Sure enough, he did the trick. We took the new ball at the 60th over, and with our young pace guns in Robbie Drake and Clayton Chantler back into the attack, the wickets tumbled until the last man was dismissed with the score 225. Emu Plains took out their first ever Nepean Cup trophy by 37 runs in an epic match.

Some more outstanding performances during the season were:

- Mick Mullen picking up 17 wickets with his off spinners, including a brilliant 6/33 in round 7 on a Ridge Park road.
- Andy Lucas cracking 3 centuries (including one in the grand final) and 475 runs.
- Clayton Chantler 257 runs and 18 wickets (and not getting a duck, unlike his old man).
- Robbie Drake 17 wickets.
- Keegan Jones 25 wickets, including that devastating hat trick (bowled, LBW, bowled) against GWS in round 12. I was very relieved, as I brought Keegan on to bowl to save me from any more embarrassment after being smacked for 44 off 4 overs.
- Jason Jones 9 wickets, and some solid innings including his match winning 40 no at no. 8 in round 11 and chanceless opening partnership with Jake Couchman to ensure the win in round 4.
- Jake Couchman 198 runs at the top of the order.
- Brad Dodd 300 runs in 7th and 8th grades, mixing some powerful hitting with some brilliant timing.

We also had great support from other grades in the club, with players from 4th and 7th grades helping us out on the few matches and days that we were short a player or two. Scott McLean from 4th grade, and David Williams, Jake Denoord, Alan Tran, Matt Reberger, Joel Gunning and Rob Carter from 7th grade all contributed when they played 8th grade. A big thanks to David Williams and Alex Mullen for all the help they gave us during the year.

You can't get to play in a premiership winning team in a great club like Emu Plains without the support of a hard working, focused committee. A big thanks to them - without them, we wouldn't have a season like we all had.

I thank the club for giving me the opportunity to lead such a great bunch of blokes, especially all the lads from the previous seasons U16/2s. All of these guys are going to serve this club well in the coming years, and we all look forward to seeing them wearing the Bird, in future premierships winning teams in higher grades with EPCC.

GO THE BIRD!

Andrew Kennedy
Captains 8th Grade 2012/13

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BATTING & BOWLING – AGGREGATE AND AVERAGE AWARDS – ALL AGE GROUPS

Batting & bowling aggregate and average awards are calculated on non-finals games only.

Individual Awards					
Age Group	Batting Aggregate	Batting Average	Bowling Aggregate		Bowling Average
U9	Jack Gale <i>Batting Award</i>		Blake Skinner <i>Bowling Award</i>		Lachlan Armour <i>Coach's Award</i>
U10	Jett McFadden <i>Batting Agg</i> 153 runs	Max Prendergast <i>Batting Avg</i> 54.00	Jake Hennessy <i>Bowling Agg</i> 11 wickets	Mali Haynes <i>Bowling Agg</i> 11 wickets	James Sanderson <i>Coach's Award</i>
U11 Clarke	Benjamin Watson <i>Batting Agg & Avg 296 runs @ 26.91</i>		Amrinder Singh <i>Bowling Agg 7 wickets</i>		Bhawajot Singh <i>Coach's Award</i>
U11 Johnson	Ryley Smith <i>Batting Agg & Avg 170 runs @ 170.00</i>		Jake Grosse <i>Bowling Agg 12 wickets</i>	Jack Trezise <i>Bowling Agg 12 wickets</i>	Jared Caelear-King <i>Bowling Avg 6.67</i>
U12 Gilchrist	Matthew Sullivan <i>Batting Agg & Avg 270 runs @ 67.50</i>		Luke Cook <i>Bowling Agg & Avg 11 @ 8.09</i>		Ryan Cladingboel <i>Bowling Agg 11 wickets</i>
U12 Ponting	Justin McColl <i>Batting Agg & Avg 211 runs @ 21.10</i>		Harrison Field <i>Bowling Agg & Avg 10 @ 12.80</i>		Daniel Tupper <i>Bowling Agg 10 wickets</i>
U13	Bailey McNulty <i>Batting Agg & Avg 332 runs @ 41.50</i>		Adrian Agius <i>Bowling Agg 13 wickets</i>		Isaac Kennedy <i>Bowling Avg 7.33</i>
U14/1	Nicholas Arnold <i>Batting Agg & Avg 329 runs @ 82.25</i>		Ethan Hennessy <i>Bowling Agg 16 wickets</i>		Nicholas Arnold <i>Bowling Avg 7.10</i>
U16/2	Simon Masters <i>Batting Agg & Avg 401 runs @ 50.13</i>		Daniel Kull <i>Bowling Agg 6 wickets</i>		Mikayla Hinkley <i>Bowling Avg 19.25</i>
					Christopher Hinkley <i>Coach's Award</i>

UNDER 10 REPORT

Not submitted.

UNDER 11 JOHNSON REPORT

What a year! PREMIERS!

Firstly, we managed to retain all of the players from the previous year when we played with a merged Emu Plains/Glenmore Park team and we also welcomed some new players. I thank all the players and parents for showing the trust in the Coaches to return for this season.

After going through the season only losing one game and that was an overs count back loss, it was a fantastic achievement for a team so young. The way they all bonded together was a credit to them.

We were the best team in the competition and this was evident on Grand Final day with a comprehensive win.

