



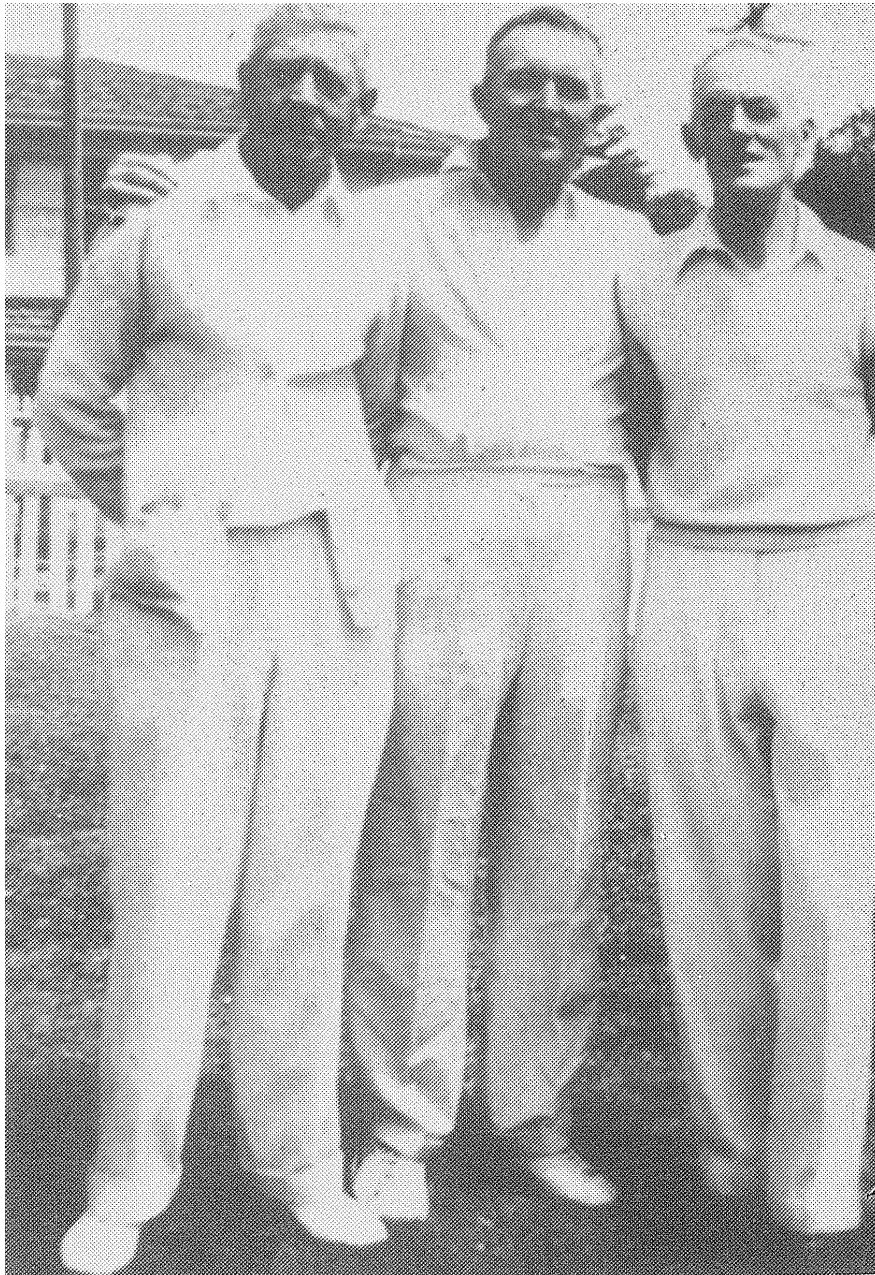
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Annual Report
&
Financial Statement

2020/21 Season

Manly-Warringah Junior Cricket Assoc. Inc





The Fathers of Manly Junior Cricket – Jim Randall, Les Gwynne and George Lowe – who commenced coaching classes for juniors aged between 10 and 16 in October 1933. These classes were held at Manly Oval and continued through to the 1950's when the Manly junior Saturday morning competition was commenced.



2020/21 Executive Committee

President	David Nimmo
Vice President	Toby Horstead
Vice President - Girls	Scott Osborne
Secretary	Rachel Chick
Treasurer	Fiona Brewster

2020/21 Management Committee and Supporting Roles

Competition Secretary	David Nimmo, Toby Horstead, Scott Osborne
Representative Chairman	Scott Brewster
Grounds Coordinator	Rachel Chick
Web Administrator	Stephen Baldwin
Northern Beaches Cricket Council Delegate	David Nimmo, Tony Pecar
Manly Mini Bash Coordinators	Fiona Brewster, Simon Martin
MyCricket Administrator	Rachel Chick
Auditing Administrator	Rachel Chick
Competition Rules	Toby Horstead
Committee Life Members	Ross Denny, Tony Pecar
Annual Report / Statistics	Ross Denny, Rachel Chick
MWJCA Umpires Coordinator	Errol Cranney, Mat Meers

Life Members

Bob Lind *	Michael Pawley	Tony Pecar
David Quarford	Bob Rollins	Peter Tasker *
Ron Watkins *	Ted Lindsay	Tony Sullivan
Vicki Carden	Errol Cranney	Ross Denny
Danny LeMoy	Ross Trewartha	Kevin Davies
Phill Edwards		

* Deceased



Club Representatives

Beacon Hill	Peter Horton, Tharmi Loganathan
Collaroy Plateau	Colin Huxley, Jocelyn Huxley
Cromer	Stewart Edwards, David Crookwell
Forest District	Andrew Smith, Craig Schneidereit
Harbord Devils	Warren Evans, Louise Macfarlane
Peninsula	Gary Searles, Clark Vickery
Seaforth	Stephen Baldwin, Cassie Matheson
St. Augustines	Andrew Jamieson, Steve Connors
St Pius X	Anthony Nicey, James Colgan
Wakehurst	Matt White, Carol Boulton

Representative Cricket Committee

Scott Brewster	Carol Boulton	Anthony Cruickshank
Ross Denny	Toby Horstead	Michael Kwan
Regan McCracken	David Nimmo	Scott Osborne
Paul O’Sullivan	Trish Pavely	

Competition Auditors

Stage 1 – Under 10 and 11 Boys	Rachel Chick
Under 11 Girls	Stephen Baldwin
Under 12 Div 1	Graeme Thom
Under 12 Div 2	Tharmi Loganathan
Under 13 Girls	Sam Croll
Under 13 Div 1	Craig Schneidereit
Under 13 Div 2	Asia Punter
Under 14 Div 1	Eloise Critchley
Under 15 Girls	Angus Hunt, Toby Horstead
Under 15 Div 1	Warren Evans
Under 17	Andrew Jamieson



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The Manly-Warringah Junior Cricket Association is proud to be associated with the following organisations and welcomed their support for the season 2020-21.

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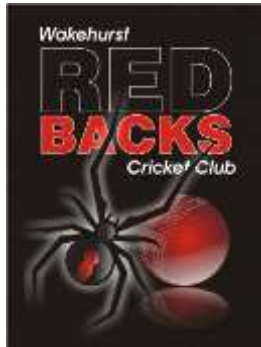
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**The Peter Tasker Memorial Shield
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**Wakehurst Redbacks
Cricket Club**

**The Eric Palmer Bat Award
For the Most Outstanding Junior Cricketer of the Season**

Lukas Overhoff
Seaforth Cricket Club



**The Deanne Hutt Female Player of the Year Award
For the Most Outstanding Female Cricketer of the Season**

Emily Horstead
Wakehurst Redbacks
Cricket Club



**The Mike Pawley Representative Award
For the Most Outstanding Div 1 Representative Team**



**Under 14
NSW Youth
Championships
Harold Moore
Shield
Undefeated
Champions**

**The Errol Cranney Representative Award
For the Most Outstanding Div 2 Representative Team**



**Under 14 IDCA
Anthony Neale
Cup Champions**



The Eric Palmer Bat Award

Since 1966 this prestigious award has been presented to an outstanding performer in the Saturday morning competition. Over the years, many winners have gone on to play premier cricket. The Executive takes into account a cricketer's performance both on and off the field, efforts in the Saturday morning competition, availability and efforts in the District Representative games, and achievements in cricket outside our competition.



We are pleased to announce that this year's Eric Palmer Bat Award winner is **Lukas Overhoff** from Seaforth Cricket Club.

The Eric Palmer Bat Award Winners

Year	Name	Club	Year	Name	Club
1966/67	Greg Bush	Seaforth	1994/95	Richie Rainey	Wakehurst Redbacks
1967/68	Stephen Buchanan	St. Augustines College	1995/96	Ryan Bonnor	Forest District
1968/69	Lee Woodward	Frenchs Forest	1996/97	Michael Cosentino	Wakehurst Redbacks
1969/70	Sam Mesite	CBC (St Pauls)	1997/98	Ben King	Wakehurst Redbacks
1970/71	Mark Jolly	Seaforth	1998/99	Michael Ashton	Seaforth YC
1971/72	Michael McGuire	Dee Why RSL	1999/00	Luke Edgell	Cromer
1972/73	Terry McTeigue	Collaroy Plateau	2000/01	Luke Campbell	St. Augustines College
1973/74	Ian Travers	Wakehurst	2001/02	Jack Hinksman	Wakehurst Redbacks
1974/75	Andrew Fraser	CBC (St Pauls)	2002/03	Jack Ritchie	Cromer
1975/76	Andrew Fraser	CBC (St Pauls)	2003/04	Peter Lindsay	Forest District
1976/77	Neil Tuckerman	Allambie	2004/05	Lucas Frazer	Seaforth
1977/78	John Sanders	Terrey Hills	2005/06	Maxwell Burgess	St. Augustines College
1978/79	David Batty	Belrose RLCC	2006/07	Edward Burgess	St. Augustines College
1979/80	Ian Gately	St. Augustines College	2007/08	Nick McLachlan	Collaroy Plateau
1980/81	Cameron Williamson	Beacon Hill YC	2008/09	Toby Poole	Harbord
1981/82	David Ford	Palm Beach	2009/10	Arshdeep Viridi	Collaroy Plateau
1982/83	Warren Evans	Forest District	2010/11	Mickey Edwards	St. Augustines College
1983/84	Shawn Bradstreet	Redbacks	2011/12	Michael Balzan	Redlands
1984/85	Miles Cornish	Forest Anglicans	2012/13	Jake Carden	Collaroy Plateau
1985/86	Brad Verrills	Redbacks	2013/14	Nicholas Hidas	St. Augustines College
1986/87	Simon Couch	Beacon Hill YC	2014/15	Oliver Davies	Harbord
1987/88	Darren Bradstreet	Wakehurst	2015/16	Oliver Davies	Harbord
1988/89	Peter Capp	Beacon Hill YC	2016/17	Jake Osborne	St. Augustines College
1989/90	Darren Benson	Wakehurst	2017/18	Jake Osborne	St. Augustines College
1990/91	Cameron Lawes	Cromer	2018/19	Andrew Boulton	St. Augustines College
1991/92	Gaetan Juul	Cromer	2019/20	Ethan Buchanan	St. Augustines College
1992/93	Steven Ware	Peninsula	2020/21	Lukas Overhoff	Seaforth
1993/94	Michael Dunn	Wakehurst Redbacks			

The Deanne Hutt Female Player of the Year Award For the Most Outstanding Female Cricketer of the Season

This prestigious award, introduced in 2019 is presented to an outstanding performer from the MWJCA Girls competition. The Executive takes into account her cricket performance both on and off the field, including achievements in the Saturday girls club competition, availability and efforts in the District Representative games, and achievements in cricket outside of our competition.

We are pleased to announce that this year's MWJCA Female Cricketer of the Year Award winner is **Emily Horstead** from Wakehurst Redbacks Cricket Club.



The Deanne Hutt Award Winners

Year	Name	Club
2018/19	Chloe Osborne	Forest District
2019/20	Laura Judson	Wakehurst Redbacks Cricket Club
2020/21	Emily Horstead	Wakehurst Redbacks Cricket Club



State and Cricket NSW Representation by MWJCA Players in 2020/21

NSW Combined High Schools Secondary Cricket - Girls State Championships - February 2021, Bathurst, NSW

Kate Salmon (Sydney North CHS)

Team also included former MWJCA players Charlotte Camburn, Sienna James, Mia Nel



CRICKET NSW

NSW All Schools Secondary Cricket - Girls State Championships – March 2021, Maitland NSW

Chloe Osborne (Combined Catholic Colleges)

Former MWJCA players Charlotte Camburn (CHS), Chelsea McLerie (CCC) also competed



Under 17 NSW Indoor Cricket - Girls - 2021 Australian Junior Indoor Cricket National Championships, Victoria *

Emily Horstead, Laura Judson

** Currently postponed due to rescheduling of 2021 cricket activities*



Cricket NSW Academy and Metropolitan State Squads

The Cricket NSW Academy is a State-wide program responsible for the identification and development of talented male and female cricketers. The following current MWJCA players were selected and participated in the program during the 2020/21 season:

Under 15 – Female

Eliza Henry, Emily Horstead, Ellie James, Laura Judson, Kate Salmon

Under 14-16 - Male

Andrew Boulton, Roopmehar Dhillon, Joshua Lawson

Under 19 - Male

Joel Davies



Cricket NSW State Challenge - NSW Metropolitan Representatives

Under 14 Male State Challenge *

Will Brewster, Ethan Buchanan, Preston Lee, Tom Molloy, Robbie Tipton, Lewis Whiley

** The U14 State Challenge in Dubbo was cancelled and replaced with training sessions at Homebush*



Under 16 Male State Challenge – February 2021, Blacktown

Andrew Boulton, Josh Cooper, Joshua Lawson

Under 19 Male State Challenge - February 2021, Daceyville

Joel Davies



Presidents Report



Welcome to the 2020/21 64th Annual Report for the Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association (MWJCA).

We had a late start to the season, although we were able to get in all matches. The MWJCA had a slight increase in player numbers again this season across 219 teams, ranging from Master Blast (U8) right through to U17. Girls cricket continues to grow and this season we had 23 teams, with U11 growing to 10 teams, 2 seasons after this age group was first introduced.

The entry level cricket programs continued to thrive. Junior Blast was played by Beacon Hill, Collaroy Plateau, Cromer, Forest, Harbord, Peninsula and Wakehurst. The final changes were introduced based on Cricket Australia's new Junior Formats in Stage 3 boys.

Kev Davies and **Phill Edwards** were awarded Life Membership of the MWJCA for their significant contributions to the association. Both men created and ran the Mini Bash until this season. Kev was on the rep committee for many years, coached junior rep teams and was the Harbord delegate for the MWJCA committee for a long time. Phill's contributions include running numerous scoring nights, Web Administrator for the MWJCA and the St. Augustines delegate for the MWJCA committee. Both men



continue to contribute to cricket on the Northern Beaches, Kev at Warringah and Phill at Manly Grade. Thanks Kev and Phill, your Life Memberships to the MWJCA are thoroughly deserved.

The Manly Mini Bash T20 tournament had its 8th season in 2021. Kev Davies and Phill Edwards handed over the reins and big thank you to Fiona Brewster, Simon Martin, Louise Macfarlane and James Maxwell for their efforts in running the Mini Bash this season. Your support has allowed this great tournament to continue.

Congratulations to all teams that won MWJCA premierships and to all the individual award winners. Well done to the **Wakehurst Redbacks Cricket Club** for winning the MWJCA Club Championship, “Peter Tasker Memorial Shield”.

This season the MWJCA had 14 teams represent the association. We fielded 8 teams in the Youth Championship, U12 div 1 and 2, U13 div 1 and 2, U14, U15 boys and U13 and U15 girls teams. In the Presidents Cup we entered 3 teams, U11 div 1 and div 2 and one U17 team and one in the U17 DCA competition. Well done to the U13 Mollie Dive girls, Under 11 IDCA Cup div 2, Under 12 Youth Championships W.G. Foster Shield, Under 14 Youth Championships Harold Moore Shield and Under 14 Anthony Neale Cup boys teams for winning their competitions. A big thank you to Scott Brewster, who took over the role as Rep Chairman from Blake Cousemacker this season.

The new cricket nets at Nolan’s Reserve were completed and available for use by our junior representation teams. Thanks to Cricket NSW and the Northern Beaches Council for their assistance in this project.

The Manly Warringah District Cricket Club (MWDCC) continued their support of the MWJCA this season. Many grade players assisted junior rep teams. The MWDCC volunteer of the month award winners are as follows:

- September 2020 Junior Volunteer Award - **Karen Judson**, VP Girls, Wakehurst
- November 2020 Junior Volunteer Award – **Warren Evans**, Junior President, Harbord





- February 2021 Junior Volunteer Award – **Carolyn Whiteley**, Girls Co Ordinator Collaroy Plateau

Thank you to the MWJCA Committee for their work this season (made of from delegates from each club), Stephen Baldwin for his role as Web Administrator and the Life Members who continue to support the MWJCA (Ross Denny and Tony Pecar). A big thank you to the MWJCA Executive Committee made up Toby Horstead (Vice President, Rules), Scott Osbourne (Vice President, Girls), Rachel Chick (Secretary) and Fiona Brewster (Treasurer). Unfortunately, Rachel is not continuing as Secretary next season. She has been a major contribution to the MWJCA over her time as Secretary and will be missed.



Additional administration tasks were required across all levels of volunteers to play cricket this season due to Covid-19. Thanks to everyone who helped make this season possible, including MWJCA committees, clubs, coaches, managers, scorers, parents and players.

We look forward to next cricket season.

David Nimmo
MWJCA President



Criteria for Association Awards 2020/21

BATTING – to qualify for batting average awards, a batsman must bat in 6 innings and score 100 runs or more during the season.

BOWLING – to qualify for bowling average awards, a bowler must take 15 wickets* and bowl 30 overs during the season

** Where 15 wickets have not been taken by any bowlers in a competition, the bowling average award will be based on bowling 30 overs and the highest number of wickets taken.*



Secretary's Report



The 2020-21 Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association (MWJCA) season had its challenges as we navigated through heat waves, fires, floods, washouts and a global pandemic. The enthusiasm and support from all the parents and volunteers on the Northern Beaches has been amazing, especially with the added responsibilities and restrictions around COVID.

Throughout these external challenges there was plenty of cricket, new skills, fitness, team bonding and friendships for girls and boys right across the peninsula. The MWJCA executive and committee have worked hard to provide an avenue for junior cricket on the Northern Beaches and offered players and teams the opportunity to participate in a variety of formats.

From the Junior Blasters and Master Blaster sites across the Northern Beaches for ages 5 to 9, to the ever increasing MWJCA Girls Hub U11 to U15, U10 boys through to U17 years. Saturday mornings across all grounds at full capacity kids enjoying their cricket and for many the start of a long association with the MWJCA cricket pathway on the Northern Beaches.

Mid-week provided an opportunity for players to participate in the Manly Mini Bash T20 tournament an avenue for different skill sets and a fast-paced exciting competition. Thank you to FIONA BREWSTER and SIMON MARTIN for running with the set up and coordination of the Manly Mini Bash in 20-21.

MWJCA welcomed many new players, parents, volunteers and incoming Rep Chairman

SCOTT BREWSTER. MWJCA provided a number of opportunities to support those new to cricket rules, scoring, coaching and umpiring. Vice President TOBY HORSTEAD hosted and delivered the MWJCA Stage 1 and 2 Scoring Webinar, a little differently this season via a YouTube video. Club



participants were also invited to attend a number of Community (Level 1) coaching course sessions run by CNSW throughout the season which were well attended.

Thank you to all the MWJCA Club Delegates and Auditors for their efforts, time, support and dedication. Congratulations to all the MWJCA competition winning teams and to those that achieved individual awards and new MWJCA records for the 2020-21 season.

Many Thanks to the committed Association executive - President DAVID NIMMO, Vice President Rules TOBY HORSTEAD, Vice President Girls SCOTT OSBORNE, Treasurer FIONA BREWSTER, Rep Chairman SCOTT BREWSTER and Web Master STEPHEN BALDWIN. To our active *Life Members* ROSS DENNY, TONY PECAR, PHILL EDWARDS, DANNY LeMOY, BOB ROLLINS and ERROL CRANNEY thank you for all your knowledge, support and ongoing dedication.

After four enjoyable seasons as MWJCA Secretary I will be passing the bat. Look forward to seeing everyone back out playing lots of cricket soon!

Kind regards,
Rachel Chick - MWJCA Secretary





Financial Statement

Balance Sheet - As at 30 April 2021

Compiled by Fiona Brewster, Treasurer - MWJCA

	30 Apr 2021	30 Apr 2020	30 Apr 2019	30 Apr 2018
Assets				
Bank				
Bus Online Saver 1029 7022	156,520	166,459	166,093	165,360
Bus Trans Acc 1028 2007	53,722	64,612	235,086	67,893
Total Bank	210,242	231,071	401,179	233,253
Current Assets				
Accounts Receivable	3,105	24,057	(2,403)	8,031
Total Current Assets	3,105	24,057	(2,403)	8,031
Non-current Assets				
Furniture & Fixtures at Cost	1,286	1,286	1,286	-
Total Non-current Assets	1,286	1,286	1,286	-
Total Assets	214,633	256,413	400,062	241,284
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable	48	83,048	-	1,403
GST	(202)	-	-	-
Rounding	(1)	-	-	-
Total Current Liabilities	(154)	83,048	-	1,403
Non-Current Liabilities				
Accrued Expenses	-	27,826	27,826	27,842
Total Non-Current Liabilities	-	27,826	27,826	27,842
Total Liabilities	(154)	110,874	27,826	29,245
Net Assets	214,787	145,540	372,236	212,039
Equity				
Current Year Earnings	69,247	(226,696)	160,197	40,938
Prior Year's Surplus/Deficit	26,460	26,460	26,460	26,460
Retained Earnings	119,080	345,776	185,580	144,642
Total Equity	214,787	145,540	372,236	212,039



Profit & Loss Statement – 1 May 2020 to 30 April 2021

	30 Apr 21	30 Apr 20	30 Apr 19	30 Apr 18
Income				
Ball Royalties	-	210	510	1,120
Club Team Fees	40,980	43,590	39,810	37,315
DCA insurance	-	-	6,985	6,800
Grants for Nets	-	65,000	106,100	-
Grounds Levy	39,600	43,100	39,000	37,275
Misc. Rep Income	5,000	-	-	345
Miscellaneous Income	8,134	21,435	9,236	5,043
Rep. Player Fees	57,868	56,758	53,300	56,775
Sponsorship	11,000	7,000	7,500	16,320
Sponsorship - Girls Grant	-	6,000	5,000	5,000
Umpire Re -Imbursement	-	640	5,180	6,040
Total Income	162,581	243,733	272,621	172,033
Less Cost of Sales				
Freight	275	-	-	-
Girls Costs - Against Grant	2,768	5,763	4,637	4,590
Total Cost of Sales	3,043	5,763	4,637	4,590
Gross Profit	159,539	237,970	267,983	167,443
Plus Other Income				
Interest Income	61	366	733	824
Misc - Bchs to Bush - My Cause	-	-	3,229	-
Total Other Income	61	366	3,962	824
Less Operating Expenses				
Affiliation Levy	-	-	-	1,880
Bad Debts	-	340	-	-
Bank Fees	161	80	67	379
Bookkeeping	340	1,140	1,626	535
Courses [62060]	-	120	-	-
DCA Affiliation Fee	200	220	444	1,313
Dues & Subscriptions	-	-	-	180
Entertainment	724	865	1,929	3,660
Equipment	8,350	21,729	2,773	2,934
Legal & Accounting	385	990	405	393
Misc - Bchs to Bush - My Cause !	-	3,229	-	-
Misc. Expenses	-	-	605	395
Net Construction Contribution	-	303,072	-	-
Player Insurance Levy	-	-	6,750	6,900
Postage & Shipping	-	26	-	-
Printing	151	3,548	3,693	3,421
Prizes/Donations	400	600	500	-
Rep Clothing	14,142	40,144	29,507	27,510
Rep Cricket NSW Registration	12,940	13,715	-	-
Rep Equipment	29,505	17,221	13,290	12,593
Rep Hall Hire	2,024	2,498	240	150
Rep Misc Expenses	3,038	682	1,747	785
Rep Net Hire Training/Trials	5	2,212	6,511	12,153
Rep Photography	2,016	3,192	-	-
Rep Specialist Coaching	-	400	1,100	255
Rep Umpires Payments	4,360	3,990	9,040	8,812
Repairs & Maintenance	17	1,429	-	14,990
Sports Fields User Fee	5,029	22,987	19,365	20,496
Telephone & Internet	280	-	50	-
Trophies	1,294	6,045	4,827	3,956
Umpire Payments (Not Rep Related)	1,350	-	-	-
Wages & Salaries	3,640	14,560	7,280	3,640
Total Operating Expenses	90,352	465,033	111,748	127,329
Net Profit	69,247	(226,696)	160,197	40,938

Junior Blasters



Junior Blasters is the entry-level cricket program, formerly known as In2CRICKET. Junior Blasters is designed for boys and girls from **5 to 8 years old** and gives participants a chance to take part in a variety of activities to develop cricket, physical fitness and social skills, sportsmanship and an understanding of the game of cricket. The emphasis is on fun and maximising participation.

The following clubs established a Junior Blasters program this season: **Beacon Hill, Collaroy Plateau, Forest, Harbord, Peninsula, Seaforth** and **Wakehurst**.

Master Blasters – Under 9 Cricket



Cricket Blast captures the colour and excitement of the Men's and Women's Big Bash League in a fun and fast format.

After learning all the basic skills in Junior Blasters, Master Blasters allows kids to experience modified games of cricket using lighter equipment in a format that is fast paced with equal participation. The program was developed to ensure junior cricketers can progress with confidence to Stage 1 of Junior Formats.

Master Blasters

In line with Cricket Australia, Saturday Master Blasters was this year extended to boys and girls **under 9 years** of age with games played at a number of venues across the Northern Beaches within our existing club structure.

The MWJCA had the following Master Blasters centres on Saturday mornings:

- Jackson Road, Warriewood
 - Participating Club was **Peninsula** with **6 Teams**
- Lionel Watts, Frenchs Forest
 - Participating Clubs were **Forest** and **Wakehurst** with **18 Teams**
- Beacon Hill Oval, Beacon Hill
 - Participating Clubs were **Beacon Hill, Collaroy Plateau** with **12 Teams**
- Adams St Reserve, Curl Curl
 - Participating Club was **Harbord** with **6 Teams**
- Seaforth Oval, Seaforth
 - Participating Club was **Seaforth** with **16 Teams**

Manly Mini Bash 08 - 2021



In February 2014 MWJCA introduced a T20 competition called “Manly Mini Bash” so that that young players could get an understanding of T20 at a young age to become better, well-rounded players and great T20 players of the future. The tournament was successful and received a lot of very positive feedback from both players and parents. In light of that, the tournament has continued to run and is now in its seventh year.

Some of the driving principles underpinning Manly Mini Bash are that participation comes ahead of winning, and that you play for enjoyment - winning is a bonus. Scores are not entered into MyCricket, so players tend to play in a more carefree manner purely for the fun of the game. Bonus points are awarded for achieving certain milestones. These are important factors that make it so enjoyable for both players and parents.

Some major changes were made to the 2021 Manly Mini Bash 08:

- Phill Edwards & Kevin Davies handed over to Fiona Brewster (St Aug's) & Simon Martin along with some help from Louise MacFarlane (both HDJCC).

Once again it was run as a separate tournament and scores and results were not entered into MyCricket. As it was wholly standalone from the Saturday morning competition:

- Match results had no impact on the Saturday morning league tables.
- Player scores had no impact on individual player awards at the end of the season.
- Match results and scores had no bearing on club championship points.

Consideration was again given to a girl's Manly Mini Bash tournament, but was decided against this as girls already play T20 in the MWJCA weekend comp. Once again, this year boy's teams were strongly encouraged to invite girls to play in their team, with girls allowed to play up to 2 years below their age group. Unfortunately, there was little evidence again of this being implemented by teams.

Structure

As usual, boy's teams from U11 Division 1 and above were invited to participate. Simon Martin from Harbord Devils Cricket Club managed the recruitment campaign this year. MMB 08 was comprised of 8 leagues and because of the numbers of



teams and the reduced ability to mix age groups (due to pitch lengths varying by age) we had to compromise on team numbers per league. The ideal number is 4 but we had the following:

Under 11 / A	(5 teams)	Under 11/B	(4 teams)
Under 12 / B	(4 teams)	Under 12/C	(4 teams)
Under 12-13 /A	(4 teams)		
Under 14 - 15/ A	(4 teams)		
Under 15 / A	(5 teams)		
Under 15-18 / A	(4 teams)		

Out of this season's 165 eligible teams 34 played MMB – a participation rate of only 20%. All teams that wanted to play were accommodated, including a couple late entries. It's clear that the MMB participation rate continues to trend downwards.

Once again, MWJCA provided bright orange and pink balls which not only help to differentiate from other cricket, but also have a very practical impact on visibility which is an important safety consideration with matches completing at 7:15pm.

Leagues with four teams were scheduled to play each other once in pool rounds. Knockout semi-finals are then played (1 vs 4 and 2 vs 3) for places in the finals. The bonus system of points for certain playing milestones continued from previous years.

Leagues with five teams should play four pool rounds with no semi-finals – after four rounds the top two teams play the final.

This year only the semi-finals for the U11 – 13's were washed out.

Finals

Semi-finals and finals are decided purely on runs scored with bonus points playing no part. With the kind cooperation of the Manly Touch Football Association we were able to play all finals at Nolans Reserve again this year. This is something we hope to do every year in order to create a carnival atmosphere. We were able to run the Fund Raising BBQ on both nights and James Maxwell was able to get the sausages donated by Harris Farm & he donated the rolls – thanks James! Louise MacFarlane helped organise the BBQ set up & assisted with running it. Thanks to Scott and Will Brewster and late ring in, David Nimmo for also assisting with the Thursday BBQ!

The support of independent umpires for the finals was very much appreciated.



Thanks go to Mike Pawley Sports for yet again providing generous prizes for finals including cricket bats. Also, a big thanks to Andrew Dawes of the Butchers' Café on Sydney road for donating vouchers & caps.

Most Valuable Player (MVP) awards

The MVP award is given to the player who earns the most bonus points for his team. Sydney Sixers once again generously donated clothing for prizes.

This year's MVP award went to **Lachie Goodsall** (U15 Beacon Hill Bombers).

The runner-up MVP award went to **Jake Smyth** (U12 Harbord Thunder).

Results

League	Umpire	Match	Winner	Player of the Match	Runner up Player of the Match
U11/A	Scott Brewster	Harbord Thunder vs Seaforth Hotdogs	Harbord Thunder	Archie Buckley	Max McCaffery
U11/B	Eric Rose	BH Bears vs BH Blasters	BH Bears	Liam Wyllie	Wian Coetsee
U12-13/A	Ross Denny	Wakehurst Green vs Harbord Warriors	Harbord Warriors	Lachlan McEwan	Charlie Bedson
U12/B	Steve Connors	Collaroy Plat Thunder vs St Aug's Gold	St Aug's Gold	Alastair Slavin	Hayden Ling
U12/C	Danny Le Moy	BH Boomers vs Collaroy Plat Lightning	BH Boomers	Tom Serrano	Max Bradburn
U14-15/A	Mickey Edwards	St Aug's Gold (U14) vs BH Bombers (U15)	BH Bombers	Thomas Hardy	Fred Fleming
U15/A	Chris Melville	St Augustines Green vs Harbord Hornets	St Aug's Green	Ethan Buchanan	Angus Greenland
U15-18/A	Andrew Melville	Harbord Howzats (U15) vs St Aug's Gold (U17)	St Aug's Gold	Hayden Macfarlane	Matt Evans

MWJCA would like to thank the umpires who gave up their own time to officiate at finals, Mike Pawley, Andrew Dawes, Sydney Sixers for being generous sponsors, and everyone who took part in Manly Mini Bash 08. We hope that players, parents, coaches and managers all had fun and found it an enjoyable and rewarding experience.

Summary

After Phill Edwards and Kevin Davis announced their retirement from the MMB after 7 years Simon Martin and myself were on our 'L' plates this year and we both appreciate everyone's assistance & patience. Special thanks to Louise MacFarlane

and James Maxwell for their assistance with the BBQ & Finals. Ideally four volunteers will be needed in the future to lighten the load. I would like to thank Phill and Kev again for their support through MMB 08 as well.

We thank everyone for their support and participation over the last 8 years and hope that as the new organisers, we can take MMB to bigger and better things. One major concern is dwindling participation. There were no late 'pull outs' of teams this year, but late entries which were only accommodated because it evened out the leagues.

We would also like to see boys' teams inviting more girls to join their teams for MMB.

For more information, refer to the Manly Mini Bash area of the MWJCA web site at <http://manlyjuniorcricket.nsw.cricket.com.au/Manly-Mini-Bash-07-new.aspx?rw=c>

Fiona Brewster and Simon Martin
Manly Mini Bash Organisers





2020/21 Manly-Warringah Female Cricket



Summary

The 2020/21 season was the 5th season for all-girls cricket on the Northern Beaches and we are pleased to report it was another successful season despite the difficulties thrown up by COVID. Thank you to everyone involved for another wonderful season especially the girl's coordinators at each of the clubs for their efforts along with the coaches, managers and scorers.

We once again welcomed new players and teams into our competitions across the U11, U13 and U15 age groups along with a record number of girls participating in the Master Blasters format.

We also welcome and thank Sam Croll who came on board at the association level to administer girls cricket his help and insight was greatly appreciated.

