



57<sup>th</sup>

Annual Report  
&  
Financial Statement

2013/14 Season

Manly-Warringah Junior Cricket Assoc. Inc

# Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association

## 2013/14 Association Committee

President	Danny LeMoy
Vice President / Coaching coordinator	Ross Denny
Secretary	Denise Gullick
Treasurer	Cathy Hurditch
Competition Secretary / Committee	Vicki Carden, Karen Brock, John Jackson
Grounds coordinator	Vicki Carden
Representative Chairman	Shane Moran

## Club Representatives

Beacon Hill	Peter Horton
Collaroy Plateau	Vicki Carden
Cromer	Iain Hogg, Graham Scheffers
Forest	Chris O'Brien, Jeff Downs
Harbord Devils	Kevin Davies
Peninsula	Dion Epplett
Redlands	John Jackson
Seaforth	Andrew Kennedy, Geoff Rowley
St. Augustines	James Scholtens, Phill Edwards
St Pius X	Brad Quillan
Wakehurst	David Nimmo

## Life Members

Bob Lind	Michael Pawley
Tony Pecar	David Quarford
Bob Rollins	Peter Tasker *
Ron Watkins *	Ted Lindsay
Tony Sullivan	Vicki Carden

\* Deceased

## **President's Report**

Welcome to the 2013/14 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Report for the Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association.

It's hard to believe another season has come and gone, but what a season we've had as an Association. From a healthy increase in total playing numbers, to a new girls cricket program to the outstanding results in our Representative program - all in all a very successful year!

This season we had an increase in player numbers with a total of 128 teams compared to 108 teams last season, ranging from Kangas (U8's) right through to U16-18's. Our very successful in2CRICKET centres – Collaroy Plateau, Cromer, Forest, Harbord, Peninsula and Wakehurst continued their great work at the absolute grass roots level. A big thank you to all the centre coordinators and their team of volunteers who all continue to make this program so worthwhile!

Congratulations to all the award winners, including premiership winning teams, individual and representative winners.

This past season we introduced some new initiatives and competitions to encourage more opportunities for our boys and girls. The first initiative was the introduction of a girls only competition (ages 8 to 12) called the "Little Breaker's League". This consisted of 4 teams and approximately 40 players with representation from Wakehurst and Forest. With the generous support of Cricket NSW, the Super 8 style games were played every Friday evening over a 10 week period at Lionel Watts, with each team playing two games of 45 minutes duration.

From all accounts, the girls had a great time especially with their favourite music blaring in the background during the games and the added bonus of wearing coloured head bands and coloured zinc! The night finished with a sausage sizzle and a cool drink. We look forward to this event growing and hope other clubs come on board next season! Many thanks to David Nimmo as the Liaison manager with Cricket NSW/ ground manager, Deanne Hutt and Chris O'Brien as club coordinators for Wakehurst and Forest respectively and to the girls and their parents who supported it!

A significant initiative this season was the inaugural "Manly Mini Bash" T20 tournament which was held in February for teams from U13s to U16-18s. We had 45 teams participate down at Nolans over 4 weeks. The feedback from all players and parents was great! This again was another highly successful event which was organised and managed by Phill Edwards and Kevin Davies - thanks guys on a job well done! We look forward to this being an annual fixture over the coming seasons.

After the success of the Aussie cricket team, we found a lot of interest in kids wanting to play cricket after Christmas. Vicki Carden was able to work with Cricket NSW to set up a Milo T20 Blast program for the MWJCA run at Plateau Park during February/March which was a great success bringing in kids from 8-12 years of age to play the exciting T20 Blast format and learn skills along the way. Ross Denny led the charge as the coach coordinator with able help from John Jackson. Thanks to all for this initiative!

A big thank you to all our volunteers! Thanks to all the club delegates and committees of all the associated clubs for their continued dedication and hard work over the season.

Thanks to all the Coaches, Manager's, Umpires & Scorer's for their valuable contributions and on behalf of all the clubs and your children we acknowledge and thank the parents!

