

SUBIACO-FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB (Inc.)

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION

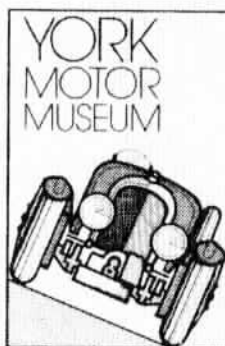


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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

So near and yet so far - less than one point out of the four in the Swan Gold League, five runs short of the Toyota Cup, two runs short of a 3rd Grade Final appearance, and third in the Club Championship - but why should we be disappointed? The season saw the Club make great strides up the ladder of success.

On the playing side, we welcomed the return of Glen Hughes, the emergence of David Shilbury as Coaching Co-ordinator, and David John in charge of physical fitness, the consolidation of the many talents of Todd Breman, the return of Brian ("Big-Bird") Raven to top flight, and the emergence of young players such as Martin Nice and Michael Lloyd. As your President, I cannot speak too highly about the planning, effort and thought put in by David Shilbury. Chris Smailes captained the side with distinction, and was ably assisted by his deputy, Brian Raven. Greg Fitzgerald took over the gloves for the season and was outstanding, both behind the stumps and with the bat. Who will ever forget his performance in the Toyota Cup Final? Kim Hughes and Terry Alderman played in the early games, but were not able to play when they were so badly needed. Their presence in the Club, along with their families, is greatly appreciated by all club members.

Off the field, the Club Administration took a very bold step in renovating and refurbishing the Pavilion. At a cost of \$28,000, we have provided first-class social facilities for spectators, club members and players. Special mention must be made of Dennis Franks and Richard Tredget. Dennis, for his negotiations with the Council, planning and ideas, and Richard for his building expertise, contacts and sheer hard work. Richard is retiring as Secretary, and I wish to personally thank him for a job well done.

On the administration and social side, we made good progress. The ground and the wicket area at the Floreat Oval further improved, and should be better again next year.

Once again, our thanks to Peter Luff of the Perth City Council and his foreman and ground staff. Also, to Alan Bolton for his liaison with Council. There is no more dedicated worker in the Club than Alan, and the Committee have seen fit to recommend Alan for Life Membership.

John Wade continued in the position of Vice President in charge of playing matters, and John must be well pleased with the results. Congratulations John.

Dennis Franks excelled in the area of finance and sponsorship, and was ably assisted by our Treasurer, Ken Robinson. John Gillam worked very hard as Social Chairman and produced some very rewarding results, culminating in a very well organised and socially successful wind-up at the Floreat Hotel.

Ross Bond, Bob Prince and John Nice are to be congratulated on the work done at both junior and senior level. With the proposed changes in structure at junior level, I am sure they will be busy for the coming winter. Nigel Clements, John Fitzgerald, and Barrie Hudson all worked well and brought new ideas and thoughts to the Club.



Our thanks also go to Jim Rule (ably assisted by his daughter, Teresa), for his work in organising the bar, to all those Club Members who worked behind the bar, to those lovely ladies - the backbone of the Club - for the afternoon teas, to Jo-anne Bolton for the after game snacks and cleaning up, to Kerry Stafford and others for ably supporting Jo-anne.

Congratulations to Graham Stafford on being nominated for Life Membership for long-service to the Club.

My personal thanks go to all who have supported me in what could be described as a difficult season off the field. It has always been my philosophy that it is an administrator's main responsibility to get teams on the field, not to chase their own glories.

I said in my report last year, and I quote, "the Club has a nice blend of youth and age through the grades. The potential of our young players has yet to be reached, and could well bypass us all if we founder at this important stage. It is essential that all club members strive to encourage the talent we have within the Club, to ensure that this potential is reached in the years to come. By doing this, you will ensure that Subiaco-Floreat is a premier club in the WACA."

The 1985/86 season will record that we grasped the nettle, but that we did not grasp it firmly enough. We grasped too loosely and, at times, let it slip. We have to be more determined. We have set the scene, the curtain goes up on 1st October 1986, and we all must play our part - not just till the second interval, but right through to the end of the final act.

RON BURGESS

VICE PRESIDENT'S FUNDING REPORT

In last year's report, I related the frustration that your Committee experienced in negotiating the right to carry out renovations to the Sydney Cheek Pavilion. It was hoped that the approval, together with the necessary works, could be undertaken prior to the commencement of the 1985/86 season.

Needless to say, that is all now behind us, and for the first time in the Club's history, we were fortunate enough to have available for the playing and non-playing membership, probably the best social facilities available for any WACA cricket club in Western Australia.

A lot of planning and negotiating went into the project, and I would publicly like to express my sincere appreciation for the level of work that our Honorary Secretary, Richard Tredget put into planning, co-ordinating and supervising the actual physical aspects of the renovations.

At the same time, I would also like to thank Alan Bolton and Ron Burgess for their assistance in the long negotiations with the Council.

I would also like to record the courteous assistance given by Sue Colyer from the City of Perth during the negotiations.

Reference to the Balance Sheet will indicate that during the year the Club expended approximately \$29,000 on furniture, fittings and leasehold improvements, which, within the context of the Club's overall financial structure, was a considerable capital achievement.

The accounts also indicate that, as at balance date, the Club owed only \$15,000 relating to this expenditure, with the balance being funded by activities during the year.

It is therefore opportune to thank all those people who assisted in reducing the debt associated with that expenditure programme. These people are made up of our Club sponsors, non-playing members and members, through their subscriptions and their utilisation of the social facilities during this season.

We received significant sponsorship during the season from the York Motor Museum and the Settlers Inn situated at York. These businesses are associated with Mr Peter Briggs, a resident in our district. He responded tremendously to the Club's request for assistance.

Likewise, Town & Country W.A. Building Society once again gave the Club strong financial support during a very important year, as did Kimberley N.Z.I. Finance Ltd, Ray Fitzgerald & Co., the Fortron Group of Companies (Barry Hudson), Ledge Leasing & Insurance Group (Phil Botsis), and Greg Maskiell of the Wembley Physiotherapy and Sports Injury Clinic.

The support of these sponsors has always been greatly appreciated, but more so during the past season when the Club committed itself to an extremely ambitious capital expenditure programme.

There were various reasons behind the need to carry out the renovations to the Pavilion; firstly to provide a social and club facility which the playing and non-playing members would be proud to utilise, to give the Club a visible "heart", and also to provide the opportunity to generate income on an ongoing basis.



VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT - PLAYERS

Reference to the income statement for the year vindicates the capital decision through the generation of a considerable bar trading profit.

This result can be improved on, through a further commitment from the membership to utilise the facility for social events in the forthcoming season.

I would also like to thank the players of all grades for their on-field efforts this year, which also resulted in additional income to the Club through the various prize monies made available through the WACA. These funds primarily came from the 'A' Grade making the finals of the Toyota Club, and also the Swan Brewery's Award for being third on the Club Championship table.

Once again, I would also like to praise the ceaseless efforts of John Gillam and his small band of devoted clubmen, who put on several financially successful and enjoyable functions during the season.

It is still a little disappointing that a great number of the Club's members are not prepared to assist in the organisation of social events, let alone participate in them from an attendance point of view.

I have been critical of the attitude of the Club membership in the past with respect to commitment to club activities, and despite an obvious improvement brought about by the presence of the social facilities, I still believe that not all the members of the Club can honestly say that they have done their bit off the field.

I will be looking for an improvement in off-field commitment during the forthcoming season with respect to club social activities.