The other thing that sticks out in my mind is the sportsmanship within the team and with the opposition. The willingness to listen and learn is infectious which makes our job, as coaches, so rewarding.

A word on all the players:

Jack Trezise, be more aggressive, you have the ability to dominate if you back your ability. You're strong and you have the shots, let's work on that for next season. With your bowling you have the pace to get a lot of wickets, let's continue to work on this and your line & length next season.

Jacob Bulluss just loves it, the hardest worker in the team who deserved the success he had this season. You continue to improve your Batting, dominating on occasions, continue working hard in this area. A very consistent year with the ball, many times taking wickets when the team needed them.

Jake Grosse, I reckon he surprised himself this season. Convinced to start bowling spin this year, he ended up being our equal leading wicket taker. Great work Jake, keep working hard, the rewards are there if you want them. Your batting continues to improve; you need to be a little more aggressive on occasions. Great season.

Jared Calear-King, a consistent season with the bat that with a little more controlled aggression could have been a lot better. You must continue to work hard on your Wicket Keeping to maintain the high standard required. Your bowling was the surprise packet for me, with the opposition on many occasions having no answers, great work.

Jeremy Skinner you have improved so much this season, that's for listening to me and John, when we were trying to help you at training. Your bowling was very consistent taking a least one wicket in 8 out of the last 9 games, can't ask for too much more. Your batting improved out of sight from the start of the season, you can only get better from here.

Jerry Crumpton, tried his heart out each game, eager to bat and bowl when required. With continued mentoring I can only see him improving in the coming seasons. Keep working on your game and the results will follow.

Jordan Hoy played the first five games, when he moved to the Central Coast.

Lachlan Jacobs, your batting improved throughout the season, topping off with a great performance in the GF with 32no. With your bowling you need to decide what type of bowling you'd like to do, spin or medium and concentrate on that.

Lochlan Watts, your bowling keeps improving with each season, I'm sure we can take it to the next level in the years to come. Your batting, toward the end of the season, was a highlight keep up the hard work.

Luke Riik, some excellent performances throughout the season at times went unrewarded. Your batting is showing improvement and if you continue to listen it will get better. Your bowling action is one that I like and will get you plenty of wickets in the coming seasons.

Joel Reeves, a good season with some consistent performances. You need to make a decision on what form of bowling you would like to do, slow or medium. Your batting improved towards the end of the season with some hard work, keep practising hard.

Ryley Smith, what an incredible performance with the bat scoring 170 runs and averaging the same, other players should be copying your confidence and aggression. Your Wicket Keeping continues to improve and I'm sure will keep getting better with practice. Great season.

Tazma Miles, your bowling deserved better results, on many occasions being too good for the opposition without results. Continue to work hard in this area and results will follow. Your batting is getting there, a little more aggression on those leg side shots will get the result required.

We look forward to another successful season next year and hope that all players return to hopefully go back to back. Thanks to all the parents for their support throughout the season and for those who helped out at training and scoring.

Terry Jacobs, Coach
John Grosse, Assistant Coach

UNDER 11 CLARKE REPORT

Not submitted.

UNDER 12 GILCHRIST REPORT

It is with a great deal of pride and satisfaction that I have the chance to reflect on our season as the U/12 Gillies! Like last season, we made the top four allowing us to again compete in the semi finals ... unfortunately the heavens didn't look down too kindly on us, and the rain put us out of the race. It was probably the most evenly contested season this age group has had with every team competing well and many close results. Congratulations to the St Clair Hawks who went on to become Premiers!!

Again it was a pleasure to see each player compete in every game with enthusiasm and above all outstanding sportsmanship. We achieved 8 wins, 7 loses and a draw (rain) which reflects that we played some very good cricket but perhaps not as consistently as we might have liked. Each player trained hard each week to improve their skill sets around batting, bowling and fielding with some very notable improvements by all players.

What was most pleasing however, was how their game skills and awareness grew. Our running between wickets was immensely better with the boys gaining the confidence to place fielders under pressure, our backing up in the field to stop overthrows, relay throws, stopping quick singles, batting partnerships and encouragement on the field ... lots of little things in a game that make a real difference was more regularly displayed by the boys.

We were fortunate to maintain 11 out of 12 players from last season and we welcomed Ryan Cladingboel who brought a very competitive edge and energy with bat, ball and in the field. It would be great to maintain all 12 players for next year as they all make important contributions to the team and we have a lot of fun in a competitive way!!

Player wraps:

Lachlan Askew – big improver with the bat, notching his highest innings score of 32 with some powerful legside hitting. Steady bowling grabbed him 4 wickets. In only his second season, he has really grown in confidence.

Jackson Bentvelzen – energizer bunny in the field taking 5 catches and effecting 4 run outs. Talented batter with a top score of 50 n.o. and 167 runs for the season. Discovered some very handy off breaks while representing Penrith in U/11 Creak Shield team.

Kai Brown – one of very few batsmen this season that can claim he hit a 5!!! Worked hard on his defense and hook shots. Opposing batsman found his left arm seamers hard to handle, claiming 5 wickets. Great team man!!

Max Buckley – Mr Personality on the field, loves a war cry and team huddle!! His hard work on his bowling was rewarded with 4 wickets. His hook shots through the slips still mesmerize (and scare!) the opposition.