With regard to our Representative season, to say it was successful, would be an absolute understatement. To all our DCA and Presidents Cup teams, congratulations on an outstanding season! This was the most successful Rep season in our Associations history, with 4 out of 6 DCA teams reaching the final series and both the U11 and U14 DCA teams winning their respective competitions undefeated. I was fortunate to witness both finals, due to the fact they were played 5 minutes apart on the Peninsula. In addition both teams won their respective country carnival competitions over the Christmas holidays.....a truly unbelievable season!

On the Presidents Cup front, our U12 and U13 teams were undefeated premiers in their competition. With all our Presidents Cup teams competing strongly, Manly-Warringah was awarded the overall Presidents Cup for the association awarded the most points across the Presidents Cup season – an outstanding result!

Well done to everyone, including the boys, the magnificent coaches and families!

Special mention should be made of our U14 DCA coaches, Paul O'Sullivan and Roy Vumbaca who were jointly named NSW DCA Coaches of the Year for 2013/14. It's so pleasing to see all the hard work and additional coaching resources are starting to pay off!

Congratulations and thanks to Shane Moran and his Representative committee for all their efforts!

Finally a big thank you to our hard working MWJCA committee - especially our VP Ross Denny, Secretary Denise Gullick, Competition Committee Vicki Carden, Karen Brock and John Jackson, Treasurer Cathy Hurditch, together with the valuable contributions of all the club delegates, for their tireless and sometimes thankless work behind the scenes to ensure the season runs smoothly as possible and that our kids are playing cricket each week!

I look forward to the 2014/15 season!

**Danny LeMoy**



## **Secretary's Report**

The 2013/14 season saw a significant increase in teams entering the MWJCA competition across all age groups. This was my second season as Secretary and I would like to thank the executive and delegates for their tireless efforts in the administration and co-ordination of the competition for MWJCA.

During the year I have:

- Maintained accurate minutes and records for the association.
- Dealt with all correspondence on behalf of the association, including regular communication with Cricket NSW, Warringah Council, as well as the wider Northern Beaches cricket community.
- Organised regular committee meetings.
- Organised the annual presentation evening

I would like to thank the members of the MWJCA Executive – Danny LeMoy, Ross Denny, Vicki Carden and Cathy Hurditch for their administration efforts during this year.

Once again, Ross Denny has provided invaluable assistance with all aspects of running the association including rule amendments, changes and compilation of the annual report.

I encourage all parents to become involved in the administration of MWJCA promoting Junior Cricket on the Northern Beaches.

**Denise Gullick**  
MWJCA Secretary

# Financial Statement

## Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Assoc

### Balance Sheet

As of April 2014

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Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash On Hand		
CBA 2295 1028 2007	\$29,573.22	
Grounds Maint 2287 1029 7022	\$73,540.38	
Total Cash On Hand	<u>\$103,113.60</u>	
Total Current Assets		<u>\$103,113.60</u>
Total Assets		<u>\$103,113.60</u>
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Trade Creditors	\$12,084.00	
Accrued Expenses	\$6,476.00	
Total Current Liabilities	<u>\$18,560.00</u>	
Total Liabilities		<u>\$18,560.00</u>
Net Assets		<u>\$84,553.60</u>
Equity		
Prior Year's Surplus/Deficit	\$26,459.64	
Retained Earnings	\$37,713.66	
Current Year Surplus/Deficit	\$20,380.30	
Total Equity		<u>\$84,553.60</u>