In closing, I would like to leave a challenge to the membership, and that is, get involved in the repayment of the outstanding debts relating to the capital improvements.

We will be commencing the season 1986/87 with a debt of approximately \$11,000, which I would like to believe can be repaid fully by the end of the season, and, as such, I would like every member, both playing and non-playing, to introduce at least two new non-playing members during the season. I do not believe that this is asking too much of the membership, and it will go a long way towards reducing that debt.

We have other capital expenditure programmes that we would like to start planning for - the first of which would be the extension of the social facilities to include an outdoor balcony and pergola/barbecue area. Obviously as soon as we can repay the existing debt, then the sooner we can undertake the new programme.

DENNIS W. FRANKS
VICE PRESIDENT - FUNDING

In reading last year's report, which outlined the written thoughts as to requirements for improvement/success of the Club generally, it was amply evident that great inroads had been made into deficiencies evident in previous years.

The A's expressed this improvement with performances "on the board", and the great team spirit and willingness to do the hard work together, reflected a greatly enhanced performance overall.

However, notwithstanding what must be considered a pleasing year's result, it must be said that the writer feels a certain 'difficult to pinpoint' attitude problem needs to be corrected.

It is reasonable to say that a few games throughout the season were lost because we did not have the "toughness" mentally to win them when they were begging to be won.

Toughness is not something that a coach or captain can "coach" into a side. However, it is something that must be acquired individually for a Club to be truly successful.

What is toughness? It means having an aggressive mental attitude (as different to positive only) and never allowing a "sucker" an even break, or in better parlance, an "advantage" to slip past.

We must achieve this requirement to success, this year, in all grades.

The 2nd Grade, 4th Grade and Colts did not have a great return from their efforts this year, and perhaps they suffered just a little by the emphasis in direction being targeted towards improvement in the A's performance. If so, this is an understandable fallibility of Club administration for the year.

In so saying, we must certainly not quietly accept such self-accusation, for a Club is only as good as all its grades, and all must be looked upon as important as one another.

The Colts certainly may have suffered by not having a manager appointed to administer the abundant talent available - this will be corrected.

- a) To sum up, DRIVE is necessary from both players and all administrators for the Club to achieve the success due to it.
- b) Grounds root Club philosophy will remain:-
 - i) Willingness of the individual to apply himself.
 - ii) Set his own goals before season's official practise, and thereafter during training sessions - be they revolve around net practise or otherwise.
 - iii) The real and basic achievement of such goals.

Success will follow such exertions.

JOHN WADE



SUBIACO-FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB INC.
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH APRIL 1986


1984/85		1985/86
	CAPITAL AND RESERVES	
6,900.06	Members Funds brought forward	8,099.52
1,199.46	Add : Surplus for year	2,733.84
<u>8,099.52</u>		<u>10,833.36</u>
	REPRESENTED BY:	
	CURRENT ASSETS	
688.90	Stock - Caps and Jumpers	285.00
2,140.69	Cash at Bank	4,885.07
2,263.50	Accounts Receivable	1,026.50
-	Investment Account	700.75
<u>5,093.09</u>		<u>6,897.32</u>
	INVESTMENTS	
1,383.57	Debenture Stock	-
2,000.00	Cash Management Fund	-
100.00	Loan to Junior Cricket Council	-
<u>3,483.57</u>		<u>-</u>
	FIXED ASSETS	
4,452.00	Equipment, Furniture and Fittings	18,093.28
(2,001.85)	Less : Accumulated Depreciation	6,139.85
		<u>11,953.43</u>
-	Leasehold Improvements	15,093.00
(3,000.00)	Less : Provision for Amortisation	6,018.00
<u>1,500.00</u>		<u>9,075.00</u>
	Cricket Equipment	1,400.00
<u>950.15</u>		<u>22,428.43</u>
<u>9,526.81</u>	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>29,325.75</u>
	LESS : CURRENT LIABILITIES	
1,427.29	Accounts Payable	3,492.39
-	Loan - National Australia Bank	1,000.00
<u>1,427.29</u>		<u>4,492.39</u>
	LESS : DEFERRED LIABILITIES	
-	Loan - National Australia Bank	14,000.00
<u>8,099.52</u>	NET ASSETS	<u>10,833.36</u>

STATEMENT BY TREASURER

I, Kenneth Maynard Robinson, AASA, CPA, being the Treasurer of the Subiaco-Floreat Cricket Club Inc., state that to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying accounts of the Club give a true and fair view of its financial position as at 30th April 1986.

SUBIACO-FLOREAT CRICKET CLUB INC.
INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH APRIL 1986

1984/85		1985/86
	INCOME	
4,540.00	Subscriptions - Senior	4,754.00
1,000.00	- Juniors	800.00
720.00	- Non-Playing	2,385.00
310.00	- Veterans	165.00
386.00	Donations	1,480.00
628.74	Interest and Commission	770.86
3,000.00	W.A.C.A. Grant	3,000.00
2,600.00	Sponsorship	10,300.00
1,782.92	Fund Raising	1,243.90
1,106.74	W.A.C.A. Prize Money	3,235.00
206.00	W.A.C.A. Members Refund	350.00
212.00	Miscellaneous	-
679.00	Government Grant	277.00
83.66	Bar Trading	2,784.07
<u>17,309.06</u>		<u>31,544.83</u>
	EXPENDITURE	
1,101.96	Ground/Pavilion Hire	3,348.56
4,089.70	Equipment Written Off	5,487.55
3,832.25	Players Costs	7,320.16
599.20	Postages and Stationery	638.48
80.05	Trophies	130.58
288.00	Insurance	812.78
239.00	Wind-up Expenses	361.90
93.60	Bad Debts	-
165.00	W.A.C.A.	145.00
323.40	Printing	508.80
1,410.00	Depreciation	4,138.00
615.83	Miscellaneous	1,174.35
271.61	Telephone	285.68
3,000.00	Provision for Hall Improvements	3,018.00
-	Bank Charges	244.45
-	Loan Interest	846.70
-	Burglary Loss	350.00
<u>16,109.60</u>	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	<u>28,810.99</u>
<u>1,199.46</u>	NET SURPLUS	<u>2,733.84</u>



SOCIAL SCENE

Off-field events this season were highlighted by the renovations to the Sydney Cheek Pavilion. The new facilities enabled us all to enjoy staying around the Club during or after the games or training sessions for a few "quieties" in what are magnificent surrounds.

Several fund-raising events were held during the season, with varying successes. The Sportsmen's Dinner at the Floreat Hotel was a big night, and those amongst us who can remember T. Breman picking up a dancing prize at "F. Scotts" in the early hours of the next morning will no doubt support a call for this to become an annual event. Thanks must go to Barry Hudson for this night. Christmas Eve once again saw half the population of the world turn up for our 'Get Out of Your Xmas Tree' show (I thought there was more!). Aside from the Swan Brewery making a large profit from an extraordinary number of kegs consumed on the night, we managed to raise over \$2,000. The Floreat S.L.S.C. don't want to let us near their Clubrooms again, and I just can't work out why!

Two other fund-raising shows were held; they were more notable for their lack of fund-raising than anything else. The party in September turned out to be a very wet, blue light disco, although this didn't seem to bother two of our more famous club members (whom I do believe are related). The January Toga Party just failed to have enough people turn up to make a profit, and highlighted lack of player support on this occasion.

The Club is heavily financially committed, and short of players actually paying out the debt, this is one way players can contribute to the raising of these funds, and, as such, we must receive greater support. To the guys who helped out at all the shows, thanks.