Since launching all girls in 2016/17 and we have seen our numbers grow from 20 to now over **220 girls playing in 23 teams** across the U11, U13 and U15 competitions. When we combine all girls from Master Blasters, MWJCA club competitions and MWDC senior grade teams (the majority of which have progressed from our club teams) 'Manly' now has over 300 females participating in cricket which is amazing.

The MWJCA female cricket pathway is in place from the entry level Master Blasters programs to club competitions (U11, U13 and U15) to representative teams in the U13 and U15 age groups. From there players then transition into the MWDC grade club where three teams are currently entered into the NSW Women's Premier Cricket competitions.

We continued play matches at the popular "girl's hub" grounds at David Thomas, Millers and Passmore and again invested in shade tents for these afternoon matches

along with scorer's tables. The Hub has allowed the girls and their families to feel part of the cricket community and enabled the girls to get to know other girls more easily and see friends in other teams more often.



Once again, we held our annual fundraiser for the McGrath Foundations Pink Stumps Day which was expanded to include new initiatives this year. **The day raised \$2,800 which was our best result to date** and takes our total funds raised since we began to over \$7,500. Well done to Sam Croll for leading this initiative and to Darren Kilkeary and to Ashley Jones in particular, for a massive effort. A big thank you also goes to all the prize donators, clubs and parents for their efforts and generosity in making this fun event such a success.

MWJCA Representative Competitions

This year both the MWJCA girl's representative teams made the semi-finals which is a terrific achievement, even better the Under 13s finished joint premiers, a first-time achievement for our rep girls' teams, following rain affecting both their semi and grand final. The Under 15s were beaten in a close semi by a strong ACT team who went on to win the grand final. A big congratulations to both teams' players, coaches, managers and scorers. Also well done to our female cricketers who have gained further honours following selection into NSW State Challenge teams, NSW Metro academies and school representative teams.

A record number of girls have registered to trial for our U13 and U15 representative teams for the coming season which shows the strength and growing interest in girl's cricket – we wish them all the best in their trials.

Manly-Warringah Under 11 Sixers Girls Cricket Competition

This was the third season for our Under 11 girl's competition and again the girls had a great time and developed their cricket skills. The format is designed to keep girls in the game after they graduate from the junior and master blaster programs. Ten teams played this year up from 9 last year with 7 of our 8 clubs entering at least one team.



The competition is a 7-a-side T20 format (stage 1) played with a modified ball. The batter's bat for their allotted 17 balls (no actual outs for this age group). The games were played mid-morning Saturday at the 'hub' and completed in 2 hours.

Congratulation to **Harbord Dolphins** who ended the season on top of the table.





Manly-Warringah Under 13 Sixers Girls Cricket Competition

The Under 13 girl's competition is where girl's cricket began 5 years ago, and it continues to be a huge success. The competition is run under the Sixers Girls Cricket League rules. We had seven teams entered the competition this year.

The competition is a 9-a-side T20 format played with a hard ball (when you're out, you're out), with retirement after 18 balls. The games were played on a Saturday afternoon at the 'hub' taking 2.5 hours to complete.

Many congratulations to the **Wakehurst Opals** who were successful in the final.

Manly-Warringah Under 15 Sixers Girls Cricket Competition

The Under 15 girl's competition had six teams enter, up from last year's 4 which was fantastic to see as it shows teams are transitioning through the competition.

The U15 competition is a 9-a-side T20 format played with a leather cricket ball with retirement after 30 balls faced. Games were played on Saturday afternoon at the 'hub'.

Congratulations to the **Wakehurst Redbacks** for both topping the table and winning the grand final - a great achievement. With a number of the Wakehurst girls now becoming Under 16 and having played many seasons in the all-girls competition they will be looking to move into MWDC women premier cricket teams - we wish them all the best and thank them for being some of the pioneers of MWJCA's all girl's cricket.

Interested in playing girls cricket?

If your daughter/friend/neighbour is interested in joining any of the above competitions or if you require more information, please visit the girl's tab on the Manly-Warringah Junior Cricket website:

www.manlyjuniorcricket.nsw.cricket.com.au.

There is a bright future ahead for keen girl cricketers, so please encourage all your friends, sisters and neighbours to give it a go!

Scott Osborne

MWJCA VP Girls Cricket

Sam Croll

MWJCA Girls Cricket coordinator





Under 10 and 11 Cricket - Junior Format Stage 1

The Australian Cricket Junior Formats have delivered outstanding results and have proven to provide a far better playing and learning experience for boys and girls early in their cricket journey.

The evidence confirms the players face more balls, can play more shots in more areas, take more wickets and field far more than a traditional 11 a side, full-length pitch formats.

From 2017/18 the MWJCA adopted the Cricket Australia Club Stage 1 Junior Formats for Under 9 and Under 10 cricket. For the 2018/19 season MWJCA aligned to the desired Cricket Australia approach and moved Stage 1 Format cricket to U10 and U11. Both age groups used the Kookaburra Rookie plastic/rubber cricket ball (or similar) and played on 16m pitches. Girls U11 have, since 2019/20, adopted pink cricket balls.

The MWJCA's aim of Club Stage 1 cricket is to enable EVERY player to participate in an enjoyable game. This is no longer an average cricket format of batting in pairs and bowling on rotation. Instead with 7 a side batsman face 17 balls each and everyone gets to bowl. Wickets result in an addition of 4 runs to the bowling team. Player roles are rotated fairly and equally throughout the team to enable them to develop as cricketers and reach their full potential later in their playing life.

There were 62 teams across the Stage 1 boy's competition and 10 girl's teams in 2020/21.

	Under 10 Div 1	Under 10 Div 2	Under 11 Div 1	Under 11 Div 2
Boys	8 teams	27 teams	10 teams	17 teams
Girls			10 teams	

Under 12 and 13 Cricket - Junior Format Stage 2

From 2018/19 the MWJCA moved with Cricket Australia and adopted Stage 2 Junior Format for Under 12 Boys cricket. From the 2019/20 Season Stage 2 Junior Format was also adopted for Under 13 Boys Cricket. For Under 13 Boys this was a move away from the more traditional forms of cricket, and also signalled an end to two-day Under 13 cricket. The Junior Format Stage 2 was also continued for Under 13 Girls Cricket.

From the 2020/21 season, Under 12 and Under 13 Boys cricket is only one-day matches of 30 overs per side played on an 18m pitch. Teams are 9 a side with batsmen retiring after 35 deliveries. Bowling is shared around. Additionally, MWJCA



continued our participation rules for this age group to ensure that as many cricketers get a go as possible.

In a further innovation, the use of a white 142gm leather ball was continued for the Under 13 Boys competition. With all formats moving to one-day cricket or shorter, and Youth Championship moving to coloured clothing, it is anticipated that MWJCA will also move to coloured clothing and coloured balls in the coming seasons.

Girls Stage 2 Under 13 Cricket is played with the same ball size and team numbers as the boys competition. The main difference being that the girls play T20 cricket only and use a pink 142gm leather ball.

Under 14, 15 and 16 Boys Cricket - Junior Format Stage 3

From 2020/21 the MWJCA moved with Cricket Australia and adopted Stage 3 Junior Format (11 a side) for age group older than Under 13 in the boy's competitions. This signalled an end to two-day for all age groups in the MWJCA with age groups above Under 13 now only playing 30 overs a side cricket. Following on from U13 last season the Under 14 boys competition used white 156gm leather balls. The competitions are played on a full-length pitch.

In adopting the Cricket Australia Stage 3 format MWJCA applied our participation rules. This ensures that the opening batsman are not the opening bowlers, that at least 8 players of the 11 in the side bowl and that a batsman must retire after facing 50% of the 30 overs available.

Moving forward MWJCA will consider options for Division 2 competitions in terms of game format and team sizes, with the intention of keeping more boys in cricket. There continues to be a desire within the MWJCA for Division 1 cricket to have the option of longer format or 2-day cricket.

Under 15 Girls Cricket - Junior Format Stage 3

Continuing on from previous seasons, the MWJCA adopted the Sixers League Stage 3 Format (11 a side) for the Under 15 Girls Competition. This competition is T20 cricket, is played on a full-length pitch and uses a pink 142gm leather ball.

The Ron Buroughs Trophy Under 10 Division 1

Premiers: HARBORD “Sharks”

Finley Bull
Hugo Diggin
Robert Hall

Luke Higgins
Harry Hodgson
Samuel Hughes

Zac O'Connell
Toby Redwood
Henry Storey

Coach: Owen Hughes

Managers: Emma Hodgson, Louise Hall



The Ron Watkins Trophy Under 10 Division 2 – Red Pool



Premiers RED Pool: COLLAROY PLATEAU “Volts”

Ethan Brooks
Cruz Cruickshank
Hudson Geercke

Grayson Jacobs
Luke Mason
Finn Mathie

Jude Rigby
Max Verrills
Harry Wheeler

Coaches: Brad Verrills, Paul Brooks

Manager: Emma Rigby



COLLARROY PLATEAU CRICKET CLUB



UNDER 10 "VOLTS" - 2020-21

Back Row: Rigby - Grayson Jacobs, Luke Mason, Emma Rigby (Manager), Jude Rigby, Ethan Brooks . Insert: Harry Wheeler
Front Row: Paul Brooks (Coach), Hudson Geercke, Finn Mathie, Max Verrills, Cruz Cruickshank, Brad Verrills (Coach)

The Ron Watkins Trophy Under 10 Division 2 – Blue Pool



Undefeated Premiers BLUE Pool: HARBORD “Crusaders”

Eric Ager
Oscar Chang
Tyler Ennor

Lachlan Furlong
Ted McGoldrick
Hugo Morgan

Lachlan Murphy
Shaan Rehaan
Harrison Taudien

Coach: Luke McGoldrick

Manager: Julie Murphy



Under 11 Girls

Premiers: HARBORD “Dolphins”

Matilda Brown
Sophie Burn
Daria Coleman

Jessica Dry
Alessia Eerenstein
Edie Gillett

Skye Higgins
Rachael Morgan
Eva Rowe

Coach: Adam Rowe

Manager: Linda Rowe



The Alex Anderson Cup Under 11 Division 1



**Joint Premiers: HARBORD “Thunder” and
WAKEHURST “Green”**

Harbord “Thunder”

Archie Buckley

Edward Lee

William McNamara

Coach: Nigel Wickham

Oscar Needham

Caleb Newman

Isaac Sherlock

Manager: Kev Buckley

Joshua Wickham

Kobi Wilson



Wakehurst “Green”

Ethan Allesch
William Covarr
Daniel Deacon

Kai France
George Hansen
Rob Hunt

Caleb King
Lachlan Rozier
Joe Youle

Coach: Dave Hunt

Manager: Karen Youle



The Tony Pecar Cup Under 11 Division 2



Premiers: PENINSULA “Scorchers”

Louis Corcoran
Joshua Davidson
Rafferty Hannon

Nikko Lucas
Hamish Robertson
Louis Scamps

Jordan Stefanatos
Leo Walling

Coach: Jean-Paul Scamps

Manager: Darrell Hannon



The John Bright Memorial Trophy Under 12 Division 1

Undefeated Premiers: COLLAROY PLATEAU “Charges”

Archie Cooper	Archie Hill	Miles Milliner	Charlie Stevenson
Lewis Cruickshank	Darcy Horstead	Caden Rosenkowitz	
William Graham	Liam Kelly	Zac Smithers	
Coach: Toby Horstead		Assistant Coaches: Andrew Graham, Mark Smithers	
Manager: Jessica Hill			



Association Awards – Under 12 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Harvey Matheson	Seaforth	Junior Cricketer of the Year	85.2 points
Noah Keam	St. Augustines	Batting Aggregate	425 runs
Aidan Kurtis	Wakehurst	Batting Average	71.4
Luke Wittmack	Peninsula	Highest Score	93* ##
Joshua Januarius	Forest District	Bowling Aggregate	21 wickets
Arthur Land	Harbord	Bowling Average	5.94
William Cunningham	Peninsula	Best Bowling Figures	6/7 from 5 overs ##

MWJCA record – U12 records recommenced in 2018/19 due to junior format rule changes

The George Lowe Cup Under 12 Division 2



Premiers: HARBORD “Huntsmen”

George Andrews

Tom Breakwell

Harrison Murphy

Blake Shipley

Benjamin Baer

Alexander Bush

Henry Parker

Hudson Turner

Jarod Binley

Ewan Humphreys

Jackson Parker

Coach: Chris Andrews

Manager: Sophie Andrews



Association Awards – Under 12 Division 2

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Jake Smythe	Harbord	Junior Cricketer of the Year	62.4 points
Jake Smythe	Harbord	Batting Aggregate	284 runs
Hudson Turner	Harbord	Batting Average	49.2
Isaac Kasprowicz	Harbord	Highest Score	82*
Cooper Brown	Collaroy Plateau	Bowling Aggregate	18 wickets
Cooper Brown	Collaroy Plateau	Bowling Average	3.22
Lachlan Nolan	Collaroy Plateau		4/2 from 3 overs
Jake Smythe	Harbord	Best Bowling Figures	4/2 from 2 overs
Justin Wong	Wakehurst		4/2 from 3 overs

Under 13 Girls

Premiers: WAKEHURST “Opals”

Daisy Addison

Asia Boles

Jessica Clagnan

Georgia Cooper

Amelie Mason

Katie McLerie

Erryn Salier

Edie Scarf

Rosie Stoddart

Coaches: Shawn Addison, Murray McLerie, Annabel Hutt

Manager: Mel Scarf



Association Awards – Under 13 Girls

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Lara Hughes	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	72.9 points
Lara Hughes	Wakehurst	Batting Aggregate	229 runs
Daisy Addison	Wakehurst	Batting Average	96.0
Chloe Torta	Peninsula	Highest Score	40*
Lara Hughes	Wakehurst	Bowling Aggregate	17 wickets
Amelie Croucamp	Peninsula	Best Bowling Figures	3/1 from 2 overs

The Les Gwynne Trophy Under 13 Division 1



Premiers: ST. PIUS X “Gold”

Josh Baker
Dan Carroll
Rohan Chang

Oliver Freeman
Lucas Gleeson
Rory McCallum

Riley Meares
Toby Moran
Luc Opie

James Patchett

Coach: Matthew Freeman

Manager: Gerard Meares



Association Awards – Under 13 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Thomas Walker	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	87.3 points
Thomas Walker	Wakehurst	Batting Aggregate	373 runs
Aidan Boulton	Wakehurst	Batting Average	177.0 ##
Rory Toole	St. Augustines	Highest Score	78*
Freddie Schneidereit	St. Augustines	Bowling Aggregate	18 wickets
Patty Brown	Harbord		
Freddie Schneidereit	St. Augustines	Bowling Average	8.17
Oliver Higgins	Harbord	Best Bowling Figures	5/3 from 3 overs ##

MWJCA record – U13 records recommenced in 2019/20 due to junior format rule changes

The Clem Skelton Memorial Trophy Under 13 Division 2

Premiers: HARBORD “Grasshoppers”

Archie Baker	Liam Boyle	Archie Hay	Hugo Stones
Hugo Bakewell	Flynn Brain	Zephyr Lee	
Lachlan Boyle	Joss Grattan-Smith	Nathanael Newman	
Coach: Dave Boyle	Manager: Natasha Brain	Scorer: Rebecca Boyle	



Association Awards – Under 13 Division 2

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Cooper Webb	Peninsula	Junior Cricketer of the Year	92.5 points
Cooper Webb	Peninsula	Batting Aggregate	435 runs ##
Cooper Webb	Peninsula	Batting Average	87.0 ##
Cooper Webb	Peninsula	Highest Score	99* ##
Gus Molyneux	Peninsula	Bowling Aggregate	21 wickets
Samuel Borrow	Peninsula	Bowling Average	5.33
Jacques Strydom	St. Pius X	Best Bowling Figures	5/12 from 4 overs ##

MWJCA record – U13 records recommenced in 2019/20 due to junior format rule changes

The James Randall Memorial Trophy Under 14 Division 1



Premiers: WAKEHURST “Red”

Zane Cassie
Emily Horstead
Myles Kapoor
Toby Latner

Harry McCracken
Jude McPhee
Matthew Melville
Liam Morony

Myles Nockolds
Fraser Pandit
Noah Pitkin
Jordan Siladi

Thomas Stoddart
Arlo Thompson
Max Thompson

Coch: Phil Stoddart Manager: Mark Pitkin



Association Awards – Under 14 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Bill Martin	Harbord	Junior Cricketer of the Year	104.8 points
Robbie Graham-McDowell	St. Augustines	Batting Aggregate	465 runs
Claude Remond	Seaforth	Batting Average	76.0
Lukas Overhoff	Seaforth	Highest Score	100
Arlo Thompson	Wakehurst	Bowling Aggregate	26 wickets
Arlo Thompson	Wakehurst	Bowling Average	3.85
Sam Pace	Peninsula	Best Bowling Figures	6/7 from 6 overs

Under 15 Girls

Undefeated Premiers: WAKEHURST “Redbacks”

Olivia Champion	Brooke Frew	Emily Horstead	Jaime Loh
Sophia Chick	Zoe Friedlein	Lila Jones	Maya Nicey
Caitlin du Preez	Shae Hiskett-Jones	Ashleigh Karcher	Sophia Slater
Coach: Kerry Frew	Manager: Paula Robinson	Assistant Coach: Natalie Guyot	



Association Awards – Under 15 Girls

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Emily Horstead	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	52.2 points
Eliza Henry	Peninsula	Batting Aggregate	206 runs
Shae Hiskett-Jones	Wakehurst	Batting Average	35.8
Eliza Henry	Peninsula	Highest Score	41*
Emily Horstead	Wakehurst	Bowling Aggregate	13 wickets
Emily Horstead	Wakehurst	Bowling Average	5.54 ##
Chelsea Wilson	Forest District	Best Bowling Figures	4/5 from 3 overs

MWJCA record

The Bob Lind Cup Under 15 Division 1



Premiers: WAKEHURST “Red”

Joshua Challoner
Tom Cole
Alex Cooper
Jake Hayes

Tyler Jones
Oliver Kemp
Ryan McPhee
Joshua Pearson

Aryan Reddy
Lachlan Rourke
Jeremy Scarf
Robbie Tipton

Dylan Vlatko
Luke Watts
Joshua Challoner

Coach: Regan McCracken Manager: Michelle O'Keeffe



Association Awards – Under 15 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Robbie Tipton	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	74.2 points
Hayden Macfarlane	St. Augustines	Batting Aggregate	339 runs
Luke Watts	Wakehurst	Batting Average	48.5
Nicholas Rademan	St. Augustines	Highest Score	79
Beau Kelley	Seaforth	Bowling Aggregate	16 wickets
Joel Macfarlane	Harbord	Bowling Average	9.13
Archie Hodgson	St. Augustines	Best Bowling Figures	5/14 from 5 overs

The Tony Rainey Cup Under 17 Division 1



Premiers: HARBORD “Spinners”

Arjun Chakravarty
Wilson Crawford
Roopmehar Dhillon
Jordan Figuiere

Maanas Kalra
Kye Largier
Joshua Lawson
Tyler Mulcahy

Lochlan O'Brien
Riddle, Luke
Nicholas Ridge
Samuel Smythe

Oliver Swift
Sam Wells

Coach: Andrew Mulcahy

Manager: Richard Ridge



Association Awards – Under 17 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Sean Rose	St. Augustines	Junior Cricketer of the Year	87.1 points
Arjun Chakravarty	Harbord	Batting Aggregate	374 runs
Arjun Chakravarty	Harbord	Batting Average	53.43
Nathaniel Kwan	Forest District	Highest Score	84*
Sean Rose	St. Augustines	Bowling Aggregate	25 wickets
Nash Gibbling	Forest District	Bowling Average	6.90
Wilson Crawford	Harbord	Best Bowling Figures	6/3 from 4 overs

Representative Chairman's Report 2020/21



The middle of 2020 was an interesting time to take over the Chairman's role to say the least! There were certainly times during July and August where it did not look like we would be playing any cricket at all.

Before I launch into the season, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank my predecessor Blake Cousemacker for the huge amount of time and effort he put into the role over his four-year tenure. His pride in the successes of Manly teams and individual players was obvious and heartfelt.

With the COVID situation changing on a daily basis, plans to enter our teams into four different competitions all with different start dates and qualification criteria were in a holding pattern until close to the eventual start date in mid-October. The usual smell of new kit was replaced by the now unmistakable smell of hand sanitiser and the daily use of QR codes and lists of attendees added a little extra work pre-season, but we were just glad and lucky to be able to be outdoors and playing cricket again. Working out how many players/ coaches we could have in a single net on any given day kept us on our toes, but I'm pleased to say everybody did the right thing, I doubt that any young boy's hands would ever have been cleansed so often than during this season!



This year's capping 'night' was transformed to a couple of afternoon sessions down at Graham Reserve. Fortunately, the weather was kind and I think parents enjoyed the 'shortened' format! However, we will be back indoors later this year. Our thanks to Cam Merchant, Jay Lenton, Mikaela Turik, Jack and Mickey Edwards for their time in presenting the caps.

We again entered eight teams into the Cricket NSW Youth Championships (now in its second year) in the Under 12 to Under 15 age groups – this included our two girl's teams, U13 and U15, who started their competition after the Christmas holidays. Additionally, we entered five teams into the IDCA/Presidents Cup and a new U17 team into the single remaining DCA competition.



Over the last ten years the Manly rep teams have forged an excellent reputation both for performances and playing the game the right way. We have enjoyed many successes across all age groups and continue to have players picked for further honours.

The 2020/21 season was no different with 12 of our 14 teams making it to the semi-final stage with the one team missing out due to having an extra game washed out.

Of those 12 teams 7 made it through to the Grand Final with 5 going onto be Premiers.

Congratulations to the following teams.

Under 11 Div 2 – undefeated Premiers

Under 12 Div 2 – one defeat from eight matches beating minor premiers North Shore in the final.

Under 13 Girls Mollie Dive – first time winners for Manly – undefeated joint Premiers

Under 14 Div 1 – undefeated Premiers

Under 14 Div 2 – 3rd year in a row this side has won their competition

Unfortunately, with COVID still circulating in some parts of the city all Carnivals were cancelled this season. It is a great shame as these are often highlights of the season, but it was to be fair, the right decision.

While it is great that we participated in so many of the finals it is not the only goal of our association and the representative set up. More than anything else our aim is to ensure that the boys and girls not only become better players and make the most of their talent as they progress through the age groups but that they also retain their love of the game. Cricket demands a lot of your time and if you do not enjoy playing it is a difficult sport to keep playing. Our hope and aim is that the boys and girls will still be playing cricket well in to their late 20's and 30's, wherever that may be.

There is no doubt our successes were down to a huge team effort with all players contributing through the season. However as always there were several standout performances that deserve a mention.

Centuries

Ethan Buchanan	156 not out	Manly U14 Div 1 v Sutherland
Angus Greenland	135 not out	Manly U13 Div 2 v Northern District
Robbie Graham McDowell	132 not out	Manly U13 Div 2 v Northern District
Harry Pike	123	Manly U11 Div 2 v Northern District
Harry Pike	122 not out	Manly U11 Div 2 v NSW Hurricanes
Billy O'Brien	116	Manly U17 Div 1 v Parramatta

Angus Greenland	111 not out	Manly U13 Div 2 v Hornsby
Neo Pressley	106	Manly U13 Div 2 v Hornsby
Andrew Boulton	100 not out	Manly U15 Div 1 v Northern District
Tobias Overhoff	100 not out	Manly U11 Div 2 v Northern District

5 wickets

Miles O’Grady	5-7	Manly U15 Div 2 v North Shore
Tom Molloy	5-10	Manly U14 Div 1 v St George
Charlie Stevenson	5-11	Manly U12 Div 1 v St George
Rory Toole	5-15	Manly U12 Div 2 v Inner West Harbour
Harper Cole	5-18	Manly U13 Div 2 v Northern District
Eliza Henry	5-18	Manly U15 Margaret Peden v Greater Illawarra
Matt Evans	5-21	Manly U14 Div 2 v Inner West Harbour
Ben Leman	5-21	Manly U14 Div 2 v North Shore
Lewis Whiley	5-22	Manly U14 Div 1 v Northern District





We also had a number of young players selected for further representative honours - congratulations to the following.

Under 15 Cricket NSW Female Academy

Eliza Henry, Emily Horstead, Ellie James, Laura Judson, Kate Salmon

Under 14-16 Cricket NSW Academy

Andrew Boulton, Roopmehar Dhillon, Joshua Lawson

Under 19 - Male

Joel Davies

Under 14 Cricket NSW Male State Challenge

Will Brewster, Ethan Buchanan, Preston Lee, Tom Molloy, Robbie Tipton, Lewis Whiley

Under 16 Cricket NSW Male State Challenge

Andrew Boulton, Josh Cooper, Joshua Lawson

Under 19 Cricket NSW Male State Challenge

Joel Davies

In their final years both our U17 boys teams and U15 girls team acquitted themselves well. The U17 Presidents Cup team made it to the semi-final and for a team that had many players making their first appearances in Manly colours it was an excellent performance. Our U17 DCA team were also on track for a serious crack at the title before they were ridiculously disqualified from their semi-final due to a player eligibility technicality. I will not go into the details here, but needless to say it was a shameful decision by the administrators. The boys, coaches and parents to their credit took it in their stride and I have no doubt that we will see many members of that team in senior Manly colours in the coming seasons.

Our U15 Margaret Peden side also finished their junior days with a trip to a semi-final in the ACT only for it to be reduced in overs due to bad weather. In a shortened game they came up six runs short. Many of these girls are already in the senior ranks and as women's cricket in Manly continues to grow I know we will see much of them as well over the next few years.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the players for their efforts, their skills and their conduct representing Manly as well as to all the coaches, managers and of course parents for all of your support over the years.

I'd also like to thank the rep committee who put in an incredible amount of their personal time to ensure the season ran well. You do not really appreciate how much



work goes on behind the scenes until you are involved.

My thanks to David Nimmo, Scott Osborne, Toby Horstead, Michael Kwan, Anthony Cruickshank, Regan McCracken, Carol Boulton, Trish Pavely, Paul O’Sullivan and Ross Denny for their time, passion and ability to just get stuff done.

A big thankyou to our major sponsors Styleness and Manly Warringah District Cricket Club who are great supporters of Manly Cricket. Our other sponsor was Mike Pawley Sports. Thank you all for your support.

Lastly, while we have been lucky in Australia not all of our cricket friends around the world have been and our thoughts are with them at this difficult time. I know many of our cricket families are impacted by what happens overseas. Hopefully 2022 will see the back of COVID and a return to a safer world and cricket grounds full of fans to support the game we love.

Thank you and all the best.

Scott Brewster
MWJCA Representative Chairman



1979 Cawsey Shield capping night held at the prestigious Mona Vale Hospital cafeteria

The Mike Pawley Representative Award

For the most outstanding Division 1 Representative Team of the season *



Season	Team
2004/05	Under 10 DCA Foster Shield
2005/06	Under 14 DCA Moore Shield Under 11 DCA Creak Shield
2008/09	Under 15 DCA Weblin Shield
2009/10	Under 15 DCA Weblin Shield Under 16 DCA Watson Shield
2010/11	Under 14 President's Cup
2011/12	Under 15 DCA Weblin Shield
2012/13	Under 13 DCA Gee Shield
2013/14	Under 14 DCA Moore Shield Under 11 DCA Creak Shield
2014/15	Under 15 DCA Weblin Shield
2015/16	Under 13 DCA Gee Shield
2016/17	Under 12 DCA Cawsey Shield
2017/18	Under 11 DCA Creak Shield
2018/19	Under 11 DCA Creak Shield
2019/20	Under 13 NSW YC Mollie Dive Shield
2020/21	Under 14 NSW YC Harold Moore Shield

* Prior to 2019/20 award was for the most outstanding DCA team



MWJCA Representative Player of the Year Awards

Under 11 Colin Cooper Cup Div 1

Darcy Horstead

Under 11 IDCA Cup Div 2

Noah Keam



Under 12 Arch Cawsey Shield

Aidan Boulton

Under 12 W.G. Foster Shield

Rory Toole



Under 13 Mollie Dive Shield

Sophia Slater

Under 13 W.S. Gee Shield

Lukas Overhoff

Under 13 J.H. Creak Shield

Angus Greenland



Under 14 Harold Moore Shield

Ethan Buchanan

Under 14 Anthony Neale Cup

Oliver Goldsworthy



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Andrew Boulton

Under 15 IDCA Cup

Arjun Chakravarty



Under 17 C.S. Watson Shield

Keelan Mendel

Under 17 Andrew Blamey Cup

Max Osborne

2020/21 Under 13 Mollie Dive Shield Report



Mollie Dive Shield Team: Hannah Moss (captain), Charlotte Croll (vice-captain), Daisy Addison, Charlotte Allen, Annabelle Croll, Saoirse Ford, Arabella Handley, Lara Hughes, Jazzy James, Kaya Punter, Sophia Slater, Keira Terrey, Darcey Whiteley
Shadow squad: Sophie Martin, Sibilla Nelson

Coach: Ross Denny

Assistant Coaches: Dom Wheeler, Danny LeMoy

Manager: Sam Croll

Scorer: Carolyn Whiteley

Player of the Year: Sophia Slater

**2020/21 NSW Youth Championships Mollie Dive Shield Undefeated
Joint Champions**

2020/21 was a historic season for the Manly Mollie Dive girls, winning the first Manly female premiership in their 5th season of the competition after having been runners up

twice in the past. We had 8 representative debutants and only five players still eligible to play from the 2019/20 season. Despite their youth and inexperience with rep cricket for many of the girls, to remain undefeated and go on to be joint premiers was an amazing achievement. While disappointing that both the semi final and grand final were washed out, the girls did Manly very proud throughout the season. Also, congratulations to Parramatta on their joint premiership and who we would have met in the grand final – also undefeated during the season.

It has once again been an honour to coach Mollie Dive in its 5th season and wonderful to see first-hand this great group of girls and blossom in their confidence, enjoyment, camaraderie and cricket ability as the season progressed. Each one of the girls should be extremely proud of their achievements and all were a credit to Manly.

Due to COVID, our March trials were cancelled so we assembled all the players in late July and did a trial from which we selected 18 players to be part of the Mollie Dive Academy program where the girls trained together in August and September working on various skills of the game. Each of the girls showed an amazing attitude, highlighted by a strong willingness to learn, and take on board everything they were told. Having selected our final team of prior to the school holidays, we continued to focus on a few key goals that held us in good stead for the season and saw the girls go from strength to strength:

- Enjoy the game, make friendships and have a fun time!
- Be able to score runs through singles and be good at calling and running between wickets.
- Be able to bowl at targets.
- Be the best fielding team we can be.



After selection of the Mollie Dive team and learning that the season wasn't to commence until January, we continued to train on Sunday mornings, where we really focused on our goals and set a solid platform for the season to come. With such a young team and plenty of debutants, I was hopeful of getting a few wins under our belt, but set no expectations with the girls. We focused on enjoyment and improving our skills as a team, so to achieve what we did was an amazing result for Manly girl's cricket and testament to the players, officials and the wonderful support of all the families. The girls have done themselves, their families and Manly proud for the entire season and gave us many exciting and memorable moments!

In retrospect, with the semi final vs Sutherland/St George washed out, our narrow defeat of them in Round 4 really decided our season in the end as we went straight through to the grand final. It was a magnificent game with two undefeated teams very keen for a win. We scored 73 in our 20 overs with Daisy Addison and Sophia Slater putting on 41 for the 4th wicket after we were reeling at 3/8. While we felt it may not be enough at the time, we had underestimated the sheer quality of our bowling and fielding attack. With Sutherland/St. George looking good on 0/34 after 8 overs, our Manly girls set about a demolition led by Jazzy James and Darcey Whiteley who in 8 overs of partnership bowling took 5/19 and put Manly back with a genuine chance of a win. Sutherland continued to fight bravely and needing 12 runs off the last 2 overs with 4 wickets in hand we had a nail biter on our hands. Sophia bowled beautifully in the 19th over only conceding 2 runs – Sutherland requiring 10 to win in the final over. Arabella Handley comes on and first ball is a yorker into the stumps. 10 runs required off 5 deliveries. Those 5 balls went like this – dot-dot-1-2-1 – what turned out to be a crucial win for Manly that ultimately determined our premiership!

Thanks to Dom Wheeler and Danny LeMoy who provided tremendous support as the assistant coaches this season. Danny and I have worked together coaching junior reps for about 10 or more seasons now and always a pleasure. To have Dom as one of our MWDCC players being on board for another season has been a huge asset. Dom also gives his time to our MWDCC Women's premier teams as a wicket keeping coach, so I am very grateful for Dom's involvement and contribution to all female cricket. Thanks so much guys!





I'd like to make very special mention to Sam Croll who took on the role of manager, doing a tremendous job in that role, coordinating everything for match day and always keeping the team well informed as well as providing valuable assistance at every one of our training sessions. Thanks Sam – I have really appreciated your contribution to Manly girl's cricket and looking forward to our collaboration well into the future.

Many thanks to Carolyn Whiteley who did an amazing job as our team scorer, always keeping a perfect book. Also, a big thank-you to Cameille Handley for organising a fantastic post-season get together for the girls in a hired pink stretch Hummer kitted out with party lights, music and snacks, and then finally culminating in being at Graham Reserve as our 2nd grade premier women won the SCA premiership.

Thanks very much to our pre-season coaching and selection team of Danny LeMoy, Dom Wheeler, Toby Horstead, Saskia Horley (Thunder WBBL), Mikaela Turik, and Nick Johnson. Thankyou all – it was truly appreciated! A special mention also to our MWDC Premier Cricket girls who came on board to assist at games, with coaching and selection trials – Mikaela Turik, Steph Hughes, Nat Guyot, Charley Camburn, Sarah Gordon, Zara Shipp, Niamh Bullen, Ellie James – thanks so much girls!

