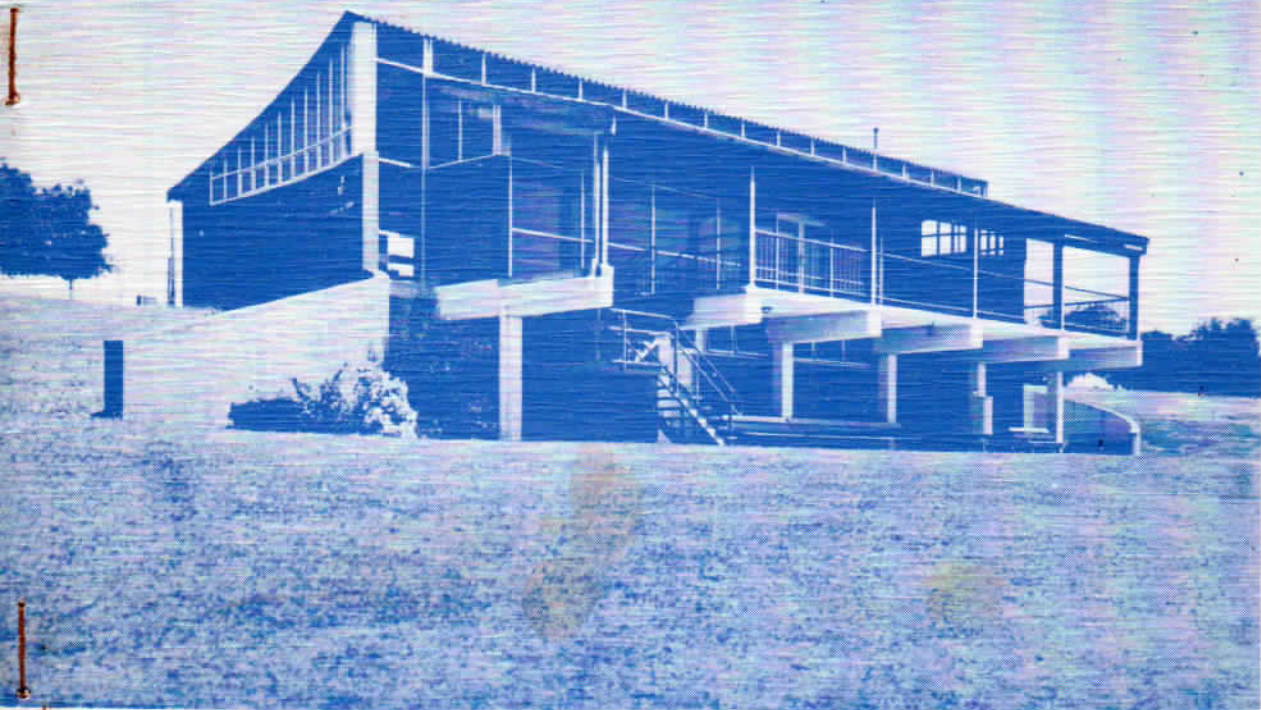


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SUBIACO-FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION



1981/82

ANNUAL REPORT

SUBIACO - FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB

ANNUAL REPORT 1981-82 SEASON

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Where did we go wrong in the 1981/2 Cricket Season? That is the question that should be asked of the Club as a whole. Before the season commenced, we were faced with the expulsion of our 5th and 6th Grade Teams from the Suburban Turf Competition. This left us with the four traditional W.A.C.A. sides but deprived us of a nucleus of enthusiastic young lads just waiting for the opportunity to play grade cricket.

The Season commenced well with two "A" Grade wins in the first two games. However, from the third fixture on, we had trouble clinching a win. We had many close calls and could well have finished in a better position on the table. It is history that we finished down the list after being runners-up in 1980/81. Our only direction now is upwards and I would like to think that we have all learnt from the past season, and that we will approach next season with enthusiasm and a determination to succeed. To all who played in the "A" Grade side, I give my thanks for their efforts during the season. My hope is that they are rewarded in the seasons to come.