General social events, such as dinners after games, "players teas", etc, all went well. The last "players tea", in particular, was very memorable, thanks to Craig Lubich and the bevy of t-pl-ss (fill in the missing spaces) 'bar helpers' he organised. Thanks must go to all the guys who helped behind the bar and to the Ladies Committee for the fine meals and snacks they provided.

With the prospect of more liberal licencing hours at the Club for next season looking likely (at least more likely than Dolly Parton seeing her toes again in her life), the social future at Subiaco-Floreat is promising to become truly bigger than Texas. Heres to 1986/87.

"Haurire Amplius"

JOHN GILLAM
SOCIAL ORGANISER



COACHING CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT

The 1985/86 cricket season saw the introduction of a new and innovative approach to club coaching. This approach involved the formation of a "club coaching panel", consisting of six members. The purpose of the panel was to provide a greater spread of coaching throughout the club, as well as improve organisational techniques, increase specialisation, and remove emphasis from any one person. In effect, this meant reducing previous coach/player relationships from one to forty-eight to approximately one to eight.

Defined aims and objectives were determined prior to the commencement of the season. These aims and objectives related to three broad areas:-

- 1) Technical skill
- 2) Mental preparation
- 3) Physical preparation

The overall aim was to encourage all players to continually strive for improvement in the three facets of the game listed above. To a large extent the panel was successful in motivating players to strive for excellence in all areas of their game. I believe this was reflected in player and team performances, and was particularly noticeable after Christmas. Prior to this, a great deal of time had been spent in developing these appropriate attitudes.

As a result, training was designed to accommodate these aims and objectives. Emphasis was placed on variety and development of all skills. Particular emphasis was placed on achieving and maintaining adequate levels of fitness. Players were prepared specifically for cricket, and, significantly, fitness levels were maintained throughout the season.

The traditional 'net session' received a shift in emphasis. It remained an integral part of training procedures; however, a greater emphasis was placed on developing all-round skills rather than just batting and bowling.

Fielding was another area to receive considerable attention. With the help of guest coach, Don Wier, baseball techniques were applied to cricket, with a great deal of success. Notable improvements were observed in throwing techniques, together with increased efficiency in gathering and disposal.

It is hoped that the quality and quantity of training utilised this year will remain as a minimum standard acceptable in the years to come.

I would like to take the opportunity of thanking the members of this year's coaching panel. Panel members included David John, Peter Panegyres, Reg Statham, Alan Bolton, and John Nice, along with Kim Hughes and Terry Alderman when present.

All members contributed to the formation and design of training procedures, as well as assisting many players throughout the year. Certainly it was a pleasure to call on the experience of 'Pana', Reg and 'Pres' at any given time during the season. Equally, the youthful enthusiasm of David 'Julie' John was significant in developing an emphasis on adequate levels of physical fitness. John Nice, our assistant practice captain was also a willing worker, and he primarily operated the video tape, which was used extensively.



1ST GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT

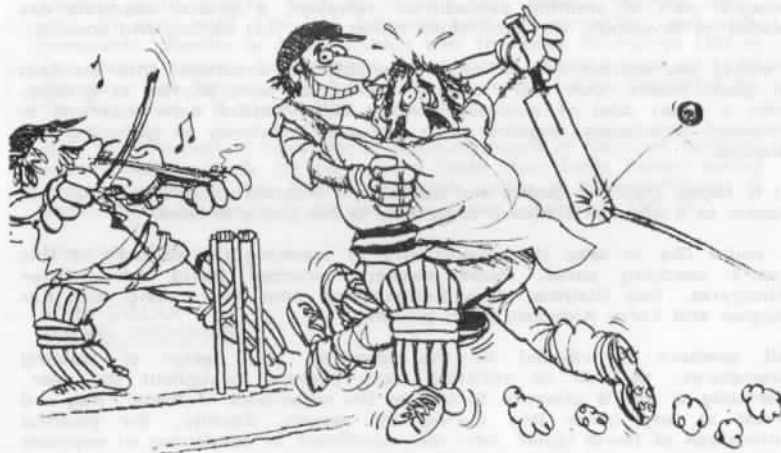
A note of appreciation should also be extended to our club captains, who all contributed so well, both at training and in matches. Our captains provide an important link between training times and on-field learning during matches. Thanks are extended to Chris Smailes, Brian Raven, Graham Stafford, Ross Bolton, and Greg Catlin.

At the conclusion of a successful and enjoyable season, the Subiaco-Floreat Cricket Club is in a position to establish itself as a strong competitive cricket club. It is also in a position to continue its innovative approach to cricket development and possibly establish patterns and trends that may be followed by other clubs.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all players for their efforts, both on the training track and in matches. I would also like to acknowledge the fine efforts of this year's Management Committee. Thank you for your support.

D. SHILBURY

Dancing Down the Wicket



Without doubt, the 1st Grade side's performances in the Swan Gold League and Toyota Cup showed considerable improvement compared with the previous year. Finishing 5th in the Swan Gold League and runner-up in the Toyota Cup is, indeed, a credit to the Club itself.

With the appointment of David Shilbury as coaching co-ordinator, the playing sub-committee took a progressive step in a direction away from the traditional "Captain/Coach" concept. David's professional approach to his task, combined with a genuine commitment to the Club, was a bonus. A couple of his innovations - such as Don Weir's fielding clinics - and the season-long emphasis on physical fitness under the supervision of David John, were key factors to two major areas of improvement.

This season dispelled any arguments about our level of ability. As I had hoped for, and which I stated last year in this publication, the majority of players have learnt to accept responsibility for their own performance. Those who improved and performed well this year, did so as a result of refusing to lay the blame for poor performances on no-one but themselves. Our long string of wins in the last two-thirds of the season (after the Nedlands debacle) proved this.

Above all individual aspects of our game, this season, like last year, showed that excellent team spirit was again to the fore. It was encouraged by the pleasing habit of winning matches, something missing in the past. However, the fact remains that we finished the season without a pennant or a cup.

Whilst all cricket teams, at some time or other during any given season, have their share of disasters, they occur less frequently with the better teams. The losses to Southern Districts and Nedlands in the Swan Gold League proved extremely costly. The Toyota Final loss, although by only a handful of runs, was not just bad luck. In the final analysis, the last 16-17 overs against experienced bowling proved too much of a struggle for us. However, we must learn from such an experience and it can only spur us on to bring home a trophy in the not too distant future.

Our cricket, always positive and with purpose, invariably succeeded when it came to bowling other sides out. However, our middle to lower order batting was again our Achilles heel, and this aspect, I believe, is presently being looked into for next season.

Without intending to overlook players by the mention of others, I must take this opportunity to congratulate Todd Berman, Brian Raven ("Big Bird"), and Glen Hughes for their outstanding efforts; in particular, Todd, for making the State side.

I would like to thank them and the rest of my team mates for their support, who, win lose or draw, formed a side of which I was proud to be Captain.

Thanks also to:-

- i) The Committee for their work and commitment in providing excellent Clubhouse facilities.
- ii) "Leesy" for scoring and providing the 'never empty' jar of chewies.
- iii) Al and Ron for the drinks during and after the game, respectively.

I look forward to the challenge of the next season.

CHRIS SMAILES

2ND GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT

High hopes were held at the beginning of the season for all sides to be competitive, with the seconds being no exception.

The end result was that while we were competitive at times, it was not consistent enough to allow the players the opportunity to play in the finals. There is no doubt about the talent available; however, individuals must push themselves and learn to concentrate for long periods while they are gaining the experience which will make them top cricketers.