Ryan Cladingboel – hits the ball as hard as anyone in the comp! Top score of 35, season tally of 133 runs are very positive signs. Patience and shot selection are key. Great competitor on the field, very steady, accurate bowling snared him our equal top tally of 11 wickets.

Luke Cook – tall, easy action and great line and length typify Cookie!! 55 overs for 89 runs, 17 maidens and 11 wickets ... a good season with the ball! His batting netted him 122 runs with a top score of 43. Great hands and arm in the field. Rewarded with selection in U/12 Presidents Cup team for Penrith.

Patrick Daley – displayed great defense and real improvement in attacking shots, scoring very handy runs, a top score of 17. His bowling too developed, grabbing 6 wickets. His energy in the field and awareness of the game was great. He should be very pleased with his team contributions in only his second year of cricket!!

Luke Gale – keen participant in all areas, including wicket keeping! His batting shows real signs of improvement with a straighter defense. Bigger scores are ahead. He scored some handy runs and wickets and a great encourager of his team mates on the field. Represented Penrith in U/11 Presidents Cup.

Ryan Graham – talented bowler with improved line and length snaring 8 vital wickets. Increased power and also straighter technique helped Ryan scored valuable runs and his running between wickets was aggressive! Shows a growing awareness of game situations. Represented Penrith in U/11 Creak Shield.

Ethan Parker – loves the contest and being involved in the game! Worked hard on playing straight and scored some very handy runs. Hitting more balls along the turf will bring more runs next season. Bowled straight and full to snare 7 wickets – many of those bowled!!

Mitchell Price – a keen competitor in all aspects, Mitchell plays straight with the bat. His top score of 41 showed his ability to be aggressive and positive! He took 7 wickets with a best of 3/16. Plays at his best when he is relaxed and using his natural instinct.

Matthew Sullivan – loves all aspects of the game, Matthew scored 270 runs @ 67.50, with 3 scores of 50 n.o. Played some well paced innings, including some key partnerships and a range of shots. Took 5 catches and bowled leggies and mediums. Captained the Penrith U/11 Creak Shield team.

Finally I would like to thank our Manager, Matt Graham for his dedicated assistance on and off the field, all our parents and grandparents for their wonderful support in scoring, hosting BBQ's, assisting with training, taking photos, packing up gear and getting our boys to each game. Your wonderful assistance doesn't go unnoticed and makes Saturday morning even more enjoyable!!

Well done to all the Under 12 Gillies!!!

Geoff Sullivan, Coach

UNDER 12 PONTING REPORT

If you look at the Under 12's table for Season 2012 – 2013, you will see that the Emu Plains Pontings won 2 games. These results do not represent the effort or the achievements of the boys involved.

All boys within the team took a wicket off their bowling, 5 boys set new personal best bowling figures, with 2 boys taking 10 wickets for the season, as a side note 9 boys on one or more occasions took 2 wickets off their 4 overs.

Batting statistics are equally as impressive, 13 boys set new highest score and new personal highest aggregate scores for a season. We had 1 batsman with a season aggregate score of 210; we had 4 batsmen with scores over 100 and 8 batsmen score over 50 runs for the season. All boys had a highest score of 9 or over and on 5 occasions we had 4 different boys achieve scores in the 40's.

For the 5th year in a row **Justin McColl** has received our batting award. He scored 210 runs at an average of 21.1 and followed that up with 8 wickets, a great all round effort. Justin saved his best for the other Emu Plains side, the Gillies, batting at 7 he hit a quick 46, setting us a very competitive score.

The Bowling award this year goes to **Harrison Field**, his figures 10/128 at an average of 12.80. Harrison worked hard all year on bowling a consistent line and length and it showed in his results. Harrison's season highlight was the round 9 game against Penrith RSL. With bowling figures of 1/8, he opened the batting and scored 41 not out including the winning runs, a 4 over slips.

The Coaches Award this year goes to **Daniel Tupper**. Daniel impressed with both bat and ball this season, he took 10/146 with the ball and scored 118 runs, those runs came off some very impressive big hitting. Daniels quick fire 36 against the Colyton Hawkes helped to get us to within 6 runs of victory, Colyton finished second in our age group.

The player that deserves special mention is **Justin Geri**. An express fast bowler, with the best batting technique with in the team, Justin scored our only 50 for the season. Justin scored a faultless 50 not out against St Pauls leading us to our second victory this season.

Jessie Astil had a good year with the bat, a top score of 49 against Glenmore Park, and a fantastic year in the field with 8 catches and 2 run outs.

Max Fenemore had a very impressive fist year playing cricket. Max was very nervous batting in the first few rounds, and then in round 11 against Colyton he batted for 17 overs to score 2. This really built his confidence, eventually resulting in a 17 against St Pauls assisting Justin to his 50 and helping us to our second victory for the season.

James Weir one of our more entertaining batsmen, using reverse sweeps and switch hitting to pile on the runs.

Ben Dillon is working hard at becoming a fast bowler, over the 3 years he has been a part of our team he has greatly improved. This year he bowled a was much more consistent line and put pressure on batsmen.

Angus McDonald was our on field leader, even when he was not captain. We lost Angus to boarding School after Christmas and his presence was greatly missed. This year he helped out with the wicket keeping duties and still managed to contribute with bat and ball. The round 12 game against the Colyton Hawks was his season highlight; he bamboozled them with spin to have bowling figures of 2/4 and followed that up with a 29 runs.