In a season of gloom two exciting young players emerged in Brian Raven and Greg Fitzgerald. Veteran Kevan Penter won the batting and bowling averages.

It is fair to say that the second and third grades were affected by the fact that the "A" Grade Team was not stabilised into a composite unit. The movement of players up and down the grades had a disturbing effect on the second and third grades. ~~Other~~ teams had their chances and finished in middle order premiership table positions. A highlight of these grades was the emergence of Todd Breman as a player of the future. After a successful opening in thirds, he made a century in his first second grade appearance. He also honoured the club by being appointed Captain of the Under 16 State Team.

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The Fourth Grade emerged as our most successful team. Under the wily captaincy of Dave Phillips, they easily won their Semi Final against Nedlands only to go down to University in a tense final. The team was a mixture of youth and experience and their professional approach to the game could well be studied by the more senior grades.

The Club was further honoured by the success of Kim Hughes and Terry Alderman on the State and International scene. We congratulate Kim on his appointment as Australian Captain for the Pakistan Tour and Terry on his performances and the winning of the W.A. Sportsmen of the Year award and the Sheraton Gold Cup.

Our four Captains and our Selection Committee deserve a vote of thanks in a difficult season. To Glen Hughes, Reg Statham, David Shilbury, David Phillips and Alan Bolton - thanks for the time and effort you have put in.

To my Committee who have worked so well during the year I extend my thanks. It is rather a paradox in a year that the Committee functioned smoothly and controlled their finances so well that our performances on field were not up to our normal expectations.

Might I challenge all club members to put their shoulder to the wheel and through hard work and co-operation, return the club to its former standing. Remember the old saying "United we stand - Divided we fall".

For my ^{part} ~~past~~ I am grateful for the opportunity for serving you as President of a club steeped in tradition and look forward to a successful season 1982/83. I am confident - are you?

R. BURGESS
PRESIDENT

CAPTAINS REPORT

FIRST GRADE

The 1981-82 season has been one of great disappointment. After finishing on top of the Premiership Table last season we finished on the bottom this year.

The loss of Kevin Sharp from last year's side and the limited availability of Kim Hughes, Terry Alderman and Giles Bush, certainly left very large gaps in the side. These gaps proved to be too big to fill.

A promising start was made to the season with victories in the first two matches. However, the signs were already pointing up a major problem area for the team, its batting. It was only through excellent bowling and some good "backs-to-the wall" batting by two or three players that saw the side to victory in these matches.

One batting failure after another was the story for the rest of the season. Only in the second last game did the side pass the 200 run mark again. This was the side's only other win. Our opponents also had trouble reaching 200 runs which is a tribute to the bowlers.

Three bowlers shared the bulk of the wickets between them. Brian Raven showed great improvement taking 31 wickets, while the evergreen Ian King again took wickets when they were most needed to finish the season with 27. Kevan Penter showed the value of accurate bowling and a little movement by taking 25 wickets at the good average of 14.68.

Other good features of the season included Peter Jones admirable job both behind the stumps and with the bat and the emergence of Greg Fitzgerald as a player with a bright future.

If 1982-83 is to be successful a change in attitude is needed by most players. A big effort will be needed at practice and a strong will to win will need to be developed.

GLEN HUGHES
CAPTAIN

CAPTAINS REPORT

SECOND GRADE

Our season just completed was a little disappointing to me, especially in view of our achievements in this grade last year. We commenced with some good performances up until mid way through the season, and our team with many new young players looked like shaping into a strong combination. It was at this point that Brad Parker, Phil Hayden and Dennis Ireland became ~~available~~. This, together with team promotions did greatly reduce player strength, with reflecting results throughout the club (fourths excepted).

However, vacancies create opportunity and a most gratifying aspect of the season was to see players such as Dave Shilbury, Greg Fitzgerald, Tod Brennan and "Spud" Tate perform so well. Whatever problems we, or the club encountered, they are really just reasons to offer excuses for lack of achievement. As mentioned, we have good cricketers, and with a lot of hard pre-season work by everyone, we can again elevate into the top bracket.