Many people have provided the team, Sam, Dom, Danny and myself with great support over the season. Thanks very much to the parents and support team who helped at training with throwdowns, fielding, scoring etc – Carolyn Whiteley, Meaghan Croll, Barnaby Allen, David Ford, Dave Punter, Christian Terrey, Paul Moss, Shawn Addison, Alan Handley and everyone else who contributed in some way.

Finally, thanks so much to all the parents, siblings, extended families and supporters for your fantastic support over the whole season with whatever was needed. It has been a tremendous experience for all.

Good luck to the nine girls who are moving onto the Under 15 representative age group for next season. We wish you all the very best!



Our Mollie Dive Season Achievements / Highlights:

- Achievement of winning Manly's first female premiership with a young team consisting of 8 representative debutants.
- Hannah Moss and Jazy James with the highest ever batting partnership in Manly Mollie Dive history - 102 not out for the 3rd wicket (Round 3 vs. Penrith).
- Charlotte and Annabelle Croll with the highest opening partnership of 89 in Manly Mollie Dive history (Round 7 vs. Bankstown).
- Equal highest individual Mollie Dive bowling aggregate in Manly history – Darcey Whiteley with 11 wickets. This was also the best bowling average and 4th highest aggregate in the Mollie Dive Youth Championships.

Mollie Dive Leading Run Scorers:

- Charlotte Croll - 104 runs @ 17.33, HS 45
- Annabelle Croll - 95 runs @ 15.83, HS 36
- Sophia Slater - 86 runs @ 28.67, HS 31*

Mollie Dive Leading Wicket Takers:

- Darcey Whiteley - 11 wickets @ 2.27, BB 2/1
- Arabella Handley – 5 wickets @ 3.6, BB 3/4
- Kaya Punter - 5 wickets @ 4.8, BB 3/6

*Congratulations to our Mollie Dive Player of the Year: **Sophia Slater***

Mollie Dive Competition Results

6 Wins, 2 washouts (semi and grand final)

- Round 1:** **Manly Warringah 7/138** (Sophia Slater 25*, Daisy Addison 18, Charlotte Croll 16) *defeated* **Canterbury & Western Suburbs 22** (Sophia Slater 4/5, Kaya Punter 2/1, Darcey Whiteley 2/2, Lara Hughes 2/2)
- Round 2:** **Manly Warringah 7/125** (Sophia Slater 31*, Charlotte Allen 22, Jazzy James 19) *defeated* **Blacktown 9/69** (Darcey Whiteley 2/1, Daisy Addison 2/5)
- Round 3:** **Manly Warringah 2/169** (Hannah Moss 65*, Jazzy James 32*, Charlotte Croll 24) *defeated* **Penrith 9/42** (Arabella Handley 3/4, Kaya Punter 3/6)
- Round 4:** **Manly Warringah 9/73** (Daisy Addison 24, Sophia Slater 19) *defeated* **Sutherland/St. George 7/68** (Jazzy James 3/9, Darcey Whiteley 2/10)
- Round 5:** **Manly Warringah 85** (Annabelle Croll 29, Jazzy James 15) *defeated* **Newcastle 32** (Daisy Addison 2/1, Charlotte Allen 2/2, Darcey Whiteley 2/3)
- Round 6:** BYE
- Round 7:** **Manly Warringah 6/128** (Charlotte Croll 45, Annabelle Croll 36) *defeated* **Bankstown 7/71** (Darcey Whiteley 2/7)
- Semi Final:** **Manly vs. Sutherland/St George** – *Washed out. Manly through to grand final*
- Grand Final:** **Manly vs. Parramatta** – *Washed out. Manly joint premiers*
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Player Profiles:

Hannah Moss (captain)

Mossy led the team with distinction, this season being her second in Mollie Dive. What was of particular note, was the way she led warm-ups, ran the match on-field and always led the team to the scorer's table after the match to thank them. She showed maturity well above her years and it did feel odd during warm-ups when I didn't need to do



a thing and could watch on the side and have a chat with the other coaches. Mossy excels in all disciplines, and while she may have hoped for more runs this season she was at her exquisite best against Penrith in Round 3 where she smashed 65 not out from 44 balls in a 102-run 3rd wicket partnership with Jazzy James (highest partnership in Manly Mollie Dive history). Hannah is very penetrating with the ball as a medium-pace bowler and was able to continually trouble top order batters with her in-swingers. Mossy was also one of our wicketkeepers and in the field shows incredible athleticism taking catches and executing run-outs. I look forward to seeing Mossy develop further over the next few seasons and progress into premier cricket. Wonderful leadership this season Mossy!

Charlotte Croll (vice-captain)

It was wonderful to see CC emerge from the quiet 10-year old who trialled 2 seasons prior to the mature player she became in 2020/21. Charlotte took the vice-captaincy role and along with sister Annabelle did Manly proud as an opening bat. Her 45 from 54 balls in Round 7 vs. Bankstown was an amazing innings where the opposition attack had no answers as she proceeded to carve out a career best individual score and a Manly Mollie Dive opening partnership record of 89 runs. Her batting was a mainstay for the team seeing CC achieve the team's highest individual aggregate. Also, a very handy outswing bowler as well as great in the field, it has been a pleasure to see Charlotte's improvement and growth into a very talented cricketer.

Daisy Addison

While being a very quiet and humble person, Daisy was an amazing listener and was able to take on feedback and instructions and respond with style, showing ability well above her years. A true all-rounder, Daisy could excel with bat, ball and in the field and often when the team most needed it. A very notable performance was Daisy's batting in the Round 4 T20 vs. Sutherland/St. George – a top of the table clash. Reeling at 3/8, Daisy came to the wicket and hit 24 from 32 balls against a very good attack, helping Manly to a respectable total of 73 which we were just able to defend by 5 runs. As a bowler, Daisy is very athletic and generates a lot of speed, to the extent opposition batters find her very difficult to face resulting in an economy rate of only 1.75 and an average of 5.25. Well done Daisy on an incredible season!





Charlotte Allen

ADA (All-Day-Allen) is a real student of the game and I have been so impressed with her desire to learn, take feedback, and get results – a real pleasure to coach and work with. When she gets her rhythm, she lands her out-swingers on the spot all day long (hence the nickname). ADA epitomizes being part of a team and does whatever is asked of her to contribute in the best way she can. Batting in the 7-9 position, Charlotte player her innings' according to what the team needed, and she was at her very best in Round 2 vs. Blacktown where when needing runs at 5/55, she came in and smashed 22 in a 43-run stand with Sophia before unselfishly being run out at the back end of the innings trying to push the score along. A great communicator when running between wickets and in the field, it has been wonderful having Charlotte as part of our premiership team!

Annabelle Croll

Amazingly Annabelle, having first represented Manly as a 10-year-old in season 2019/20 still has one more season to go in Mollie Dive and the scene is set for a big one. Annabelle had a wonderful season after emerging as our main wicketkeeper in 2019/20. As an all-rounder, Virat (Croll) as she is affectionately known, opened the batting with sister Charlotte, did a marvellous job behind the stumps as our keeper and then could come on and thrown down her leg spinners which she can turn a mile. As the season progressed Annabelle's run-scoring at the top of the order was pivotal in giving our team a start and her score of 36 in Round 7 vs. Bankstown including a massive 6 was a sight to behold as she and CC went on to make an opening stand of 89 runs. Behind the stumps or in the field, Annabelle has a wonderful set of hands and lightning sharp reflexes that saw her take 8 dismissals over the course of the season. A big 2021/22 season beckons!

Saoirse Ford

Fordy was brought in from our shadow squad into the team to cover for some absent players where she made her representative debut. With her awkward action of bowling off the wrong foot and moving the ball in, she can be a handful to face when she hits a length. Saoirse is an excellent trainer and works hard on her game and it was a pleasure to see her take her debut representative wicket in Round 2 vs. Blacktown where she sent the ball crashing into the stumps of their talented number 6 and breaking a partnership that helped us onto another win. Well done on being a key part of our team Saoirse – I am looking forward to seeing your growth as a cricketer in the coming years!

Arabella Handley

Backing up after debuting as a 10-year-old in 2019/20, AB is truly an incredible athlete and probably one of the fastest bowlers going around for her age. The fact that she has another season in Mollie Dive is a scary proposition for any opposition batter. Her

yorkers are literally unplayable and her 5 wickets were taken at an average of only 3.6. Ari's haul of 3/4 off 2 overs in Round 3 vs. Penrith was a case in point – all bowled wickets that the opposition simply couldn't get a bat to. Generally batting around the 6 or 7 position, AB is progressing really well as a stroke maker and her speed between the wickets is phenomenal and when in partnership with other gazelles like Sophia and JJ, really allows us to put pressure on the fielding side and take quick runs. And then the fielding! Ari has a wonderful set of hands and a throwing arm and saves our team many runs lurking in the cover and mid-wicket positions. Well done on a great season AB!

Lara Hughes

In our pre-season bowling clinic where we got all the players to attempt spin bowling, it became evident that Hughesy who had trialled as a pace bowler was a natural right arm off-spin bowler. As we worked with Lara (also affectionately know as "Brian") in the pre-season she improved out of sight being able to show great control, flight and movement off the pitch. Taking 4 wickets @ 8.75, Lara proved very difficult for the opposition batters and figures of 2/2 in Round 1 validated her conversion to spin bowling. Hughesy is an incredibly hard hitter of a cricket ball and anything loose is

punished. This season she worked very hard at training to develop a straighter bat to better play the full-length deliveries and she has progressed well. Given this is only Lara's first season as an offie, and with an incredible willingness to learn, her ability and attitude will take her a long way – great debut season Hughesy!

Jazzy James

This was JJ's 3rd and last season in Mollie Dive having debuted as a 10-year-old with loads of potential. She didn't disappoint this season with JJ showing great ability with bat, ball and in the field with her incredible athletic abilities. Jaz bowls with incredible pace and her consistency this season was much improved seeing her really trouble the



opposition batters and bowl with an economy of less than 2 runs per over. Her bowling performance against top placed Sutherland/St. George in Round 4 was a match winner where she took 3/9 in a partnership with Darcey that helped bring Manly home by a mere 5 runs. JJ's batting was at its best this season with her contributing in all but one of the matches she played – this was particularly evident in Round 3 vs. Penrith where she smashed 32 not out from 14 balls in a 102-run 3rd wicket partnership with Hannah Moss (highest partnership in Manly Mollie Dive history). Of special note is JJ's speed between wickets and ability to turn the score over, as well as her tremendous speed and ability in the field. Well done on a great season Jazzy!

Kaya Punter

Ricky (as Kaya is better known around the team) had a pre-season wrist injury to her left hand that saw her in a cast for much of the season and unable to bat. She was however given permission by the experts to play cricket as a right arm leggie and a one-armed fielder – a role which she took on superbly. Able to focus on her bowling, Ricky went to the next level this season with superb flight, control and turn of the ball that saw her take 5 wickets @ 4.8 with a very impressive economy of just under 2 runs an over – quite an achievement for a leg spin bowler. Ricky's improvement as a spin bowler was so impressive that she opened the bowling in the T20 matches and had a field day against Penrith taking 3/6 from 3 overs. She has an incredibly accurate and strong throwing arm honed from also playing softball and as we learned this season a great one-handed catcher. Amazing season Kaya given your early setbacks and really looking forward to seeing how you go next season!

Sophia Slater

Sophia made her representative debut and was an influential all-rounder in our team, particularly with the bat where she came in at crucial times when we were in trouble

and was a rock in the middle combining with her team mates to dig us out of a hole and put on some very impactive partnerships. Starting with Round 1 vs. Canterbury, Sophia came in at 4/39 and batted until the end to remain 25 not out and steer Manly to a score of 138 which we were able to defend. Again, in Rd 2 vs. Blacktown, in some trouble at 4/27, Sophia came in and batted out the innings to be 31



not out on our way to 125, including partnerships of 28 with Jazzy James and 43 with Charlotte Allen. And then in our most important game of the season vs Sutherland in Rd. 4, Sophia combined with Daisy Addison at 3/8 to put on 41 runs and steer Manly to a total where we managed to win by just 5 runs. Sophia is a genuine new ball bowler with her in-swingers and her 4/5 from 3 overs in Round 1 (3 bowled, one edged to the keeper) was a match winning performance. Incredibly quick between wickets and outstanding in the field Sophia has a bright future in cricket – well done on a great season!

Keira Terrey

Tezza looked like she would be a special talent when she trialed at age 9 in 2019/20. While a bit too young then, she was selected this season as a 10-year-old as a reward for her great pre-season and our belief that Keira will be a very talented Manly cricketer for years to come.

As the youngest member of our team, she fitted in well and held her own against older players. Blessed with a great eye, Tezza would generally bat at 8 and come in at the back half of the innings to put on runs and help build a score. As a pace bowler, she generates good pace and movement and will be a force to be reckoned with in the coming years as she continues her Manly career. Well done Keira – I can't wait to follow you your progress in the coming seasons!



Darcey Whiteley

After being our go-to bowler at first change in 2019/20, nothing changed this season with the “Weapon” going onto bigger things taking 11 wickets @ 2.27 (equal highest individual Mollie Dive bowling aggregate in Manly history). This was also the best bowling average and 4th highest aggregate in the Mollie Dive Youth Championships – also noting that the 3 bowlers ahead of Darcey had bowled many more over in the season. Due to the Weapon’s late movement of the ball she left many good opposition batter completely perplexed as the ball crashed into the stumps – 9 from 11 of her wickets were either bowled or LBW. Darcey also found herself bowling a hat trick ball

on 2 occasions and was very unlucky not to get one with the resulting deliveries. Along with Jazzy, Darcey helped win us the Sutherland/St George game with a combined bowling partnership of 5/19 from their 8 overs together. Somewhat of an enigma with the bat, Darcey can annoy opposition bowlers by taking them on and scoring runs with plenty of exciting albeit unorthodox stroke play. Wonderful season Darcey!

Shadow Players

Our shadow squad consisted of **Sophie Martin** and **Sibilla Nelson**. Thanks to those girls for participating in our pre-season program and supporting the team throughout the season.

Well done to all and best wishes to you all for next season!

Ross Denny – coach



2020/21 Under 15 Margaret Peden Shield Report



Margaret Peden Shield Team: Emily Horstead (co-captain), Eliza Henry (co-captain), Olivia Champion, Sophia Chick, Caitlin du Preez, Brooke Frew, Shae Hiskett-Jones, Ashleigh Karcher, Jaime Loh, Sophie Lowry, Maya Nicey, Isabella Zovi

Filled in: Francesca Poate

Coach: Anthony Nicey

Assistant Coaches: Kerry Frew, Paul Zovi

Manager: Nerralyn Loh

Player of the Year: Eliza Henry

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships Margaret Peden Shield Semi Finalists

Season 20/21 for the Manly Peden girls was both fun and rewarding. As always, the girls' commitment through the season has been exceptional, and whilst we fell just 6

runs short in the semi-final the season was largely successful. Along with the team's success there were also many achievements along the way that we were all very proud of:

- Finished third in the rounds, which is a wonderful achievement given we lost our first two games.
- The team scored more runs than any of the other teams at the completion after the 7 rounds.
- Eliza Henry leading the Champion Player for the competition.
- Eliza Henry finishing as the leading run scorer after the rounds in the competition and finishing with the highest individual score of the competition with 94. Also hit the most 4's.
- Out of the six 50's hit in the competition, three of them are by our Manly Girls (Eliza Henry 2, Caitlin du Preez 1).
- Eliza Henry equalling the greatest number of wickets, 11, for MWJCA Peden team in a Youth Championships season. Also finished 5th highest overall in competition after the rounds.
- Eliza Henry with best Manly Margaret Peden Bowling Figures of all time with 5-18 off 7.2 overs
- Highest second wicket partnership with 121 runs for Manly Margaret Peden Team of all time, (Caitlin du Preez & Eliza Henry).





- Highest eighth wicket partnership with 39 runs for Manly Margaret Peden Team of all time (Brooke few & Sophia Chick).
- Highest ninth wicket partnership with 48 runs for Manly Margaret Peden Team of all time and for any team in this year's Peden Competition (Eliza Henry & Sophia Chick).

Youth Championships Margaret Peden Manly Leading Run Scorers:

- Eliza Henry with 207 runs @ 29.57 (6th overall in competition)
- Emily Horstead with 126 runs @ 21.00 (5th overall in competition)
- Caitlin du Preez with 117 runs @ 16.71 (8th overall in competition)

Youth Championships Margaret Peden Manly Leading Wicket Takers:

- Eliza Henry with 11 wickets @ 11.07 (6th overall in competition)
- Sophie Lowry with 10 wickets @ 10.90 (9th overall in competition)
- Emily Horstead with 8 wickets @ 14.38 (15th overall in competition)

Congratulations to Our Margaret Peden Player of the Year: Eliza Henry

Margaret Peden Competition Results

(5 Wins, 2 Losses, Semi-Finalist)

- Round 1:** Parramatta **7/120** off 40 overs (E Henry 1/11, C du Preez 1/12) *defeated* Manly **85** (S Lowry 14 no, J Loh 12)
- Round 2:** Manly **5/141** off 40 Overs (E Horstead 40, B Frew 14, C du Preez 13) *defeated by* ACT Emerging Meteors 1/142 off 34.1 overs (S Lowry 1/24)
- Round 3:** Manly **2/53** off 10.2 overs (S Hiskett-Jones 19no, E Henry 13no) *defeated* North Shore **7/52** off 20 overs (E Horstead 2/4 off 4, M Nicey 1/3 off 3, E Henry 1/5 off 2)
- Round 4:** Manly **7/108** off 20 overs (S Hiskett-Jones 13, B Frew 18) *defeated* Central Coast **9/92** off 20 overs (O Champion 3/15, E Horstead 3/18, E Henry 1/16, M Nicey 1/12)
- Round 5:** Inner West Harbour/South Eastern **10/103** off 34.4 overs (C du Preez 3/20 off 6, S Lowry 2/14 off 5) *defeated by* Manly Warringah **160** off 39.5 overs (E Henry 68, E Horstead 21, S Lowry 12)
- Round 6:** Manly Warringah **7/225** off 40 overs (E Henry 94 off 95, C du Preez 59 off 80, B Frew 13) *defeated* Greater Illawarra **10/118** off 30.2 overs (E Henry 5/18 off 7.2, M Nicey 3/19 off 7, S Lowry 1/17, E Horstead 1/25)
- Round 7:** Penrith **10/91** off 39.1 overs (O Champion 3/15 off 7.1, E Henry 2/6 off 6, E Horstead 2/11, M Nicey 1/9, C du Preez 1/15, S Lowry 1/19) *defeated by* Manly Warringah **4/92** off 18.4 overs (E Horstead 25no, C du Preez 24, B Frew 18)

Semi-Final: ACT Emerging Meteors 5/114 off 25 overs (S Lowry 4/11 off 5 overs) defeated Manly Warringah 10/108 off 25 overs (E Horstead 27, B Frew 17, C du Preez 13, M Nicey 11)

Beyond the Youth Championships, whilst unfortunately missing out on participating in the Western NSW u15's Cricket Carnival held in Orange, due to Covid, we managed to play various trial games in the lead up to the Youth Championships. For some of the girls this was their first time representing Manly and apart from being a lot of fun it was also hugely successful with wins in all three games.

Player Profiles

Emily Horstead (Co-Captain)

Emily was appointed as one of the co-captains and took control on the field steering the team to third on the ladder after the rounds and then only 6 runs short in a very exciting semi-final against the eventual competition winners ACT. Tactically Emily excelled, especially in the big moments and demonstrated knowledge and skills well beyond her years. In addition to her captaincy Emily is a talented allrounder and didn't disappoint with a successful season. She finished with 126 runs @ 21 and 8 wickets at 14.38. Em's highest was against ACT in round 2 when she put together a solid 40, which set the tone for the season after a batting collapse in round 1. But there were a couple of other key innings that stood out including ensuring the team collected the bonus points against Penrith where Em opened and batted throughout the innings until we reached the winning runs remaining 25 not out. She then followed this up with a very dominate 27 in the Semi-final. With the ball Em consistently featured, returning 8 wickets at 14 including figures of 3/18, 2/4 and 1/11. Add to all this her 4 catches. Well done Emily on your game management skills plus a solid season with both bat and ball.



Eliza Henry (Co-Captain)

Eliza, as co-captain led from the front in her on field performances. Eliza was an integral part of our season success and personally should be very proud of her achievements. Not only was Eliza the Champion Payer in the Peden competition for

the season, she was the leading run scorer with 207 @ an average of 29.57 after the rounds and semi-final weekend. She also dominated with the ball, as our leading wicket taker Eliza finished with 11 wickets @ 11. After a quiet start, Eliza impressed all at the ground with a quality 68 against Inner West Harbour / South Eastern, dispatching the ball to all areas. Her innings that day included two match defining partnerships of 54 (with Em) and 48 (with Sophie). In that same game, and with Maya's absence, Eliza took up the challenge of bowling spin, and after consecutive 8 overs the team had locked in a second spinner. Off the back of this game, Eliza raised the bar against Greater Illawarra to produce a performance that she should remember for a lifetime. With the bat Eliza scored 94 off 95 balls, her personal best score, then to back this up, took 5/18 of 7.2 overs. To add to the 5 wickets, she also took 3 catches that day! Whilst her 94 is only a few runs short of a century, and the all-time best MWJCA Peden score, she can now claim the best bowling figures of all time for a MWJCA player in Peden. Well done Eliza on a very strong season; it was a joy to watch you bat, especially the pull shot in action, plus awesome to see you roll out the off spin. Congratulations all round.

Olivia Champion

One of our opening bowlers Olivia quickly built a reputation as a wicket taker with her stump to stump bowling. In our very first trial Oliva took 4/6 and then backed this up with 3/7 and once the opposition went back into bat again beyond the 10 wickets Oliva finished with figures of 7/18. With the trials and 10 wickets behind her, Olivia still maintained her accuracy and ability to take wickets within the competition. As an opening bowler she always had the opposition in defence mode, with the batters holding out balls that often would be hitting the stumps. In Round 4, the second of our T20 games, Olivia returned her best ever 'official' figures of 3/15 including dismissing





the Central Coast batter with the very first ball of the game. Three games later against Penrith Oliva again returned the same figures of 3/15, this time off 7.1 overs. A quality bowler, Olivia puts most oppositions on the back foot from the outset with her consistent line and length and is a huge asset to any cricket team. Congratulations Olivia on a wonderful first year of rep cricket; you should be really pleased with your results and looking forward to continued success next season.

Sophia Chick

Over the years Sophia always had the ability to bowl the very best wicket taking delivery, often leaving the opposition batters confused with the amount of outswing she can generate. Pleasingly this season Sophia added significant amounts of consistency to her game and was one of our go to bowlers in the last few rounds knowing that she would bowl the same bowl over and over again with very few sundries. Whilst not collecting wickets Sophia returned the figures of 0/5 off 3 against Inner West/South Eastern and then in her next spell took 0/3 off 4, effectively returning figures of 8 runs over 7 overs which is unheard of in limited overs cricket. Backing all this up, Sophia had the best bowling economy from the quicks in the team. Whilst given limited opportunity with the bat, Sophia did not disappoint when an opportunity presented; her highlight was her 39-run partnership, in the last 5 overs, which in many ways defined the result in the second of our T20 games. In the field Sophia set the standard, always backing up and involving herself no matter where the ball was. Her movement and support to the others on the field did not go unnoticed. She collected two back to back catches in the cover position finishing our game against Greater Illawarra. Sophia should be really pleased with her progress, and most importantly build on her improved consistency to become one of our leading bowlers in seasons to come. Well done Sophia on a great season.

Caitlin du Preez

With success in all of our three trials Caitlin was earmarked for a big season, and as a leading allrounder was expected to feature in both batting and bowling. Unfortunately, after missing out early on with the bat it was pleasing to see Caitlin finish strongly with the bat after being elevated to the opening position in round 6. With this position change Caitlin became one of the in-form batters, achieving an average of 32 when opening the batting. In that round 6 game Caitlin produced her best innings ever, dispatching the ball to all areas of Grahams along the way to securing her very first fifty. Beyond her own scores, in Caitlin's 3 innings in the opening position, she was involved in significant partnerships in all games including 128 (with Eliza), 49 and 39 (both with Emily). With the ball Caitlin's best and one of the memorable moments of the season was her 3/20 against Inner West Harbour / South Eastern where after collecting two wickets in two consecutive balls, came millimetres away from collecting a hat-trick. Caitlin was strategically placed to field at mid-on (next to the bowlers) for the season; Caitlin's continued presence alongside our youthful fast



bowling attack offered a wealth of experience and guidance that was welcomed by all her peers.

Brooke Frew

During her first season of rep cricket Brooke proved to be a real asset to the team, often providing more than very handy contributions to the score batting in the number 4 or 5 position. In Brooke's seven innings she managed to get into double figures five times, including two not outs and in most cases, if not all her strike rate was right up there. In her last two innings Brooke was looking good, playing in a very confident manner; against Penrith she was 18 not out off only 21 balls and then in the semi-final was 17 off 24 balls before being unfortunately dismissed off an amazing direct hit run out. Whilst Brooke didn't manage a big score, she clearly showed capability and consistency. The fact that she had 2 not outs and 2 run outs in her 7 innings meant it is clear she has the skills and determination to continue well past scores of 20's in the future. Beyond her run scoring ability Brooke brought a level of energy to the team that was unmatched. She set the tempo for running aggressively between wickets and would always stay involved in the play continually applying pressure to the opposition batters. Combining her ability to score and run well between the wickets, Brooke was involved in two match defining partnerships including our round 4 (T20) eight wicket partnership where along with Sophia added 39 runs to the score off the last 5 overs, which is an impressive 7.8 runs an over. Another partnership was the 54-run partnership in round 5 with Eliza. With more cricket under her belt Brooke will add bowling to her game; she has already collected her first rep wicket, and will be the first of many more. Thanks, Brooke, for your infectious attitude and well done on a wonderful season.

Shae Hiskett-Jones

As one of our keepers in the team Shae got the season off to a flying start with an impressive catch behind in round 1 off Brooke's bowling. Unfortunately, Shae suffered a knee injury early in the season that often limited her ability to stay on the park as much as she and the team would have liked. A natural fighter and one that pushes through pain Shae continuously started each game on the field determined not only to be involved but also to succeed. Throughout the season, and as a result of the injury, Shae shared the duties with Ash, and when behind the stumps did not let the team down returning 3 catches and a run out. With the bat, Shae was identified early on in the season as a pinch-hitter, likely to open in the T20 given her approach and style is to attack and in the first of our two T20's she did not disappoint. 19 not out off 21 balls, smashing the ball to all parts of Rawson Oval, chasing down the opposition's runs in the tenth over and then backing this up in the following T20, again opening with 13, however more importantly taking the team score to 48 before her dismissal, again in good time, setting up our second win for the season. Well done Shae,

especially for your determination you showed to battle through the injury and continuously turn up for your teammates.

Ashleigh Karcher

As one of the two keepers in the team and as an opening bat Ash was kept busy. Whilst Ash was involved in a very handy round two opening partnership of 25 runs, helping provide the team with some confidence after a batting collapse in round 1, by her high standards she would have hoped for some more runs during the Youth Championships. To her credit she continued to work hard on her technique and had looked like a score was around the corner, unfortunately just as Ash looked to be playing more aggressively, she was run out in both of her last two innings. When keeping Ash was at her best, she was involved in several catches, run outs and a wonderful stumping to Eliza's spin bowling in our round 7 game against Penrith. Another memorable highlight was when our two keepers combined, Ash with the gloves ran out Inner West Harbour / South Eastern Captain and best bat. A real positive Ash can take away from the season was her performance and growing confidence with the keeping; throughout each game that Ash kept, she was active, looking to continuously place pressure on the batters. Well done Ash on the progression with the gloves.



Jaime Loh

Jaime's season is one of mixed emotions, the development in her skill and confidence was evident and unmatched early on. After working hard on her game pre-season Jaime started the competition strongly with both bat and ball, and as her confidence was growing, she looked set to deliver match winning performances. In the first two games she came close to retuning two caught and bowled wickets that would have placed her well, and although no dismissal it showed just how straight Jaime was bowling. In the round 1 clash against Parramatta Jaime stood up, especially when the team wasn't at their best. In the field Jaime ended up with bowling figures of 0/3 as well took a catch and was also involved in a direct hit run out, with some intelligent fielding noticed she had time to position herself with both batters at the same end. And then with the bat in hand, after coming to the crease with the score at 8/54, Jaime batted aggressively ending up our second highest run scorer, joining in with Sophie putting on 28 runs. Unfortunately, just as we were getting going Jaime sustained the first of her injuries, and whilst she continued to push on, she was also restricted, which was a real shame for all as Jaime offers so much value to the team with her presence on the field. Eventually further injuries meant that Jaime's season was over early. A dedicated and hardworking cricketer Jaime should remain positive, no doubt she would have featured in more highlights had she been fit and on the field. Stay positive Jaime; success is not far away.



Sophie Lowry

A dedicated, determined and hardworking trainer Sophie's success with the ball was well deserved. She was our leading fast bowler and the best bowling average in the team. Sophie ended the season with 10 wickets at a very impressive average of only 10.9 runs. As opening bowler, Sophie set the tone for the innings and made sure the Manly girls were on top from the outset. Throughout the season Sophie also retuned the most maidens (7). Whilst absent (sick) for both of our T20's, Sophie managed to collect wickets in every game she played. In round 5, Sophie dismissed both openers cheaply, ending with 2/14 off 5 overs. With the ball her finish to the season was as strong as anyone's with 4 for 11 against ACT in the semi-final. A talented cricketer,



Sophie certainly entertains in all areas, not just bowling. With the bat, Sophie was our top scorer in round 1 scoring 14 no, and then in round 5 Sophie combined with Eliza to post a record breaking 9th wicket partnership of 48 runs and which in many ways was the difference between the two teams that day. An asset in the field with her bullet-like arm, Sophie continued to be involved no matter where she was and along the way she managed in be involved in some classic catches as well. Well done and congratulations Sophie on a wonderful season; your determination to do well is an asset you should be proud of.

Maya Nicey

As the only spinner in the team Maya started the season strongly and was our go to bowler taking the pace off the ball restricting the opposition batters from scoring freely with her consistent line and length. Throughout most of the season Maya's economy was one of the best in the team, as was her ability to bowl very few sundries, in fact it was only the ACT team that got the better of her and in reflection they batted well using their feet against the spin. Maya was also highly effective in dismissing the top scoring batters, including Central Coast's and Greater Illawarra's top run scorer plus ACT's second top run scorer. In our 2 T20's producing spells that really restricted the opposition, ending with 1/3 off 3 and 1/12 off 4. Her stand out performance was against Greater Illawarra where she returned the figures of 3/19 off 7 overs, partnering Eliza who took up spin the week before in Maya's absence where together they collected the last eight wickets for just 37 runs forming a new spin partnership. With the bat Maya was known for her ability to find the quick single. Her two games against ACT stood out where she scored 11 off 15 balls and then in the semi-final, 11 off 18 balls including partnering with eight different batters before being dismissed on the last ball of the game, in hope of four overthrows. Well done Maya on a good season; you should be really pleased with the consistency.

Isabella Zovi

Isabella continues to develop her game as an allrounder, equally providing plenty of promise with both ball and bat. With the ability to hit the ball hard, Bella was given chances to bat in the top 3 for the two T20 games as well as our trial against North Shore. In that trial, Bella set the foundation for the team's 200 plus winning run chase partnering with Ash for 41 runs first wicket partnership. In the round 3 T20 game also against North Shore Bella showed us all why she was selected to bat high, producing one of the shots of the season with a one bounce 4 shot hit out over to deep mid-wicket boundary. Whilst given limited opportunities with the ball, Bella is more than a capable bowler, and can generate good pace, along with the ability to move the ball. She collected her first ever rep wicket against Inner West Harbour / South Eastern and no doubt as she improves her consistency, she will get plenty more opportunities to collect plenty more wickets. In the field Bella found herself in the challenging short 45 position, to all our quick bowlers, typically a position for the spin, Bella produced many

saves that stop both the ball hitting the boundary but as well the chance for any of the batters taking a single off a deflection. Isabella's game continues to evolve, an exciting player she will be one to watch with both the bat and ball over the coming seasons.

As semi-finalists the girls should be extremely proud and, whilst getting so close (6 run loss) against a quality ACT team (the eventual GF's winner) is disappointing, there are so many positives we can draw upon. The girls displayed some wonderful and very skillful cricket in all areas including batting, bowling fielding and keeping, well beyond their years. The friendships in the team have been equally rewarding to witness. Well done girls on a very rewarding and fun filled season.

Anthony Nicey (Coach)
Nerralyn Loh (Manager)



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 11 Colin Cooper Cup Div 1 Report



Under 11 Colin Cooper Cup Division 1 Team: Darcy Horstead (captain), Nate Cole, Louis Corcoran, Lewis Cruickshank, William Graham, Rohit Jayaram, Harvey Matheson, Beau Moran, Angus Pike, Caden Rosenkowitz, Rocco Rulli, Jacob Watts

Coach: Sean Moran

Assistant Coaches: Anthony Cruickshank, Toby Horstead

Manager: Paula Robinson

Player of the Year: Darcy Horstead

2020/21 IDCA Colin Cooper Cup Division 1 Grand Finalists

A huge thank you and congratulations to all of the players, parents and coaches who were involved in the MWJCA Under 11 sides this year. From the outset the entire squad bonded extremely quickly and I know that many of the boys established friendships that will stay with them for years to come. It was a privilege to watch them develop as cricketers and as young men and I look forward to keeping an eye out for

all of them and seeing where this great game takes them. As a squad, the boys spent a lot of time together this season, including a number of trial games and a solid couple of weeks over the Christmas break. I think it has really created the basis of something special amongst this age group and I wish all of the kids the very best moving forward.