Games played totalled 14 - Won 5, Lost 6, Drew 3.

During the season, a total of 26 players had the opportunity to display their skills, and the following were some of the excellent individual performances.

On the batting side, there was only one century scored, and that was 104 N.O. by Vince Rule in the last game V Scarborough. Vince, who is also a very good wicketkeeper (22 dismissals) has been one of the most consistent performers in the Club over the past two seasons, and deserved his opportunity to play in 'A' Grade and in two of the Toyota games. (Averaged 36.50)

Graham Stafford had a consistent season, with 424 runs at 38.55 and top scores of 86 V Claremont and 85 V University.

Other innings of note were 75 by Andrew Milne V Melville, who then moved very successfully into 'A' Grade, where he performed admirably, as expected. Geoff Hann showed his experience with 82 V Nedlands, and an excellent match winning effort of 38 N.O. V Bayswater Morley. In the same game, John Hurst scored a superb 63 N.O., which was the best pressure innings of the season, and following that deservedly played 'A' Grade for the rest of the season.

Other excellent efforts were R. Hudson 70 V Scarborough, and G. Collen 60 V Midland, along with other consistent contributions by G. Mitchell and B. Ward.

On the bowling side, there were two outstanding contributions - these being from leg-spinner Glen Mitchell and quickie Steve Neilsen.

Glen matured out of sight this year and I was always confident of his ability to bowl tight for long periods, which produced him 38 excellent wickets at 16.95. His outstanding efforts included 33-8:82-6 V Scarborough, 27-9:54-5 V Perth, and 13-1:43-5 V Bayswater Morley. He was far more relaxed than in previous seasons, and given similar performances will put considerable pressure on the 'A' Grade bowlers.

Steve Neilsen again showed his ability to take wickets in 2nd Grade, and followed up by performing very well in 'A' Grade. Steve took 23 seconds wickets at 17.87, with best efforts of 23-4:63-6 V North Perth, and 22-6:68-5 V University.

Richard Hudson showed glimpses of his exceptional ability.

I am looking forward to next year, playing with and helping those who wish to become our future 'A' Grade players.

G. STAFFORD

3RD GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The 3rd Grade side once again enjoyed a successful season - having won 9 games, lost 3 games and drawn 2 games - in finishing fourth on the premiership table in a very tight competition.

The season closed on a very dramatic note when we lost the semi-final to Fremantle by one run, after seemingly having the game won. Whilst being desperately unlucky, the side's effort in this game is worthy of special note. Fremantle, who had not lost a single game during the year, were a very talented side, who carried with them an air of supreme confidence. After doing battle with our side, they came back to earth, and then went on to win the Grand Final convincingly.

Finals cricket tends to bring out special qualities in some people, and whilst the entire team made contributions during this game, special mention is made of Duncan McNish, who once again proved his supreme application and coolness under pressure, in scoring a superb 78 N.O. after taking 3 wickets for 33 runs against an excellent batting side.

After an unconvincing start to the season, having lost two out of the first three games, the side settled down into a formidable combination, with not only a competitive nature on the field but also for a place in the team. After the early losses, the side won eight consecutive games, before losing the final game of the season to Scarborough.

Performances during the year were fairly evenly shared, particularly in the bowling department, where we had an abundance of bowlers, with Neil Bolton (23 wickets), Wayne Davies (20 wickets), Graham 'Spud' Tate (21 wickets), Nigel Clements (19 wickets) and John Gillam (13 wickets) providing a formidable attack.

Ross Bolton once again spearheaded the batting with 452 runs at 41.09 average, with excellent support from Duncan McNish, who scored 385 runs at 38.50 average. Other good contributions with the bat came from Michael Lloyd (272 at 34.00), Nick Rule (213 at 26.62), Richard Caldow (175 at 25.00), and Martin Nice, whose runs on the board did not reflect his obvious talent.

Two "old" faces deserve special comment. 'Spud' Tate, who arrived back at the Club after a few years in the goldfields, showed that he had lost none of his guile with his leggies, and, in fact, very few 3rd Grade batsmen came to grips with his bowling during the season. Neil 'Nugget' Bolton returned to the Club after a four year absence, and showed everyone that his competitive spirit had not deserted him. After a back injury in the first match, 'Nugget' returned to the bowling crease in the latter part of the year, to provide the attack with penetration and variety, which almost saw us upset Fremantle in the semi-final.

Seasoned players in Wayne Davies and Nigel Clements also provided the side with experience to compliment the younger brigade in Nick Rule, Michael Lloyd, Martin Nice, John Gillam, and a number of other youngsters who played their part during the season.

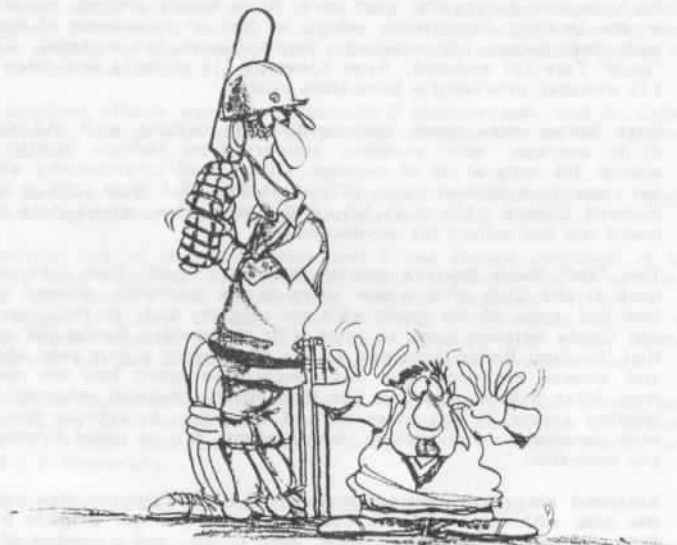


With the amount of talent and experience displayed in the thirds during the season, there is no doubt that we can look forward to further success in the coming season.

As Captain of the side, I wish to thank those who played thirds during the season for their support, and particularly those members of the semi-final side, who showed what great qualities are possessed by members of this Club.

R. BOLTON.

Silly Short Leg Don't knock them. Lindsay Hassett had two and still performed surprisingly well.



Silly Short Leg

4TH GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT

After winning the last three pennants, the 4th Grade were not able to maintain the momentum, but still performed well enough to finish the season in fifth position.

After a bad start to the season, where we lost three early games by large margins, the fourths finished the season strongly, winning five out of our last six completed games. This improved performance was due to the emergence of a stable and balanced team, with the players adopting a more competitive attitude to their cricket.

The batting was dominated by Reg Statham, who scored over 400 runs this season, which was a fine effort in his last season of cricket. He was ably supported by openers Roland Oliver and David John, and veteran Peter Carlstein, while useful contributions came from Paul Craven, Ian Taylor, and Wayne Hicks.

During the season, Andrew Lowson and Simon Hodge both performed well, bowling downwind with the new ball, while off-spinner Derek Cullinane and myself did the bulk of the bowling into the wind. Special mention must be made of Derek Cullinane, who bowled intelligently and with great control in his first season of senior cricket, and deservedly won the bowling award. All-rounders, Ian Taylor and Paul Craven both impressed with the ball from limited opportunities, while Richard Catlin showed promise in the games he played.

The fielding during the season was not of a high standard, with many catches being put down. Fielding is one area where the young players will need to improve for next season if they wish to play in higher grades.