Finally, I extend gratitude for the support and effort from all players, and I wish them success for future seasons.

REG STATHAM
CAPTAIN

CAPTAINS REPORT

THIRD GRADE

The 1981/82 season saw the third grade side eventually finish in seventh position. During the season we had ample opportunity to push our way into the four, however, lack of experience together with mental concentration and determination eventually cost us that chance to play finals.

This season saw many young players enter grade ranks and with this year behind them should begin to develop their mental abilities to levels matching their cricket skills. Of the younger players forcing their way into the 3rds this year, two stood out showing enormous abilities whether batting or bowling. I refer to Todd Breman and Martin Croft. I have no doubt both will move up the grades in coming seasons.

The batting department again highlighted a general club weakness with only three players showing any real consistency. Ross Bolton (280 runs), Todd Breman (285) and David Shilbury (258) were three players showing an ability to occupy the crease under a variety of conditions. Ross Bolton eventually won the averages, with an average of 39.

The bowling department showed a trend towards the spin departments. Dave Shilbury (27 wickets) with a special brand of darts, headed the averages (11.96) with Martin Croft showing a great deal of variation and control with his off spinners. One of the major benefits for the

club this year was the return of Muzza Raven. No doubt Murray will work his way up the grades next year. Murray was well supported in the medium pace department by Wild Bill who bowled as well as he ever has, but without much luck. The big "praying-mantis" Mal Gibson also showed enormous improvement this year bowling with good line and length. On top of those bowlers Todd Breman and Trevor Sanders in the latter half of the year bowled well.

In the fielding department special mention should be made of Ross Bolton's iron glove work. Ross was forced to take the gloves and performed exceptionally well.

In concluding I would like to thank all players for their support this year and in particular I would like to thank my Vice Captain Ross Bolton for taking over as captain in the last three games.

DAVE SHILBURY
CAPTAIN

CAPTAINS REPORT

FOURTH GRADE

As is quite normal in fourth grade, the season opened with the whole team comprised mostly of new faces. The task was then to mould the team to play as a single unit.

With so much youth in the side, there was a large burden on the Senior Members. Firstly, the Vice Captain, Larry King added to the batting of the side and his performances were sparkling. When he was promoted to higher grades, Larry Davies shouldered the task of Vice Captain. He lead the team on 3 occasions while I was away. I pay tribute to Larry's contribution to team morale and enthusiasm throughout the season.

By and large, this team was not a "talented" team, built around one or two outstanding performers. However, it must have looked formidable to those teams we so soundly thrashed.

These include all the teams who played in the finals. How did we achieve this? The answer is simply - DEDICATION AND ENTHUSIASM.

Every player associated with this team spent hours and hours fielding after training and before a match practising at little or no insistence from their Captain.

Not only did this mould them into the best fielding 4th grade side I have ever seen (in over 20 years), but the natural spin-off was to improve the other areas of their game.

Outstanding in the field were - Duncan Robinson, Larry Davies, Glen Mitchell, Andrew McNish and latterly, David McKay. With the gloves, Ali Ewell, gave an indication that he has real promise behind the stumps.

The semi-final against Nedlands was a convincing victory, considering we beat them by only 1 run a few weeks previously.

Against University in the final, we were just a little short of runs on the board. There were a couple of opportunities missed, together with a decision or two which could have gone our way, but didn't. This meant that Uni, and full marks to them, made the most of their opportunities.

I am sad that this was my final year in cricket. A year that didn't start so well, but ended with a team spirit and maturity of players far beyond the average team age of 20 years 1 month. As these players filter through the higher grades, their influence will lift the performance of the whole Club.

Finally, thanks to all the team members for the past season, and to the support of all players and officials over so many years of my association with the Club.

DAVID PHILLIPS
CAPTAIN

JUNIOR COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORT

As usual the Junior Competition of the Club, under the administration of the Junior Council, was carried through to completion with its normal efficiency. This was aided by the fact that most Delegates have been in office for at least three years.