## Profit & Loss Statement

May 2013 through April 2014

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Income		
Clubs		
Club Team Fees	\$27,625.00	
Grounds Levy	\$23,340.00	
DCA insurance	\$4,445.00	
Total Clubs		\$55,410.00
Other Income		
Ball Royalties	\$2,184.00	
Total Other Income		\$2,184.00
Representative Teams		
Rep. Player Fees	\$40,860.00	
Sponsorship	\$1,500.00	
Umpire Re -Imbursement	\$3,538.00	
Total Representative Teams		\$45,898.00
Miscellaneous Income		\$389.07
Total Income		\$103,881.07
Cost of Sales		
Gross Profit		\$103,881.07
Expenses		
Cricket NSW		
DCA Affiliation Fee	\$220.00	
Representative Teams		
Clothing	\$25,853.30	
Rep Equipment	\$9,288.60	
Misc. Rep Expenses	\$547.65	
Rep. Specialist Coaching	\$660.00	
Net Hire Rep Training/Trials	\$10,044.00	
Rep Umpires Payments	\$6,300.00	
Total Representative Teams		\$52,693.55
Services		
Telephone	\$200.00	
Computer/IT Equipment	\$856.70	
Advertising		
Printing	\$1,646.00	
Manly Daily	\$2,328.64	
MWSPU		
Affiliation Levy	\$50.00	
Grounds		
Repairs & Maintenance	\$599.00	
Sports Fields User Fee	\$13,630.00	
Player Insurance Levy	\$4,445.00	
Winter Training Sessions		
Equipment	\$1,321.60	
Association Costs		
Trophies	\$1,777.24	
Prizes	\$500.00	
Entertainment	\$1,800.00	
Bank Fees & Depreciation		
Bank Fees	\$240.43	
Miscellaneous		
Misc. Expenses	\$1,615.00	
Bookkeeping	\$685.00	
Total Expenses		\$84,608.16
Operating Profit		\$19,272.91
Other Income		
Interest Income	\$1,107.39	
Total Other Income		\$1,107.39

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Other Expenses		
Net Surplus / (Deficit)		\$20,380.30

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## 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 grade 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 **Nicholas Hidas** from St Augustine's College.

### The Eric Palmer Bat Award Winners

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



**2013/14 CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**The “Peter Tasker Memorial Shield”**

**Harbord Devils Junior Cricket Club**



**THE 2013/14 ERIC PALMER BAT AWARD**  
*for the most outstanding junior cricketer of the season*

**Nicholas Hidas - St Augustine's College**

**THE MIKE PAWLEY REPRESENTATIVE AWARD**  
*for the most outstanding junior representative team of the season*

**Under 11 DCA J.H. Creak Shield team**  
**Under 14 DCA Harold Moore Shield team**

**CRITERIA FOR ASSOCIATION AWARDS 2013/14**

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

**BOWLING** – to qualify, 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.

## Vale - Ron Watkins

It is with great sadness that we learned that Ron Watkins, Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association life member and Seaforth Cricket Club President passed away on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2013, aged 87 years.

Ron's contribution to Manly cricket was enormous and he will be greatly missed by all of us.

We would like to extend our sympathies to Ron's wife Nancy, children and in-laws, Marilyn and Dean, Mark, Philip and Allesandra, and grandchildren Oliver, Grace, Isaac and Sienna.



### **Ron Watkins - An Obituary By Mike Pawley, OAM**

Ron Watkins first played cricket for Manly Warringah in 1942, being a brother of two older boys, Bruce and Ken, who had already joined the grade club.

The 3 Watkins were part of the successful Green Shield teams that won trophies in 1941, 1942 and 1943, and were all products of the George Lowe, Les Gwynne coaching school program that also produced Peter Philpott and Jimmy Burke and took place on Manly Oval every Saturday morning before the first grade team started playing at 1pm. There was no junior cricket played in the district in those days and less than 30 youngsters attended the cricket coaching classes that George oversaw.

I first played with Ron in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade around 1958 when I was 14 and Ron about 33. I remember Ron as a very determined medium paced seam bowler who loved bowling and disliked captains who told him it was time for a rest from the bowling crease. He bowled off a shortish run, and had a big pounding last stride. As an all rounder he was a very stubborn middle order batsman who scored runs through deflections rather than fluent drives.

By the time he had finished playing grade cricket in 1967 Ron had taken 696 wickets at 17.12 and scored 4252 runs at 17.36 - strangely without ever scoring a century. He remains the second highest wicket taker in the history of the Manly Warringah District Cricket Club. Even though his playing career was mainly 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, and whilst he was not the best all rounder to play for Manly Warringah, he is arguably the greatest all round achiever of all time for the club.