Whilst it was disappointing to miss out on qualifying for the finals this season, it was very pleasing to see young players such as Derek Cullinane, Simon Hodge, and wicketkeeper Sean Kearns join the Club and perform well during their first season of senior cricket. It is to be hoped these players, as well as the other young players in the fourths, can improve further during the next season and push for selection in the higher grades.

Finally, I would like to thank my Vice Captain, Reg Statham, for all of his help and guidance during the season, and wish him well during his cricketing retirement.

GREG CATLIN.

Roast of lamb

Old-timers may tell you that Australian cricket crowds ain't what they used to be as far as humour goes. But a lot of wit still floats over the fence...

Usually-aggressive England batsman Allan Lamb found himself tied down by a tight Australian attack during the 1982 Perth test. Purists might say that he was defending resolutely. But to one wag in the WACA, he was simply not having a go.

'Come on Lamb, stop floggin' your meat and get in for a chop,' the impatient fan bellowed...



COLTS CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Colts went through the 1985/86 season with a 100% record - unfortunately it was 100% losses. We played 4 games and lost 4.

The players were just never able to combine their abilities properly to be a force in the competition as expected. In fact, some of the performances were pathetic. One which comes to mind was our 74 against Scarborough in an attack spearheaded by Drew McDonald. Anyone who knows of Drew's limited bowling ability, will appreciate that it was not a good day for the team.

However there was one pleasing aspect to come out of our play, and that is that we never gave in, despite most of the time being in a hopeless position.

In the first game of the season against North Perth we made an excellent total of 5 for 218, but then dropped catches, and some less than ordinary bowling saw North Perth win a game they should never have won.

The next game was against the Metropolitan XI, and we did well to restrict them to 175 on an excellent track and good outfield, and then we were dismissed for a poultry 119 - our last 8 wickets falling for 18 runs.

In the last game against Scarborough, as already mentioned, we were dismissed for 74, and despite a fine spell of bowling from Steve 'Fridgey' Neilsen 4 for 33, Scarborough passed our total with 4 wickets to spare.

Finally, in our last game of the season against Perth, they made 193 on an excellent track, and then we once again showed how to finish a cricket game early, by being dismissed for 133.

Nick Rule's 63 against North Perth was the only score above 50 all season, which shows how poorly we batted. On nine occasions batsmen made it into the 20's and 30's and then failed to go on with the job, most of the time unnecessarily throwing away their wickets.

The bowling also, on most occasions, was well below the standard of what could be expected of bowlers of our team's ability.

I have a few ideas on how the Colts team will return to be a force to be reckoned with next year - that Glen Mitchell, or possibly one of the other ex-Colts' Captains be appointed Colts Coach to help out next year's Colts Captain and players.

Also, last year we used to buy a couple of cartons at the end of the game and just have the odd quiet beer with the team. I think all players used to look forward to this, and it helped to bring the players closer together.

I do, however, believe that selection should not take place the night before the game, it should be possibly a week before, so there are no hassles and everyone who is playing knows he is playing well before the start of the match, so that weekend activities can be planned accordingly.

In conclusion, I would just like to say that despite our poor season, it is certainly no reflection on the ability of the young players of the Club, and every person who played Colts this year will be eligible to play again next year, and, hence, we can only improve.



VETERANS REPORT

The 1985/86 Veterans League season suffered like all other pennant cricket, and consequently was reduced from 6 games to 4 games.

Several new players were welcomed, and helped out, particularly when the usual "pull outs" occurred at very late notice. These new players were Barry Joyce, Phil Botsis, Reg Cranwell and Frank Newton.

Due to the lack of home games, the usual after-game celebrations were not as successful as in recent years. It was unfortunate that the new facilities were not able to be used to the fullest. I am sure that next year we will be able to make greater use of these magnificent facilities.

The first and second fixtures were not played, and thus the first game was played on the 15th December.

Results of games and performances were:-

MELVILLE 119
SUBIACO-FLOREAT 2/123

Individual performances for this game are not available; however, it was highlighted by a massive six by Phil Botsis to conclude the game.

MOUNT LAWLEY 118
SUBIACO-FLOREAT 7/123

Bowling: W. McIntosh (Snr) 2/6
Batting: G. Watson 27)
I. Lally 37) openers

It is interesting to note that Mathew McIntosh (Bill's son) showed tremendous potential as a leg spin bowler.

SUBIACO-FLOREAT 196
MIDLAND GUILDFORD 4/197

Batting: I. Lally 56
G. Watson 39
D. Robinson 43

The game was highlighted by the "hard" hitting/slogging by former Midland stars D. Mann and D. Rakich.

NORTH PERTH 182
SUBIACO-FLOREAT 147

Bowling: R. Cranwell 5/32
Batting: W. McIntosh 61

The "highlight" of the season was the first of the annual Subiaco Veterans v Floreat Veterans. Several old players were encouraged back to play and thoroughly enjoyed the day. The game was marred by the unfortunate injury to Con Tsokos, who badly broke his right wrist taking a catch. This did not dampen the spirits, and all persons enjoyed a successful day. Floreat won the first of what should become an annual event.



JUNIOR COUNCIL REPORT

The Club Junior Council was successful in rejuvenating the local U-16 competition, and in providing the opportunity for regular participation in Kanga Cricket during the 1985/86 season. Pre-season problems arising because of a new and immediate need to organize additional support to ensure entry of several groups of boys into the intermediate and lower age groups of the local competition, effectively blocked other improvements.

The lead borne by Lester Barnes in seeking places for the above-mentioned boys, and in obtaining necessary support, was substantial. His efforts were outstanding. Special thanks must also go to Shirley Daffen for her work in overseeing the introduction and smooth running of the Kanga Cricket programme.

The Kanga programme was introduced at U-10 level this season because a number of players still in the U-11 age groups had previously started in our own regular modified rules U-12 group.

The local Kanga age limit will be raised to U-11, in conformity with the existing WACA limit for 1986/87.

Players who represented the Club in the luncheon interval Kanga Cricket fixtures at the WACA ground during international and interstate matches over the past season thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Presentation of the official sponsors' tee-shirts to each player was much appreciated.

Thanks are due to Andy Pudovskis for his special effort in this area.

Preparation and presentation of representative teams in the Inverarity Shield Competition (U-12) was undertaken by Andy and Peter Lyndon, with the assistance of a number of willing helpers. Chris Beattie took charge of preparation of the U-14 District team for 1985/86, succeeding Kevin Payne, who moved up this season to assist with the U-16 group.

Bill Hampton continued on as U-16 District team coach.

In the Saturday morning WACA competitions, the U-14 team tried hard during the season, but had only limited success. Both the District and Zone Grade U-16 teams were more competitive than in 1984/85, but did eventually miss the finals.

Barring some inconsistent performances at crucial times and some unlucky breaks, these results could well have been different.

Apart from the people already mentioned by name, a number of others assisted with coaching, scoring, umpiring, and other necessary tasks in regard to our representative teams. Their efforts are much appreciated.

John Nice also gave steady support, and John Dehring was of great assistance in promoting contact with country cricketers.

The efforts of all those people involved in sustaining our local cricket competitions, and of parents in encouraging their boys to play at whatever level, are also acknowledged with thanks.