The stand out man of the match performance for me this year was **Liam Swist** against Glenbrook/Blaxland. Liam scored 28 runs in the wet with some fantastic running between the wickets and then flowed it up with 2/8 and 2 catches I the field.

At the start of the season **Nathan Roots** was not planning on playing cricket, he planned to play basketball. Hearing of our player shortage Nathan answered the call and returned to the fold. This year he helped out with the wicket keeping.

Paaras Dhaliwal started the season with a flourish with bat and. Unfortunately for him, he suffered an off the field injury after round 3, at the time he was our leading run scorer and we did not see him for the rest of the season. He is back on his feet now and hopefully we will see him back on the field next season.

Having lost 2 players through the season, we were looking at playing short every week. Fortunately for us, one of our parents found **Connor Gillard** training at the nets with his father. Connor joined us just before Christmas and has taken wickets and scored runs. A pugnacious batsman I look forward to seeing him develop in future years.

Richard Field, Coach

UNDER 13 REPORT

Another successful year for these boys, but unfortunately we couldn't defend our title going down to Glenmore in the grand final and finishing 2nd for the season. This was great effort by these guys to make their third Grand Final in a row.

We had 5 new players to our squad from last year with several of these boys playing their first year of cricket. These guys were fantastic for us and it was great to see them blend in so quickly with the team.

We finished minor premiers after being in 2nd spot before the last game of the season. The last round really showed how good a side we can be on our day as we won that by outright on the first day.

Unfortunately our grand final game was probably our worst performance and we were clearly beaten by a better side on the day.

While we had some great personal achievements during the season it was fantastic as a coach to see 15 kids all contribute to us making the grand final. Every week someone different stood up and did something special and his mates were there to congratulate him.

I hope to see everyone back again next season to help us go one better.

I would to thank the parents – you guys make my job so much easier with your support, help and friendship. I really appreciate the effort you put into making our training and game days an enjoyable time.

Lastly a massive thanks to Jodie Eisenhuth, you keep me on my toes, organise me, support me, pull into in line, but most of all you are very appreciated by me and the kids.

Go The Emu's.

Marty Romer, Coach

UNDER 14-1 REPORT

Everywhere we go-oh, People wanna know-oh, Who-oo we are, Where we come from, So-oo we tell them, (so-oo we tell them), We are the BIRD,

The mighty mighty EMU PLAINS. Wow what a great season for the Bird U14/1 team, 2013 Premiers.

Richard and I would like to thank all the wonderful parents who help out with the team. Without their input our jobs would be so much harder. Thanks to everyone that put their hand up and scored through the season Kate, Barb, Kevin, Andrew and even Pete H had a go this year. To the dads who help us week in week out in the nets bowling over after over to the team I know Kevin, Andrew and Pete H will be looking forward to the off season to rest their backs. To Leighton, thanks for all of your help with the training and assistance with the team. I know they thoroughly enjoy your assistance and comic relief. To Wally who comes week in week out, rain, hail or shine looking after our parents and the team with shelter and chairs, thank you. There are so many things that go into a season to run a cricket team and we really appreciate all of your input. To the people who stood out in the middle, Mark and Leighton, thanks for doing the job in upholding the laws of the great game of cricket in a fair and honest manner, after all this is junior cricket.

Also, on behalf of the Mighty Emu Plains U14/1 cricket team, we would like to say a big thank you to Liz Dowd who will finish this season as junior club secretary. Well done Liz, you have done a fantastic job. Both Liz and Sue Masters have been absolutely fantastic this season and if we have needed anything they could not have been more helpful. We would like to also thank Adrian Agius and Ben Romer for stepping up and playing for our team during the season. Boys both contributed to memorable wins we had during the season, thanks boys.

To the other Emu Plains teams well done on a great season for the club. Our U11 2013 Premiers, our U12 who made the semis but unfortunately missed an opportunity to play due to being washed out with the rain, our U13 who were unlucky to lose in the final after setting the competition pace all year and all the other junior teams that I know gave their best week in and week out.

Now with all of that said, this will be my last season coaching this terrific premiership winning team. The core of this team has been able to secure their 3rd premiership, which is a fantastic testament to their skill and ability as a team to deliver under pressure. It is tough enough to just win one, but to win three is something they can look back on with much pride when they are older. To the new boys in the team this season, you have done an outstanding job each and every one of you and you should be extremely proud of your contribution. I would like to thank my wife Irene, the person behind the scenes who puts up with me and the countless hours put into the team. She has been fantastic and without her support we could not have done what we have been able to do. To Richard Morley, my right hand man with the team, I cannot thank you enough for all of things you have done for this team and me. Your contribution to the team's success is fantastic and people do not see all the work you put in, well done mate. For me, as the coach of this team, it has been an absolute pleasure to watch them grow and develop not just as cricketers but as fantastic young adults. They are an absolute terrific group of people who represent the club, parents and themselves with distinction, something of which they should be very proud.