After he retired from grade cricket, Ron spent many years giving back to cricket in Manly Warringah what people like George Lowe, Tom Brooks, Bruce Cook, Peter Philpott and Jimmy Burke had inspired him to do through playing cricket and training with those great heroes of the grade club. Numerous youngsters benefitted from the coaching and administering days of Ron at Seaforth youth cricket club. Over many summers he would be seen running training sessions with youngsters at Balgowlah oval nets.

Ron's passion for Manly Warringah and cricket was with him to his last days.

**Mike Pawley, OAM**



**Ron (centre) being inducted as a MWJCA life member in 2008**



## in2CRICKET



in2CRICKET is the entry-level cricket program, formerly known as MILO Have-A-Go. MILO in2CRICKET is designed to give boys and girls 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 involvement.

The following Clubs established an in2CRICKET program this season: **Collaroy Plateau, Cromer, Forest, Harbord, Peninsula and Wakehurst.**

## Kanga Cricket

The aim of Kanga Cricket is to enable EVERY player to have a chance of success as well as participating in an enjoyable game. To achieve this, coaches adopt a flexible attitude and are prepared to adjust wicket length, speed of bowling etc to suit each player's size, strength and ability. Coaches can offer ON THE SPOT coaching/assistance which includes encouragement and reinforcement. The minimum age is 6 years as at 31<sup>st</sup> August with 6-8 players in a team, although a maximum of 10 players is allowed. Games must be completed within 90 minutes of the start of play.

The teams participating in Kanga cricket this season were:

Beacon Hill	Forest Green	Wakehurst Funnelwebs
Collaroy Plateau Electrons	Forest White	Wakehurst Huntsmen
Collaroy Plateau Sparks	Harbord Sixers	Wakehurst Orbweavers
Cromer Cobras	Harbord Eagles	Wakehurst Tarantulas
Cromer Colts	Harbord Howzats	Wakehurst Trapdoors
Cromer Crocs	Peninsula Killer Whales	
Cromer Eagles	Peninsula Starfish	

## Under 9 Cricket

The aim of Under 9's Average cricket is to develop ALL players of ALL abilities. There are no statistics for batsmen or bowlers and the score of the match is the average result obtained by dividing the number of runs scored by the number of wickets lost. There were 19 teams in this age group in 2013/14.

The teams participating in Under 9 cricket this season were:

Beacon Hill	Harbord Hammerheads	Seaforth Tigers
Collaroy Plateau Electric	Harbord Knights	Wakehurst Funnelwebs
Collaroy Plateau Storm	Harbord Kookaburras	Wakehurst Huntsmen
Cromer	Harbord Osbornes	Wakehurst Tarantulas
Forest Blue	Harbord Spinners	Wakehurst Trapdoors
Forest Green	Peninsula	
Forest White	Seaforth Magpies	





## Manly Mini Bash 2014



T20 is the fastest growing format of cricket – just look at the exposure for IPL, Australia's very own Big Bash and the T20 World Cup in Bangladesh. Despite it being the big growth area, junior players often get little or no opportunity to play T20. In fact the only T20 avenue open to date has been the Weet-Bix Cup. Also, there is a perception by some that T20 is a "lesser" form of cricket being little more than "hit-and-bash". In fact, T20 is a very different but skilful form of cricket that has its own techniques (e.g. the "ramp" shot!) and tactics. There are numerous examples of where T20 has had a positive impact on the playing styles of more traditional formats, and most people would agree that T20 has played a part in cricket becoming more action-packed and exciting across the board. It is important that players get an understanding of T20 at a young age to be better, well-rounded players and great T20 players in the future.

So this year MWJCA decided to organise a T20 format competition for age groups U13s to U16-18s on a trial basis. The tournament was run over 4 weeks of Feb 2014 as 3 rounds followed by finals in week 4. The tournament was christened the "Manly Mini Bash" and round matches were played on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 5:00pm to 7:30pm. As it was a separate tournament and data was not entered into MyCricket, it was wholly standalone from the Saturday morning competition:

- Match results had no impact on the Saturday morning competition 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

### Structure

There were two leagues for each age group of U13 and above. Pitch availability was the main limiting factor in how many age groups and teams could take part. The top four teams in each Saturday morning competition division/age group after the last match on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2013 qualified to play. In some instances lower placed teams could play if other teams declined to take part. There was a strong focus on participation, meaning that it was far more preferable for teams to pull in extra players from elsewhere, rather than forfeit a match due to lack of numbers. This is also one of the reasons why player stats were not entered into MyCricket – players were encouraged to enjoy the game rather than worry about their own individual performances or stats. Points and ladder positions were collated after each round and posted on the MWJCA website.