LOCAL COMPETITION RESULTS

U-16	Subiaco Police Boys	d	Wembley Downs (2)
U-14	Marist (1)	d	Subiaco Police Boys
U-12	Wembley Downs	d	Marist (1)



FUTURE DIRECTIONS FOR JUNIOR CRICKET

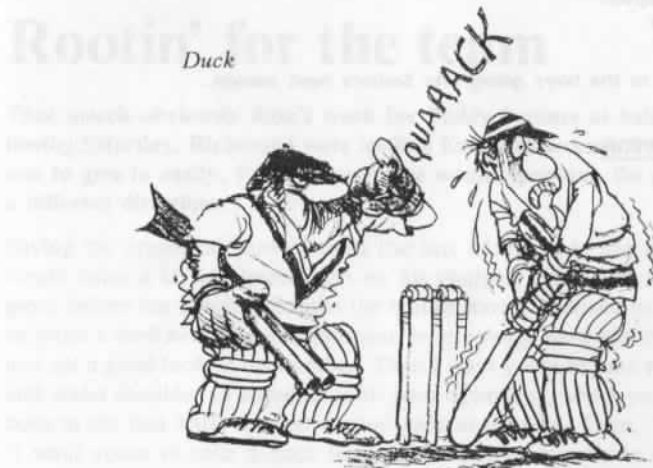
The promotion of participation and provision of opportunities to learn technical aspects of the game of cricket are the two major objectives of junior cricket. The aim is to foster interest in the game that will carry through to adult life for the majority, and to also foster development of future grade and higher level players.

The initiation of the Kanga Cricket Programme for beginners was a welcome innovation. From the Club viewpoint, it was also pleasing to see a number of the previous 1984/85 season U-16 players holding regular senior grade places through 1985/86, and for the top two (second year) players of the 1985/86 U-16 District team to also meet the required standard. There is, however, a significant gap in cricket promotion at present because the upper age limit of the organised junior competitions no longer matches the circumstances of modern life.

Many players graduating from U-16 ranks still have the most important year of their secondary schooling ahead of them and are not ready to move to senior ranks, whatever their ability. For many, present school sports programmes do not provide sufficient opportunities. Upward revision of the age limits applicable to organised junior level competitions could best serve the future interests of our sport.

In closing this report, I would, on behalf of all members of Junior Council, like to acknowledge the services to junior cricket in our district rendered in past years by Waldo Turner, who has now retired. A function in appreciation is planned.

R.I.T. PRINCE
CHAIRMAN
JUNIOR COUNCIL





DISTRICT UNDER-16 REPORT

The Under 16's District side had some difficulty on occasions in fielding a team for every game this season, due to injuries and other sport commitments by some players. However, the team was fortunate in having some excellent country players from Bunbury and Narrogin, who filled in when needed. Glen Dehring from Bunbury played in almost every game. The coaches for the season were Bill Hampton and Kevin Payne, with Martin Nice as Captain and Robert Malone and Paul Hampton Vice Captains.

The team was unlucky not to make the finals after losing only two games for the season. Some very good wins were recorded throughout the year, and a couple of very close games, which resulted in draws, probably cost the team a place in the final four. Some excellent individual performances from the following boys were the highlight of the season - Glen Dehring, Paul Hampton, Carl Plaisted, Steve Southern, and Martin Nice. Martin Nice was selected for the second time in the State Under 16 team, and was named Vice Captain. Martin was also named "runner-up" in the Junior Cricketer of the Year Award presented by the Cricket Media Guild.

Martin scored 98 not out against South Perth, and 119 in a Brayshaw Shield game against North Perth, and played a full year in Seniors with the 3rd Grade team.

Paul Hampton won "Man of the Round" for the last game, and played the last two games in the 2nd Grade team.

Next season should see the nucleus of a good district team, with the following boys being eligible to play in the Under 16's again:-

Glen Dehring
Chris Payne
Steven Southern
Michael Simpson
Sean Duffy
Matt Davis

Good luck to the boys going into Seniors next season.

BILL HAMPTON

1ST GRADE AVERAGES 1985/86

BATTING		Matches	Inns	N.O.	Runs	H.S.	50's	100's	Ave	Catches
Breman	T.	11	9	5	364	102*	2	1	91.00	4
Hughes	G.	14	16	4	561	98	7		46.75	8
Hughes	K.	3	4		163	63	2		40.75	1
Smaites	C.	14	16	2	411	101	1	1	29.35	5
Milne	A.	11	9	3	162	60*	1		27.00	9
Fitzgerald	G.	13	14		351	105	2	1	25.07	33
Saunders	D.	13	12	2	233	53	1		23.30	8
Lubich	C.	14	15	5	224	74*	1		22.40	7
Bush	G.	10	6	1	85	55	1		17.00	1
Reed	D.	12	10	2	116	34			14.50	8
Hurst	J.	7	5	1	57	42			14.25	8
Raven	B.	14	6	4	28	12*			14.00	4
Cunningham	E.	1	1	9	9				9.00	
Rule	V.	2	3		19	17			6.33	5
Hudson	R.	7	4	2	11				5.50	1
Neilsen	S.	5	2		6	6			3.00	4
Alderman	T.	3	2		3	3			1.50	1
Hann	G.		1							

BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Best Perf.	Ave
Breman	T.	173.2	51	31	380	6.23	12.25
Raven	B.	323.2	96	42	728	7.38	17.33
Bush	G.	238	89	27	513	4.66	19.00
Alderman	T.	57.5	14	5	108	4.27	21.06
Lubich	C.	241.2	72	26	581	3.26	22.34
Neilsen	S.	57.1	11	8	180	3.26	22.50
Hughes	G.	80.3	25	6	182	3.54	30.33
Hudson	R.	30	11	1	104	1.8	104.00
Hurst	J.	13	4		36		
Hann	G.	2			5		
Milne	A.	1			4		

Rootin' for the team

That speech obviously didn't work for Paddy because at half-time the following Saturday, Richmond were trailing Essendon seconds by 18 goals. Not one to give in easily, Paddy thought he would approach the problem from a different direction . . .

Saving his oratorical powers until the last moment, in the hope that they would leave a lasting impression on his charges, Paddy began, 'OK youse guys, before the umpire bounces the ball to start the second half, I want you to stand a yard behind your opponent, where youse have bloody been all day and get a good look at his number. Then I want youse to take a pace forward and stand shoulder to shoulder with your opponent, where you should have been in the first half, and get a good look at his face. Then,' he continued, 'I want youse to take a pace forward, so you're directly in front of your opponent, drop your shorts, bend over and let 'em finish the job!!'



2ND GRADE AVERAGES 1985-86

BATTING		Inns	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Ave	
Stafford	G.	13	2	86	424	38.54	200 runs or more 8 Inns
Rule	V.	13	3	104 *	365	36.50	
Collen	J.	12	-	60	238	21.63	
Cunningham	E.	15	-	44	218	14.53	

Hurst	J.	4	1	63 *	132	44.00
Milne	A.	4	1	75	109	36.33
Hann	G.	8	2	82	179	29.83
Hudson	R.	10	3	70	188	26.86
Wright	S.	2	-	32	49	24.50
Reed	D.	3	1	33 *	48	24.00
Jones	P.	8	2	43 *	123	20.50
Ward	B.	10	1	30	155	19.38
Nice	M.	2	-	35	38	19.00
Lloyd	M.	5	-	38	73	14.60
Mitchell	G.	10	-	37	146	14.60
Macnish	D.	2	-	13	24	12.00
Caldow	R.	10	1	29	103	11.44
Burrows	M.	3	-	24	34	11.33
Davies	W.	3	2	5 *	10	10.00
Neilsen	S.	8	3	21 *	44	8.80
Rule	N.	9	-	26	75	8.33
Panegyres	P.	2	-	1	1	0.50
Solley	D.	1	-	0	0	-
Latner	G.	2	1	0 *	0	-
Hampton	P.	2	1	0	0	-
Clements	N.	1	-	0	0	-

BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Runs	Wkts	Ave	
Mitchell	G.	282.1	84	644	38	16.95	20 wkts or more
Neilsen	S.	156	37	411	23	17.87	

Hann	G.	134.1	44	293	15	19.53
Hampton	P.	20.1	1	53	5	10.60
Rule	N.	2	-	4	1	12.00
Solley	D.	14.2	2	25	2	12.50
Hurst	J.	41	9	105	4	26.25
Milne	A.	7	1	28	1	28.00
Clements	N.	15	2	58	2	29.00
Panegyres	P.	24	8	37	1	37.00
Ward	B.	131	27	397	10	39.70
Lloyd	M.	11	1	43	1	43.00
Hudson	R.	108	29	293	6	48.33
Stafford	G.	28	3	106	2	53.00
Davies	W.	43	14	107	2	53.50
Latner	G.	43	6	135	0	-
Cunningham	E.	6	1	10	0	-
Burrows	M.	3	1	12	0	-
Nice	M.	2	-	6	0	-
Rule	V.	2	-	4	0	-
Collen	J.	2	-	5	0	-

3RD GRADE AVERAGES 1985/86

BATTING		H.S.	Inns	N.O.	Runs	Ave
Bolton	R.	85*	13	2	452	41.09
McNish	D.	75*	13	3	385	38.50
Lloyd	M.	100	9	1	272	34.00
Rule	N.	71	9	1	213	26.62

Also Batted

Collen	G.	114	1	1	114	114.00
Caldow	R.	56	7	-	175	25.00
Burrows	M.	38	3	1	45	22.50
Fitzgerald	J.	37	7	1	129	21.50
Panegyres	P.	26	6	3	61	20.33
Nice	M.	57	11	-	198	18.00
Davies	W.	18*	7	5	32	16.00
Bolton	N.	76	13	-	182	14.00
Burgess	G.	37	6	-	81	13.50
Taylor	I.	29	4	1	35	11.66
Gillam	J.	25*	10	4	69	11.50
Clements	N.	29	14	2	135	11.25
Carlstein	P.	15	2	-	21	10.50
John	D.	28	5	-	50	10.00
Craven	P.	10	1	-	10	10.00
Oliver	R.	28	4	-	28	7.00
Statham	R.	5	1	-	5	5.00
Tate	G.	11	7	2	24	4.80

BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Ave
Bolton	N.	133	28	23	317	13.78
Clements	N.	162	42	19	364	19.16
Tate	G.	170	35	21	427	20.33
Davies	W.	188	50	20	419	20.95

Also Bowled

Bolton	R.	3	2	1	6	6.00
Craven	P.	15	4	3	25	8.33
Lloyd	M.	31	9	4	57	14.25
Macnish	D.	82	15	10	216	21.60
Gillam	J.	130	28	13	327	25.15
Ward	B.	31	9	3	81	27.00
Caldow	R.	8	1	1	28	28.00
Taylor	I.	10	1	1	34	34.00
Panegyres	P.	60	23	2	109	54.50
Mitchell	G.	26	7	-	57	-
Fitzgerald	J.	18	2	-	47	-
Latner	G.	5	-	-	21	-



4TH GRADE AVERAGES 1985/86

BATTING		H.S.	Inns	N.O.	Runs	Ave
Statham	R.	90	13	2	428	38.91
Oliver	R.	67	10	2	241	30.12
Carlstein	P.	41*	10	1	203	22.55
John	D.	58	8	1	168	24.00
Taylor	I.	61	10	2	177	22.12
Craven	P.	55*	8	1	154	22.00

Also Batted

Fitzgerald	J.	48	1	-	48	48.00
Hicks	W.	45	4	1	97	32.33
Walton	P.	74	7	1	95	15.80
Hodge	S.	24*	4	1	49	16.33
Tate	G.	15	1	-	15	15.00
Gillam	J.	12	1	-	12	12.00
Burrows	M.	62	2	-	62	31.00
Burgess	G.	21	1	-	21	21.00
Traianou	P.	40	4	-	53	13.25
Kearns	S.	20	5	-	55	11.00
Lowson	A.	28*	8	3	55	11.00
Boyle	R.	10	3	1	21	10.50
Catlin	G.	27*	9	1	73	9.12
Macnish	D.	46*	2	2	54	-
Bolton	A.	21*	1	1	21	-
McNish	A.	8	2	-	15	7.50
Raven	M.	10	1	-	10	10.00
Bartley	R.	7	2	-	8	4.00
Narbey	D.	2	1	-	2	2.00
Dehring	G.	8	1	-	8	8.00
Shilbury	D.	15	1	-	15	15.00
Barkhouse	A.	12	4	-	23	5.75
Toovey	R.	8	2	-	11	5.50
Cullinane	D.	2*	7	3	5	1.25
Catlin	R.	0	3	1	0	0

BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Ave
Narbey	D.	66	18	9	108	12.00
Cullinane	D.	151	36	23	349	15.17
Lowson	A.	90	20	14	222	15.85
Catlin	G.	207	58	26	425	16.34
Taylor	I.	70	7	9	187	20.77
Barkhouse	A.	53	8	7	149	21.29
Hodge	S.	109	9	14	362	25.86
Catlin	R.	47	12	4	106	26.50
Craven	P.	63	8	5	189	37.80

Also Bowled

Fitzgerald	J.	11	3	3	13	4.33
Hicks	W.	4	1	1	8	8.00
Traianou	P.	4	2	1	8	8.00
Carlstein	P.	6	-	1	13	13.00
Macnish	D.	15	4	2	39	19.50
Cook	J.	7	2	1	24	24.00
Tate	G.	17	4	2	53	26.50
Raven	M.	33	9	2	67	33.50
Gillam	J.	20	2	1	80	80.00
McNish	A.	1	1	1	0	0



TOYOTA CUP AVERAGES 1985/86

BATTING		Matches	Inns	N.O.	Runs	H.S.	Ave	Catches
Rule	V.	3	3	2	71	39*	71.00	2
Hughes	G.	9	8	1	306	83	43.71	2
Reed	D.	5	3	2	41	26*	41.00	3
Smailes	C.	9	7	-	286	106	40.85	4
Lubich	C.	9	7	4	121	39*	40.33	1
Fitzgerald	G.	9	9	1	263	85	32.87	12-3 STP
Milne	A.	9	8	2	187	55	31.16	5
Saunders	D.	9	8	1	190	63*	27.14	5
Breman	T.	5	3	-	76	44	25.33	2
Bush	G.	7	3	2	14	8	14.00	2
Neilsen	S.	4	1	-	7	7	7.00	2
Hurst	J.	8	4	1	19	9	6.33	2
Raven	B.	9	1	-	3	3	3.00	2
Hudson	R.	4	-	-	-	-	-	1

BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Ave
Hughes	G.	58	4	13	183	14.07
Breman	T.	43	5	10	164	16.40
Raven	B.	81.2	12	13	261	20.07
Lubich	C.	82.5	9	14	308	22.00
Neilsen	S.	31	1	5	112	22.40
Hudson	R.	21	4	2	52	26.00
Hurst	J.	50	3	6	184	30.66
Bush	G.	67	8	6	193	32.16