A huge congratulations first and foremost to our Division 2 side. They were dominant throughout and to go through as undefeated champions is a truly remarkable achievement. Personally, I would like to pass on my thanks to Andy McCombe, John Jackson and manager Adam Keam for all of their work and enthusiasm. Great job.

Our Colin Cooper Cup Div 1 side also did the association, themselves and their families proud. Following an outstanding season which included winning the inaugural Under 11 Manly Cup we were narrowly defeated by a very good Hornsby side in the Grand Final. Whilst obviously initially being a little disappointed at the result we quickly reflected upon everything that had been achieved this season and it was difficult not to get emotional (sorry about that!). The boys were a wonderful, passionate group with supportive and friendly parents. Whilst winning is great and effort should always be paramount, cricket provides so much more than the final result in the scorebook - mateship, teamwork, enjoyment, manners, excitement, resilience just to name a few. These young boys displayed a level of determination, selflessness and general enthusiasm that was well beyond their years and we're all extremely proud of them. Opportunities weren't always consistently there for many of the boys, especially with the blade but, as anyone who has played for a while knows, things even out over the





long run and the attitude, approach and skills they've developed will ensure that they'll enjoy cricket as a team game, being able to accept the great individual performances with the unlucky ones.

As a side, we kept coming back to three core values: **1) Team First, 2) Be Positive and 3) Have Fun.** The boys followed these throughout and as a result really gelled as a group. Combining these values with constant reinforcement of basic fundamentals and a huge amount of game time and practice sessions, they're all in a really good place going forward with their cricketing journeys.

I would like to thank all of the parents, grandparents etc. involved with the side. Being a Rep parent is a massive commitment. It's definitely more stressful and taxing than playing! It was amazing to see everyone always doing their best to contribute to the myriad of tasks that needed doing. This resulted in a great team culture and a lovely environment, one that I was truly appreciative of as a coach. Thanks again to all of you, I wish you all the best and look forward to hopefully seeing you again around the traps.

In particular, I would like to make mention of our two Assistant Coaches: Anthony Cruickshank and Toby Horstead. They were both fantastic this season, dedicating a lot of time, doing whatever they could and passing on their knowledge to the boys. A big thanks to both of you.

Also, a huge thanks to our amazing manger, Paula Robinson. From the very outset until the very end Paula had everyone organised, informed, fed, sanitised, sun safe, hydrated, in possession of all of our equipment, knowing where to park our cars at various grounds, etc. etc. etc. A brilliant job, Paula.

Sean Moran

The Matches – Official Season

Round 1: Score: MWJCA (2-185) defeated Northern Districts (4-121)
Batting: D. Horstead 75no, C. Rosenkowitz 60no
Bowling: R. Rulli 1-8, H Matheson 1-24
Catches: H. Matheson, L. Corcoran
Run outs: W.Graham/B.Moran



- Round 2:** Score: Illawarra (7-101) defeated by MWJCA (4-102)
Batting: L. Cruickshank 34, C. Rosenkowitz 32
Bowling: A. Pike 2-8, C. Rosenkowitz 2-13, W. Graham 2-24
Catches: N. Cole (2), J. Watts, D Horstead, W. Graham
Run Outs: N. Cole
- Round 3:** Score: MWJCA (136) defeated North Shore Blue (121)
Batting: W. Graham 29, L. Cruickshank 22
Bowling: L. Cruickshank 2-8, D. Horstead 2-14
Catches: B. Moran (2), C. Rosenkowitz, N. Cole
Run Outs: L. Cruickshank/B.Moran
- Round 4:** Score: MWJCA (6-93) defeated by Parramatta (5-94)
Batting: D. Horstead 38 no, H. Matheson 16 no
Bowling: A. Pike 2-3, H. Matheson 2-21
Catches: B.Moran, C. Rosenkowitz, L. Cruickshank, W Graham
- Round 5:** Score: NWS Hurricanes (8-85) defeated by MWJCA (3-86)
Batting: A. Pike 22, D. Horstead 20 no
Bowling: L. Cruickshank 2-10, C. Rosenkowitz 2-19
Catches: A. Pike, J. Watts, L. Cruickshank, C. Rosenkowitz, L. Corcoran
Run Outs: D. Horstead
- Round 6:** Score: MWJCA (6-195) defeated North Shore Maroon (55)
Batting: D. Horstead 91, J. Watts 62
Bowling: C. Rosenkowitz 4-25, R. Jayaram 2-2, H. Matheson 2-10
Catches: L. Cruickshank (2), B. Moran, R. Jayaram, N. Cole, D. Horstead, L. Corcoran
- Grand Final:** Hornsby (5-157) defeated MWJCA (146)
Batting: A. Pike 30, L. Cruickshank 26
Bowling: A. Pike 2-17, L. Cruickshank 1-11
Catches: B. Moran, N. Cole, H. Matheson
Stumpings: B. Moran
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The Players

Rocco Rulli

Congratulations to Rocco (Dwayne) on a great year. Within our side his primary role was a solid left-hand opening batsman. Although a little unlucky at times, Rocco always worked hard at seeing off the opening bowlers and getting the side away to a

solid start, making life easier for the middle order. Rocco played exceptionally well in the final two games of our Manly Cup campaign, making sure that we were in a good position to succeed in two very tricky run chases. We couldn't have done it without his efforts at the top of the order. Rocco had limited opportunities with the ball this rep season but he is a skillful right arm medium fast bowler who bowls full and moves the ball away. With more of a chance, he definitely has a lot to offer in this area. Well done on a great season, Rocco!



Angus Pike

Angus (Pikey) was another who had a phenomenal year with both bat and ball. Initially, his role within the side was as a medium fast bowler. He quickly became adept at closing out an innings by bowling full and at the pegs, combined with a variety of highly effective slower balls and this resulted in some excellent overall figures. Angus also finished as one of the sides opening batsmen. He displayed a very aggressive approach and combined this with a wide range of powerful shots, off both feet. He got us off to a great couple of starts in the final few games which is exactly what was called for. Excellent season, Angus.

Lewis Cruickshank

Lewis (The Finisher) Cruickshank is another of our top order batsmen who should be extremely proud of his efforts. Primarily batting at 3, Lewis' confidence developed as

the season progressed and he played some wonderful innings. Blessed with a natural sense of timing, Lewis always looked to score whilst ensuring he kept the good ones out as well. His bowling and fielding were also extremely valuable and successful throughout the season. Catching anything that moved within diving (or running) distance and bowling full and straight during tense parts of the game, Lewis fully deserves all of the success that came his way. Well done, Lewis and all the best moving forward.

Darcy Horstead

Darcy (Skipper) Horstead really led the team from the front this season, displaying a high level of tactical nous and a calm head. From the outset, he put a high value on his wicket, whilst scoring freely all around the ground. Darcy played a number of fantastic knocks in a range of situations, depending on what the side required at the time. He ended up being one of the most outstanding batsmen in the competition and this is a justified reflection of his talent and approach. Throughout the course of the season Darcy also made some valuable contributions as a wicket taking fast medium bowler and in the field, where he effected some great catches and multiple run outs. A great season, Darcy!



Jacob Watts

Jacob (Wattsie) Watts really embraced his first Rep season and worked hard to make the most of every opportunity. Batting in the middle order, Jacob played some outstanding, forceful innings including a match turning and ultimately winning knock against Hornsby in the final of the Manly Cup. He scores quickly off both the front and back foot and can make a real difference to the outcome of any game, from any situation. Jacob, despite limited opportunities, also displayed a high level of skill as a left arm medium fast bowler and I'm sure he'll get plenty of chance to shine in this area in the future. Being eligible to play Under 11s again next season, the future is looking bright. Great season, Jacob!

Nate Cole

Nate (King) Cole's main role within the side this season was batting in the middle order. He did a fantastic job, playing a range of powerful, selfless innings always performing the role that the team required. This was highlighted by getting us back into the game, against a very good attack, during our Grand Final. Nate had limited opportunities with the ball this season, but he is an extremely accurate medium fast bowler and his economy rate was consistently minimal. Nate also managed to hang on to many a tough chance in the field and, being eligible to play Under 11s again next season he's yet another player to keep a close eye on. Superb initial Rep season, Nate.

Harvey Matheson

Harvey (Harve/Neil) Harvey had an excellent season with bat and ball. A genuine all-round talent, he can bowl with genuine pace or leg spin and can either open the batting or play a role in the middle order, being technically correct and running like a whippet between the wickets. Harvey's primary role in our side was opening the bowling and he did this with great effect, forming a lethal opening combination with Will. He bowled full and with great shape, hitting the stumps regularly and bowling tightly at all times. Harvey also played some great innings at the top of the order or

towards the middle, fulfilling whatever role the team required. A brilliant season, Harvey and all the best moving forward.

William Graham

William (Big Will/Froggy) Graham formed one half of the best opening bowling combination in the competition. Throughout the year, Will bowled fast, full and straight making life consistently tough for every top order we played against. He claimed the bowler of the tournament award in the Manly Cup and this was a true reflection of his performance throughout the season. He also took a hat trick and a 5 for in one of our early trial games against a very good Hornsby side. Will generally batted towards the bottom of the order but he is a



technically accomplished player who can hit the ball a long, long way. All teams need a batsman like this and it was particularly evident when he top scored against North Shore, getting us back into the game after being in a difficult situation. Well done Will on a fantastic season.

Rohit Jayaram

A huge congratulations to Rohit (Sharma/No-hit) on a wonderful first rep season. He was an extremely popular member of the team, always providing loads of entertainment on the sideline. In a cricketing sense, Rohit came a long way this season. If there was a most improved award then Rohit would definitely receive it, with particular reference to his batting. At the start of the season, Rohit was unsure at the crease. However, through sheer hard work, he transformed himself into a genuine all-rounder, a classy and powerful left-hand batsman. He guided us home with a fighting innings during the Manly Cup final and, with increased opportunities I know that his batting will continue to go from strength to strength. Rohit's primary role within our side was as a first change bowler. He did extremely well bowling stump to stump, hitting the seam regularly. He took a number of key wickets and was also very difficult to score off. This was highlighted in his spell against Northern Districts, 4 overs 4 maidens, earning him the outstanding nickname of 'NoHit.'

Caden Rosenkowitz

Well done to Caden (Rosie) on a fantastic all-round season. Throughout the year he fulfilled a number of key roles for us, including opening the batting and bowling long, accurate spells of leg spin. He also possesses a great pair of hands and took a number of spectacular catches. With the blade, Caden played a number of solid and classy knocks, showing great levels of concentration. With the ball, Caden consistently delivered at a high level being one of the best spinners in the comp and took a number of key wickets, often bamboozling batting orders with his flight and large amount of spin. The highlight was his hat trick against North Shore and his overall figures of 4 for 25. All the best for the future, Caden.



Louis Corcoran

Well done, Louis (Academy/Big Louis) on a fantastic first Rep season. A real team man, Louis was always supportive of the boys, bringing a calm yet reassured vibe to the team and was a key component of our success. A gifted athlete, Louis is an excellent fielder with a bullet arm and I always felt a sense of confidence when I saw him patrolling the outfield. Louis' primary role within our side was a right arm medium fast bowler. He bowled consistently well, limiting runs during difficult situations, bowling with good shape and taking key wickets. This was particularly evident when he produced a very tight spell during the Grand Final, ensuring that we stayed in the game. With the bat, Louis had extremely limited opportunities. However, he certainly has talent in this area and it is something that he should continue to focus on and develop. Good luck moving forward with your cricket, Louis.

Beau (Beau River/David Beauie) Moran

Congratulations on a great first Rep season, Beau. As a result of hard work and a tough approach, Beau developed into one of the most outstanding keepers in the comp, catching everything that moved, picking up a number of stumpings/ run outs and rarely letting any byes through. Being blessed with the key attribute of any decent keeper, being an utter chatterbox, Beau talked and encouraged non-stop and kept the side's enthusiasm and concentration up at all times. Beau had limited opportunities with the bat but he looked solid and was scoring freely, whilst opening against North Shore in the Manly Cup, before being retired and, being eligible to play Under 11s again, perhaps this was a small glimpse into the future.



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 11 IDCA Cup Div 2 Report



Under 11 IDCA Cup Division 2 Team: Mitch McCombe (captain), Archie Buckley, Owen Cotte, Joshua Godwin, Archie Hill, Noah Keam, Otto Labador, Murray Moran, Tobias Overhoff, Harry Pike, Toby Smith, Declan Webb

Coaches: Andrew McCombe, John Jackson

Manager: Adam Keam

Player of the Year: Noah Keam

2020/21 IDCA Cup Division 2 Undefeated Champions

An exceptional first year of representative cricket for the U11 IDCA Cup Team who remained undefeated throughout the Season!

The team worked extremely hard under the skillful guidance of Andy and John, with their leadership a key to the overall success of the team...some may say the training

was intense, the “cricket mad” amongst us were thankful for every extra game of cricket!

Pre-season training commenced in early November with two friendly trial matches against Hornsby and North Shore. Supplemented with two unofficial tournaments over the Christmas and New Year break. This extra commitment to game play proving to be remarkably successful in cementing friendships and improving the teams’ overall skills.

It was Andy and Johns intent for the boys to have their best cricket season every and start to become one of the best cricketers in the world for their age. They appreciated the boy’s dedication, commitment, and passion towards their cricket, together with the team vision and culture as a whole. The key fundamentals instilled in the team this year were full on off, walking in 5 steps or more if you are fielding, throwing onto the fall of the keeper or bowler, and backing up every time. And when you were batting, always back up at least 4 steps at the non-strikers end and always facing the ball when running between wickets. Lastly building an innings with the bat by respecting the good balls and hitting the bad balls along the ground. With these attributes combined with consistently putting in a 100% effort and ensure the collective good of the team is put ahead of any indivual ambition.

Mitch McCombe (Captain) - Superb all-rounder whether behind the bat at the crease or bowling down the wicket! His passion and drive as captain to motivate and lift the



team was great to see.

Archie Buckley – Stronger bowler and great team player, with future captain potential. His laughter and humour on the field with the lads was strong!

Archie Hill – Fast bowler and known to be an aggressive batter when required (especially when a cheeky 6 is required to win a game) and always willing to learn and give his best.

Declan Webb – Fantastic leg spin bowler with the potential to be world class! A great throwing arm, which is always keeping the batsman on their toes. His passion for the MyCricket stats is also unwavering!



Harry Pike – Amazing growth throughout the season, noticeable with his first hundred! Topped off by backing it up the following week. Very inspiring. His infectious smile rubs off on the team and only grows bigger as his run rate does!

Joshua Godwin – Great opening batsman with the ability to keep the strike turning over with a solid defense. Always bringing his passion for the game to help drive the team.

Murray Moran – A cricketer with deep commitment, determination, and passion to become the best cricketer that he can be! First class opening and or first change bowler. A great team player with a desire to learn.

Noah Keam – Natural all-round athlete with the aggression and ability to get some big runs. Always ready to “go large” upon request. A great team player who also loves to bowl with pace and handy behind the stumps in gloves too.

Otto Labador – Awesome fielder with blinding speed and a great throw! Better known amongst the crowd for his amazing acro-bating fielding, coupled with an awesome attitude he is always giving his best to the team.

Owen Cotte – Naturally gifted athlete and a great swing bowler. Not to mention a very good batsman who raised many eyebrows with his innings in Terry Hills (R1) and Newcastle (R2) which is great to see.

Tobias Overhoff – Undying passion for the game with his now (not so secret) personal goal setting, cover drives even if some are lofty and his perfectly timed maiden rep century! Always showing great energy out in the field.



Toby Smith – Natural talent and hand eye coordination! Other teams are scared with how destructive he can be as a batsman.

A huge thanks to the following payers who played important roles along our journey – **Archie McGregor, Jae Pike** and **Oli Pavely**, not only were their skills appreciated when required but also the way they committed themselves to assist, support and train alongside the team.

It is difficult to call out specific highlights of the season, but we would be remiss for not recognizing that the team set an ‘unofficial IDCA record’ with 350 runs in round 5 against Northern Districts. Nor would there be many U11 teams that could boast having players score 3 hundreds throughout the season; **Harry Pike** 123 runs in round



5 and 122* runs in round 6 and **Tobais Overhoff** 100* runs in round 5. Also noteworthy is the performance by **Declan Webb** in round 7, with 3 wickets, 2 run off 1 over...resulting in the team's first hat-trick!

The boys should all be immensely proud of what they achieved and how much their skills and commitment to the game improved during the season. It was great to see them excel whilst having fun. Everyone (players and parents alike) gained a better understanding of representative cricket and the challenges it presents.

To our Match Reporter Angela... "WOW", it was like reliving the game when your match reports came in each week! Your reports were so well-written, entertaining and captured each game perfectly. Thank you for all the effort and time you put into these.

Finally, a massive thank you to all the families (all the generations!) who took on roles to help including scoring; umpiring; hydrating; ground set up (who knew you'd need a lawnmower!), providing us with shade and most importantly, good company on the sidelines.

Andy, John and Adam

Match Results:

Round 1: Manly Warringah 9/177 (N Keam 77) *defeated* **Parramatta (138)** by 39 runs (D. Webb 8-4-21) at Terrey Hills Oval, Sunday 6th of December.

Round 2: Manly Warringah 99 (H Pike 19) *defeated* **Newcastle (96)** by 4 Wickets (M McCombe 8-2-27) at Alder Park, Newcastle, Sunday 13th of December.

Round 3: Manly Warringah 8/179 (M McCombe 80) *defeated* **Camden (64)** by 115 runs (T Smith 2-2-2) at Passmore Oval 1, Sunday 31st of January.

Round 4: BYE

Round 5: Manly Warringah 4/350 (H Pike 123, T Overhoff 100*) *defeated* **Northern Districts (7/64)** by 286 runs (M McCombe 8-3-8) at Collaroy Plateau, Sunday 14th of February.

Round 6: Manly Warringah 9/295 (H Pike 122*) *defeated* **NWS Hurricanes (9/93)** by 202 runs (A Buckley 3-2-8) at Binalong Park, Sunday 21st of February.

Round 7: *After some confusion regarding a home final against Southerland, round 7 was ultimately played as a full day comprising of two T20 games instead.*

Round 7A: Manly Warringah 1/50 (H Pike 27) *defeated* **Hornsby Red (7/48)** by 9 wickets (M McCombe 4-3-3) at Passmore Oval 1, Sunday 28th of February.

Round 7B: Manly Warringah 4/126 (N Keam 50) *defeated* **Blacktown (9/55)** by 71 runs (D Webb 1-3-2) at Passmore Oval 1, Sunday 28th of February.

Player of the Year: Noah Keam

Scored hundreds

1. Harry Pike 123 – Round 5 vs. Northern Districts
2. Harry Pike 122* – Round 6 vs. NSW Hurricanes
3. Tobias Overhoff 100* - Round 5 vs. Northern Districts

Hattricks

1. Declan Webb (1 over -3 wickets -2 runs) – Round7B vs. Blacktown



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 12 Arch Cawsey Shield Report



Under 12 Arch Cawsey Shield Division 1 Aidan Boulton (captain), Charlie Bradstreet, Harry Campbell, Oliver Cassie, Rohan Chang, Lachlan Coy, Oscar Hansen,

Team: Stewart Hurt, Charlie Stevenson, Arlo Thompson, Will Toohey, Patrick White

Filled in: Jayden Cook, Thomas Walker

Coaches: Matt White, Craig Hurt (Assistant)

Manager: Carol Boulton

Scorers: Craig Hurt, David Stevenson, Jason Coy, Alex Boulton, Jason Chang

Match Reports: Andy Hansen

Player of the Year: Aidan Boulton

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships Arch Cawsey Shield Grand Finalists

The 2020/21 Manly U12 team had a great season to finish runners up in the Arch Cawsey Shield. I was immensely proud of the way the team came back from a difficult start to the season to make the Grand Final.

All the boys improved their cricket by training hard on a Wednesday night at Nolan's Reserve. We focused on improving our basic skills in batting, bowling, and fielding in match situations by using centre wicket practice. I was particularly proud how they improved their skills throughout the season as was shown on the scoreboards.

In reflection, we didn't start the season well with only winning one of our first five games (including a wash out). However, from there, we started to play well and won the next five games. With a few lucky opposition results that went our way we found ourselves in the Grand Final against a strong North Shore outfit. Unfortunately, we weren't up to it on the day but I thought it was great for the team to experience good pressure cricket.

I was proud how well the team played together after originating from four different teams the previous season. To me, this was a great achievement in itself.

Unfortunately, due to the cancellation of the Lismore carnival, the team, and parents didn't get to spend time together in a more relaxed environment which was a shame for all.





Our good team culture and team unity helped us through some difficult times. I was very proud of the way they played as a team and sat together to support their mates who were battling away out in the middle.

Team

Aidan Boulton ©, Charlie Bradstreet, Harry Campbell, Oliver Cassie, Rohan Chang, Lachlan Coy, Oscar Hansen, Stewart Hurt, Charlie Stevenson, Arlo Thompson, Will Toohey, Patrick White. Also played Jayden Cook and Thomas Walker,

Coaching staff: Matt White, Craig Hurt

Manager: Carol Boulton

Match Reports: Andy Hansen

Scorers: Craig Hurt, David Stevenson, Jason Coy, Alex Boulton, Jason Chang

Congratulations to our player of the year: Aidan Boulton.

Arch Cawsey Shield results: 6 wins, 4 losses, 1 washout, runners up.

Match summaries

- Round 1:** **Manly Warringah 94 all out** [Patrick White 21, Arlo Thompson 21, Lachlan Coy 14, Oscar Hansen 2/14, Stewart Hurt 1/6, Arlo Thompson 1/14], *defeated by South Eastern 5 for 97.*
- Round 2:** **Manly Warringah 132 for 2** [Rohan Chang 54*, Will Toohey 40, Ollie Cassie 24*, Aidan Boulton 2/4, Charlie Stevenson 1/9], **Hornsby 34 for 3** after 17 overs, *game abandoned.*
- Round 3:** **Manly Warringah 8 for 127** [Lachlan Coy 35*, Aidan Boulton 33, Charlie Bradstreet 20, Charlie Stevenson 5/11, Stewart Hurt 1/18, Oscar Hansen 1/35] *defeated St George 7 for 126.*
- Round 4:** **Manly Warringah 5 for 111** [Patrick White 46*, Stewart Hurt 19, Will Toohey 14, Arlo Thompson 3/33, Stewart Hurt 1/19] *defeated by North Shore 4/112.*
- Round 5:** **Manly Warringah 100 all out** [Charlie Bradstreet 33*, Jayden Cook 12, Will Toohey 10, Charlie Stevenson 2/25, Jayden Cook 1/8, Stewart Hurt 1/16] *defeated by Northern Districts 101 for 4.*



- Round 6:** **Manly Warringah 120 for 4** [Lachie Coy 42*, Stewart Hurt 23, Will Toohey 18*, Charlie Stevenson 2/7, Oscar Hansen 2/9, Harry Campbell 1/11, Stewart Hurt 1/26] *defeated* **Hawkesbury 74 for 6.**
- Round 7:** **Manly Warringah 99 for 0** [Aidan Boulton 59*, Patrick White 34*, Harry Campbell 2/4, Charlie Stevenson 2/7, Lachie Coy 2/18] *defeated* **Blacktown 98 for 9.**
- Round 8:** **Manly Warringah 109 for 4** [Lachie Coy 29*, Aidan Boulton 27, Will Toohey 18, Arlo Thompson 2/19, Oscar Hansen 1/20, Charlie Stevenson 1/21] *defeated* **Sutherland Shire 105 all out.**
- Round 9:** **Manly Warringah 88 for 1** [Aidan Boulton 44*, Patrick White 29, Lachlan Coy 2/9, Arlo Thompson 2/22, Aidan Boulton 1/10] *defeated* **Inner West Harbour 87 all out.**
- Semi Final:** **Manly Warringah 150 for 4** [Aidan Boulton 66, Patrick White 41, Lachlan Coy 19, Arlo Thompson 4/17, Oscar Hansen 2/16, Thomas Walker 1/8, Charlie Stevenson 1/13, Aidan Boulton 1/26] *defeated* **Parramatta 116 all out.**
- Grand Final:** **Manly Warringah 108 all out** [Lachlan Coy 49, Aidan Boulton 16, Will Toohey 10, Lachlan Coy 2/18, Charlie Stevenson 1/8, Aidan Boulton 1/40] *defeated by* **North Shore 5-169.**
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Player profiles

Aidan Boulton (Captain)

Aidan led from the front with bat and ball. Aidan's batting this season was instrumental in the team making it to the Grand Final. His knock against the Blacktown in the T20 (59), his mature innings (33) against St George and his 66 against Parramatta in the semi-final where some of the highlights.

Aidan's ability to bowl straight at hit the stumps was also a huge asset to the team - particularly late in the innings. Aidan showed great resilience to come back after only missing two games with a broken finger and inspired us with his batting for the remainder of the season. Aidan's great balance allowed him to perform in all parts of the game. Aidan scored 252 runs @ 42 and was our player of the year. Well done Aidan.

Charlie Bradstreet

Charlie's innings (33) against NDs was a great display of concentration. In this game, he nearly got us to a total where we had a chance to win the game. Additionally, after batting for some time in the heat he showed a never give up attitude in the field by saving certain boundaries. Against St George he showed everyone how to put the

loose ball away by hitting a quick fire 20 which really helped us charge towards victory. Charlie's attitude towards the team was great.

Harry Campbell

Harry's ability to bowl a consistent line and length was a great asset to the team by helping us to build pressure. His spell against Blacktown (2 for 4) in the T20 was a highlight, his two wickets really pegged them down and helped us only chase a modest total (98). Although Harry didn't get much of a chance with the bat, he has the potential to become a true all-rounder with his sound technique and great running between the wickets. Harry's fielding was outstanding. It was great to watch him scoot around the boundary and get the ball in with his great arm.

Oliver Cassie

He showed against Hornsby what a destructive batter he can be by helping us to a competitive total. That day, Ollie played a great role for the team by hitting a quick fire (24). Ollie displayed his soft hands with two stumping against St George. He drove the side to victory in the semi-final by showing great drive and energy in the field when we needed to take wickets.

Rohan Chang

Rohan's 54 against Hornsby was a great display of concentration. This innings produced a great partnership with Will which helped the team to a good total. He helped the team in the semi-final with a brisk 13 which really gave us a good total to defend. Rohan has a great pull shot and looks a good batter when he is hitting the ball straight down the ground. He displayed great teamwork against Parra in the semi-final by basically giving up his wicket trying to get as many runs as possible for the team late





in the innings.

Lachlan Coy

Lachie had a great season with bat and ball. His fielding was also a great asset to the team. His ability to rotate the strike and score quickly enabled the team to apply pressure to the opposition bowlers all season. Lachie's innings in the grand final (49 off 55) was a great display of how to play under pressure. Against a good bowling side, he was able to score freely by running well between the wickets and putting the bad ball away. His innings against St George (35) was a match winning effort where he batted very well with the tail to ensure a Manly victory. Lachie was unlucky not to take more wickets due to missed chances in the field. Lachie also has true leadership potential which he showed when Aidan was injured.

Oscar Hansen

Oscar had a great year opening the bowling. He bowled some great opening spells using his good pace and is now swinging the ball both ways. Additionally, he is starting to develop a good bumper. His 2 for 16 in the semi-final really helped the team secure a grand final berth. His 2 for 9 against the Hawks was also a dominant display. Oscar is a great trainer, he concentrates, and he is always trying to improve which means he will only get better.

Stewart Hurt

Stew's leggies really helped the team build pressure throughout the season. He and Arlo bowled very well in tandem. His ability to spin the ball both ways was a pleasure to watch all season. He displayed his batting skills in the T20 where he scored lovely 23 of 36 balls which really helped the team post a target that was far too large for the Hawks. Stew was unlucky to miss games at the back end of the season due to a broken finger. However, he came back in the Grand Final to bowl a great spell which got the team off to a great start in a big game.

Charlie Stevenson

Charlie had a great season bowling his off spin. He was our leading wicket taker and one of the equal leading wicket takers in the competition. Charlie used his height very well which helped him deceive the batsman with bounce. When Charlie consistently gets the ball outside off stump the batters found it difficult to score. Against St George Charlie took 5 for 12 which destroyed the Saints late in their innings. His 2 for 7s in the T20s also restricted the opposition to meagre totals.

Arlo Thompson

Arlo's had a great season with the ball. His leggies helped us control the opposition run rate nearly every time he had the ball in his hand. The opposition batters found it very difficult to deal with his ability to turn the ball both ways with great flight. His 4 for 17



in the semi-final was an outstanding display of leg spin bowling. Arlo's fielding was also a huge asset to the team. He has great balance, great hands and good throwing arm which helped him take some good catches in the cover region.

Will Toohey

Will's ability to bat, keep and catch in the gully was a great asset to the team. Will's 40 against Hornsby was a mature and sensible innings where he and Rohan put of 84. His 18 off 21 towards the end of the innings in the T20 was a great knock to help us get to a total that was way too big for the Hawks. He showed his all-round ability with a good stumping against Sutherland. Will's ability to time the ball of his legs is great to watch. His commitment to training is great, this will ensure he'll always tries to improve.

Patrick White

Paddy did a good job opening the batting this season. He used his solid technique at the top of the order to make sure we got off to some good starts. His efforts at the top of the order with Aidan towards the back of the season helped us stride towards the Grand Final. His 34 not out against Blacktown in the T20 and his 41 against Parra in the semi were two good knocks.

A special thanks must go to Thomas Walker and Jayden Cook who played with us at stages throughout the season. They did a great job for the team while we had some injuries.

Parents

Thank you to all the parents who assisted with catering, scoring and at training. Thanks for being supportive to myself and Carol and allowing the boys room to make mistakes and increase their chances of learning.

Andy Hansen

Thanks to Andy who wrote the match reports for each game. They were entertaining and a great reflection of the matches.

Craig Hurt

Thanks too Craig who helped at training and match days in assisting me the coaching. His knowledge of the game and his pleasant way of interacting with the boys made my job a lot easier.

Grant Thompson

Due to a few injuries throughout the season we had to call on some of the Div 2 players. This made it particularly hard around semi-final time where both teams to

preparing for finals clashes. Thanks to Grant for helping our team in a few games with some well needed performances from Jayden and Thomas. Additionally, congrats to Grant and the Div 2 boys for taking out the WG Foster Shield.

Carol Boulton

A special thanks to Carol for managing the team. This was a particularly challenging season with the COVID restrictions. You made my job so much easier and were always a step ahead ensuring the team was well organised. Thanks for doing an outstanding job in distributing of all the background tasks to parents and the pre-season training schedule.

The players

Congratulation's boys, you should be very proud of what you achieved this season. After a difficult start, you showed a lot of character and resilience to keep plugging away at training and turning out some great performances towards the back end of the season [#bleedblue](#).

Matt White (Coach)



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 12 W.G. Foster Shield Div 2 Report



Under 12 W.G. Foster Shield Division 2 Team: Henry Matthews (captain), Archie Cooper (vice-captain), Jayden Cook, Will Cunningham, Claude Gatehouse, Aidan Kurtis, Tom O'Brien, James Pallant, Cameron Russell, Freddie Schneidereit, Dylan Thompson, Rory Toole, Thomas Walker, Joe Stoddart (2 games)

Shadow squad: Mitchell Ballard, Jack Lind

Coach: Grant Thompson

Manager: Steve Matthews

Assistant/Team Mentor: Benji Cook

Scorers: Phil Russell, Steve Matthews

Player of the Year: Rory Toole

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships W.G. Foster Shield Champions

Overall Record: 8 wins, 1 Loss

Our season was typified by the team effort that saw different players standing up when it mattered which set the foundation for success. The boys always conducted themselves well on the field and off, doing Manly proud.

There were 3 debutantes to the rep scene, but all the boys came together and started to bond from the outset and built a strong team culture. As a result, by the time the final came around, we were a cohesive unit that was aware of each other's strengths and weaknesses, proving a formidable force for any opposition.

It was not all plain sailing, as we were faced with a number of obstacles - from washouts, heatwaves and underwater pitches to a 2-month delay for the GF due to the COVID lock-down. Despite that we made sure the boys not only developed their game but enjoyed the whole experience.

In the regular season, a first up win to North Shore at home was closely followed by an early loss to Sutherland, in our first away game in very wet conditions, which provided a valuable lesson in reading and playing the conditions. From that point onwards the boys went undefeated for the rest of the season and finals, culminating in the Grand Final win in late February.

The final was played against North Shore, whom we knew well as we played a number of trial games and a regular season game, and it was fitting we got to play a Grand





Final against a quality opposition that would test us. Tom O'Brien flew down for the game, and that level of commitment was recognised by all (including our opposition) and James Pallant also bravely fielded in the final with a splint, courtesy of the broken hand he picked up at Rugby trials the weekend prior. Some of the boys had not played a rep final before, so it was met with equal parts excitement and nerves.

On Grand Final day, the boys did well in the field and with ball in hand, but we were in a precarious position early in the chase. We were able to draw on our strengths and rally together to overhaul the target and win the NSW Youth Championships Div 2 competition, bring home the WG Foster shield for Manly-Warringah.