The Grand Final Victory

The victory in the grand final against Glenmore Park was set up on day one. The Glenmore Park openers built a very good, steady partnership and even though we missed some early opportunities our team stayed absolutely focused and were very committed to what they had to do. They were able to take the next 5 wickets for 12 runs and at the end of the days play were able to dismiss Glenmore Park, all out for 93 runs. A very "fired up" Glenmore Park came out of the blocks and threw everything at the Emu Plains batsmen. However, we were away to a good start and cruising at 3/60 with a lot of overs in hand. Then the game was turned on its head with some good fielding and bowling by Glenmore Park. Time and time again, this side has showed its true metal when it matters and our number 9 and 10 batsmen were able to guide the team home to a very well earned courageous victory which made everyone who is associated with this team extremely proud. This is a team who plays the game tough and hard but always in the true spirit of cricket and they should be extremely proud of the way they conduct themselves and how they play the great game of cricket. The captain of the team in Hugh and his co-captain Nick should also be congratulated on the way they were able to lead and secure the victory for their team, their leadership skills especially on day one of the final were that of players displaying maturity beyond their years and they should be very proud of what they were able to achieve together.

Up in the dressing sheds at the Kingsway it was a fantastic moment to sit back and look at a great bunch of people who play tough hard cricket in the right spirit of the game achieve a fantastic result for themselves well done

Player Overview

Joel Grey (Big Bird)

Season Stats: Runs 41 H/S17 Bowling 11 wickets Best 2/9 Fielding 2 catches

Wow, what a final he had 5 overs 2 Maidens 2/11 and the two wickets he secured were DCA players. He did this regularly throughout the season where he was able to come and bowl and take key wickets that were able to turn games in our favour and the final he did this in a pressure situation. If Big Bird keeps training hard he will be a player to watch in the future. There are DCA representative batsmen who have nightmares about Big Bird, over half of his season's 11 wicket haul have been against GP and they are all DCA representative batsman that he has taken care of. His batting has improved out of sight and he now takes this aspect of the game very seriously. Big Bird is another player who will surprise a few people in the future. The one thing that Big Bird brings to his game that others don't is his mum's and sister's cakes which all love.

Samantha Arnold (Sorry to her Friends)

Season Stats: Runs 65 H/S15 Bowling 16 wickets Best 4/20 Fielding 3 catches

First it has been an absolute pleasure for anyone connected to cricket that has been involved with Sam, she really plays the game in the right spirit, gives it 100% effort every time. In the final she stood up when it mattered after being involved in a run out that Sorry was sorry about. She was able to compose herself, dig in and really batted well. On day one with the ball, Sorry turned the game our way with 6 overs, 3 maidens 3/8. This will be Sam's last season of junior cricket and the way she plays, keep your eyes open as you will read a lot more about our Sam in the future. Sam passed the magical 100 game mark for the club with 103 games, starting out in the under 8 in 2006/2007 season. Sam really is a fantastic athlete and just very good all round young lady. She plays the game tough and hard and sets a fantastic example to everyone in the team. We wish her all the best with her future in the game. Sam is still part of the NSW Academy for girls and has represented the Mighty EPCC in many different representative teams throughout her junior career.

Tom Charlton (TC)

Season Stats: Runs 61 H/S43 Bowling 8 wickets Best 2/13 Fielding 7 catches 2 run outs

The super sub was fantastic in the field in the final securing a great catch and putting his body on the line all day long. TC scored a fabulous 43 earlier this season, his highest score ever against a very committed Springwood which helped us secure victory in a very tough match that helped us secure 2nd position on the competition table. TC is working really hard at his game and if keeps going at the rate he is going he will serve Penrith very well in the future. TC is one of the nicest young boys in the side and his big frame moving into bowl on that nagging length he delivers will unsettle many of a good batsman in the future.

Lachlan Charlton (Lachie)

Season Stats: Runs 112 H/S52 Bowling 6 wickets Best 2/2 Fielding 6 catches 1 Asst run out

Lachie had an outstanding final with the ball in his hand, opening the bowling with Boof. They really worked well in tandem together, it was the best I have ever seen him bowl and he has had some fantastic spells throughout the season. His 5 overs 2 maidens 0/6 applied a lot of pressure on the GP openers. Lachie batted at 3 in the final and has the skills to really be a very accomplished all round cricketer. His highlight for me was his unbeaten 52 against St Clair which was a very well constructed batting performance. Lachie is a very naturally gifted player who will have some tough decisions in the future to make, we all hope he takes cricket not that other game with a hoop. One of the other highlights with this great young cricketer was a spell he bowled to GP at Sales Park, many people who watched that commented that was the best opening spell they had seen from a junior cricketer. Lachie has the talent, the challenge and decision is now his to make and take.

Murray Miles (Muz)

Season Stats: Runs 99 H/S 31 Bowling 6 wickets best 2/5 Fielding 4 catches as WK

The Mighty Muz what a great young bloke to have in your side. He has been absolute pleasure and has fitted in perfectly at Emu. Muz has really developed this season and has contributed at a very high level throughout the season. In the final he was solid behind the stumps, he had a couple of overs which had the umpires asking how come he bowls so far down the order with his lightning bolts. He opened the batting in the final and had the team away to a solid start and he did the job in seeing off their openers. Muz will be a player of the future for everyone to keep an eye on. He was rewarded this season with a trial for the NSW Cricket Academy where he made the final night but just narrowly missed out. This determined young bloke will have a terrific season next year and our prediction is that he will make NSW Cricket Academy next season.