Drinks



1ST GRADE AVERAGES 1977-78 TO 1985-86

BATTING		Matches	Inns	N.O.	Runs	H.S.	50's	100's	Ave	Catches
Alderman	T.	43	30	6	384	60	1		16.00	18
Anthony	P.	13	18		183	28			10.16	5
Barlow	C.	12	15	2	422	66	4		32.46	3
Bolton	A.	4	4		59	49			14.75	1
Bolton	N.	4	4		33	25			8.25	
Breman	T.	25	25	6	567	102*	2	1	29.84	11
Burgess	G.	9	11	1	82	24			8.20	2
Bush	G.	85	72	9	805	55	1		12.77	31
Cameron	D.	13	18	1	187	36*			11.00	9
Carlstein	P.	9	7	1	206	101		1	34.33	3
Christensen	H.	11	9	1	84	28*			10.50	2
Chrystal	H.	12	17	3	284	63	1		20.28	8
Cunningham	E.	14	14	1	306	88*	2		23.58	5
Davies	J.	3	4	2	45	25*			22.50	
Elliott	R.	29	37	4	560	48			16.96	24
Fitzgerald	G.	48	57	4	1083	105	4	1	20.43	58
Hann	G.	43	50	8	872	109*	1	1	20.76	20
Harris	K.	27	31	4	421	75	2		15.59	9
Hicks	W.	3	4		25	13			6.25	1
Higgins	P.	1	1							
Hubble	J.	66	75	20	1616	85*	9		29.38	51
Hudson	R.	10	9	4	44	17			8.80	1
Hughes	G.	84	101	7	2423	133	13	3	25.77	48
Hughes	K.	16	21	3	941	192	3	3	52.27	5
Hurst	J.	21	24	6	213	42			11.83	18
Ireland	D.	16	15	2	109	29*			8.38	3
Jones	P.	106	106	40	934	52	1		14.15	216-16 STP
King	I.	56	52	4	720	70	3		15.00	7
Knight	N.	4	4	44	30				11.00	3
Levy	W.	3	3	22	12				11.00	2
Lubich	C.	42	47	7	623	74*	2		15.57	20
MacGill	T.	12	12	2	196	47			19.60	5
Marshall	P.	10	11		219	79	1		19.90	3
Milne	A.	11	9	3	162	64*	1		27.00	9
Mulhall	S.	55	68	3	1718	135	13	1	26.43	31
Neilsen	S.	19	14	4	103	34			10.30	5
Nicholls	P.	31	37	4	1401	151	7	3	42.45	13
Panegyres	P.	8	8	1	104	37			14.85	2
Parker	B.	17	20	3	190	40			11.75	5
Penter	K.	41	46	7	802	72	4		20.56	5
Perrott	C.	26	30	2	559	68	3		19.96	12
Porter	G.	27	34	3	718	97	4		21.75	15
Ralph	W.	5	4	2	22	16*			11.00	1
Raven	B.	59	41	23	132	13			7.33	12
Raven	D.	16	13	8	62	12			12.40	4
Reed	D.	18	17	5	233	40*			19.41	16
Rule	V.	2	3		19	17			6.33	5
Sanders	P.	4	5	1	112	43			28.00	1
Sanders	D.	13	12	2	233	53	1		23.30	8
Sharp	K.	21	23	3	1083	169	7	2	54.13	7
Smalles	C.	38	43	5	1048	101	7	1	27.57	13
Smith	B.	2	2	1	4	3*			4.00	
Stafford	G.	11	13	3	131	71*	1		13.10	3
Statham	R.	11	11	2	146	35			16.22	1
Tate	G.	1	1		5	5			5.00	
Travers	G.	21	22	2	416	97*	3		20.80	8
Wright	S.	18	22	3	388	75	1		20.42	13

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BOWLING		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	5 Wkts	Best Perf.	Ave
						In		
						Inns		
Alderman	T.	907.1	239	153	2323	10	7.26	15.18
Bolton	N.	2			10			
Breman	T.	231.2	70	36	554	2	6.23	15.38
Bush	G.	1738	488	225	4665	15	7.61	20.73
Christensen	H.	116	34	20	325		4.18	16.25
Chrystal	H.	4			6			
Cunningham	E.	8	2		16			
Hann	G.	189.2	42	12	510		2.0	42.50
Harris	K.	1.5		1	13		1.13	13.00
Higgins	P.	9	2		31			
Hubble	J.	289	53	36	820		4.17	22.77
Hudson	R.	70.4	19	7	232		3.46	33.14
Hughes	G.	267.2	84	25	622		4.27	24.88
Hughes	K.	4	1		10			
Hurst	J.	57	15	1	161		1.30	161.00
Ireland	D.	346.2	88	36	886		4.27	24.61
Jones	P.	7.3	2	2	35		1.3	17.50
King	I.	1025.2	260	145	2746	5	7.15	18.93
Knight	N.	4		1	12		1.12	12.00
Lubich	C.	838.4	239	88	2190	3	7.145	24.88
MacGill	T.	292.4	87	29	638	1	5.16	22.00
Milne	A.							
Mulhall	S.	2			12			
Neilsen	S.	208.1	33	17	694	1	5.51	40.82
Nicholls	P.	331.4	53	34	845		4.29	24.85
Panegyres	P.	59	18	6	136		3.14	22.66
Parker	B.	254.1	57	18	594	1	5.48	33.00
Penter	K.	427.3	127	50	909	2	5.45	18.18
Perrott	C.	146.7	25	20	504		3.40	25.20
Porter	G.	380	114	44	920	1	7.20	20.90
Ralph	W.	73	25	5	167		2.19	33.40
Raven	B.	1127.3	306	129	2704	3	7.38	20.96
Raven	D.	259	49	28	731	1	5.55	26.10
Smalles	C.	13	3	2	56		2.18	28.00
Smith	B.	10	1		36			
Tate	G.	18	3	1	65		1.20	65.00
Wright	S.	2			2			

MATCH RESULTS

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
1977-78	12	5	7	
1978-79	14	11	3	
1979-80	14	9	4	1
1980-81	14	10	3	1
1981-82	13	3	9	1
1982-83	12	3	8	1
1983-84	14	5	8	1
1984-85	14	5	7	2
1985-86	14	7	4	3
Total	121	58	53	10



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At the nearest point of relief

When you play golf like I do and hit the ball into the rough all the time, it helps if you know the rules so that you can occasionally get relief.

Graham Watson, the former Australian cricketer, doesn't have those sorts of problems as he keeps his ball on the fairway most of the time. But he found he needed relief in the clubhouse . . .

Graham is a member at Pennant Hills in Sydney and being a keen golfer he likes to get a game in when he is travelling on business.

On a recent trip to Singapore Graham was there for the weekend and decided to wander out to the golf club and see if he could tee up a game.

Always one to mix well, it wasn't long before Graham had got himself into a four and they were soon having a few beers to loosen up the swing.

After half a dozen quick beers Beatele was beginning to wonder if he was only going to see the course through the bottom of a middy glass, when one of the locals said, 'Okay, drink up and we'll hit off.'

Relieved to find it was going to be his golfing prowess, not his drinking capacity that was to be tested, Graham downed his beer. But then he realised he wasn't fully relieved. 'Where's the toilet around here mate?' he asked one of the locals.

Eager to help, the gentleman pointed in the direction of the hallway and said, 'You go down there, take a right turn and at the end of the next hallway you'll see two doors. The one with the penis and the set of balls on the panel is the gents.'

Quite amused by this novel method of ensuring a heavy drinking member as little embarrassment as possible, Graham laughed and asked, 'And what do you have on the panel of the ladies toilet?'

'Quite simple,' smiled the local member, 'a photo of the outgoing handicapping committee.'



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