The boys have all become better cricketers over the season, improving their skills in reading the game, batting and bowling to targets, scoring runs through singles, running hard to turn the singles into twos, and developing a team-first mentality. The boys now have valuable finals experience to draw upon in future years if they work hard to get back into a similar position.

Although we only really focused on team targets, it's important at the end of a season to reflect and acknowledge a few noteworthy individual performances over the year.

A few highlights were:

Rory Toole - maiden rep half-century (95* off 53 balls) v St George and 5/15 in the Semi-Final v IWH

Dylan Thompson – A half-century against Hornsby (51*) and top score in the Grand Final with 48*

Thomas Walker – maiden rep half-century (50) v St George as well as 4/9 with the ball vs Hornsby

Will Cunningham – took a wicket in every match, best bowling figures for Manly in the Grand Final

Henry Matthews – 2nd highest number of catches (6) in the competition

These are the main highlights, but the numbers don't tell the whole story and every player made their impact felt and contributed to our victories with bat, ball or in the field over the season.

Three players (**Aidan Kurtis**, **Cameron Russell** and **Rory Toole**) wore the baggy blue for the first time. **Freddie Schneiderei** also came into the team from the shadow squad in round 4, and was on the winning team in every match he played in. We thank **Joe Stoddart** for his efforts in the 2 games he played with us, as well as the rest of the shadow squad (**Mitchell Ballard** and **Jack Lind**) for their efforts and enthusiasm at training and in our pre-season trial games.



We had a supportive group of parents, siblings and family who helped things run smoothly on match day and assist at training whenever called upon which helped me to focus on coaching the boys.

A big thanks to our team manager Steve Matthews for keeping us organised and on top of our COVID requirements, as well as sorting umpires, balls, entering team sheets... just to name a few. Thanks also to Phil Russell for scoring, Jason Cook for setting up the grounds, Kate Walker for the supply of refreshments, Nick Kurtis and Dan Cunningham for their regular help at training as well as Marcus Cooper and others for their help on gameday.

I also thank Benji Cook, who served as mentor to the boys and assistant coach to me on most game days or at training and was there with a supportive word and an arm around the boys when they may have missed out. A real student of the game, Benji was a great support and on behalf of the team we thank you for giving up your time to help.

In summary, the boys always gave 100% effort...which is all you can ask of them, and the focus on the performance meant the results took care of themselves. It was a privilege to be entrusted as Coach of this Manly rep side and I am looking forward to witnessing the boys develop their cricket and represent Manly with pride over the next few years.

The Players

Player of the Season

Rory Toole 230 runs @ 38.33 including a top score of 95* (53) vs St George, 44 (57) and 5/15 from 5.5 overs in the semi Final, with 31 (46) and 1/5 from 4 overs in the Grand Final.

Henry Matthews (Captain)

Henry took on the captaincy role this season, a tough task given the many fielding restriction rules he had to deal with, but he led the team to a championship title and is a capable leader.

Henry always used his performance in the field to set the example for the team and he finished with the 2nd highest number of catches (6) for the NSWYC U12 competition. A quick learner and good listener, the visit from ex-Aussie skipper Ian Chappell to our training to help out with the close fielding skills certainly paid off for him.

He was also more than capable with bat and ball, scoring 65 runs at an average of 21.67 and claiming 10 wickets at an average of 9.9. His best game came against St

George where he scored 29 (19) and picked up 3-14 from 7 overs. His 24* (23) vs Hornsby was also instrumental in getting that win.

Archie Cooper (Vice-Captain)

Archie is a quiet achiever and opened the batting during the season, scoring 72 runs at an average of 9.00, including a top score of 37 against St George. Opening the batting is not always easy, yet Archie always took on the challenge for the team - using his positive intent to get us off to some good starts, especially in the T20's.

He is also very handy with ball in hand and often was entrusted with the job of breaking the tempo and taking a wicket when we needed it. He took 5 wickets at an average of 7.40, including a best of 2/7 vs Hornsby. Archie always performed well in the field, with a good work ethics and safe pair of hands at slip. He was on hand to assist when called upon with vice captaincy duties.



Rory Toole

Rory made his rep debut this year and delivered some top performances with bat and ball. A genuine all-rounder, his tally of 230 runs placed him 4th in the overall NSWYC aggregates, with an average of 38.33. His 10 wickets were also taken at an average of 6.0.

Rory's highlights came as early as round 5, with a 95* off 53 balls against St. George, but he got even better as the season went on and the opposition got tougher, culminating in a 5/15 performance with the ball in the Semi Final and a wicket and a valuable 31 runs in the Grand Final, which earned him the Player of the Grand Final accolade.

Rory's naturally aggressive style was evident from the outset, using his size and strength to plunder boundaries, but it was great to see Rory also play with patience and build some big scores at vital times. He took one catch over the season, but he has a great throw and is an asset in the field.

Aidan Kurtis

Another debutante for Manly this year, Aidan made a smooth transition to the team. He's regularly first to training, with unparalleled talk and energy levels on and off the field. He is a dedicated batsman so didn't bowl across the season, but he scored 79 runs at an average of 11.29, and his biggest achievement was a team high 46 in the Semi Final vs Inner West Harbour to set up that game, a great knock under pressure.

He cares about his contribution to the team, so if he misses out, he is naturally disappointed but has shown maturity to put that behind him and rally for the team cause. His hard work at training in the field has paid off, culminating in a great one-handed catch against North Shore in the Grand Final that shifted momentum back to us at an important time. I'm sure Aidan will fondly remember winning a championship in his first rep season.

Tom O'Brien

Tom played a key number 3 role this season scoring 140 runs at an average of 17.5 including a top score of 38 vs St George, and a match-winning 37 in our first game of the season vs North Shore punctuated by fantastic running between the wickets.

As one of the smallest members of the team, Tom was regularly underestimated by the opposition who were unaware he has a great pair of hands – he claimed 4 catches during the year at important stages of our games and his ground fielding also steadily improved throughout the year.

It is with mixed emotions that we report that Tom has moved to Northern NSW and





won't be in Manly colours next season. We wish you all the best Tom, you've a bright future ahead.

Claude Gatehouse

Claude is one of our more athletic players and used his talent to good effect, serving as a catalyst to our running between the wickets to dig us out of a hole in the middle order on a few occasions. In the shortened T20 format this really came to the fore, as he hit a match-winning top score of 33 (30) against Parramatta.

Overall, Claude scored 83 runs at an average of 11.86, but with the bowling attack we possessed his opportunities with the ball were limited. To his credit, he put the effort in the field and took 4 catches during the season and it shows how much his fielding improved over the year.

Claude also worked very hard on his play off the pads and made noticeable improvement as the season went on, opening up more scoring zones that should see him convert those good starts into big scores in the future.

Dylan Thompson

Dylan took on shared wicket-keeping duties this year, and to finish equal 2nd in the NSWYC comp for stumpings is something to be proud of for a novice rep wicket-keeper. He improved his keeping as the season went on - claiming 2 stumpings, a run-out and a catch behind the stumps in our last regular season game in 39 degree heat, and backing up in the Semi Final to take a catch, run out and a stumping. He also contributed with a couple of key catches in the outfield.

Dylan often opened the batting, taking on the anchoring role which suited the longer-format games, scoring 119 runs at an average of 19.83. Early on Dylan posted a valuable half century (51) to see us just get home against Hornsby, but his best performance with the bat was kept until the very last game with a top score of 48* not out in the Grand Final against North Shore.

The work on his fitness to improve his running between the wickets paid off in spades, as it was hard running rather than boundaries that scored the runs we needed. With the team in early trouble at 4/12 we needed someone to dig in under the pressure of a Grand Final to build the innings and see us home, which was acknowledged by both umpires at the end of the game.

James Pallant

James was an important cog in the team, sharing wicket-keeping duties. He finished equal 2nd in the NSWYC comp for stumpings, a great achievement and reward for his hard work. His catch, run out and 2 stumpings in the game against St. George in the heat showed his mental and physical ability behind the stumps.



With the bat, James had limited opportunities as often the top and middle order were able to overhaul the totals, but he scored 33 runs at an average of 16.5. His 8* against Canterbury, when we had to score quick runs to get a result, was a highlight.

James is a courageous kid, putting his body on the line regularly. This was most evident in the Grand Final, when he stopped balls going past him (with his hand in splint!) a week after breaking his hand. He's also a capable let-arm bowler and it's unfortunate James couldn't bowl more, but he did his job with the gloves instead and without complaint, which helped the team immensely. That sums him up... a team man, and one of the most insightful when the boys were tasked with assessing game situations. His game awareness combined with his positive attitude will serve him well in the future.

Thomas Walker

Thomas always gives his all for the team cause and looks for ways to continually improve himself. With the bat he scored 98 runs at an average of 16.33, hitting with power but he has also improved his ground hitting and running. He used both in the Grand Final vs North Shore, hitting a quick fire 20 to contribute to an ultimately match winning team total. His 50 against St George, a maiden rep half-century, was a delight to watch as he played with little risk and scored with shots that he was convinced the week before were beyond him, but worked hard to resolve.

His bowling is defined by his consistency, bowling the right line and length and really testing opposition batsmen enabling him to take 8 wickets at an average of 7.5 across his 8 games, and earning him a call-up to the Div 1 team for 2 games. His best haul came against Hornby, where we were missing our opening bowler, and he stood up to the task and took 4/9 off his 8 overs. Thomas can be an intimidating force on game day when he's hunting wickets... or even in the nets!

In the field, he is comfortable taking on the deeper fielding positions around the boundary or stationed in close to take the catches or stop the single. He took 5 catches and 3 run-outs across the season, showing great commitment and that he has an arm to be respected.

Jayden Cook

An asset to our team, Jayden was missed when he was called up to play a couple of games in Div 1, as he often delivered with bat or ball. His fielding was also excellent, claiming 5 run-outs and 3 catches in the field, making the hard catches look easy.

Whether bowling at the start or at the death, he built pressure on opposition batters – bowling maidens with regularity. Jayden possibly wasn't rewarded with the individual wickets he deserved but took 4 wickets at an average of 18 across his 7 games. His best performance came in heatwave conditions against Canterbury, needing a quick result Jayden took 1/2 from his 3 overs, in an opening bowling partnership yielding 4/6 from 6 overs, as we bowled them out for 29 in record time.

Jayden is a all-rounder that regularly contributed valuable runs down the order... and quickly... adding 103 runs at an average of 34.33 – with a team-high strike rate of 107. In the Grand Final, he was there at the crease to see us home which speaks to his ability to cope with pressure. He puts the team first and goes for it, and can close out an innings.

Will Cunningham

An absolute model of consistency, Will made the player of the season award a difficult choice.

Despite limited opportunities with the bat, Will did exactly what he was asked to do each time – bat out the overs or score quickly, scoring 7 runs (@ an average of 7). He hit the winning runs in our first game vs North Shore and saw out the overs in the Semi-Final vs Inner West Harbour.

His biggest contribution was as our regular opening bowler, where Will returned 14 wickets at an average of 10.43, earning him 4th place in the NSWYC competition - a fair reflection for his efforts. With the ball, he bowled the tough overs at the start and end of the innings and did so with great consistency (likened to a 'metronome'). In every game Will took at least 1 wicket but he also got better as the year went on. His last 3 games saw him return with figures of 2/0, 3/18 in the Semi Final, and 2/15 in the Grand Final.

He is a team player with a great attitude and an enthusiastic fielder that's keen to improve – regularly throwing down the stumps at training – which will serve him well in future years.

Cameron Russell

As a debutante, the learning curve for Cameron was a little steeper than for some of the other boys but he managed to adapt well. Overall Cam took 3 wickets at an average of 29 with his left arm pace.

His most dangerous spells often went unrewarded, but he has showed the talent he has. A good left-arm bowler is a valuable commodity and his spells often yielded wickets at the other end, which proves the value of bowling in partnerships.





When Cameron relaxed, he was a different bowler, showing consistent line and length and the ability to control the early swing, which posed a real threat to the batsmen.

With the bat he had limited chances, but did exactly what was asked of him scoring 8 runs at an average of 8. He also contributed 2 catches and a run out during the year which highlights the improvements he has made with his fielding... he seems to be enjoying it which will hold in good stead in future.

Freddie Schneidereit

Freddie came into the team from Round 4 and took the chance with both hands - proving to be our good luck charm, as we never lost a game with Freddie on the team sheet. His commitment is unwavering, often travelling back from family holidays a few hours away to participate in a trial, training or a match, and proof that commitment and having the right attitude takes you a long way.

Despite not batting much in games, he trained hard and was the inaugural winner of the team's running between the wickets challenge at training. His only chance with the bat came during a game when tasked with scoring quickly and he fell victim putting the team first.

With the ball, Freddie went unrewarded in his first game, but he took at least 1 wicket in every game after that. His total of 8 wickets at an average of 7.88 were a great return from the games played. The biggest development in Freddie's game has been his ability to flight the ball and get it to land on a good length. His best reward came with a LBW of the dangerous North Shore opener to set us on our way in the Grand Final. Returns of 2/4 and 2/5 in other games show his consistent bowling.

Match Results

- Round 1:** **Manly 6/91** (Tom O'Brien 37, Jayden cook 26) *defeated* **North Shore 89** by 4 wickets (Joe Stoddart 3/21, Henry Matthews 2/6, Thomas Walker 2/9]
- Round 2:** *Washed out*
- Round 3:** **Manly 81** (Rory Toole 16, Jayden Cook 13, Claude Gatehouse 10) *defeated by* **Sutherland 6/82** by 4 Wickets (Will Cunningham 2/17, Rory Toole 1/3, Thomas Walker 1/6)
- Round 4:** **Manly 7/137** (Dylan Thompson 51, Henry Matthews 24*no, Claude Gatehouse 21) *defeated* **Hornsby Ku-rin-gai-Hills 7/136** by 3 wickets (Thomas Walker 4/9, Archie Cooper 2/7)



- Round 5:** **Manly 6/291** (Rory Toole 95*no, Thomas Walker 50, Tom O'Brien 38, Archie Cooper 37, Henry Matthews 29, James Pallant 14*no) *defeated* **St George 79** by 212 runs (Cameron Russell 3/11, Henry Matthews 3/14, Freddie Schneidereit 1/3)
- Round 6 (T20):** **Manly 6/97** (Claude Gatehouse 33, Archie Cooper 21) *defeated* **Parramatta 7/48** by 49 runs (Henry Matthews 2/3, Freddie Schneidereit 1/4, Archie Cooper 1/9)
- Round 7:** **Manly 7/115** (Rory Toole 34, Jayden Cook 23*no, Tom O'Brien 16, Thomas Walker 15) *defeated* **Blacktown 71** by 44 runs (Freddie Schneidereit 2/5, Thomas Walker 1/3, Archie Cooper 1/6, Rory Toole 1/6, Jayden Cook 1/6)
- Round 8:** **Manly 2/30** (Aidan Kurtis 11*no, James Pallant 8*no) *defeated* **Canterbury-Wests 29** by 8 Wickets (Will Cunningham 2/0, Freddie Schneidereit 2/4, Rory Toole 1/0)
- Round 9:** *BYE*
- Semi-Final:** **Manly 9/186** (Aidan Kurtis 46, Rory Toole 44, Jayden Cook 25, Tom O'Brien 20) *defeated* **Inner West Harbour 91** by 95 runs (Rory Toole 5/15, Will Cunningham 3/18, Freddie Schneidereit 1/15)
- Grand-Final:** **Manly-Warringah 6/128** (Dylan Thompson 48*no, Rory Toole 31, Thomas Walker 20) *defeated* **North Shore 6/125** by 4 Wickets (Will Cunningham 2/15, Rory Toole 1/5, Freddie Schneidereit 1/11)

..... CHAMPIONS!!!!

Grant Thompson (Coach)



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 13 W.S. Gee Shield Report



Under 13 W.S. Gee Shield Division 1 Team: Caleb Conners, Harley Cruickshank, Lachlan Jurcevic, Bill Martin, Harry McCracken, Matthew Melville, Julian Osbourne, Lukas Overhoff, Fraser Pandit, Flynn Pavely, Claude Remond, Scott Tipton, Keegan Webb

Coach: Steve Conners

Assistant Coaches: Chris Melville, Regan McCracken

Manager: Simon Martin

Player of the Year: Lukas Overhoff

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships W.S. Gee Shield Grand Finalists

The longest season of representative cricket, that we all have endured. It will be remembered for Covid-19 and as the season kept giving, our boys knuckled down and ended up reaching a Final only to be beaten by the other undefeated team Parramatta.



We are not a team of champions, however we are a champion team, regardless of our loss in the Final.

With several changes made from last season, our team had a wonderful balance of skills and personalities and it was a pleasure to see them grow and learn more about this game we love. I feel very honoured to be part of an amazing group of boys and their parents.

With new hope for the start of our season, it started off in Round 1 with an amazing tie against South Eastern. That was followed by two wash outs in Rounds 2 and 3 and finals seemed a long way away. However, with a bowling attack that no other team could match and a solid batting order, we knew if we could string a few games together, we could get close. Not to mention our fielding and great fighting Manly spirit.

Round 4 - saw us away to North Shore and with a great all-round effort, we achieved our first win for the year.

Round 5 - we dominated against Northern Districts and picked up a bonus point win.

Rounds 6 and 7 - saw us travel to Hawkesbury for two T20 games where we beat Blacktown convincingly and Hawkesbury in a tight match.

Round 8 - saw us travel to Sutherland, where we won in a nail biter by 4 runs.





Round 9 - we played some solid cricket against Inner West Harbour and beat them well.

At the end of the regular season we had finished undefeated and on top of our side of the draw. This meant we would host Fairfield-Liverpool in the Semi Final.

At no stage during this game were we on top, however we fought very hard and eventually came out winners. Off to a Grand Final!!

COVID then interrupts our schedule and the Grand Final is postponed. Three months later, game day eventually arrived, and we were brave in defeat against our arch enemy Parramatta.

Whilst individuals are measured on runs and wickets, there is much more to learn than what statistics tell us.

Players Matthew Melville and Scott Tipton formed a great opening batting partnership and were fantastic at the top of the order, whilst Bill Martin, Fraser Pandit (first year for Manly) and Caleb Connors all chipped in. Lucas Overhoff was our standout with bat in the middle order who showed us what a talent he is.

All-rounders - Lachlan Jurcevic (first year into rep cricket), Harley Cruickshank, Flynn Pavely and Claude Remond (called up from our Presidents Cup side due to injury) all played key roles at different stages during the year.

Bowlers - Julian Osborne played his best season of rep cricket along with Harry McCracken (stepped up from our Presidents Cup side last year) who enjoyed success in his first season in DCA.

Our Wicket-keeper Keegan Webb (stepped up from our Presidents Cup side last year) who did an amazing job behind the stumps.

I congratulate all our boys who shared and enjoyed the success of their teammates with as much happiness as their own personal successes, something we will continue to develop into the future. The importance of friendships brings a close knit team, which is paramount to any teams success. This includes our amazing parent group!

Each boy played an extremely important role in our team at some point in the season. No contribution was ever too small. Every moment was important. We have learnt that every run counts and the game is never over until it is won.

At the start of our season, (with five new faces in our team) we were unsure what would lie ahead. To reach the Final was an amazing achievement, one that cannot be taken lightly and one that we will look back on, as a missed opportunity.



The most important part of being involved with our team is the happiness, enjoyment and comradeship that has developed throughout the year. Hopefully some lifelong friendships for both boys and parents. This is the real meaning of a team.

I look forward to seeing all these boys develop, not only into great cricketers but into great young men.

Thank you to all our parents for your support and encouragement and more importantly your friendships.

Thanks to Simon Martin for managing our team throughout the year, a thankless task, that certainly does not go unnoticed.

Special thanks to coaches Chris Melville and Regan McCracken for their undivided attention in coaching and mentoring each individual boy in our team.

I cannot forget to mention our resident scribe Anthony Cruickshank, who provided great entertainment with his weekly match reports (even if he was not there at times).

Thanks

Steve Conners - Coach U13 Division 1



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 13 J.H. Creak Shield Div 2 Report



Under 13 J.H. Creak Shield Division 2 Team: Tyrone Fender (captain), Neo Pressley (vice-captain), Vyvhaan Bhargava, Zane Cassie, Harper Cole, Robbie Graham-McDowell, Angus Greenland, Luke Kennedy, Luke Macfarlane, Myles Nockolds, Luke Peters, Claude Remond, Sam Roche

Coach: Adam Pressley

Manager: Shane Fender

Player of the Year: Angus Greenland

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships J.H. Creak Shield Semi Finalists

After winning the under 11 and under 12 Championships in the previous seasons, we were confident of claiming a hat-trick of wins, but it wasn't to be.

Team changes

This year we lost Harry McCracken and Keegan Webb to Division 1 but gained Zane Cassie, Gus Greenland and Luke Macfarlane. Last year's babies, Rohan Chang, Lachlan Coy and Will Toohey were too young to move up to u13, so Sam Roche and Harper Cole stepped up from the shadow squad.

Round 1 - The first hurdle

Our first game of the season was a grand final rematch against North Shore, and our first official game with COVID19 measures in play. It was also my first game as the new team coach, and this was likely to be a huge test for the boys.



After winning the toss and electing to bat, we finished the 40 overs on 6-229. Later I marveled at the quality of the worm we produced, which rose to the sky with every over of our innings. In the end North Shore finished on 6-129, a full 100 runs shy, and we'd secured our first win. While it was team effort, Robbie (72), Gus (58), were stand-out performances, as was Claude (2-15 off 8) and Harper (2-26 off 8).

Round 2 - The big wet

A cold windy Meadowbank welcomed us for our 2nd game of the season vs Northern Districts. The plan was to bowl first and end the match as quickly as possible, and before the rainy weather closed in. Alas we lost the toss, got sent in to bat and on 219 after 32 overs we attempted to declare but this was denied by the umpires. Forced to bat out the innings we put on 3-353 off 40. With spinners at both ends and rain falling, we raced through the overs and managed to dismiss Northern Districts for just 63 off



22 overs, to get the win. Gus (135no), Robbie (133no) & Vyv (39) were the stand-outs along with Harper (5-18 off 8), Tyrone (3-21 off 8) and Claude (2-17 off 3).

Round 3 was a washout for most, but not all teams, so we lost our position on top of the table.

Round 4 - Little run machines

In round 2 we had two centurions, in round 4 we had another 2. Hundreds are rare, but to have 4 in two consecutive games, that's a wow. Neo (106) and Gus (111no) piled on the runs before a final cameo from Robbie (34 off 13) saw us finish on 3-267. It was a fast ground, but Hornsby couldn't match us and finished 8-149.

Manly also enjoyed two 200+ run partnerships, which were the two highest in the comp - Gus & Robbie (206no) in round 2, and Gus and Neo (206) in round 4.

Round 5 - Barefoot

We welcomed St George to Lake Park and commemorated NAIDOC week with a barefoot ceremony, proud of the heritage within our group. The slow ground made for slow scoring, with our first four coming in the 23rd over. Neo (38) and Gus (38) combined for the biggest partnership of the game. Luke M (16) finally made his debut and kept the runs ticking over. Robbie (17) and Luke P (20) batted with maturity and power and we finished at 6-167 after 40. Sam (1-10 off 8, incl. 3 maidens) bowled brilliantly and was unlucky to trap the batsman LBW off his first ball, then have it reversed because there were 12 on the field. Harper (4-15/8) was unlucky not to snag 5 wickets. Some great catches supported the bowling and St George finished on 8-101 after 40. An exciting finish in the end as we just failed to get the bonus point on the 2nd last ball.

Rounds 6 and 7 - 20/20 double header

Highlights from our two 20/20 games where when chased a target in game 1 by opening with Luke K (39no) and Harper (29no), who never looked back, reaching the target without loss. Manly 0-73 off 13.2 overs against Canterbury. In game 2 we faced Penrith on a very slow ground, where once again Luke K (33no) finished unbeaten and scoring at a run a ball to set a target that Penrith couldn't reach.

Round 8 - A turning point

Manly welcomed Blacktown to a heat affected (reduced) 30 over game. Blacktown were just below us on the table and also undefeated so far. While we were a bit unlucky on the day, we didn't adjust to the 30 over format and finished a bit short at 6-132. Blacktown took their chances and reached the total with 2 overs to spare. This dropped us from 1st on the table and unfortunately, set us on target (after 1 more round game) to meet Parramatta in the Semi.

Round 9 - Final round

As expected, Manly breezed past Fairfield - Liverpool in the final round game after they set us 137 to win (6-136 off 40), with Neo's unbeaten 70 off 90 balls a highlight, Manly 2-139 in 30. This put us 2nd on the table, just ahead of Parramatta, which gave us a home final at Lake Park in Narrabeen.

Semi-final

The semi-final began with Tyrone winning yet another toss and electing to bat. Our openers Tyrone and Neo began solidly against some very accurate bowling, and we were 0-25 after 10, just shy of our 0-30 target. Tyrone (16) was caught at mid-wicket in the 11th over as he looked to lift the scoring rate, leading by example.



As the field hushed, Gus 'the Maestro' strode to the wicket, two hundreds under his belt this season, and looking for a third. Overs 11-20 is where Parramatta's tight bowling and fielding managed to hold us up, with the score at just 0-52, adding only 27. After drinks, and with plenty of bats in the shed we looked to kick on, with the 24th & 25th overs going for 8 runs each. When Gus (24) was caught, our score was 2-81, in the 25th.



With less than 15 overs left, and only 5 boundaries off the last 25 overs, we deployed Robbie aka 'the Weapon'. We've yet to see a team hold Robbie back when he makes a patient start, but the speed and quality of Parramatta's bowling kept him to just a single four and six, striking at a rate of only 100. Neo (36) fell soon after Robbie (25) arrived trying to hook a fast bouncer, that seemed to be well over his head, and with Luke K (7) and Robbie at the crease our total was still a competitive 3-102 after 30.

Sadly, as we tried to score quickly in the last 10 overs, it was one of Parramatta's giants P. Das (best average in the league at 3.77) who cut us down with his 4-6 off his 7 overs plus a run out. Losing 7-30 off the next 9 overs, Parramatta managed to bowl us out for 132. No other team had shut us down like this before. And while a score of 160 - 180 would have been ideal on this sort of ground, 132 was defensible in a final, for sure, as long as we took regular wickets.

Re-designing our bowling plan from the week before, we began with Robbie (0-27 off 8) and Tyrone (1-11 off 5) opening to precise fielding positions before Tyrone was rewarded with the first wicket coming in the 5th over - their opener caught at short cover (Neo).

At the 10 over mark Parramatta were just 1-18, and it looked like they were about to panic when their captain YA Singh was dismissed for just 10, caught Zane bowled Myles (1-11 off 3), with the score now 2-22 after 12 overs. Parra's two best batsmen were now at the crease, with AT Ranganath (3rd highest runs in the league) luckily surviving a very strong caught behind shout and then one for LBW. Both of which keeper Gussy said were out! How different the game might have been if one had been given. Sam (0-15 off 4) bowled accurately and with pace to keep them under control.

The biggest test of the day was Harper bowling to the other giant Dantu, who got the better of him this time, hitting him for 18 off the over, knocking him out of the attack. As Parra hit out and took risks, the Manly fielding were thrown into a spin, and our bowlers struggled to hold back these two very tall and strong batsmen, who seemed to find the boundary with ease. Manly still had opportunities when Dantu was caught by Luke M off bowling from Luke P (1-18 off 3), followed by Zane's direct hit run out, and Luke K (1-16 off 4) forcing a caught behind, taking the score to 5-94 in the 23rd.

In the end Parramatta were close enough and steadied to reach the target in the 31st over. Parramatta eventually went on to win the title by defeating Inner West.

Manly didn't do much wrong, and as Tyrone said 'we gave it our all'. I'm really proud of the boys, they are such a talented group who play their cricket with a lot of voice and usually find a way to win. To be fair to our boys, this is an age group where you can get big differences in size. I don't think that Parramatta are better cricketers than



us, but it was like 12 year olds taking on half grown men, and I don't remember there being such a difference in last year's Semi, when we beat them.

To the credit of everyone involved, the match was played hard, fair and with mutual respect. Well done to the boys for a season with many highlights and excellent performances. I really enjoyed my role as coach this season.

Outstanding performances in the whole u13 division 2 competition:

Champion Player - Points

- 1st - Angus Greenland
- 4th - Robbie Graham McDowell
- 5th - Neo Pressley
- 9th - Harper Cole

Champion Player - Batting (Aggregate)

- 1st - Angus Greenland - 431 runs (86.2 Avg)
- 4th - Robbie Graham McDowell – 292 runs (48.67 Avg)
- 5th - Neo Pressley – 283 runs (47.17 Avg)

Champion Player - Bowling (Wickets)

- 3rd - Harper Cole – 15 wickets (12.47 Avg)
- 6th - Myles Nockolds – 13 wickets (11.38 Avg)

Champion Player - Fielding (Catches & Stumpings)

- eq 3rd - Myles Nockolds - 5 catches
- eq 3rd- Neo Pressley - 5 catches

Bowling Hall of Fame

Harper Cole - 5/18, the only player in the comp to get 5 wickets in an innings

Batting Hall of Fame

- Angus Greenland - 135* and 111*
 - Robbie Graham McDowell - 132*
 - Neo Pressley - 106
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Individual player comments:

Vyv Bhargava

Didn't get many opportunities with the bat or the ball during the season, but he shows good technique with the bat and scored a solid 39 against Northern Districts partnering with Gus for one of the top 5 partnerships totals in the competition (133). Vyv loves his cricket and trains hard and this showed in improved fielding and throwing from last year.

Zane Cassie

Took the new rock most weeks, in partnership with Claude or Sam. Bowled very tight and kept a good line all season and was unlucky not to bag more wickets. Didn't get a bat but always fields well, especially in the deep, taking 3 catches and effecting a good run out.

Harper Cole

Our tricky leg spinner and highest wicket taker (15) averaging just over 12. Bowled the most overs and produced the ball of the season by bowling a wrong-un that the batsman left and got bowled. Harper was also useful as an opening bat when you need someone more attacking. Always enthusiastic and surprisingly strong for his size, with some big hitting, including a big straight six. A great long throw in the field and took 3 catches and secured a couple of run outs.



Robbie Graham-McDowell

We nicknamed Robbie 'the weapon' and deployed him in the middle order where he earned a couple of outstanding batting performances, 133* and 72. An explosive batsman who can also terrorise with the ball with best bowling of 2-17. Game changing in the field, definitely our x-factor player.

Angus Greenland (Player of the Year)

Two hundreds and a fifty this season, and top run scorer in the whole division, nicknamed 'the maestro' for his lovely cover drives. Gus is the perfect number 3, as he's also an experienced opener who can help us reset if we lose an opener early, or



kick on and build partnerships in the middle overs. Gus is also a great keeper, taking 6 catches, 2 stumpings and a couple of run outs and an important leader in the team.

Tyrone Fender (Captain)

Tye opened the batting and had some solid starts and useful partnerships with Neo, which got us going. Tye also bowled very

useful off-spin and did well opening the bowling and keeping it tight in the semi-final. Tye is now an experienced captain and really brings a lot of energy and commitment to the role and deserves all the respect he gets from the lads. 3 catches and a stumping, always a solid fielder and occasional fill in keeper.

Luke Kennedy

Player of the T20 series (2 games) where he opened and carried his bat, and also came into the middle order in the second game and top scored. A good medium pace bowler which makes for a handy all-rounder, best bowling of 2/10. Thoughtful and focused on his game, and a great team player. Luke was very composed against North Shore when after misfielding he returned a perfect throw to the bowler at the non-strikers end to get the run-out.

Luke McFarlane

Luke began his season a little late due to an injury. With Luke's very sound technique and flowing strokeplay he slotted in perfectly at the no.4 position. However, with only half a season and the top order firing most games, Luke didn't get many chances to show his ability with the bat. Luke's also a great catch in the field and makes it look easy, he snagged 3 catches this season.

Myles Nockolds

It's so important to have a reliable change bowler, and that's Myles. Bowling a slippery fast/medium full and straight ball, it's easy to understand how he managed 12 wickets, averaging just over 11. Best bowling of 4/30 against Hornsby and 3/11 vs Canterbury. Myles was also our fastest runner between wickets, great for scoring runs in the final overs.

Luke Peters

Luke is an 'all rounder' and strong striker with the bat where he averaged 19. As a bowler with an average of just over 12 he was likely under utilised. Luke was one of



our 'go to' players when we need some big hitting in the final overs. Luke also found a useful role as a partnership breaker with the ball. Also strong in the field with 3 catches and a very sharp run out.

Neo Pressley (Vice-Captain)

Opened with Tyrone in all the 40 over games and didn't bat in the 20/20 games. Neo scored 106 runs against Hornsby and was very solid in the opening role with additional scores of 70*, 39, 38, and 36 which is a great record to have and really helps us off to a solid start. Neo really dug in and carried his bat against Fairfield/Liverpool with 70* off 90 balls to secure the win in the last round game.

Claude Remond

Only played the first 2 games, then went to Div 1. Fast, aggressive and full of talent, also with the bat.

Sam Roche

Sam bowls a fast, heavy ball and with his great whippy action I'm surprised that he didn't get rewarded with more wickets. Sam toiled hard all season and was the hardest to score off in any bowling partnership. Sam frequently opened the bowling but had no opportunity with the bat, even though I'm sure he's quite useful in the middle order or at the end of an innings. Sam has a great arm and is lightning quick in the field.