Ethan Clout (Clouty)

Season Stats: Runs 46 H/S29 Bowling 8 wickets Best 3/9 Fielding 4 catches

Another player to shine in the final with the ball in his hand, a late inclusion into our bowling line up due to injuries. Clouty's figures of 5 overs 4 maidens 2/2 was an outstanding effort in his first final match. Clouty sat in the shed as our last batsman and we had a lot of faith in him to get the job done if he was needed. Earlier in the season he had faced a barrage from GP and was able to give a very good account of himself and his abilities. If he continues to work hard at his game he will realize his potential. Clouty really stepped up in the lead up to the finals series and if he takes away the last 3 weeks of the season in regard to dedication, attitude and focus he will have a great season next year and beyond.

Brendon Speechley (Boof)

Season Stats: Runs 152 H/S68 Bowling 6 wickets Best 2/2 Fielding 6 catches

Mr. 110% Boof gives absolutely everything he has for his team mates. Boof is a great all round cricketer, his captain has no hesitation turning to him and throwing him the ball in pressure cooker situations. His batting has come a long way and will only get better. In the final Boof opened the bowling and his 7 overs 2 maidens

1/9 really set the platform for the team. He could consider himself very unlucky on the day with the bat but that is cricket. During the season he smashed a quick fire 28 off 21 balls to set us up for memorable win against Springwood. He also played very well constructed innings against Penrith RSL to reach his new top score milestone of 68no. He has opening batsman at all levels watching him very carefully and just seeing him off. He bowled 60.5 overs 17 maiden with an economy rate of 1.9 this season. Boof is another player that people should keep a real close eye on as he has the potential to play at a very high level and we are looking forward to watching him terrorize the opposition in the future. The funny thing with Boof, he has had a running duel with HK since they started playing together and every training session he steams in and lets rip. They give it to each other and they are the best of mates and really a fantastic challenge to them both and epitomizes the way the team trains in general.

Aidan King (Wild Thing)

Season Stats: Runs 136 H/S30 Bowling 5 wickets Best 2/6 Fielding 3 catches

What a team player this guy is, days before the final in a training mishap, Kingy breaks a finger. Mr Courageous really stood up in the final. Wild Thing could consider himself very unlucky with the ball he could have easily had a 4 wicket haul. His figures simply do not tell the story and those at the game know how well he bowled and how unlucky he was not able to bag a lot of wickets. Wild Thing bowled 6 overs 2 maidens 1/11. With the bat he top scored for the team. The highlight for us this season with Wild Thing is continued passion and commitment for cricket and his team mates. He will be a thorn in the side of many teams in the future and will be another Emu with the potential to play the game at a much higher level. Kingy has had us in stitches all season and he is player who knows how to play the game tough and hard. He has really stepped up and become an on field leader and we look forward to watching his representative career in the future.

Ethan Hennessy (Henno)

Season Stats: Runs 159 H/S86 Bowling 16 wickets Best 3/10 Fielding 1 catch 1 Ast run out

Now Henno or E is another one vying for the Mr Courageous award for the season after breaking his wrist earlier in the season, playing games with his plaster on and delivering some of the most unplayable balls with his leg spin and his crook arm in plaster was an interesting sight. During one match it started to lightly rain and Henno had to leave the field to have his plaster covered in an old plastic bag, but just would not stop asking if he could get back on the field. His commitment throughout the season we believe has seen him really start to come of age. Henno really applied himself in the back end of the season and is more focused and dedicated to his game then we have ever seen him and this only spells trouble for opposition teams. The highlight for his season was 86 not out against Penrith RSL in his first game back after having his plaster removed. If Henno keeps up his focus he could easily go back and play representative cricket and cause a lot of batsman a lot of headaches. Look out in the seniors next year for this little leggie, he is ready to bamboozle you blokes.

Max Turner (Pepsi)

Season Stats: Runs 65H/S43 Bowling 10 wickets Best 2/18 Fielding 10 catches

The real deal turned up in the final, Pepsi Max did himself very proud coming into a real pressure situation. He was in a fantastic partnership with Jrod that steered the side to victory. GP threw the kitchen sink at these two batsmen and all of that extra training they both do really paid off on the day for the team. As usual Mr Reliable in the field took a great catch in the final. Pepsi Max's other highlight for the season was an unbeaten 43 against Colyton St Clair but his effort in the final was outstanding and one he will remember for a longtime. Max is a very dedicated cricketer, works a lot on his game and is a real asset to the team. Most kids were in bed on Sunday morning of the final, not Pepsi, he was up at the nets bright and early having a batting session with Whools getting himself ready for the biggest test of his short career, which he passed with flying colours. Mr Reliable in the field took some absolute blinders in the field this season and snared 10 and some of these would be worth a nomination to the classic catches hall of fame.

Jarrold Morley (Jrod)

Season Stats: Runs 35 H/S12 Bowling 8 wickets Best 3/3 Fielding 1 catches 5 catches as WK 1 ast run out 1 stumping

Jrod, the brick wall with eyes as we know him, has built his game on rock solid defence. In the last round game of the season, Jrod opened the batting for us against Glenmore Park and they absolutely threw everything they had at him and the only way he was removed was a run out. He came into the final and shared in a great victory in the middle with Pepsi with the best 2 runs he has ever scored. This is the second time in his short career that he has held up an end in a grand final to get the Mighty Emu team home. When Jrod has the ball in his hand people do not give him the credit he deserves. He bowled as usual 5 overs 3 maidens 0/2. The little bloke will only get better as he grows. Jrod has the technique, he just needs time, of

which he has plenty. Stats simply do not tell the story with Jrod, he punches above his weight week in week out and has done so for years in playing for this team. He contributes when it counts and simply gets the job done. He will be a player who people look at and say, they all develop at different rates, when he is smacking them all over the park. You have to have technique to stay in and score and this is something he has plenty of, just ask the bowlers who have tried to remove him in his last two games.