42 teams competed in Under 16, 14 and 12 year grades. One of the things that is worth noting is that throughout the season we have the use of twenty one wickets, so that all juniors are ensured of a game. We are able to accommodate approximately 500 boys.

Each season we acquire new wickets. In 1981/82 we gained the use of Woodlands Reserve, Henderson Park and Brittainia Reserve.

Our local Under 16 Competition for the Richie Hann Shield was won by Marist Blue. The Ray Young Shield for the Under 14 Gold Competition was won by Woodlands who were transferred to Subiaco-Floreat from Scarborough by the W.A.C.A. The newly formed Floreat Junior Cricket Club

won the Frank Bird Shield in the Under 14 Maroon Competition.

Marist Blue won the 12A (theoretically 11 year olds) Turner Shield and Subiaco Police Boys were successful in winning the original Floreat Park Junior Cricket Club Shield in the 12B Competition (for 8 to 10 year olds).

From the above it can be seen that the shields were won by Clubs from a wide area. 1981/82 was the closest competition ever and in three grades a place in the final four was decided on percentages.

I feel that the Club can say with pride that we have more boys playing cricket than play any other summer sport. Next to Wanneroo we have the second largest junior competition in the W.A.C.A.

My thanks go to members of the Junior Council, to parents, the Club's Senior Committee and all those who have helped to make this a most successful season.

WALDO TURNER
CHAIRMAN

DISTRICT REPORT - U/16

The U/16 District side finished in 5th position this year. I believe they had the ability to make the four but weather and a couple of close games made things difficult.

On the credit side, the club is again about to see more talented young players moving into the senior club.

In the bowling department, new ball bowler Andrew Lawson took all the honours taking 32 wickets at an average of 8.03. This included one haul of 7 wickets. Steven Nicken and Paul Osborne both move through to seniors next year and an eye should be kept on both these new ball bowlers.

The batting saw a number of boys take their turn at making some big scores. Overall David Reed made 336 runs at 33.6 winning the averages from Todd Breman who made 333 runs at 30.27. Duncan MacNish scored 242 at 30.25 and impressed with his grit while opening the batting. Other players to contribute with some runs were Steven Nielsen (205) and Gerrad Montague (157).

The fielding department saw Todd Breman emerge as a fielder of the highest quality. Todd should be congratulated on his selection as this year's State Under 16 Captain. At this carnival he won the fielder of carnival award. Well done Todd.

A young Wicket keeper by the name of Vince Rule showed considerable promise and should fit nicely into one of the senior sides next season.

All in all a lot was learnt and achieved and the boys are to be complimented on the way they play the game in fine spirit.

DAVID SHILBURY
U/16 COACH

SUBIACO - FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB INC.

INTERIM REPORT

BALANCE SHEET AS AT APRIL 30, 1982

1980/81	<u>MEMBERS FUNDS</u>	1981/82
\$11,184.36	Balance as at May	\$10,802.64
381.72	Less Excess Expenditure over Income	1,084.92
<u>10,802.64</u>	TOTAL MEMBERS FUNDS	<u>9,717.72</u>

This sum is represented by:-

ASSETS

1,847.64	Cash at Bank (C.S.B.)	1,614.27
851.55	Investment A/C (C.S.B.)	-
4,646.42	Accounts Receivable	3,264.66
3,200.00	Equipment	4,190.70
648.09	Plant	648.09
<u>11,193.70</u>	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>9,717.72</u>

LESS LIABILITIES

391.06	Accounts Payable	-
<u>391.06</u>	TOTAL LIABILITIES	-
<u>\$10,802.64</u>	EXCESS ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES	<u>\$ 9,717.72</u>

SUBIACO - FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB INC.