Adam Pressley
(Coach)



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 14 Harold Moore Shield Report



Under 14 Harold Moore Shield Division 1 Team: Ethan Buchanan (captain), Will Brewster, Jack Donnan, Eshaan Holla, Preston Lee, Tom Molloy, Harry O'Sullivan, Zach O'Sullivan, Archie Rochford, Robbie Tipton, Luke Watts, Lewis Whiley

Coaches: Scott Brewster, Paul O'Sullivan

Manager: Emma Donnan

Trainer: Luke Donnan

Player of the Year: Ethan Buchanan

2020/21 NSW Youth Championships Harold Moore Shield Undefeated Champions

Winners - The MIKE PAWLEY Representative Award

for the most outstanding Division 1 Representative Team of the season

The curtain is drawn on a wonderful year for the Manly U14 CNSW Youth Championship team. This side will be remembered in the Manly history books as one of the most successful U14 rep teams, having been only the second Manly team to win this shield. Every player contributed and enjoyed several highlights during the season. All individual successes aligned to team goals. This led to a high-level team performance and the ultimate success in winning the Harold Moore Shield. Beyond that and most significantly, the boys learned the importance of teammanship and playing their role for the benefit of the team. Friendships, bonds, and memories were made, which will last a lifetime.

There were also many exceptional performances. Our top four batsmen, Ethan, Preston, Jack & Harry all finished in the top 20 run scorers in the competition with Ethan leading with an incredible aggregate of 506 runs. Our bowlers also featured strongly in the final statistics with Lewis the top wicket-taker in the competition with 20 scalps. Tom and Archie also featured in the top ten wicket takers. These statistics are impressive; however, they do not include the wonderful bowling spells which went wicketless but provided the pressure for wickets to fall at the other end. They don't include the batters coming to the crease at difficult times; taking risks to move the score forward & supporting the important partnerships which put our team in strong positions. All these moments need to be acknowledged as an integral component of our team's success.





The team worked consistently on their fielding and game awareness. The mantra, 'don't watch it, be a part of it' was drilled into their psyche throughout the season. This helped all players to engage in the field and support the bowlers and each other. This was particularly noted in the Grand Final where the boys displayed one of their finest performances in the field, but more about that later.

Pre-season training started back in July and despite the COVID restrictions in place, we managed to get started. Building on from the confidence gained from the team's splendid win at Ballina, the players began preparation in a very physical, thoughtful & technical minded manner. We spent many hours building the players fitness and strength, refining & developing the technical components of batting, bowling, fielding, and catching. By round 1, the boys were ready and roaring to play + excited to be playing on turf.

Match Results - CNSW Youth Championships

Round 1: Manly vs. South Eastern at Pioneer Park, Sun 18th October

Manly 10/176 (47 overs) defeated South Eastern 10/149 (46 overs)

Jack Donnan 78, Luke Watts 24, Will Brewster 23

Eshaan Holla 2-16 (7 overs), Archie Rochford 2-20 (7 overs)

Over the past few seasons Sth Eastern had managed to defeat us so often it would be fair to say they had become our bogey team. This was going to be a tough game and after losing the toss and sent into bat, we lost Preston early. Jack Donnan strode confidently to the crease to join Harry and they set about digging in & building a partnership. At 38, we lost Harry, then not long after, Ethan departed, leaving us a tad vulnerable at 3-59. SE were on a high. Luke joined Jack, who was hitting the ball confidently and looking set for a bit innings. They took the score to a solid 145 when Jack, mostly through tiredness, lost his wicket going for quick runs, but it was an innings to remember. He set the team up with a magnificent 78. It was an innings of elegant timing, power hitting and a pure delight to watch. Other contributions from Luke and Will helped us to 176.

We were 20-30 runs short of the total in mind and Sth Eastern were well known for chasing scores. We had to bowl & field well. Lewis & Ethan set a good tone in their opening spells with consistent line & length. Nothing was going to be given to SE on a platter, they were going to have to work overtime to earn a win. Their batters settled after the opening spells and the game was evenly matched, then the slow bowlers worked their expertise and started to swing the game in our favor. Eshaan started the roll via a neat stumping by Zach, then Tom & Archie followed suit by maintaining a



consistent length & keeping the pressure on SE batsmen. Wickets fell & SE eventually ran out of puff. It was a solid team win and good start for our season.

Round 2: Manly vs. Hornsby at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 25th October

Manly 10/119 (48 overs) drew Hornsby 3-15 (5 overs)

Will Brewster 23, Zach O'Sullivan 23

Robbie Tipton 3-5 (2 overs)

Round 2 ended in a draw after heavy rain stopped play 5 overs into Hornsby's innings. Five out of the eight matches were washed out; however, 3 teams were lucky enough to get results & moved ahead of the pack with their sneaky wins. This match wasn't our best batting performance after being sent in to bat, but it is fair to say the wicket proved difficult and justified Hornsby's decision to bowl first. A late partnership between Will and Zach plus some good late hitting from Robbie gave our score some credibility. In normal circumstances Hornsby would have considered this an easy run chase, but Robbie had other plans. He drew blood early and collected 3 of their best with a short & sharp spell of scintillating fast bowling. When rain stopped play & it was hard to say who was in front or who was happier to see the rain, we'll never know as the rain kept falling and the game was washed out. It was a good test of our batting depth and very nice to see Robbie in full flight, even for just a few overs.

Round 3: Manly vs. St. George at Cahill Park, Sunday 1st November

St George 10-45 (29 overs) defeated by Manly 0/46 (5 overs)

Tom Molloy 5-10 (9 overs), Archie Rochford 3-9 (5 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 28 n.o

Rain, rain and more rain just flowing on from last week. The match was moved from turf to synthetic, and while the pitch was ok to play on, the outfield was wet & the umpires delayed the start for an hour. Fortunately, the weather held off for a few moments for the parent body, with brooms & brushes in hand, to work their sweeping skills and eventually, the game was able to start. We won the toss and sent St George in to bat. Their openers dug in as the clouds loomed again, but a direct hit run out by Will started the momentum roll. Over to Tommy Molloy.... this was the day Tom stood tall with a fine performance of spin bowling. Even more significant were the difficult conditions & wet ball, he bowled so accurately. Toms' control & consistency was too much for the St George batters and he finished with a magnificent five wicket haul. He was well supported by his teammates in the field and Archie at the other end. It's anyone's guess how Archie managed to spin leggies with the wet ball, but he managed to take 3 important scalps. St George bowled out for 45, sketchy skies overhead, the umpires decided to take the 'normal' 45 min lunch break. It wasn't the easiest 45 minutes under the tent, especially as the rain had cleared but dark clouds loomed in the distance. We were willing to wait until dark just to have a crack at the small run



chase. Eventually the lunch break finished, and the drizzle started again, but the clouds broke clear for us to get in 5 overs. This was enough for Ethan & Will to belt the 46 runs needed to win. This proved to be a handy win for us as 3 other matches were drawn. Thanks to St. George for their sportsmanship and willingness to get the players on the field.

Round 4: Manly vs. North Shore at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 8th November
Manly 10/121 (49.3 overs) defeated North Shore 10/119 (49.5 overs)

Preston Lee 44, Ethan Buchanan 40

Preston Lee 4/7 (5 overs), Lewis Whiley 2/11 (10 overs)

Zach O'Sullivan 4 catches, Robbie Tipton, 1 catch, 2 run outs

If South Easter were our bogey team, North Shore were our nemesis. This match was set to be a thriller with plenty of grudge and attitude. Last year's worthy premiers taking on this year's challengers. It would be the test our team needed. Will we go toe to toe with them and finish ahead or would we fall short as per some previous encounters? Surely it wouldn't be another tie as per last year's thriller? Questions that needed to be asked and answered? The sky was gloomy, but the wicket looked fine, outfield a little slow and damp, but no rain in sight, the scene was set.

Manly won the toss and elected to bat. It was tough going for the openers as the NS boys piled on the pressure & gave nothing away. After losing the openers at 2-19 after 9 overs, Preston joined Ethan to a chorus of chirping & chatting, it sounded like seagulls in The Corso, fighting over a chip. You could feel the tension as NS held the upper hand and were not shy expressing it. Preston and Ethan dug in and refused to be pulled into the hype going on around them. Our batters set about their task & started to fight back & let their bats do the talking. The 'chirp' quietened. The partnership passed the 50 run mark and the team started to build a healthy total, then disaster, as Ethan sent a ball in the air toward the boundary and an excellent catch was taken in the deep, and did they celebrate! The floodgates opened after that wicket as we lost 8/41 off our last 15 overs. Up the other end, Preston held strong and anchored our innings to 121. The cluster of wickets falling toward the end was disappointing and the mood during lunch matched the overcast weather.

Nonetheless, runs on the board can be worth twice as much if we bowled & fielded to our potential. NS started their innings well despite some good bowling from Lewis & Robbie. Finally, their opener chased an outswinger from Lewis & Zach took a sharp catch behind the stumps. This lifted our spirits, but more energy was needed, and Lewis provided the tonic with continued pressure, we had them 3/20. Despite some tight & miserly bowling, NS crept up to the 80 run mark. Only 40 to get with 7 wickets in hand & two quality batters settled. We needed someone to provide a special spell. Over to Preston, who in his first over managed to get the breakthrough with the help



of Zach via another good catch. Then another, and another as the momentum began to swing. Preston's 5 over spell turned the game on its head. Beautiful outies found the edge & the Preston - Zach partnership worked a treat.

The match was still anyone's to win until the scoreboard pressure forced NS into some strange decisions while running between the wickets. This engaged our fielding skills, in particular Watts, Tipton & Brewster who set a magnificent standard, keeping calm under pressure, they executed 3 exceptional runouts. Game over with 1 ball and 1 run to spare. Palpitating finish & a match to remember. Congratulations to both teams on a wonderful & exciting game of cricket.

**Round 5: Manly vs. Northern District at ELS Hall Park, Sunday 15th November
Manly 7/254 (50 overs) defeated Northern District 10/161 (38 overs)**

Harry O'Sullivan 73, Preston Lee 71, Ethan Buchanan 69
Lewis Whiley 5/22 (7 overs), Tom Molloy 2/22 (6 overs)

The sun made an appearance after 2 weeks of cloud & rain, welcome back! The outfield appeared dry & the pitch was being rolled as we arrived at ESL. ND were a side on the march & had some very good players. We needed to continue the momentum following the fine win last week. No place for complacency. Ethan won the toss & we batted. Harry & Jack looked solid until a mix up ended in Jack being run out. Ethan joined Harry & they looked about setting a big total. Harry worked the ball particularly well, enabling Ethan to play his natural hitting game. It was a wonderful partnership to watch as the boys piled on 103 runs for the second wicket. When Ethan fell, Preston walked out & started middling the ball immediately. Harry sat back and watch the show as Preston displayed his class with the bat. His timing was on song & the ND bowlers had no answers to his power hitting. When he eventually fell for 71, Harry & Preston had put on the teams' second hundred run partnership. It's no surprise the boys like to bat with Harry, he does the simple things well. Harry's brilliant innings of timing and elegance eventually came to an end when the team was on 250 and well set up. Great batting all around by our top order.

Over to Lewis and the bowlers. It only took 3 balls before Lewis trapped their opener LBW and then another shortly after to have ND 2/15. Lewis was on fire & he wanted to keep bowling, but the laws only allow 5 over spells at aged 14. The ND batters settled and managed to take the score to 70, but the pressure from the bowlers; Eshaan, Preston, Tom and Archie and skill in the field was too much as the wickets began to tumble. The lower order dug in late & threw their bat with some good hitting, but Lewis grabbed the ball for his second spell & rolled through the tail finishing with a magnificent 5 wicket haul. It was a fine win in very hot conditions. No complacency today following consecutive and impressive victories. I could sense at this stage the team was building toward something special.



Round 6: Manly vs. Hawkesbury at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 22nd November

Manly 3/196 (20 overs) defeated Hawkesbury 6/139 (20 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 47, Will Brewster 45, Preston Lee 39 no, Jack Donnan 36

Lewis Whiley 4/10 (3 overs)

Cross over rounds with 20/20 cricket. This provided opportunity for a change in the order. After winning the toss and electing to bat, Jack & Will opened the batting and piled on 73 runs for the first wicket. Ethan and Preston then stepped up to the plate & teed off, taking the score to an imposing 196. It wasn't the strongest bowling attack, but all batters took full advantage of the opportunity to score some impressive runs.

Lewis steamed in and managed a wicket in his first over courtesy of a good catch from Luke. The Hawkesbury batters had no answers to the imposing fast bowler who ripped in and took 4 valuable wickets. Along the way, destroying any hope they had of chasing down the 196 runs required. In 3 scintillating overs, Lewis took 4-10. Despite some resistance from the number 2 and 7 batters late in the innings, the damage had been done. Archie cleaned up the tail, game over.

Round 7: Manly vs. Blacktown at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 22nd November

Manly 3/159 (20 overs) defeated Blacktown 10/118 (17 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 64, Luke Watts 42

Lewis Whiley 3/18 (3 overs), Ethan Buchanan 2/9 (4 overs), Archie Rochford 2/24 (3 overs)

Blacktown were undefeated heading into the split round 7 match after belting teams on their side of the ledger. This was going to be a tough game and the Blacktown boys strode out onto the field full of confidence, high energy and plenty of talk after Ethan won the toss again and elected to bat. It wasn't the start we wanted after losing Will in the first over, but Harry & Ethan settled the nerves and took the score to 44 before we lost Harry. Luke was elevated to no.4 and took full advantage with a great partnership with Ethan. Power batting & clever running between the wickets took our score to a competitive 159. Blacktown had some power hitters, we had to bowl well.

Lewis opened the bowling and had the umpire raising his finger for LBW off the third ball which was heading toward middle stump. Tom opened the bowling at the other end, also with immediate impact thanks to a good catch from Archie. Blacktown 2/5 after two, their number 4 came in and turned the game on its head with a magnificent display of power hitting. He took on all bowlers, but somehow, we still managed to pile pressure & take wickets when he wasn't on strike. It was a test of our resilience & composure. The ball was thrown to Archie when the game was in the balance. As per script, Archie threw one up & the batter used his feet nicely, but as the ball dipped suddenly, he couldn't get fully underneath the ball to hit over the inner field, instead he belted it hard and straight into the belly of Eshaan at mid-off. The ball stuck & the



brilliant catch ended his fine innings. Blacktown's hopes of snatching a win looked slim, but the next forms of brilliance snuffed out any chance they might have had thanks to two direct hit run outs from Preston & Robbie. Ricky Ponting would have been pleased with the standard they set in the field today.

Round 8: Manly vs. Sutherland at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 29th November

Manly 5/217 (30 overs) defeated Sutherland 7/122 (30 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 156 n.o, Luke Watts 40

Lewis Whiley 3/14 (6 overs), Tom Molloy 2/18 (6 overs), Eshaan Holla 2/24 (6 overs)

Round 8 had the only two undefeated teams meet for a gigantic clash. The extreme hot weather shortened the game, adding to the tension and resulting in a 30/30 match. The wicket was hard to read and Sutherland won the toss and decided sent us in to bat. After 2 overs we were 2/1, having lost both openers, Sutherland were pumped and their decision to bowl first looked good. Preston and Ethan settled, putting on 27 runs together, but then we lost back-to-back wickets again with Preston holing out to a catch & Will arriving & going first ball, suddenly we were teetering at 4/27 after 8 overs. Sutherland were well on top. Luke joined Ethan, who was starting to feel the pace of the wicket & time the ball well. Little did we all know, but we were about to watch one of the finest innings and partnerships at junior rep level in u14. Ethan & Luke started their partnership by working the ball away from the field with smart placement & running between the wickets. This caused frustration with the Sutho bowlers, who started to stray their lines & lengths. Ethan pounced on every delivery. He grew in confidence with every shot, belting balls to all 360-degree parts of the field. Sutherland had no answer to the power, placement & timing from Ethan's bat. Luke did his part, rotating the strike cleverly and striking the odd boundary. This allowed Ethan to play his natural game. At the end of 30 overs the boys had put on 190 runs off 147 balls. Ethan's batting was simply a magnificent & dominant innings from a quality cricketer, and to Luke's composure and ability to read the game and play to his partner's strength. Credit to both boys.

Sutherland were a little shell shocked when they came off the field. We aimed to capitalize on this and Lewis, for the 4th time this season started his spell right on mark, clipping the top of off stump with his 4th ball. This brought their top 2 batters together who set about building a partnership. Lewis and Robbie piled on the pressure working well in partnership as the run rate slowly increased. Then the spin twins, Tom & Eshaan came on in partnership with immediate effect. They continued the good bowling and the fielders chipped in with tremendous pressure. Jack took 2 good catches and then Lewis came back on to clean up the tail. It was a terrific win off the back of a magnificent innings from the captain.



Round 9: Manly vs. Inner West Harbour at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 6th December
Manly 4/113 (30 overs) defeated Inner West 10/112 (44 overs)

Robbie Tipton 38, Jack Donnan 30

Luke Watts 2/3 (3 overs), Tom Molloy 2/38 (10 overs), Robbie Tipton 2/13 (3 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 3 catches

Heading into our final round match, we were in top place on the ladder, guaranteed a semi-final spot but wanting to maintain momentum and win the minor premiership. It was also an opportunity to provide time for a few players who had missed out in the last few weeks. It was a small risk to change a winning formula, but when you train hard all season, you earn the right to mix things around with confidence in all players to do the required job on hand. IW won the toss & elected to bat on a good deck. Their openers dug in and saw off the new bowling combination of Ethan and Will. Lewis & Tom bowled first change with immediate effect. They struck immediately & started to clean up the top & middle order. Eshaan came on and bowled his finest spell of the season. IW batters couldn't get into any real partnerships due to the fine bowling and energetic fielding, including 2 good catches to Will. It was a great team effort, but we still had to mow down the runs.

Harry and Jack opened and provided the team with a solid start until we lost Harry to a good catch. Robbie was elevated to number 3 with immediate effect, belting 38 runs off 45 balls. At the other end, Jack kept the score ticking over, then Lewis finished the innings with a good knock. The runs were mowed down on the 31st over and the team deserved finishing with the minor premiership and a home semi-final.

Semi Final: Manly vs. Canterbury & Western Suburbs at Mike Pawley Oval, Sunday 3rd December

Manly 3/250 (50 overs) defeated Canterbury & Western Suburbs 10/173 (42 overs)

Ethan Buchanan 86, Preston Lee 64 n.o, Harry O'Sullivan 33, Jack Donnan 29

Preston Lee 2/17 (5 overs), Archie Rochford 2/36 (10 overs)

The excitement was palpable. The weather perfect and both teams ready to play. Winner into the GF, loser off to ponder the opportunity missed. We were in this position last year and had plenty of time 'pondering' after losing to Parra. However, this had been a very different year, the team had matured and we were ready to advance to the next stage. Ethan won the toss and we were very pleased to bat first on another beautiful pitch at Mike Pawley.

Harry and Jack are developing into a fine opening combination and this would be their biggest test. They didn't disappoint. They both absorbed the initial onslaught while at the same time ticked the score over with clever singles & boundaries to any balls slightly off line. Their 76-run partnership off 20 overs gave us the best possible start. We lost both openers in the space of a few overs, but the platform was set and this



brought Ethan and Preston to centre stage. These two lads love batting together. Ethan had been in sublime form & Preston was the perfect foil. He worked the ball well, giving Ethan strike & enabling him to find his groove almost immediately. The CW bowlers didn't know how to combat the timing, placement & power from this partnership. Before they knew it, the score had reached 250 and Manly were in the box seat. We couldn't have scripted our 50 overs more perfectly.

The lunch break was a welcome relief for CW, but all we wanted to do was to get back on the field and rip into their batters. Lewis & Robbie, as they had done all season, gave nothing away in their spells. They have developed into a formidable opening combination. CW were on the back foot, stuck in a hole & struggling to get out at 2/16 after 7 overs. Then, they had to contend with the spinners Tom, Archie and Eshaan, who all continued the pain, bowling with consisted line & length, giving nothing away while at the same time building pressure & taking wickets. Preston, Eshaan and Will all chipped in with wickets as the large total was just too big to chase. CW bowled out in the 43rd over & Manly into the GF.

To add to the incredible season and throw a spanner in the works leading into the GF, a COVID outbreak shut down the northern beaches and the GF was postponed indefinitely. At this stage, the uncertainty was frustrating to deal with, but we decided to go with the flow, continue with modified training & keep fingers crossed the GF would be played in Feb.

After 2 additional months of training over the summer holidays, CNSW confirmed the GF would be played on 21st Feb. We were also pleased to hear the match would be played at Manly oval. The longest Rep season in history, with only 2 teams left. What impact would the 2-month delay have on our momentum & self-belief? The ultimate test of our character and skill would soon be unfolded.

Paul O'Sullivan

Over to James for the Grand Final report.....

Grand Final: Manly vs. Sutherland at Manly Oval, Sunday 21st February

written by James Whiley

Manly 5/82 (25 overs) defeated Sutherland 10/81 (46 overs)

Harry O'Sullivan 21, Jack Donnan 20

Robbie Tipton 3/9 (6 overs), Archie Rochford 3/11 (6 overs), Eshaan 2/14 (5 overs)

Zach O'Sullivan 2 catches, 1 stumping



The rep season that kept on keeping on finally came to a conclusion. Due to COVID and various cluster bubbles, the grand final was repeatedly postponed... though never cancelled: all credit to the powers that be. The venue shifted too, starting in Auburn and ending at Manly Oval with a stop or two in between. Just as mercurial was the weather forecast which over the preceding week shifted from sunshine, to showers, then rain, then back again.

Early Sunday morning was grey, then rainy. But by the toss the sky was electric blue with fluffy white clouds riding a cooling sea breeze. With the forecast so hard to gauge and the possibility of a Duckworth-Lewis run chase, Ethan had pondered on the drive to the game whether to bat or bowl first. Luckily, he didn't have to choose as he lost the toss and let Sutherland throw the dice.

In the round game against them on November 29th, we'd won the toss and batted on the hottest day of the summer. After a poor start (4 for 27), Ethan had posted a big hundred with Luke's support and we'd won easily. But how would we go against Sutherland if they batted first, particularly after a two month break from competition?

As the Sutherland openers strolled out to make first use of a slightly green Manly Oval pitch, all those questions would be answered. Game on. This would be a true test of which was the better team.

The Sutherland openers made a few off the edge and a couple round the corner, but mostly they played and missed as Lewis swung the ball both ways at good pace. From the other end, Robbie bowled the spell of his life. He gave away a couple of twos as he warmed up in his first over, but that was all. The Sutherland lefthander looked in good touch – he'd made a hundred the day before - but a Tipton bullet pitched leg and smashed off stump to send him back to the pavilion for 7.

This brought their best batsman to the crease with nearly fifty overs to bat. Robbie and Lewis attacked him from the get-go, giving him nothing to get comfortable with. He took a couple of singles and kept the good balls out pretty easily. But, as we know, he loves to get his off-drive going. After fifteen balls for just two singles, Lewis had him driving at a ball that looked like the previous two inswingers but swung out late, just far enough to beat the edge. Next over he tried the same to Robbie and thickly snicked it, wide and low. It seemed it would beat both slip and keeper, but somehow Zach dived miles right to make one of the best catches and moments of the season. Zach's catch set the tone and made a statement that our fielding was going to be on today, and so it was.

By the time Lewis and Robbie had finished their spells, Sutherland were 2 for 15 off 10 and up against the ropes. But with 40 overs left to bowl, there was still plenty of time



for them to build a challenging total. Our first change bowlers had to keep the pressure on. Will rose to the challenge with his best spell of the season, barely conceding a run an over. At the other end, Tom did what Tom does, identifying and bowling straight at the batsmen's weaknesses. Sutherland became ever more tentative as the pressure built. At last their opener, having managed just 2 from 27, edged a Tom slider past Zach where Ethan dived low and hard to his left, onto his injured chest, to take a superb catch. Sutherland 3 for 16 off about 20.

With Sutherland in deep doodoo, Ethan played the Archie-card, knowing his variations would throw the batsmen further off balance. A briefly steadying partnership of 20 was broken when one of their other top batsmen, under severe run-rate pressure, skied an Archie fully high to mid-on where Lewis took the catch. Similarly, Sutherland's captain took Archie on, missed a beautiful leg break and was skilfully stumped by Zach. Soon after, Archie bowled Sutherland's stubborn number 5 (16 off 47), to finish with 3 for 11 off 6 overs. By this time, Eshaan had joined the attack from the north and removed two more batsmen in a fine spell of controlled leg spin. Between them our leggies took 5 for 25 off 11 overs.

The Sutherland tail was stubborn but could only add another 15 or so runs. Will returned for another excellent spell to finish with 1 for 12 off 8. Tom completed his ten overs to finish with a miserly 1 for 10. Robbie needed just 3 balls of his second spell to take the tenth wicket and top the bowling honours with a brilliant 3 for 9. Lewis was unlucky to go wicketless, his 7 overs costing just 11; and Preston's 4 overs cost just 9.

So, Sutherland all out for 81, five overs short of their 50. That answered the question of how would they go if they batted first. Now... how would we chase on a slow and turning wicket?

Harry and Jack batted with terrific intent from the outset, putting bat to ball hard and taking every run on offer. 7 came off the first over; 5 from the second. The Sutherland bowlers couldn't find the pressure line-and-length and our openers made them pay. In keeping with the mood, the Sutherland fielders missed some sharp chances and the openers cashed in.

Wisely, Sutherland cast around for a bowler who could make a difference and eventually they found him. At 0 for 48 Jack clocked a full toss from their second leggy square but in the air where the deep fielder made a good catch. Was this the break Sutherland needed? With only 33 needed, this was their chance. One or two balls later, I can't remember which due to the associated trauma, Harry was drawn down the pitch by a floater that dipped, drifted and spun, and was stumped. You could have heard a pine needle drop as Preston walked out to bat. Game on.



Ethan had owned the Sutherland bowlers in Round 9, but today even from the stands you could see his chest injury was hurting and impeding him at nearly every shot, amplifying the pressure of the battle. Preston was under the pump too as the Sutho leggie had the ball on a string. After facing seven balls on nought, Preston half-played-half-left a ball that trickled off the under edge of his bat and bowled him. Three Manly wickets gone on 48. Sutherland cock-a-hoop. Out came Luke Watts.

Next over, Ethan clipped a loose legside half-tracker to the boundary and the Manly community took its first breath for twenty minutes. But when he tried to guide a short, wide one to third man a few balls later, he feathered an edge. Manly 4 for 54. Sutherland had been 5 for 51. We were barely ahead. Out came Will Brewster.

Wattsy saw off another dangerous over from their leggie, then Will clipped a legside half volley from their medium pacer for four. The Sutherland bowlers were struggling to get their line right to our first left-right batting combination. Wattsy was surviving the bombshells and waiting, waiting, waiting for a loose ball. When he finally received a fully, he hit it straight, only just far enough to clear the deep mid-on and deep mid-off.

The leggie, perhaps starting to tire after a magnificent spell, gave Will another rank half-tracker that on any other occasion would have ended up on the tennis courts. But manfully resisting his natural urge to give it what it deserved, Will tried to nurse it to leg for a risk-free one or two. Instead, he got a leading edge and was caught at square leg.

With 12 still to get, I anxiously looked down the list to see who was left to bat: Tom Molloy, Robbie Tipton, Zach O'Sullivan... and decided everything would be okay. There's so much depth in this team. Tom, Robbie and Zach would bat top five in some of the teams we play against. Zach alone has played at least two heroic innings batting at number ten or eleven. These blokes are competitors. They weren't going to let us lose. This is how this Manly team has made the Grand Final; this is why we're here.

By contrast, Sutherland continued to go off the boil. Their last change bowler bowled three front-foot no-balls, allowing us to inch closer towards the total, and enough loose short, ones for Tom to cash in to third man. Suddenly we needed 4 to win and Tom sent a leg-side fully to the boundary. Relief! It was fitting that Tom hit the winning runs – he's contributed so much to this team over the years. And Wattsy had played one of the most important 4 not outs (off 33) in cricket history!

It wasn't the most emphatic, stylish win, but the mid-innings collapse gave us a chance to show our depth. It also showed how important it had been to finish the Sutherland innings off the way we did, and how significant our great catches had been. When

things had got tight, as they had earlier in the season against other sides, we'd once again proved to be the better side. Sutherland's leggie (4 for 14 off 7) was awarded the player of the final, but I thought Zach could have won it for his superb keeping and / or Robbie for his brilliant bowling.

So, two premierships in four seasons and a country carnival win? Hard work and solid planning resulting in great team performances. We had a bit of luck with the way the weather went in a couple of the Round games (Hornsby and St George), but beyond that, the team made it happen. And it was the team; everyone contributed. A few of the boys were right up there in the comp batting and bowling averages, but no-one could argue they did it by themselves. And every player improved throughout the season.

Thank you again to the coaching staff - Paul, Scott & Luke - Manager Emma, Fi and Maggie for scoring and to all the parents for another rewarding, unforgettable season of cricket.

And to the boys: we are so proud of how you play the game.

Harold More Shield Winners.



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 14 Anthony Neale Cup Report



Under 14 Anthony Neale Cup Division 2 Team: Oliver Goldsworthy (captain), Zachary Buchanan, Tom Cole, Matthew Evans, Alfie Gatehouse, Heath Gordon, Saurav Holla, Dustin Labador, Ben Leman, Joshua Pearson, Will Read, Cooper Swinney, Angus Williams

Coach: Adam Williams

Manager: Paul Goldsworthy

Player of the Year: Oliver Goldsworthy

2020/21 IDCA Anthony Neale Cup Champions

Winners - The ERROL CRANNEY Representative Award

for the most outstanding Division 2 Representative Team of the season

The 2020-21 Under 14 Presidents Cup side had a great year with some exciting games and amazing cricket played which saw them win the Anthony Neale Cup against Parramatta in a thrilling Grand Final!

Some would say we probably played too many ‘exciting’ games this year! Some easier wins would have been nice, but I suppose every team lifts when they play the previous year’s Premiers.

We had a few new faces in the Team this year, which was great to see. A few of the boys went up to the Division 1 side where they also had a fantastic, albeit exceptionally long, season and a few boys from our Shadow Squad last year stepped up for their chance at Rep cricket.

The boys started pre-season training with our Division 1 side, and it was great to see how excited they were for another season. Obviously, we were just excited to be allowed to train at that stage with all the COVID restrictions in place. A few of the boys had grown which always helps, in fact most of the team was taller than the Coach and Manager!

You know the culture of the Team is great when the boys get told to go on their warm-up lap and all you can hear is chatting and laughing. This year our Captain was Ollie Goldsworthy and he was a huge reason why these boys enjoyed their Season so much, he showed them how to play hard but also showed them the importance of respect.

After a long pre-season of training and a couple of games against our tough U13 Div 1 side we were ready to show the Competition what we were made of! A week before our first game Chris Melville gave us some great news, we had been allocated to play





on turf, but not just any ground, we got to open our Season and have our first ever game on turf at Weldon Oval. I want to thank Chris Melville for his efforts with the ground allocation, he really looked after our side and the boys were so excited every week, from not knowing if we would get a game on turf to playing every game on turf it was such a great experience for the boys.

We hosted Sutherland at Weldon for Round 1, Ollie did the right thing and won the Toss and sent Sutherland in on a juicy wicket. Manly looked and sounded confident but more importantly showed it on the field. Our opening bowlers Ben Leman and Tom Cole gave us the start we wanted, we had Sutherland 1/5 off 6 overs then 2/12 of 10. All our front-line bowlers got wickets, which was good for Team confidence and we bowled Sutherland all out for 89 in the 35th over. We let ourselves down a bit with extras gifting 27 runs, we just hoped this would not be the difference between a win or loss.

Our new openers Matt Evans and Cooper Swinney started our batting Season off and showed what a formidable pair they would be this year. Matt scored an unbeaten 46 and we only lost 2 wickets in the chase. A great start by all which had us full of confidence for the Season ahead.

Round 2 saw us travelling to play Inner West at Hudson Oval. The Oval and pitch looked amazing and we were keen to put some runs on the board, but we lost the Toss and were put into the field. Inner West played with maturity scoring 3 runs an over for the 1st 10 and played patiently. This was our first year of 50 overs so batting them out would be a new challenge for all teams. Our bowlers bowled well especially Matt Evans who terrified the batsmen with his pace to take 5 big wickets. Our extras were a lot better too only conceding 1 wide and 10 extras in total. What let us down was our concentration in the field, our game awareness was sloppy and in the end we would pay for it.

We bowled Inner West out for 117 and we took lunch.

It is a steep learning curve in your 1st year of playing on turf, all of the turf pitches we play on have been used on the Saturday, so the pitches start to break up after lunch on Day 2. We need to remember this and bat accordingly.

The boys went into bat with confidence because the pitch had played well, the square was fast but the outfield slow. Plenty of overs to get the runs without risk., 1/1 of the first over wasn't what we had in mind! Anyway, Matt Evans and Sourav Holla settled in for the next 10 overs but our run rate was slow, Matt Evans played well for 24 but our middle order really got bogged down and by the 30th over we were 7/59. We thought we had some hope with Heath Gordon and Zac Buchanan showing how to bat



positively but we fell short being bowled out for 110, close but not good enough especially after the way we had been training.

Round 3 saw us at home playing NWS Hurricanes. Our Team had a tough chat during the week about the loss in Round 2 and what that meant for the rest of the Season. The boys had to win every game because there were no semi-finals, the top 2 teams went through to the Grand Final. Obviously, this brings a lot of added pressure to the team, but the boys were positive and knew they could perform much better moving forward. And they did against the Hurricanes. Solid opening batting performances from Cooper Swinney and Sourav Holla saw us off to a great start and a great finish to the innings from Tom Cole and Angus Williams set a defendable innings. Our bowlers performed very well, consistently taking wickets and were backed up by our fielders who created 4 run outs. It was a good win, but we were expected to win so we moved onto our next game, our great rivals North Shore.