Nick Arnold (Nitro) Co Captain

Season Stats: Runs 339 H/S100 Bowling 10 wickets Best 3/4 Fielding 9 catches

Nitro went into the final carrying an injury and he still contributed taking a fantastic catch. He is a very good co-captain and should be very proud of his contribution in this role for the team. Nitro has had a great season, leading the runs for the team throughout the season with an average of 65.8. He just is scary when he is the zone and can destroy bowling attacks and is equally dangerous bowling his little dart balls. Nitro's most memorable moment of the season came in game 1 of the season where he scored his first century (100 no). It will be one to remember as he was able to pick this up on the last ball of the game after sharing in a great partnership with HK against St Clair. Nitro lives up to his name week in week out and is a very dangerous player for opposition teams to handle with his flat bat 6sixes a joy to watch disappear into distance. Nitro is another Emu player who will go on and play at much higher level than he is today. This season he has been rewarded with a call up to trial for the NSW Academy, which is a fantastic achievement, after also leading the runs with Penrith rep DCA side. Nick also passed the magical 100 games for the club and now has played 105 games also starting out in U8 in the 2006/2007 season. He has amassed 1556 runs thus far, which is an outstanding effort.

Hugh Kermond (HK) Captain

Season Stats: Runs 283H/S111 Bowling 6 wickets Best 2/16 Fielding 9 catches, catches as wk 3, 1 Asst run out 1stumping

Hugh had a great captain's game in the final, leading from the front with 3 fantastic catches to dismiss Glenmore Park's top order batsman, backing this up with 5 overs 1 maiden 1/7. He is always very well supported by all the players in the team and it is fantastic to watch him week in week out lead the Mighty Emu into battle. He was batting conservatively in the final and had the team cruising along looking as though the game was well in hand but cricket is a funny game and can provide many twists and turns, which was the case when he was run out by a good piece of fielding and a direct hit. His highlight for the season was his first century in the first game against St Clair. On this occasion he scored a very well-constructed 111 and only with a couple of balls left sacrificed his wicket to get Nitro on strike so he could have the opportunity to get his first ton as well. This act alone speaks of his commitment to his fellow team mates. This season has been a bit interrupted with injury and HK battled away and missed a few games through the regular season. He had the honour and privilege also to captain the NSW Academy side. He loves to have a chirp in the field with all the team and they do have some very memorable and witty things to say to each other. This is HK's last season of junior club cricket and I know he wants to thank everybody in the junior club. As he says, it has been a fantastic club to play for and I know he will miss the training sessions and those early morning starts.

Peter Kermond, Coach

UNDER 16-2 REPORT

This season was one of many challenges for our side on & off the field. We had a squad of 14 players, with a couple of those players representing us at district level.

It was a bit of a juggling act at times, especially with a couple of injuries here and there. Regardless of what team took the field, they played with the upmost respect for all officials & our opposition's, something that I'm very proud of!

I'm extremely proud of what the team achieved over the course of the season, although results didn't end up in our favour that often, we always turned up to try our best and have a lot of fun.

Our side happened to be a fair mixture of age, with three quarters of our side playing up an age or two, which is a huge effort for any player to do that week in, week out.

But I believe we showed some great character in holding our heads up high, regardless of the results.

A great memory for all of us would have to be the match before Christmas; we hadn't won a game up until that point. We took on the team coming 2nd and chased down the runs with some great partnerships and great knock from Simon Masters with a match winning century, very timely indeed. I will always remember that match as it was played with great spirit & determination, such a fantastic team effort!

I want to give a big thank you to the parents of our team you guys were amazing, always supportive of the team on and off the field. Thank You! Also a special mention to Steve Masters, always willing to put his hand up to help out with the side in any way possible, Thanks mate!

Our Skipper Peter Hardy, you played a big part in leading this young side around the park, you did this with great pride and sportsmanship. Well done mate, a future leader, I'm sure of it!

Our Manager Tim Hardy, you were simply brilliant with the support and guidance you gave to the team, I can't thank you enough for your efforts off the field & behind the scenes. Cheers mate!

A massive thank you to the EPCC Committee and in particular to Liz Dowd! I'm grateful for all your support and guidance over my last four seasons of coaching You've been a massive help in many different ways, and we are all going to miss your service big time. Thank you!

Well played & I hope to see you all back next season with our club, Go The Bird!

Your Coach.