MWJCA provided bright orange balls which not only helped create a sense of difference from other cricket, but also had a very practical impact on visibility when the sun started to go down on late matches. Boundaries were shorter to assist exciting, high-scoring games.

Each team in a league of four played each other once and finals for each age group/league were between the two teams with the most points after 3 rounds. A bonus system was in place whereby certain aspects of cricket (e.g. catches, run outs, high scores, bowling out an entire team etc) were rewarded with points which boost a team's position on the ladder.

## Finals

Finals were decided purely on runs scored with bonus points playing no part. In order to make the finals a special occasion:

- League 1 finals were played on turf where possible (e.g. Manly Oval, Mike Pawley oval)
- Independent umpires officiated at each final
- A BBQ was provided
- Music was played to celebrate wickets, boundaries etc in order to create a carnival atmosphere often associated with T20 cricket
- Mike Pawley Sports vouchers were awarded to the man of the match
- Each winning team received a trophy



## Results

U13 - League 1	St Augustines Gold defeated Harbord Hornets
U13 - League 2	Peninsula Alligators defeated Cromer
U14 - League 1	Collaroy Plateau Electrodes defeated Harbord Scorchers
U14 - League 2	Wakehurst Black defeated St Augustines Green
U15 - League 1	Collaroy Plateau Energy defeated St Augustines Green
U15 - League 2	Peninsula Firefish defeated St Augustines Gold
U16-18 - League 1	Harbord Chiefs defeated Wakehurst
U16-18 - League 2	St Augustines Green defeated St Augustines Red

## The Future

The timing of the tournament during the February seemed to work well for everyone involved. All of the feedback received about the Manly Mini Bash was positive and it seemed to be enjoyed by parents and players alike. As it was the first year there were bound to be a few areas for improvement which will be reviewed and considered for 2015. Access to grounds permitting, MWJCA, players and organisers would like it to become an annual fixture. The main areas for improvement for 2015 are:

- Secure grounds so that we're less reliant on the goodwill of other sports for access
- Expand tournament to younger age groups and more teams
- Secure access to the best grounds in the district for finals

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.aspx?rw=c>

**Phill Edwards and Kev Davies**  
Manly Mini Bash Coordinators







As the Aussie Cricket team concluded their successful Ashes campaign we found a great deal of interest from young cricketers wanting to join a cricket team in the second half of the season. Vicki Carden and Ross Denny working with our Cricket NSW Development Officer, Nick Govers, discussed the possibility of running a Milo T20 Blast program to cater for these kids.

Thanks to Vicki's efforts and persistence, the program went ahead and was a great success where we had over 30 participants between the ages of 8-12 attend a six week program run at Plateau Park each Thursday evening during February/March.

MWJCA coaches Ross Denny and John Jackson, along with new recruit Garry Dickerson and Cricket NSW reps Nick Govers and Christian Hammerton put on a very enjoyable program for the kids, which included playing matches in the exciting T20 Blast format as well as learning various cricket related skills. Special thanks also to two of our Manly juniors Anthony Denny and Hayden Brown who provided valuable assistance as umpires and coaches when we were short of helpers.

Hopefully this will prove a winning concept to grow further next season

**Ross Denny**  
Milo T20 Blast Coordinator





## Little Breakers League

Two clubs from the MWJCA participated in the inaugural “Little Breakers League”. The Wakehurst Redbacks Cricket Club (WRCC) and Forest District Cricket Club fielded girl-only teams to play in the Friday Twilight competition. The LBL was an initiative of Cricket NSW with the intention of filling a void in female cricket participation between in2cricket and the competitive female leagues. The competition was played on Lionel Watts Oval and lasted for 8 weeks in November and December 2013. The girls were given coloured zinc cream and headbands to wear on the night. Music blared from the sound system so many dance moves were on display. WRCC put on a BBQ to satisfy the girls' appetites.