Round 4 we travelled to beautiful Balmoral to play North Shore on turf. I have to say there wasn't too many highlights in this game! Apart from the swim at the beach at lunch and after the game.

The 2 highlights came from Ben Leman who took 5 for 21 from 10 overs with two great spells of fast bowling and our Captain Ollie Goldsworthy who played his best innings of the Season on a pitch that was breaking up by the minute. A masterful display of patience and positive batting saw him bat around two and half hours and bring up the winning runs. Well done boys!

Round 5 we travelled to Hornsby and played on Berowra Oval which hadn't been played on the previous day so it was in amazing condition for the game. We were asked to bat first, and the boys were very cautious with 1-18 of 15 overs. The Hornsby boys came with great intent in the field and were the best fielding team we had played against. We needed to accelerate, and we did, Ollie Goldsworthy backed up his last Round innings with a superb 56, he did all the hard work and actually deserved more runs but he was backed up by Tom Cole who scored a destructive 40 runs and took us to a respectable 130.

We were confident going into the bowling innings and the bowlers were very good keeping the Hornsby boys to 3-42 of 25 overs at the half-way mark. Hornsby then put 2 good partnerships together and edged closer to our total. The Manly boys continued taking wickets but runs still flowed and the pressure was building. In the end we bowled Hornsby all out for 122 in the 48th over, it was a close game but a hard fought win and put the boys in good stead for the remaining games.

Round 6 and the Mathematicians of the Team were called upon to work out the run rate needed to get the boys into 2nd place with us being level with Hornsby in 2nd place



on the Ladder. Team Manager Paul Goldsworthy came through with the goods! After hours of cross-checking numbers and formulas and re-reading of the IDCA Rule Book, Paul sent through his spreadsheet and with help from Warren Evans we worked out a plan to get these boys into the GF. The only problem with the Maths was it came down to a coin toss! We had to bat first, score a 'motsa' then bowl Canterbury Wests out for not much... Easy!

We succeeded with the first part of the equation with batting first and scoring a 'motsa'. Our best batting performance of the year saw the boys put on 256 with Alfie Gatehouse the star. Alfie scored 72 from 92 balls, he showed all his skills and was supported by the Captain Ollie Goldsworthy with 24, Matt Evans with 41, Dustin Labador 35 from 36 balls and Tom Cole 35 from 29 balls! Great intent and a great confidence boost for our batsmen.

What we could not control was the weather. The rain came in at the lunch break and we didn't get back on to bowl for over 2 hours. The total was revised for Canterbury and the pressure was on for us to take 10 wickets. Our first task was to bowl 25 overs, so we officially had a game and therefore a result.

The Manly boys were ruthless, Tom Cole stood out with some crucial wickets and Matt Evans cleaned up the tail with honestly 10 minutes of light remaining. The game finishing just after 7pm, it was a huge day!

The boys had done everything they were asked of in regards to results to make the Grand Final but we had to wait till Monday morning to confirm the IDCA had the same formulas as us to confirm we had a better run-rate than Hornsby. With great relief we were confirmed as playing in the Grand Final and the boys were bursting with excitement and we had a great week of training. We were thrown a few curve balls during the week but thanks to Manly's President, Scott Brewster, all issues were resolved, and we finally worked out where we were playing.

We arrived at Monty Bennett Oval to play Parramatta who were undefeated for the Season and who we beat in a thriller in last year's Grand Final. To say Parramatta were fired up was an understatement, they wanted to win, and it showed. After a late start due to the pitch not having covers put on the previous day and still being wet in spots, Parramatta won the toss and to our amazement wanted to bat first.

The Manly opening bowlers Ben Leman and Tom Cole gave the Coach an early Xmas present, they had Parramatta 2 for 1 of 10 overs! Yes, that's right 10 overs. The joy continued with Will Read, Matt Evans, Zac Buchanan and Josh Pearson sharing the rest of the wickets. The fielding backed up the bowling. Cooper Swinney took the catch of the Season, a lofted shot that went over his head, he twisted and turned running backwards then dived full length taking a ridiculous catch right in front of the



screaming Manly Parents. We had bowled out Parramatta for 43 in 30 overs in a Grand Final, we were feeling good.

After a nervous lunch we headed out to chase 43. The boys talked about being positive in the run chase and not having to worry about a run-rate. Well cricket is a funny game! This time it wasn't funny it was more like cruel. They do say wait till both teams have batted to judge the 1st innings.

The fall of wickets started this way: 1-1, 2-4, 3-14, 4-15, 5-15, 6-17... not good!

To be fair our boys did show patience and intent, but the pitch was a shocker and the Parra boys bowled well. Cooper Swinney batted for nearly an hour for 6 hard fought runs, but we were not even halfway so Manly had to re-group. I had a chat to the remaining batters to be confident, concentrate on our game and more importantly don't listen to the banter on the field!

Thankfully we bat deep in this team, Dustin Labador started the comeback with the 2nd highest score of 7, he batted with great determination and concentration for 30 minutes. He was joined by Angus Williams at 6-17 and every Manly fan was on the edge of their seats. Dusty was dismissed with the score at 7-24 and Zac Buchanan entered the cauldron. Zac and Angus wrestled the game back Manly's way. Parramatta bought on their enforcer, he was a big angry young man and was letting our batsmen know how badly we were going. But by the end of the over he was noticeably quieter, Angus unbelievably scored 10 runs of the his over and this turned the game to Manly. He was taken off by his Captain after bowling just one over. Zac then chimed in with another boundary and we were nearly there. Zac was bowled with Manly at 8-40 on a pitch which was still getting worse. Enter our Grand Final specialist, Will Read. Will played a crucial innings the year before against Parramatta and he proved again that he loves the big moments.

No supporters from Manly dared move in their seat, everyone was praying for a miracle. Angus and Will played with luck, but these boys had more than just luck, they had belief. After going through the most nervous moments of our lives Will hit a glorious 4 in the 23rd over to give Manly the win! The Manly boys and entourage went bananas, it was an incredible win, an excruciatingly painful win, but it made it even sweeter.

After an initial crazy celebration, we gathered ourselves and went and showed our respect and thanked the Parramatta boys congratulating them on a fantastic game and Season.

The boys had an amazing Season of cricket and there were many highlights. Every boy in this team contributed and this is what made me so happy, they were a Champion



Team that had fun along the way. After Coaching this team for four years now this was by far the most enjoyable year, the reason for this was not the results but the calibre of boys and parents. The Parents should be enormously proud of their boys in this group, they are respectful, determined, funny and love playing with each other for Manly. A big thank you to the Shadow Squad boys who trained with us all Season, your time will come, stay patient, and keep enjoying your cricket. Special mention to James Olde who turned up and supported the Team at every game.

Our Leading Run Scorer was our Captain Ollie Goldsworthy, our leading Wicket Taker was Tom Cole and our top Fielder was Angus Williams.

Can I thank Warren Evans for his constant reassurance and insight into the game, you really passed on some fantastic knowledge to the boys, especially our bowlers. I would like to also thank Paul Goldsworthy and his Family. You gave so much time to this Team, behind the scenes and on match day, you were 1st to arrive at the games and last to leave, thanks again. To the Parents, thank you for getting your boys to every training and organised for game days and thank you for your support, it was a such a nice group to be involved with and I hope you enjoyed it too.

Well after three years we have three Championship Trophies, the boys have worked so hard and it is a great reward for them. I hope they enjoyed the Year and are looking forward to next Year which will be even tougher with all the teams wanting to take down the Champs!

Adam Williams



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 15 E.G. Weblin Shield Report



Under 15 E.G. Weblin Shield Division 1 Team: Andrew Boulton (captain), Vekaan Akbarally, Patrick Day, Roopmehar Dhillon, Bailey Foster, Jake Hutchings, Nathaniel Kwan, Joshua Lawson, Will Matheson, Angus McConnell, Ryan McPhee, Jack Slater, Seth Thompson
Filled in: Hayden Macfarlane, Miles O'Grady
Coach: Harjinder Dhillon, Richard Fry
Manager: Michael Kwan
Player of the Year: Andrew Boulton

The U15 Youth Championship side of 2020/2021 was one that showed great character, resilience, and camaraderie throughout the season. A year that was always going to throw different types of challenges with “COVID-19” and social distancing, etc, it was a year we will never forget.

“Do not judge me by my success, judge me by how many times I fell down and got back up again.”

- Nelson Mandela

I think it is fair to say that a team that loses five of their starting players early in the season would be written off by many, if not expected to struggle through this tough competition. Not this team. They accepted the situation, got back up and put in a tremendous fight each week. We should be very proud of every one that took the field.

“If a window of opportunity appears, don't pull down the shade.”

-Tom Peters

With injuries came opportunities, all the boys that came into the team not only held their own but brought great energy, enthusiasm, and a willingness to learn.

With COVID-19 the pre-season trial games were restricted to local teams only. A huge thank you goes out to Jordan Daily (Coach) and the U16/17 DCA side for their assistance.

Round 1 vs SEJCA:

This match featured an impressive batting and bowling display against one of the premier sides. The loss from the previous year was very much fresh and the boys were determined to turn the tables this time.

Batting first the boys showed a maturity in batting seldom seen in young players. Losing on only 4 wickets, they set a total of 251 with Bailey Foster (60), Roop Dhillon (58) and Andrew Boulton (96).





SEJCA came out playing some positive cricket and looked in control at 0/45. A bowling change by captain AB to bring on Will Matheson (8 overs 0-12) and Ryan McPhee frustrated the opposition into a wicket in Ryan's third over. With fresh batsmen at crease, Andrew Boulton (5 over 0-5) took control. Into the attack came his Leg Spinner (Roop Dhillon 10 overs 3-29) with himself from the other. They ripped through the top and middle order, leaving Seth Thompson (5 over 1-16) and Josh Lawson (8.2 over 4-13) to clean up the remaining wickets through some great stump to stump bowling. SEJCA all out 10/126. A great start.

Round 2 vs Hornsby was set to be our tester. High from the SEJCA win the boys were desperate to get on the field put the cleaners through last year's premiers. Not to be with the weather winning out.

Round 3 versus St George was a game that we needed to play and get a strong win but unfortunately the rain once again spoiled the plans.

Round 4 vs North Shore:

With some teams in our pool getting on the previous week, we needed to get back to playing cricket and winning. Unfortunately, it was not to be. Losing the toss and being asked to bowl, the Manly boys bowled without luck but kept the runs under control through some great fielding in the inner circle by Hayden MacFarlane and Jack Slater.

The opening pair of Josh Lawson (10 overs 1-35) and Angus McConnell (7 overs 2/21) got us off to a great start, Gus sending the middle stump of the North Shore opener somersaulting toward our keeper Billy Kwan. The highlight of the game was Patrick Day (8 overs 1/19) taking his first wicket with his first ball in Div 1 to remove the other opening batsman.

But the excitement was to be short lived as we learned of the news of another injury – only after bowling 3 overs, Jake Hutchings left the ground not to bowl for the rest of the game. North Shore took advantage of this and with luck going their way, catches finding grass, and our bowlers starting to get frustrated, they continued towards a good total. Andrew Boulton (10 overs 3/49) Seth Thompson (2 overs 0/8) and Roop Dhillon (10 overs 1/54) tried hard to drag back the momentum but when it is not your day, it's not your day.

Chasing 198 on a two-paced wicket was always going to be tough. Openers Jack Slater and Bailey Foster made a conservative start. Manly fell short despite a resilient innings by Jack Slater (12) and some hard hitting towards the end by Josh Lawson (18 no). Our first Loss.



In the week leading into the next game, it was decided to gamble on a team bonding session at the expense of one training session. The night included Trivia, Prizes (including boxes of Chocolate – very popular) and Pizza, and then to top it all off the MC of the event being none other than Michael Slater, a night the 12 boys would become a team. The Trivia winners (Team JR - Josh and Roop) were more interested in the second prize, box of chocolates. Not going to happen, as delighted captain AB closing out the box on his well-earned prize.

Round 5 vs Northern District:

A game that we desperately needed to win but also secure a bonus to get back in contention for the semi-finals. A loss would mean the end of our finals hopes.

Manly won the toss and chose to bat. Needing a big total, the opening pair of Bailey Foster and Roop Dhillon, played some aggressive and positive cricket, chancing their hands on a number of occasions and taking the attack to the opposition. The opening stand was 137 after 24 overs before the fall of Bailey Foster's wicket on a well-made 50. Andrew Boulton and Roop Dhillon continued the momentum, going at a great rate and playing some selfless cricket to take the total to 190 after 32 overs. Roop Dhillon getting out just before drinks on a well-made 85 off 96 balls.

It seemed like the boys were now starting to trust each other and play positive cricket. Jack Slater played the anchor role, continuously rotating the strike for the in-form Andrew to hit boundaries at will. Jack was soon out but after a great 18 off 26. Andrew Boulton continued to finish the innings off and making the tired bowlers pay for every loose ball. Well supported by Jake Hutchings Andrew brought up 100 off 81 balls to close the Manly innings on a mammoth total of 5 for 307.

Michael Kwan quickly calculated the Bonus point target and provided it to the coach. The team was given a challenge to keep the opposition below 160, allowing 10 runs for safe keeping. Our Opening bowlers, Josh Lawson (8 overs 1 /19) and Angus McConnell (8 overs 2/27) inspired the team's bowling display by ripping into the opposition taking two early wickets to have the ND struggling at 2 for 21 after 7 overs. Patrick Day (3 overs 0/15) and Miles O-Grady (3 overs 0/4) came into the attack and bowled with great control and discipline to keep the runs down. With the pressure on the opposition to score runs, the captain introduced spin from one end (Roop Dhillon 10 over 2/26 and Seth Thompson 7 overs 1/19) with himself at the other (Andrew Boulton 8 over 2/26) taking away any hopes of a victory from ND. Manly victory with a Bonus point.

Round 6 T20 vs Blacktown:

In the past few seasons, the T20s were nervous times for Manly and the tension was there again this year. A simple plan, a bunch of determined boys, add some words of



inspiration from Michael Slater at training, and finally a supporting video made specifically for the team by the master of T20 himself, Ollie Davies, were surely the ingredients to bring some great results. Thanks boys.

The first game was moved to a backup ground and shortened to 18 overs due to the wicket being left uncovered overnight. Blacktown won the toss and quickly called to bat first. There was some disciplined bowling and STAR wicket keeping by Billy Kwan, taking 5 catches and 1 stumping for the game (equivalent of a 5f or 100 for a batsmen). Well Done Billy. This was backed up by great fielding by Manly restricting the opposition to 6/120 after 18 overs. The pick of the bowlers being Seth Thompson (3 overs 2/19), Josh Lawson (4 over 2/19), Andrew Boulton (4 overs 1/22), and Jake Hutchings (3 overs 1/18). They were well supported by Gus McConnell (1 over 0/4) and Patrick Day (1 over 0/5).

Needing 6.7 runs per over and with 12 nervous boys, a discussion took place between the two senior players Andrew and Roop. A call was made to take matters into their own hands and open the batting. It took a couple of seconds to sink in with the coach and parents, but when we all looked at the determination that was in their eyes, it was a no-brainer.

One final question from the boys before going out – how do we want to approach this? Answer: We limit the Dot Balls and play proper cricket shots and we win the game.

A cautious but steady start, rotating the strike, and putting the bad balls away was just what was needed. The boys batted brilliantly, accelerating when needed to take the score to 0/104. With 17 to go, Roop lost his wicket making a great 39 and setting the platform for a great chase. With Andrew still in the centre, Bailey Foster coming in needing 17 off 24 balls, it was looking like a training drill -- the opposition not knowing whether to protect the boundary or a single. Andrew punished them with some brilliant innovative shots, moving to offside and scooping to fine leg for four. Andrew (70no off 49) finished the game off in great style hitting two consecutive boundaries; well support by Bailey who finished with 4 no. Great Win.

Round 7 T20 vs Hawkesbury:

The heat had already hit the high 30's during the first game and had taken its toll -- both Andrew and Roop needed hydration and a rest before taking to the field.

The boys had just witnessed a great victory and experienced firsthand how to approach a T20 innings. With this wisdom in our pockets, it was time for Bailey and Jake to play their part. Manly won the toss and chose to bat first. The openers picked up where the other two had left off and scored freely taking the score to 79 before losing our first wicket of Jake for a great 38 runs. Needing to close out a great start,



Andrew Boulton and Bailey showed great acceleration to take the score to a solid 128. A score that seemed below par to an outsider, but we knew it was going to be hard with the wicket providing plenty of support for the seamers.

Some great bowling by Andrew Boulton (3.3 over 2/18) and Jake Hitchings (2 overs 2/10) set the Hawkesbury team on the back foot. Manly showed great commitment in field with Ryan McPhee, the boundary rider, regularly diving to save boundaries. Jack Slater, Seth Thompson, Bailey Foster and Vahaan Akbarally's brilliant anticipation within the circle set the standard.

With one of their star batsmen still in, scoring quickly taking the score from 3/47 to 3/86, we needed a breakthrough. Into the attack came Roop Dhillon (4 overs 2/19) beating the batsmen and presented two stumping chances for Billy Kwan who executed them with lightning-fast hands both times – the batsmen not having any chance of recovery after advancing to the spinner. The wicket celebrations showed how much it meant to the boys.

With scoreboard pressure increasing and big hitters in the dressing room, Andrew went in for the final blow, bringing the field up into the circle, challenging the batsmen to hit over the top. The highlight of the game was the over by our Mr. Consistent (Patrick Day), 1 over 2 wickets for 2 runs closing out the Hawkesbury innings – all out 116. A great win to finish the day: 2 from 2, first time in three years. Well Done Boys.

Round 8 vs Sutherland Shire:

Confident from the two T20 wins, Manly went into this game with the season on the line, this being a must win game. The heat played a part in the start time and format, shortening the game to 30 overs.

Manly won the toss and decided to bat first, we lost two early wickets (Jake Hutchings [12] and Bailey Foster [2]) to be 2/24 after 7 overs. Two fresh batsmen in the middle, Andrew and Roop once again batted with authority taking minimum risks to take the score to 100 after 26 overs before Roop (26) lost his wicket as we looked to accelerate. Now with a good platform, with wickets and overs remaining, big hitters were sent in to crank the run rate. Unfortunately, this did not come off on this occasion, but some brilliant acceleration from Andrew Boulton (78no) got the total to 131.

With the heat now hitting the high thirties and the umpires keeping one eye on this number, the opening bowlers ran in hard and bowled good tight lines with edges consistently going between fielders or short of catchers. The boys continued to build pressure with short spells: Andrew Boulton (6 overs 0/32), Jake Hutchings (4 overs 0/24), Josh Lawson (4 overs 0/15), and Patrick Day (3 over 0/11). It was not until the 15th over before Gus McConnell (3 over 1/10) was rewarded with the first wicket.



The heat was starting to take its toll. Several close chances and some lapses in the field allowed the opposition take sharp singles and rebuild. With the game starting to get away from Manly, the captain once again called on his spinners Seth Thompson and Roop Dhillon to provide some impact. With some good support from the boundary rider, Ryan McPhee, Vahaan Akbarally, Jack Slater and Jake Hutchings Manly looked to change the game in our favour with two quick wickets from Roop Dhillon (4 over 2/17) and another one from Seth Thompson after some sharp work from the keeper Billy Kwan (3 overs 1/15).

Now the scene was set for a close finish, Sutherland needing 35 runs off 30 balls and Andrew and Jake to finish the overs off. You would put your money on Manly 10 times out of 10, but full credit must go to the Sutherland batsmen, who put our tired fielders under pressure and continually turned the strike to win in the last over. Disappointing result but proud of how they handled it.

Round 9 vs Inner West Harbour:

With Manly out of contention for the finals and one further injury to fast bowler Josh Lawson the boys were determined to finish on a high.

IWH won the toss and chose to bat first. Opening bowlers Angus McConnell (8.2 over 0/18) and Ryan McPhee (5 over 1/08) were relentless in their opening spells, giving no width and asking the batsmen plenty of questions. Ryan McPhee struck in his second over, going straight through the defences of the opener and knocking over his castle. As the pressure continue to mount on the batting side, IWH took on the wrong fielder for a quick single in Jake Hutchings and the result was a brilliant run out.

IWH now 2/11 after 6 and struggling to get the scoreboard moving, a bowling change from Manly. Seth Thompson (5 over 0/16) and Patrick Day (5 over 5/4) bowled brilliantly as a pair, Seth keeping it tight at one end with Patrick bowling stump to stump. It was not long before Patrick Day picked up two quick wickets to have IWH struggling at 4/29 after 16 overs.

Captain Andrew Boulton brought himself and his leg spinner into contention to rip through the remaining batsmen and head into the shade for an early afternoon. The pair bowled with great control Andrew giving nothing away, finishing with the figures of 5 overs 0/8 and Roop challenging the batsmen, who did not seem to be picking his wrong-one. Some great work behind the stumps from Billy Kwan and some great catching in the outfield resulted in 4 wickets. Roop finishing with figures of 8 overs 4/18, Manly closing out the IWH innings through some brilliant fielding by Ryan McPhee for a direct hit run out.

Set a target of 75, Manly openers, Vahaan Akbarally and Jack Slater look to get things started. Unfortunately, Vahaan was out second ball to a peach that even Ricky



Pointing would have struggled to keep out. Jack Slater and Seth Thompson started the rebuilding journey taking the score to 30 before Jack was trapped LBW for a well-made 5. Manly now 2/30 and the bowlers with their tails up, Seth was joined by keeper-batsman Bill Kwan. They scored freely, rotating the strike regularly and Seth playing some glorious shots all around the park. Billy Kwan was trapped LBW as he tried to finish the game quickly and was soon joined in the sheds by Seth Thompson, runout for a well-constructed and positive 32 runs. With only 15 runs to get both Andrew Boulton (9 no) and Roop Dhillon (4 no) came together to finish off the game and sing the team song for the final time in the season. A brilliant finish to the season.

All-in-all, a good season where the boys showed plenty of resilience and fighting qualities during tough times. This team is full of immensely talented boys that I am sure you will hear a lot more of in the cricketing world. I was extremely fortunate to have a tremendous group of parents who supported me throughout the year, so thank you. Finally, I like to extend my thanks to the best manager in the world Michael Kwan who was awesome as ever in organising and communicating throughout the year.

In closing:

“It’s your reaction to adversity, not adversity itself that determines how your life’s story will develop.”

— **Dieter F. Uchtdorf**

Looking forward to the next chapter in these boys’ development.

MWJCA 2020/21 Under 15 IDCA Cup Report



Under 15 IDCA Cup Division 2 Team: Jeremy Scarf (captain), Gus Anderson, Jack Beverley, Luke Burgess, Arjun Chakravarty, Archie Hodgson, Beau Kelley, Hayden Macfarlane, Miles O'Grady, Ryan Osbourne, Nicholas Rademan, Sean Rose, Harry Wood
Shadow squad: Dylan Vlatko, Carlo Zanella

Coaches: Scott Anderson, Tim Hodgson

Manager: Edward O'Grady

Player of the Year: Arjun Chakravarty

2020/21 Under 15 IDCA Cup Semi Finalists

Round 1 – 6th December 2020 versus Sutherland - at Tonkin Park Cronulla
Manly defeated Sutherland by 7 wickets

<i>Sutherland 10/182 (49 overs)</i>	<i>Manly 3/183 (38 overs)</i>
Luke Burgess - 3/17 (8)	Arjun Chakravarty - 72
Arjun Chakravarty - 2/37 (10)	Luke Burgess - 34
Ryan Osbourne - 2/16 (5)	Jeremy Scarf - 33*



Round 2 – 13th December 2020 versus Parramatta – Frank Gray Oval, North Curl Curl

Manly defeated Parramatta by 7 wickets

<i>Parramatta 10/118 (45 overs)</i>	<i>Manly 3/119 (39.3 overs)</i>
Luke Burgess - 3/13 (10) Arjun Chakravarty - 2/8 (4.2) Ryan Osborne - 2/16 (8)	Arjun Chakravarty - 58* Hayden MacFarlane - 34* Jeremy Scarf - 16

Round 3 - 31st January 2021 versus NWS Hurricanes – Harold Read Park, Girraween

Manly defeated NWS Hurricanes by 92 runs

<i>Manly 10/160 (49 overs)</i>	<i>NWS 10/68 (38 overs)</i>
Hayden MacFarlane - 46 Archie Hodgson - 25 Arjun Chakravarty - 17	Luke Burgess - 2/4 (6) Beau Kelley - 2/8 (6) Miles O’Grady - 2/16 (5) Sean Rose - 0/4 (5)

Round 4 – 7th February 2021 versus North Shore - Frank Gray Oval, North Curl Curl

Manly defeated North Shore by 6 wickets

<i>North Shore 10/ 59 (25.3 overs)</i>	<i>Manly 4/60 (31.3 overs)</i>
Miles O’Grady - 5/7 (5) Arjun Chakravarty - 2/2 (2.3)	Gus Anderson - 24* Luke Burgess - 19

Round 5 - 14th February 2021 versus Blacktown - Mittaggar Reserve (Front Oval)

Blacktown defeated Manly by 66 runs

<i>Blacktown 8-149</i>	<i>Manly 10/83 (45.4 overs)</i>
Miles O’Grady - 2/11 (6) Beau Kelley - 1/12 (5.4) Jack Beverley -1/18 (3) (plus a run out) Luke Burgess - 1/38 (10)	Gus Anderson - 23 Hayden MacFarlane - 20 Jeremy Scarf - 10

Round 6 (Semi Final) – 21st February 2021 versus Hornsby Red - LM Graham Reserve

Manly defeated Hornsby Red by 8 runs

<i>Manly 9/124</i>	<i>Hornsby Red 10/116 (48.4 overs)</i>
Gus Anderson - 52* Ryan Osbourne - 13* Luke Burgess - 11	Luke Burgess - 3/10 (7) Miles O’Grady - 3/25 (10) Beau Kelley - 1/14 (7.4) Jack Beverley - 1/18 (7)



After the pure high of winning our SF at Graham’s Reserve last Sunday we all experienced a week of huge distraction and bitter disappointment as we learned first-hand that a team who has worked their back sides off to play was deemed ineligible to play in the big dance. Fortunately, we tossed around every stone possible to try and reverse this outcome with the tireless help of Ed O’Grady (team manager) & Scott Brewster (rep chairman). However sometimes your ultimate goal is not achieved however plenty of positives come from such adversity. A few that clearly stood out to me include:

- the Manly junior and senior rep community stand tall together. We support each other when your mate needs you the most.
- if you build a team culture that the team comes first no hill is too high to climb.

One thing we know as a team is that change will happen at IDCA level and that change will benefit all future age groups. Fourteen (14) year old boys/young men will not need to experience the disappointment our boys did this week because good people who use common sense and don’t have their own agendas will make the right decisions at the right times.

Round 7 (T20s) – 28th February 2021– Warrina Street Oval Berowra Heights

Manly defeated by Hornsby Red by 2 balls

<i>Manly 7/110 (20 overs)</i>	<i>Hornsby Red 9/111 (19.4 overs)</i>
Arjun Chakravarty - 40	Hayden MacFarlane - 3/24 (4)
Jeremy Scarf - 16	Jack Beverley - 1/9 (2)
Harry Wood - 14	Luke Burgess - 1/15 (4)
	Ryan Osbourne - 1/26 (3)

Manly defeated by Sutherland by 7 wickets

<i>Manly 9/85 off 20 overs) defeated by</i>	<i>Sutherland 3/86 (15)</i>
Ryan Osbourne - 30	Archie Hodgson - 1/14 (3)
Archie Hodgson - 17	Jack Beverley – unassisted runout
	Miles O’Grady, Jeremy Scarf – assisted runout

So that’s it for our incredible season.

Incredible because this group of young men formed a special team bond that will never be broken under pressure or by external factors out of our control.

A huge thanks to our boys, parents, supporters and the manly junior rep community.

This group will be back next year with unfinished business on our minds

Sharing the highs and lows is what a team is all about!

A quick summary of this team and what they brought this year from Ando (coach):

Jeremy Scarf (captain): unselfish, natural leader & quality all-rounder.

Luke Burgess: classy bat & a weapon leggie.

Gus Anderson: a rock at the top of the batting order and sharp in the field.

Arjun Chakravarty: attacking No.3 who's steely determination as an all-rounder brings real starchy to the team.

Hayden MacFarlane: strong batsman who also showed his skills (we all knew he had) with the ball in the T20.

Archie Hodgson: a solid all-rounder who is also tactically strong in the field.

Jack Beverley: a solid all-rounder and very good fieldsman.

Harry Wood: a very classy glove man who lifted the fielding standard considerably. Also has a plenty of time to play his strokes at the crease.





Nic Rademan: First year of reps. His bowling improved out of sight this season and can hit a big ball.

Beau Kelley: 1st year of reps. Is the fastest bowler in the IDCA & continues to improve as an all-rounder.

Ryan Osbourne: 1st year of reps and looked like he has been in the side since U11's. Opened the bowling, hands like buckets and batted so well in clutch moments

Sean Rose: First year of reps and worked his back side off. Bowled really well in partnerships without the rewards and a good team man.

Miles O'Grady: outstanding opening bowler who moves it both ways and is a student of the game! Another great team man who brings empathy and chat to the group.

Carlo Zanella (shadow squad): great team man and all-rounder. Took his chance in the T20's and turned up to every training session and game with the best attitude

Dylan Vlatko (shadow squad): strong left arm bowler who bowls a heavy ball and a great team man. Attended all training sessions as well.

It was an absolute honour to coach (along with Tim Hodgson) this team.

Memories from Ed O'Grady (our champion team manager):

Harry Wood: first wicket of the season with an unassisted run out as wicketkeeper which is quite an achievement. He also took the last catch in the "grand final" at Grahams Reserve. Lots of highlights in between

Gus Anderson: Carried his bat for 50 overs in a season defining innings of 52* in the SF and 24* against North Shore

Jack Beverley: Clutch wickets, catches, run outs whenever the pressure was on

Luke Burgess: leading wicket taker, man of the match performances and that final spell against Hornsby Red to turn the game

Arjun Chakravarty: Top score of 72 against Sutherland to get us underway and followed up with 58* against Parramatta the next week. Leading run scorer.

Archie Hodgson: Batted long against NWS and North Shore for game winning partnerships and that run out in the "grand final"



Beau Kelley: 2/8 against NWS and of course the final wicket to win the “grand final”

Hayden Macfarlane: 47 against NWS and 2 wickets with his first two balls bowled. Hayden has played a really important role in the team’s culture, competitiveness and fun. It’s hard for me to say that after being on the wrong end of one of his burns when I called out Gus’ 50 in the “grand final” when he was on 49 and it was only a leg bye 😊

Miles O'Grady: Opening 5 over spells of 5/7 against North Shore and 3/3 against Hornsby Red including bowling one of the openers without him playing a shot

Ryan Osbourne: 2/16 in both rounds 1 and 2 and 2/12 in the “grand final”. Awesome fielding and catching. He was so fast I think he caught one at fine leg off his own bowling.

Nicholas Rademan: a 6 and a 4 as his first two shots batting in rep cricket. Economy rate of 2.34 as a bowler. Great catch against NWS

Sean Rose: Man of the match against NWS, 1/12 off 5 against Parramatta and a great fielder

Jeremy Scarf: Captain of a champion team. Winning just about every toss and every strategic decision. 33* against Sutherland

Carlo Zanella: Never missed a training session or a catch and man of the match performance in the last game of the season.



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 17 C.S. Watson Shield Report



Under 17 C.S. Watson Shield Division 1 Team: Josh Cooper (captain), Ky Broome, Marcus Campbell, Jack Chick, Joel Davies, Darcy Fleming, Cameron Frost, Mitchell Gilligan, Charlie Johnston, Keelan Mendel, Sentarou Murata-Davison, Billy O'Brien, Liam Toole
Filled in: Kai Connors

Coach: Jordan Daly
Assistant Coach: Craig Mendel
Manager: Mark Cooper
Player of the Year: Keelan Mendel

Before getting into the full report - because I know the boys probably won't make it all the way through (teenage attention spans) - I just want to address the boys.

Boys, I again want to formally congratulate you on a season to be proud of. Every single one of you improved your game throughout the season, with some working very hard and making remarkable progress. In addition to that, each every one of you are respectful young men who clearly continue to benefit from the many (admittedly sometimes harsh) lessons that cricket can teach us. Of course, the elephant in the room is the way our season ended. I just want to congratulate every single one of you



on how you overcame and moved past the injustice of this. It would be all too easy for us to carry this chip on our shoulder for the coming seasons and wallow in the pettiness and negativity that the grown adults who created this situation sadly seem to be driven by, but it is a reflection of the maturity of you all that you have managed to overcome your no doubt intense disappointment and unfairness of the process to still come together at the end of the season to celebrate what we had achieved. To go from 3 wins and 6 losses last year to only the one loss, with a team made up with a near-even split of previous Rep and Preso's Cup players is an achievement you should be very proud of. In addition to this, the progression of numerous players through the Manly Grade setup continued to show the learning and development gained from the season. Keep working hard, be open to feedback (although limit technical feedback to a few trusted people) and being a team player and I see some of you in Manly 1st Grade within 5-7 seasons. If you want it.

The 2020-21 Watson Shield season was a particularly strange season of cricket, but not in one of the myriad usual ways that seasons of cricket are usually strange. Coming into the season there was doubt about whether the competition would go ahead at all. These doubts were only cleared up very late in the piece, at which point we became aware that the Watson Shield (previously an u/16 comp) would now be an u/17 competition, effectively open to all Watson Shield players of the year previous, and would be a 7-team competition requiring a bye for each team. With minimal guidance from the governing cricket body on player numbers from previous age groups it was decided - in order to preserve the development role that Watson Shield had always provided to the Green Shield - to select a maximum of three u/17 boys in our squad of thirteen.