Pat Anderson, Coach

SENIOR CLUB RECORDS - ALL GRADES (1989/90 TO 2012/13)

(NDCA SENIOR COMPETITION ONLY – NOT INCLUDING T20 MATCHES)

Most Matches Played

Greg Bottrill	345
Martin Romer	286
Andrew Williams	239

Most Runs Scored

Greg Bottrill	6688
Andrew Williams	5822
Martin Romer	5287

Most Wickets Taken

Martin Romer	462
Greg Bottrill	345
John Bawden	259

Highest Score

Antony Tonks	174
George Bucik	162
Tim Jackson	154
Dean Chudleigh	152
Todd Barron	150*
Matthew Stanowski	150*

Best Bowling

Shane Richards	9/28
Peter Bucik	8/10
Dean Franshaw	8/15
Alan Tran	8/17
Sam Weymouth	8/18
Shane Richards	8/35

Most Runs In A Season

Jason Flanagan	719 (1993-94)
Greg Bottrill	615 (1993-94)
Matthew Jones	596 (2004-05)

Most Wickets In A Season

Geoff Abbott	48 (1989-90)
Peter Bucik	43 (1990-91)
Andrew Luzzi	42 (2006-07)
Chris Longhurst	42 (2010-11)

100 Games

Greg Bottrill	345	Neil Gentile	141	Chris Tonks	120
Martin Romer	286	Andrew Pesle	141	Jim Micsko	117
Andrew Williams	239	Andrew Luzzi	140	Anthony Tonks	116
John Bawden	224	Craig Alderson	135	Mitchell Perry	115
Chris Longhurst	201	Shaun Wood	132	John Anderson	113
Darran Harvey	200	Regan Rist	129	Jamie Large	113
Michael Haynes	200	John Lennon	127	Matthew Stanowski	111
Malcolm Sheens	196	Trevor Wilson	127	William Coughlan	106
Patrick Anderson	166	Peter Gibson	125	Peter Russell	105
Luke Stanowski	156	Chris Black	122	Martin Bowerman	102
Matthew Callaghan	152	Sam Barbaro	121	Ben Treharne	102
Matthew Elliott	142	Ange Barbaro	120	Timothy Pedlar	100

1000 Runs

Greg Bottrill	6688	Paul Callaghan	1736	John Ryan	1246
Andrew Williams	5822	Sam Barbaro	1731	Shane Mcpherson	1243
Martin Romer	5287	Luke Stanowski	1664	George Bucik	1236
Chris Longhurst	3176	Ange Barbaro	1595	Timothy Pedlar	1201
Andrew Pesle	2720	Kyle Siczak	1585	Craig Alderson	1174
Anthony Tonks	2693	Jamie Large	1577	Iain Lumsden	1169
Darran Harvey	2581	David Cooke	1559	Geoffrey Abbott	1137
Michael Haynes	2569	Mitchell Perry	1550	John Lennon	1137
Chris Tonks	2559	Gerrad Hennessy	1540	Robert Carter	1132
Matthew Callaghan	2497	Shaun Wood	1506	Brett Chandler	1130
Stephen Burns	2494	Jason Green	1469	Regan Rist	1122
Matthew Parker	2493	David Sharpe	1469	John Bawden	1110
Trevor Wilson	2402	Dean Yarnton	1451	Matthew Kobryn	1072
Chris Black	2283	Michael Kapitanow	1416	Greg Sheens	1067
Matthew Jones	2181	Neil Gentile	1402	Gregory Watts	1059
Malcolm Sheens	2082	Stuart Ericson	1382	Trevor Williams	1057
Glenn Coughlan	2064	Todd Marshall	1379	Bryan Cavanagh	1053
Peter Gibson	2024	Anthony Wright	1369	Joshua Wood	1040
Patrick Anderson	1970	Stephen Steptoe	1342	John Anderson	1031
Craig Huthnance	1903	Jim Micsko	1336	Peter Hennessy	1017
Shanaka Desilva	1836	Martin Bowerman	1313	Scott McNally	1008
Matthew Stanowski	1766	Andrew Luzzi	1302	Shane Richards	1000
James Wood	1766	Jef Miles	1298		
Timothy Jackson	1753	Matthew Elliott	1295		

100 Wickets

Martin Romer	462
Greg Bottrill	345
John Bawden	259
Matthew Elliott	231
Andrew Luzzi	224
Neil Gentile	219
Chris Longhurst	207
Chris Tonks	206
Geoffrey Abbott	192
Peter Bucik	175
John Lennon	166

Jamie Large	159
Malcolm Sheens	156
Craig Alderson	154
Ben Treharne	153
Patrick Anderson	152
Mark Roser	136
Matthew Stanowski	132
James Wood	131
Jason Green	130
William Coughlan	125
David Bransdon	124

Matthew Marshall	122
Jim Micsko	121
Robert Sands	120
Ben Sheens	118
Andrew Kennedy	115
Craig Sheens	112
Shane Richards	111
Adrian Lighezzolo	109
Greg Sheens	105
Peter Hooper	104

4000 Runs / 400 Wickets Double

Martin Romer	5287 / 462
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3000 Runs / 300 Wickets Double

Greg Bottrill	6688 / 345
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2000 Runs / 200 Wickets Double

Chris Longhurst	3176 / 207
Chris Tonks	2559 / 206

1000 Runs / 100 Wickets Double

Sheens, Malcolm	2082 / 156
Anderson, Patrick	1970 / 152
Stanowski, Matthew	1766 / 132
Wood, James	1766 / 131
Large, Jamie	1577 / 159
Green, Jason	1469 / 130
Gentile, Neil	1402 / 219
Micsko, Jim	1336 / 121
Luzzi, Andrew	1302 / 224
Elliott, Matthew	1295 / 231
Alderson, Craig	1174 / 154
Abbott, Geoffrey	1137 / 192
Lennon, John	1137 / 166
Bawden, John	1110 / 259
Sheens, Greg	1067 / 105
Richards, Shane	1000 / 111