INTERIM REPORT

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR

MAY 1 1981 TO APRIL 30 1982

1980/81	<u>INCOME</u>	1981/82
\$ 326.00	Members subscriptions (NPM)	\$ 345.00
2,979.00	" " (Seniors)	2,437.00
735.00	" " (Juniors)	559.50
249.50	Junior Affiliation Fees	445.50
48.55	Bank Interest	63.89
2,097.20	Ball Fees	1,571.00
100.40	Donations	160.00
345.46	Social Receipts	352.17
2,000.00	W.A.C.A. Coaching Grant	2,000.00
1,500.00	Sponsorship Awards	3,500.00
1,389.79	Fund Raising	95.50
220.00	President Account	240.00
144.00	W.A.C.A. - Refund Ground Fees	-
134.00	Trophies	426.00
106.55	Investment	-
345.00	Coaching Clinic	-
1,416.50	Wind-up	1,041.20
-	W.A.C.A. Members Refund	440.00
-	Jumpers, Caps	220.00
810.00	Sundries	185.00
-	W.A.C.A. Sundries	650.00
-	W.A. Suburban Turf	10.00
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\$14,946.95	TOTAL INCOME	\$14,741.76
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INTERIM REPORT

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR

MAY 1 1981 TO APRIL 30 1982

1980/81	<u>EXPENDITURE</u>	1981/82
\$ 1,337.50	Perth City Council - Ground Hire	\$ 2,223.08
-	Subiaco City Council	1,280.00
5,632.60	Equipment	3,201.70
154.79	Printing and Stationery	102.02
120.12	Sundries	425.60
90.00	Hire of Hall	-
5,705.66	Players Fees and Costs	2,780.00
-	Trophies	991.77
1,270.00	W.A. Suburban Turf	10.00
18.00	Watering Wicket	-
655.00	Testimonial - J. Hubble	-
200.00	Notice Boards	-
145.00	President Account	-
-	Bar	343.74
-	Caps, Jumpers	645.00
-	Petty Cash	103.00
-	W.A.C.A.	328.86
-	Windup	3,391.91
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15,328.67		15,826.68
381.72	Excess of Expenditure over Income	1,084.92
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STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS

FIRST GRADE

<u>Batting</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Average</u>
K. Hughes	85	42.50
K. Penter	291	22.38
J. Hubble	258	21.50
K. Harris	150	21.42
G. Stafford	97	19.40
G. Hughes	307	19.18
I. King	193	17.54
G. Fitzgerald	128	16.00
<u>Bowling</u>	<u>Wickets</u>	<u>Average</u>
T. Alderman	9	8.33
G. Bush	10	10.80
K. Penter	25	14.68
B. Raven	31	20.54
I. King	27	21.85
<u>Catches</u>		
P. Jones	24 (and 1 stumping)	
J. Hubble	11	
G. Hughes	10	

SECOND GRADE

<u>Batting</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Average</u>
T. Breman	142	71.00
H. Christensen	90	45.00
G. Fitzgerald	261	32.62
B. Parker	145	29.00
P. Haydon	102	25.50
K. Harris	143	23.83
D. Cameron	167	23.28
<u>Bowling</u>	<u>Wickets</u>	<u>Average</u>
B. Parker	10	14.40
G. Tate	33	15.24
P. Haydon	16	15.87
D. Raven	19	16.89
<u>Catches</u>		
S. Wright	7	
R. Bolton	7	
G. Fitzgerald	6	

THIRD GRADE

<u>Batting</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Average</u>
R. Bolton	276	39.43
T. Breman	285	28.50
D. Shilbury	258	25.80
D. Medley	149	29.60
<u>Bowling</u>	<u>Wickets</u>	<u>Average</u>
D. Shilbury	27	11.96
M. Croft	13	17.38
T. Breman	13	19.84
<u>Catches</u>		
R. Bolton	12	
M. Raven	7	
G. Bradshaw	7	

FOURTH GRADE

<u>Batting</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Average</u>
M. Secourable	92	46.00
C. Wood	315	39.37
M. Raven	69	34.50
D. Robinson	278	30.89
T. Sanders	121	30.25
D. Phillips	278	27.80
<u>Bowling</u>	<u>Wickets</u>	<u>Average</u>
A. Bamford	12	6.58
D. Phillips	38	8.87
M. Raven	21	10.09
<u>Catches</u>		
A. Ewell	24	
L. King	12	
L. Davies	7	