With a few withdrawals from the squad during the trials and selection process it was great to see a large number of boys from last years' Presidents' Cup team get the opportunity to step up to the Rep level, where many continued to learn and gain confidence in their game. Indeed, our Player of the Year, Keelan Mendel, was one such player.

The season got off to a slow start with our bye coming in the first round, only to be followed by a washout the next week against St George. A very close and undoubtedly character-building win over Inner West Harbour away was followed by a more clinical performance against Sutherland at home. It was great to see the boys not just enjoying their cricket but also understanding what was needed both in order to build pressure with the ball and withstand pressure with the bat.

A couple of injuries contributed to our disappointing loss to Blacktown the following week, which brought us back down to earth, however it also showed that the areas of our game we had discussed after previous weeks' victories were clearly still areas we

need to improve on if we were to win this competition - a goal stated at the outset of our campaign. Off the back of this loss we rebounded with an impressive win over Canterbury & Western Suburbs and felt confident going into what we knew would be an important game against a strong Parramatta side who needed to win to get through to the finals.



The Parramatta game at the postage stamp that is Monty Bennett Oval will undoubtedly go down in the memory of all who watched it as an incredible game of cricket. Batting first on a quality batting deck with some of the smallest boundaries I have ever seen (and further taken in from the concrete guttering for safety reasons we put together 5/356 thanks to 116 (123) to Billy O'Brien, 82 (99) for captain Josh Cooper, 24 (13) to Ky Broome and an insane 92 (27 incl 14 sixes) to Joel Davies who played to ensure his eligibility to play for us in finals if required. In response, Parramatta reached 331 all out on the penultimate ball of their innings. That's only 13 shy of 700 runs in a junior cricket 50-over match. In addition to being an incredible spectacle once the adrenalin subsided this game also provided many of the boys with valuable lessons, with both bat and ball in hand. The catch that Darcy Fleming took to remove their talented grade player who made 143 and could have taken the game away from us will be something that he - and all of us - will remember for a long time.



Unfortunately this would be the last game that this side would play together, with the learned administrators responsible for the administration of Watson Shield deliberately misappropriating a particular qualification rule to initially dock 6 points from us for using an ineligible player, and then later to fully remove us from the competition, despite us finishing comfortably in the top 4. This rule requires that all players play junior cricket for the area they are picked to represent at the rep level. This is to prevent out of area poaching - an understandable and appropriate rule. At most clubs the junior and senior cricket clubs are counted as one organisation, allowing all boys who play grade to be automatically eligible for Rep cricket for that club. However, due to the separate incorporation of MWJCA as a separate entity to the grade club (MWDCC) this rule had the effect that our boys who were exclusively playing men's Grade cricket (as many boys from all clubs do at this age) were effectively rendered ineligible - despite playing all their junior cricket for Manly. As a relatively objective party (albeit with a Manly connection) with no relative of mine (that I know of) playing in this competition it continues to be unclear to me how or why this rule was invoked in this way except in this instance to allow Parramatta - who initially complained about this - to get into the finals.

There is no doubt that this was an extremely disappointing outcome for the boys, who had played some gutsy, skilful cricket and had earned their position in the finals. They deserved an opportunity to play finals. Unfortunately, they were denied this. There is no point dwelling further on this, however before moving on I wish to make it clear to the administrators that it is now incumbent on us to rectify this situation so that it cannot happen again. I understand that this is not the first or even second time that this has happened to us. Given this, and despite that fact that this rule is clearly being used to our exclusive detriment it is now our responsibility to the boys to ensure that this cannot happen again. If it does, we have failed the boys as much as those who instigated the process against us.

Now to the essential thanking of key people - The season would simply not have been possible without the outstanding logistical and organisational support of Manager Mark Cooper and the incredible, versatile support of Assistant Coach Craig Mendel. Craig and Mark, you were both invaluable in discussing the many cricket and not-so-cricket-related issues we encountered this season. Also, a big thank you to Josh Cooper, who balanced his own performance with captaining the boys throughout what was a tough season. Josh (I know you'll be able to get through this report), I really appreciated your open-mindedness to some of the more Mike Pawley-esque of my suggestions this year and admire the way you led the boys. Thank you also to Scott Brewster for his assistance and support as Junior Chairman and Kel Morrison for your assistance, banter and especially coming on as coach of the Watson Preso's - you were perfect for the job.

Finally, I want to thank the parents - particularly those who chauffeured not just their own children, but occasionally me, to games across this vast, sometimes gridlocked city of ours. Without you, the boys would not have the support they need to pursue this passion of theirs. Thank you also for your support of, and trust in me as a new, largely unknown coach coming in. As only having coached this year I can't speak too much to this, however I feel it's appropriate to reflect on the journey that both you and your sons have come on, over the however many years your family has had the experience (it's the only appropriate word!) of playing representative cricket for Manly. I hope you gained some of the same lifelong friends that I know that both I and my parents did when I had the privilege of playing reps. I hope you felt, and will always feel, part of the Manly family and know that those countless hours together on the field/by the sideline/in the car have created another support network that you could call on - myself included - should the need ever arise.

I look forward to seeing you and the excellent young men you have produced at a Manly Grade training/match in the near future.

Go Manly
Jordan Daly



MWJCA 2020/21 Under 17 Andrew Blamey Cup Report



Under 17 Andrew Blamey Cup Division 2 Team: Mitchell Norton (captain), Kai Connors, Wilson Crawford, Sam Debien, Jimmy Downs, Finn Epplett, Shaan Gill, Aidan Hogan, Edward Hutt, Nino Morrison, Max Osborne, Hurshwin Sharma, Hayden Williams

Coach: Kel Morrison

Assistant Coach: Jason Williams

Manager: Dave Norton

Player of the Year: Max Osborne

2020/21 IDCA Andrew Blamey Cup Semi Finalists

If the first training session was anything to go by it looked like a road map to disaster. A team of misfits with an abundance of attitude. I said to anyone who would listen that my goal was to bring the younger guys out of their shells one way or another. To make it fun and to play as one team.

Slowly, slowly the wheel turned, and the little crabs came out of their shells. By the end of the season the Drill sergeant (Nino) had the boys as a tight well drilled unit. some of them were sledging me.....(in a good way that is)



Rather than singling out individuals for their performances, such as Hayden's super rapid and deadly spells or Max' super accurate and miserly performance, Jimmy's backs to the wall innings against Newcastle, Mitcho's 3 wickets in 6 balls or Hurshwin's 4 for 6 runs. Finn's all-round performances, Shaan and Aidan's team spirit with their partnership (60 runs) in the final T20 AGAINST us!!!!

With great help from General Jason and Dave "The Beast" Norton, the boys were given excellent direction and support throughout the season. A very wet and bowler friendly pitch at Newcastle probably robbed us of any chance of contesting the title with Newcastle. Our batting was found lacking but I was impressed with the way the boys stepped up in the lower and middle order.

The T20 competition showed the capabilities as we smashed the opposition.

The season ended with 5 wins and 2 losses - well done lads, I can certainly say that you impressed on me the importance of friendship and camaraderie.

Thanks to Jordan for constantly poaching my tall poppies and never accepting the challenge of playing us.....

Player of the series Max Osborne for his awesome team spirit, bowling prowess and hard work.

Thanks to all the parents for their support throughout the season, I really enjoyed coaching your inspiring young men.

Kind regards
Kel Morrison

MWJCA Records and Hat Tricks as at 2020/21 Season

Criteria for Association Records

- **BATTING** – to qualify for batting average records, a batsman must bat in 8 innings and score 100 runs or more during the season.
- **BOWLING** – to qualify for bowling average records, a bowler must take 15 wickets and bowl 30 overs during the season.

Hat Tricks in 2020/21 *

Age/Division	Name	Club	Round
Under 12 Div 1	Liam Kelly	Collaroy	Round 4 vs. Peninsula
Under 13 Girls	Georgia Cooper	Wakehurst	Round 3 vs. Seaforth
Under 13 Div 2	Oliver Burn	Harbord	Round 7 vs. Peninsula
Under 13 Div 2	Jared Potgieter	Harbord	Round 9 vs. Peninsula
Under 13 Div 2	Hugo Bakewell	Harbord	Round 11 vs. Wakehurst
Under 14 Div 1	Cian Richmond	St. Augustines	Round 4 vs. Peninsula
Under 14 Div 1	Tom Carroll	St. Pius X	Round 14 vs. Collaroy
Under 15 Girls	Sophia Slater	Wakehurst	Round 9 vs. Collaroy
Under 17	Evan Ausling	St. Pius X	Round 5 vs. St. Augustines

* Hat tricks only recorded for traditional cricket age groups Under 12 and above.



Georgia Cooper – hat trick in U13 Girls

Records Set in 2020/21

Age/Division	Category	Name	Club	Record
Under 12 Div 1	Highest Score	Luke Wittmack	Peninsula	93*
Under 12 Div 1	Bowling Figures	William Cunningham	Peninsula	6/7
Under 13 Div 1	Batting Average	Aidan Boulton	Wakehurst	177.0
Under 13 Div 1	Bowling Figures	Oliver Higgins	Harbord	5/3
Under 13 Div 2	Batting Aggregate	Cooper Webb	Peninsula	435 runs
Under 13 Div 2	Batting Average	Cooper Webb	Peninsula	87.0
Under 13 Div 2	Highest Score	Cooper Webb	Peninsula	99*
Under 13 Div 2	Bowling Figures	Jacques Strydom	St. Pius X	5/12
Under 15 Girls	Bowling Average	Emily Horstead	Wakehurst	5.54



Emily Horstead – U15 Girls Bowling average record of 5.54



Cooper Webb – Broke all batting records in U13 Div. 2



Aidan Boulton – U13 Div. 1 Batting average record of 177.0



Records as at 2020/21 Season – Boys competitions

Records for best bowling figures are from 2003/04 when electronic records have been available, except where MWJCA archives have been found that provide information from earlier seasons.

Under 12 Records from 2018/2019 Season

Under 12 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Lukas Overhoff	Seaforth	529 runs	2018/19
Batting: Highest Season Average	Aidan Boulton	Wakehurst	117.75	2019/20
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Luke Wittmack	<i>Peninsula</i>	93*	2020/21
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Ryan Baldwin	Seaforth	24 wickets	2018/19
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Luke Kennedy	Cromer	4.88	2018/19
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Harley Cruickshank William Cunningham	Collaroy Plateau <i>Peninsula</i>	6/7	2018/19 2020/21

Under 12 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Cooper Webb	Peninsula	462 runs	2019/20
Batting: Highest Season Average	Cooper Webb	Peninsula	115.5	2019/20
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Zachary Hamilton	Seaforth	85	2019/20
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Zachary Hamilton	Seaforth	27 wickets	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Barnaby Hodgson	Harbord	3.07	2018/19
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Zachary Hamilton	Seaforth	6/3	2019/20

In 2018/19 junior format changes that were introduced resulted in Under 12 records being re-commenced.

Under 13 Records from 2019/2020 Season

Under 13 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Lukas Overhoff	Seaforth	496 runs	2019/20
Batting: Highest Season Average	Aidan Boulton	<i>Wakehurst</i>	177.0	2020/21
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Scott Tipton	Peninsula	85*	2019/20
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Bill Martin	Harbord	27 wickets	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Julian Osbourne	St. Augustines	4.38	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Oliver Higgins	<i>Harbord</i>	5/3	2020/21



Under 13 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	<i>Cooper Webb</i>	<i>Peninsula</i>	<i>435 runs</i>	<i>2020/21</i>
Batting: Highest Season Average	<i>Cooper Webb</i>	<i>Peninsula</i>	<i>87.0</i>	<i>2020/21</i>
Batting: Highest Individual Score	<i>Cooper Webb</i>	<i>Peninsula</i>	<i>99*</i>	<i>2020/21</i>
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Alif Islam	Harbord	22 wickets	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Alif Islam	Harbord	4.91	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	<i>Jacques Strydom</i>	<i>St. Pius X College</i>	<i>5/12</i>	<i>2020/21</i>

In 2019/20 junior format changes that were introduced resulted in Under 13 records being re-commenced.

Under 14 Records from 1978/1979 Season

Under 14 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Oliver Davies	Harbord	587 runs	2013/14
Batting: Highest Season Average	Daniel Schimek	St. Augustines College	292.0	2005/06
	Andrew Boulton #	St. Augustines College	498.0	2018/19
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Daniel Paterson	Peninsula	129	2008/09
	Ethan Buchanan #	St. Augustines College	132*	2019/20
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	J. O'Neil	Warringaroos	42 wickets	1979/80
	Sam Rose	Peninsula		2008/09
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Sam Rose	Peninsula	2.48	2008/09
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Jake Carden	Collaroy Plateau	7/8	2010/11

Under 14 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Harry McKibbon	Redlands	564 runs	2006/07
Batting: Highest Season Average	T. Rigby	Seaforth Youth Club	149.50	1999/00
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Harry McKibbon	Redlands	119	2006/07
	Patrick Campbell #	Cromer	134*	2016/17
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	J. Saunders	Terrey Hills	56 wickets	1980/81
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Lincoln Waller	Forest District	2.80	2015/16
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Andrew Langham	Redlands	7/16	2007/08

Under 14 Division 3

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Josh Andersen	Harbord	332 runs	1999/00
Batting: Highest Season Average	T. Goodwin	Harbord	68.25	1999/00
Batting: Highest Individual Score				
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	A. Gilmore	Redbacks	46 wickets	1985/86
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	A. Gilmore	Redbacks	2.60	1985/86

In 2016/17 boundaries were reduced from 50m to 45m and junior format changes introduced in 2017/18.



Under 15 Records from 1978/1979 Season

Under 15 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Oliver Davies	Harbord	675 runs	2014/15
Batting: Highest Season Average	Theo Guichon	Harbord	188.0	2012/13
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Craig Currie	Beacon Hill	193	1989/90
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	J. Gavanga	St. Augustines College	49 wickets	1979/80
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Sam Rose	Peninsula	4.18	2009/10
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Matthew Butcher	Peninsula	8/12	2004/05

Under 15 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Josh Andersen	Seaforth Youth Club	464 runs	2000/01
Batting: Highest Season Average	Tim Rigby	Seaforth Youth Club	149.50	1998/99
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Tristan Acord	Peninsula	128*	2018/19
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Paul Hynes	St. Pius X College	52 wickets	1989/90
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	S. Manning	Cromer	4.10	1990/91
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Finlay Warby	St. Augustines	5/1	2019/20

Under 16-18 and 16-17* Records from 1998/1999 Season

Under 16-18 / Under 17 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Michael Balzan	Redlands	797 runs	2011/12
Batting: Highest Season Average	Michael Balzan	Redlands	113.86	2011/12
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Matthew Nesbitt	Seaforth	234*	2004/05
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	D. Riddington	Seaforth Youth Club	34 wickets	2000/01
	Daniel Tabrett	Cromer		2006/07
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Steven Taylor	Beacon Hill	5.62	2002/03
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Nick McCallum-Toomey	Peninsula	9/5	2006/07

Under 16-18 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Joshua Overton	St. Pius X College	466 runs	2018/19
Batting: Highest Season Average	Joshua Overton	St. Pius X College	66.57	2018/19
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Ethan Brown	Forest District	152*	2018/19
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Cooper Hatvany	St. Augustines College	27 wickets	2017/18
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Cooper Hatvany	St. Augustines College	8.19	2017/18
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Samuel Gartner	St. Augustines College	6/8	2017/18

* Under 16-17 competition changed to Under 16-18 in 2012/13 season and back to Under 17 in 2020/21.



Records as at 2020/21 Season – Girls competitions

MWJCA Female only competitions commenced in 2016/17 with an Under 13 girl's competition. In 2017/18 the Under 15 girl's competition was introduced.

Under 13 Female Records from 2016/2017 Season

Under 13 Girls Division 1

(competition introduced in 2016/17 season)

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Breanna Henry	Beacon Hill	337 runs	2017/18
Batting: Highest Season Average	Arabella Handley	Collaroy Plateau	126.0	2019/20
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Breanna Henry	Beacon Hill	70	2017/18
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Darcey Whiteley	Collaroy Plateau	18 wickets	2019/20
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Darcey Whiteley	Collaroy Plateau	4/1	2019/20

Under 13 Girls Division 2

(competition introduced in 2017/18 season)

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Ruby Gruber	Cromer/Peninsula	138	2017/18
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Ruby Gruber	Cromer/Peninsula	47	2017/18
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Annabelle Fegan	Cromer/Peninsula	9 wickets	2017/18

Under 15 Female Records from 2017/2018 Season

Under 15 Girls Division 1

(competition introduced in 2017/18 season)

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Genevieve O'Brien	Forest District	425 runs	2017/18
Batting: Highest Season Average	Robyn Medley	Forest District	133.0	2017/18
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Ellie James	Forest District	71*	2019/20
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Laura Judson	Wakehurst Redbacks	16 wickets	2018/19
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Emily Horstead	Wakehurst Redbacks	5.54	2020/21
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Laura Judson	Wakehurst Redbacks	4/1	2019/20



Association records have been kept since the 1957/58 season. Rule changes resulted in records being re-commenced around 1975 (the exact year varied in each age group). From that point Under 10 and Under 11 Division 2 and 3 played average cricket so these records are now unchanged. Additionally, junior format changes introduced in 2018/19 resulted in Under 11 Division records to 2017/18 to be closed off and Under 12 records re-commenced. In 2019/20, further junior format changes resulted in Under 13 records being re-commenced. The old records were:

Under 10 Records to 1973/1974 Season

Under 10 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	P. Lowery	Narrabeen Youth Club	415 runs	1968/69
Batting: Highest Season Average	G. Fletcher	Beacon Hill	42.50	1972/73
Batting: Highest Individual Score	M. Sanford	Narrabeen Lakes	67	1971/72
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	P. Lowery	Narrabeen Youth Club	105 wickets	1968/69
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	M. Sutter	Wakehurst	1.90	1969/70

Under 10 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	378 runs	1967/68
Batting: Highest Season Average	G. Pope	Avalon Youth Club	41.14	1967/68
Batting: Highest Individual Score	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	104*	1967/68
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	T. McTeigue	Collaroy Plateau	107 wickets	1969/70
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	C. Stoneman	Curl Curl Youth Club	0.88	1972/72

Under 10 Records from 1974/1975 Season

Under 10 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	R. Medway	Forest Anglicans	247 runs	1976/77
Batting: Highest Season Average	R. Walton	Seaforth Youth Club	186.0	1978/79
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	B. Minnett	Collaroy Plateau	58 wickets	1974/75
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	B. Cake	Collaroy Plateau	1.54	1975/76

Under 10 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	A. Gray	St Kevins	210 runs	1974/75
Batting: Highest Season Average	M. Bland	Forest Anglicans	195.0	1978/79
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	A. Hodgson	Forest Anglicans	52 wickets	1975/76
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	M. James	Allambie	2.41	1979/80



Under 11 Records to 1974/1975 Season

Under 11 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Andrew Fraser	Christian Bros College	601 runs	1974/75
Batting: Highest Season Average	G. Fletcher	Beacon Hill	74.33	1973/74
Batting: Highest Individual Score	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	105*	1968/69
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	D. Tracey	North Balgowlah	122 wickets	1962/63
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	A. Spargo	Balgowlah	1.54	1961/62

Under 11 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Sam Mesite	Christian Bros College	487 runs	1966/67
Batting: Highest Season Average	Sam Mesite	Christian Bros College	60.87	1966/67
Batting: Highest Individual Score	R. Delaney	Narrabeen Youth Club	97	1967/68
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	P. Brown	Balgowlah	100 wickets	1961/62
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	R. Margolis	Avalon	0.94	1973/74

Under 11 Division 3

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	K. Wright	Balgowlah Rugby Union	219 runs	1966/67
Batting: Highest Season Average	K. Wright	Balgowlah Rugby Union	21.90	1966/67
Batting: Highest Individual Score	K. Wright	Balgowlah Rugby Union	41*	1966/67
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	G. Horton	Pittwater	83 wickets	1966/67
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	T. Ansel	Beacon Hill Youth Club	2.35	1966/67

Under 11 Records from 1975/1976 to 2017/2018 Season

Under 11 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Jack Edwards	Beacon Hill Youth Club	566 runs	2009/10
Batting: Highest Season Average	Cameron Williamson	Beacon Hill Youth Club	110.0	1980/81
	Tomas Cheetham #	Forest District	140.67	2016/17
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Jack Edwards	Beacon Hill Youth Club	110*	2009/10
	Will Brewster #	St. Augustines College	113	2016/17
	Luke Watts #	Wakehurst Redbacks	113	2017/18
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Shawn Bradstreet	Belrose	52 wickets	1982/83
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	M. Wolley	Forest Anglicans	2.10	1981/82
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Daniel Tabrett	Wakehurst Redbacks	6/0	2001/02

In 2016/17 boundaries were reduced from 40m to 30m and junior format changes introduced in 2017/18.

In 2018/19 the above records were closed off due to junior format changes introduced in this season.



Under 11 Records from 1975/1976 Season

Under 11 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	J. Sanders	Terrey Hills	362 runs	1977/78
Batting: Highest Season Average	G. Brown	Beacon Hill Youth Club	31.60	1977/78
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	G. Willmack	Terrey Hills	55 wickets	1982/83
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	G. Willmack	Terrey Hills	2.12	1982/83

Under 12 Records to 1976/1977 Season

Under 12 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Andrew Fraser	Christian Bros College	716 runs	1975/76
Batting: Highest Season Average	Andrew Fraser	Christian Bros College	89.50	1975/76
Batting: Highest Individual Score	S. Johnson	Allambie	131	1975/76
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	J. Burke	St. Augustines College	134 wickets	1965/66
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	D. Anderson	Collaroy Plateau	1.56	1958/59

Under 12 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	G. Verity	Cromer	432 runs	1974/75
Batting: Highest Season Average	N. Tuckerman	Allambie	161.50	1976/77
Batting: Highest Individual Score	L. Poganowski	Manly Vale	110*	1962/63
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	L. Anderson	Frenchs Forest	91 wickets	1960/61
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	J. Douglas	Mona Vale	1.66	1958/59

Under 12 Division 3

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	G. Reid	North Balgowlah	317 runs	1964/65
Batting: Highest Season Average	G. Reid	North Balgowlah	195	1964/65
Batting: Highest Individual Score	J. Murray	Christian Bros College	66*	1964/65
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	G. Reid S. Green	North Balgowlah North Balgowlah	77 wickets	1964/65
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	J. Rodgers	Christian Bros College	3.12	1964/65



Under 12 Records from 1977/1978 to 2017/2018 Season

Under 12 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Nicholas Hidas	Collaroy Plateau	512 runs	2009/10
Batting: Highest Season Average	Daniel Tabrett Jack Slater #	Wakehurst Redbacks Peninsula	245.0 333.0	2002/03 2017/18
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Michael Cosentino	Wakehurst Redbacks	109*	1995/96
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Linc Woodroff	St. Augustines College	45 wickets	1992/93
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Sam Rose	Peninsula	2.20	2006/07
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Sean Tingcombe	Cromer	7/4	2007/08

Under 12 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	E. Watson	Beacon Hill Youth Club	475 runs	1980/81
Batting: Highest Season Average	Liam Chang	St. Pius X College	188.0	2014/15
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Ryan Cullam	Forest District	115*	2010/11
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	R. McDermott	Seaforth Youth Club	61 wickets	1979/80
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Edward Bernasconi	Seaforth	1.55	2003/04
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Dylan Frost	Peninsula	8/12	2003/04

Under 12 Division 3

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	R. Gracie	Collaroy Plateau	200 runs	2001/02
Batting: Highest Season Average	A. Ross	Palm Beach	31.66	1985/86
Batting: Highest Individual Score				
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	B. Lougham A. Porter	Palm Beach Narrabeen	30 wickets	1985/86
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	R. Grant	Palm Beach	2.95	1985/86
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Matt Haines	Peninsula	6/2	2004/05

In 2016/17 boundaries were reduced from 50m to 35m and junior format changes introduced in 2017/18.

In 2018/19 the above records were closed off due to junior format changes introduced in this season.

Under 13 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Under 13 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	P. Spraggs	Collaroy Plateau	698 runs	1962/63
Batting: Highest Season Average	S. Hegarty	St. Augustines College	117	1974/75
Batting: Highest Individual Score	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	148*	1970/71
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	S. Buchan	St. Augustines College	85 wickets	1967/68
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	2.38	1970/71



Under 13 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	G. Alley	Seaforth Youth Club	507 runs	1965/66
Batting: Highest Individual Score	M. Smith	Forest Anglicans	125	1972/73
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	D. Alley	Collaroy Plateau	57 wickets	1965/66
	S. Lawler	Narrabeen Lakes		1972/73
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	P. Wilkins	Wakehurst	2.90	1969/70

Under 13 Records from 1978/1979 to 2018/2019 Season

Under 13 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Jake Osborne	Forest District	823 runs	2014/15
Batting: Highest Season Average	Sam Jones	Collaroy Plateau	467.0	2015/16
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Jake Osborne	Forest District	156*	2014/15
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	Shawn Bradstreet	Redbacks	51 wickets	1984/85
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	Sam Rose	Peninsula	2.24	2007/08
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Shawn Bradstreet	Redbacks	8/0	1984/85

Under 13 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Daniel McKenna	Beacon Hill	462 runs	2006/07
	Jack Toohey #	St. Augustines College	507 runs	2018/19
Batting: Highest Season Average	M. Hill	St. Augustines College	71.60	1992/93
	Finn Epplert #	Peninsula	77.00	2017/18
Batting: Highest Individual Score	Christopher Fiadino	St. Pius X College	113	2006/07
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	S. Bartlett	Pittwater House	54 wickets	1982/83
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	M. Hill	St. Augustines College	2.81	1992/93
Bowling: Best Bowling Figures	Finn Button	Harbord	8/9	2010/11

Under 13 Division 3

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	Julian Bignold	Terrey Hills	317 runs	1985/86
Batting: Highest Season Average	Julian Bignold	Terrey Hills	31.70	1985/86
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	G. Speakman	Redbacks	41 wickets	1985/86
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	G. Speakman	Redbacks	2.29	1985/86

In 2016/17 boundaries were reduced from 50m to 40m and junior format changes introduced in 2017/18.

In 2019/20 the above records were closed off due to junior format changes introduced in this season.



Under 14 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Under 14 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	R. Ryan	Christian Bros College	794 runs	1962/63
Batting: Highest Season Average	R. Ryan	Christian Bros College	198.50	1962/63
Batting: Highest Individual Score	R. Ryan	Christian Bros College	170*	1962/63
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	M. Murfin	Seaforth Youth Club	71 wickets	1969/70
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	J. Tucker	Dee Why	2.04	1972/73

Under 14 Division 2

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	T. Hall	Christian Bros College	548 runs	1977/78
Batting: Highest Season Average	N. Coltman	Curl Curl	79	1962/63
Batting: Highest Individual Score	T. Hall	Christian Bros College	141	1977/78
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	S. Hynes	Christian Bros College	69 wickets	1976/77
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	S. Hynes	Christian Bros College	2.30	1976/77

Under 15 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Under 15 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	D. Headon	Pittwater RSL	503 runs	1965/66
Batting: Highest Season Average	M. McGuire	Dee Why RSL	107	1971/72
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	S. Allum	Pittwater RSL	82 wickets	1965/66
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	A. Gors	Beacon Hill	2.48	1972/73

Under 16 Records to 1997/1998 Season

Under 16 Division 1

Category	Name	Club	Record	Year
Batting: Highest Season Aggregate	T. Marsh	Pittwater House	473 runs	1993/94
Batting: Highest Season Average	S. Gillespie	Collaroy Plateau	131	1990/91
Batting: Highest Individual Score	S. Jenkins	Pittwater House	124	1993/94
Bowling: Most Wickets in a Season	S. Jenkins	Pittwater House	39 wickets	1993/94
Bowling: Best Bowling Average	P. Connor	Redbacks	3.93	1987/88

MWJCA History of Winning Teams 2011/12 to 2020/21

Age	Div	2020/21	2019/20	2018/19	2017/18	2016/17	2015/16	2014/15	2013/14	2012/13	2011/12
U10	1	Harbord	Wakehurst	Seaforth	Wakehurst Harbord	Peninsula	Wakehurst	Collaroy	Collaroy Harbord	Wakehurst	Harbord
U10	2	Collaroy Harbord	Peninsula Harbord	Peninsula Wakehurst	Peninsula	Harbord	Seaforth	Harbord	Harbord	Peninsula	Harbord
U11 Girls	1	Harbord	Wakehurst	Wakehurst							
U11	1	Harbord Wakehurst	Forest Seaforth	Seaforth	Seaforth	Forest	Wakehurst	Collaroy	Wakehurst	Wakehurst	Seaforth
U11	2	Peninsula	Seaforth Beacon Hill	Forest	Wakehurst	Collaroy	Cromer Seaforth	Harbord	Harbord	Harbord	Cromer Peninsula
U11	3							Seaforth			
U12	1	Collaroy	Collaroy Wakehurst	Wakehurst	Peninsula	Forest Wakehurst	St Augustines	Collaroy	Forest	Seaforth	Peninsula
U12	2	Harbord	Peninsula	Harbord	Seaforth	Collaroy	Harbord Collaroy	Peninsula	Peninsula	Cromer	Wakehurst Peninsula
U13 Girls	1	Wakehurst	Collaroy	Forest	Wakehurst	Forest					
U13 Girls	2				Cromer- Peninsula						
U13	1	St Pius X	Wakehurst	Seaforth	St Augustines	Wakehurst	Harbord	Wakehurst Collaroy	St Augustines Harbord	Collaroy	St Augustines
U13	2	Harbord	Harbord	St Augustines	Peninsula	Wakehurst Peninsula	Harbord	Peninsula		Wakehurst	Beacon Hill
U14	1	Wakehurst	St Augustines	St Augustines	Peninsula	Harbord	Wakehurst	Harbord	Collaroy	Collaroy	Collaroy
U14	2			St Pius X	St Augustines	Cromer	Forest		Redlands	St Augustines	
U15 Girls	1	Wakehurst	Forest	Forest	Wakehurst						
U15	1	Wakehurst	Harbord	St Augustines	Harbord	Harbord	Wakehurst	Harbord	St Augustines	Collaroy	Collaroy
U15	2		Collaroy	St Augustines	Collaroy			Wakehurst Green Wakehurst Black			
U17 # U16-18 *	1	Harbord	Collaroy	St Augustines	Harbord	St Aug. Gold	St Augustines	Wakehurst St Aug. White St Aug. Gold	Harbord	Redlands	St Augustines
U16-18 *	2			Cromer	St Augustines					Wakehurst	

* Included U16-17 prior to 2012/13 season

Was U17 in 2020/21 season

Official Positions since 2003/2004

Season	President	Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer	Assistant / Competition Secretary	Representative Chairman
2003/04	Ted Lindsay	-	Cassie Woodley	Andy Dessaix	Tony Sullivan	Tony Pecar
2004/05	Tony Pecar	-	Cassie Woodley	Andy Dessaix	Sally McCallum-Toomey Tony Sullivan	Tony Pecar
2005/06	Tony Pecar	-	Ashley Kaye	John Treadwell	Sally McCallum-Toomey	Geoff Mee
2006/07	Tony Pecar	-	Ashley Kaye	Matthew Kaye	Vicki Carden	Geoff Mee
2007/08	Tony Pecar	-	Ashley Kaye	Matthew Kaye	Vicki Carden	Geoff Mee
2008/09	Rob McKenna	Gary Chester	Diana Pecar	Danielle Simpson	Vicki Carden	Geoff Mee
2009/10	Rob McKenna	Gary Chester	Sharon Porter	Danielle Simpson	Vicki Carden	Ross Trewartha
2010/11	Rob McKenna	Ross Denny	Sharon Porter	Danielle Simpson	Vicki Carden	Ross Trewartha
2011/12	Ross Denny Danny LeMoy	Ross Denny	Sharon Porter	Cathy Hurditch	Vicki Carden	Shane Moran
2012/13	Danny LeMoy	Ross Denny	Denise Gullick	Cathy Hurditch	Vicki Carden	Shane Moran
2013/14	Danny LeMoy	Ross Denny	Denise Gullick	Cathy Hurditch	Vicki Carden, Karen Brock, John Jackson	Shane Moran
2014/15	Danny LeMoy	Ross Denny	Denise Gullick	Cathy Hurditch	Karen Brock, Vicki Carden, John Jackson	Ross Denny Shane Moran
2015/16	Danny LeMoy Ross Denny (interim)	-	Denise Gullick	Cathy Hurditch	Vicki Carden, John Jackson	Ross Trewartha
2016/17	Graham Scheffers	David Nimmo	Alecia De Angelis	Cathy Hurditch	Tim Ryan	Blake Cousemacker
2017/18	David Nimmo	Toby Horstead Tim Ryan (until Oct 2017)	Rachel Chick	Fiona Brewster	Rachel Chick Tim Ryan (until Oct 2017)	Blake Cousemacker
2018/19	David Nimmo	Toby Horstead, Adrian Molloy	Rachel Chick	Fiona Brewster	Adrian Molloy	Blake Cousemacker
2019/20	David Nimmo	Toby Horstead, Scott Osborne	Rachel Chick	Fiona Brewster	David Nimmo, Toby Horstead, Scott Osborne	Blake Cousemacker
2020/21	David Nimmo	Toby Horstead, Scott Osborne	Rachel Chick	Fiona Brewster	David Nimmo, Toby Horstead, Scott Osborne	Scott Brewster

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