The format of the LBL was similar to Kanga Cricket with the exception that the girls got to hit the ball off a tee if they were bowled a wide.

The LBL was a huge success: there was much batting, bowling and fielding talent on display. In addition to the fun the girls had throughout the competition they were afforded many cricketing opportunities by Cricket NSW. The girls met and trained with the NSW Lend Lease Breakers, played on the SCG at the lunch break of the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of the Ashes test match, met and trained with the Sydney Sixers, and the WRCC girls met the players on the SCG for the T20 match between the Sydney Sixers and Perth Scorchers.

Cricket NSW again plans to run the LBL in November this year so please contact your club if you are interested. Alternatively you can contact the association and they will put you in touch with a participating club.

**Deanne Hutt**



The Little Breakers ready to go onto the SCG during the Sydney Sixers vs. Perth Scorchers BBL clash



# The Ron Buroughs Trophy

## Under 10 Division 1

### Joint Premiers: COLLAROY PLATEAU & HARBORD

#### Collaroy Plateau "Charges"

James Buchanan  
Hayden Calvert  
Danny Chambers  
Ryan Crane

Sam Debien  
Matthew Dinham  
Raja Ganeshraj  
Luke Harvey

Curtis Kinstler-Smith  
Daniel Loney  
James Potter

Coaches: John Jackson and Gareth Chambers

Manager: Amber Potter



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# The Ron Buroughs Trophy *(continued)*

## Under 10 Division 1

### Joint Premiers: COLLAROY PLATEAU & HARBORD

#### Harbord "Dragons"

William Burton  
Sebastian Bush  
Harvey Cordukes  
Ben Edwards  
Sam Gibbons-Maurer

Jackson Griffiths  
Toby Griffiths  
Mackie Hobbs  
Kai Murphy  
Billy O'Brien

Zac Reid  
Tom Riddell  
Joshua Turner

Coach: Rob Easterbrook

Manager: Fleur Griffiths



# The Ron Watkins Trophy

## Under 10 – Division 2

### Premiers: HARBORD “Spinners”

Harry Aitken  
Otis Annakin  
Zac Chadwick  
Luca Crawford  
Harrison Healy

Matthew Kernahan  
Harry Lynch  
Sebastian Margarian  
Willem McCormack  
Hamish Moynihan

Fred Sarson  
Hugh Sellar  
Ed Shelbourne

Coach: Darren Crawford

Manager: Maria Rocca





# The Alex Anderson Cup

## Under 11 Division 1

Elliot Copas (Wakehurst) - Hat-trick in Round 13

### Premiers: WAKEHURST "Red"

Thomas Arrand  
Dylan Bradstreet  
Liam Chang  
Joel Chappelow  
Coach: Paul Chick

Jack Chick  
Angus Chipman  
Elliot Copas  
Rex Farrelly  
Manager: Carolyn Richardson

Lachlan Johnson  
Noah Kasmar  
Alastair McDiarmid  
Luke Richardson



### Association Awards – Under 11 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Luke Morley	Peninsula	Junior Cricketer of the Year	75.6 points
Xavier Ryan	Wakehurst	Batting Average	84.33
Xavier Ryan	Wakehurst	Batting Aggregate	253
Xavier Ryan	Wakehurst	Highest Score	61*
Luke Morley	Peninsula	Bowling Average	7.75
Luke Morley	Peninsula	Bowling Aggregate	16
Roderick Dixon	Wakehurst	Best Bowling Figure	5/9 from 6 overs

# The Bob Lind Cup

## Under 11 – Division 2

### Premiers: HARBORD “Tigers”

Angus Beaumont

Isaac Brighton

Matthew Camiller

Gordon Carroll

Douglas Carroll

Coach: Richard Colbran

Jack Colbran

Ethan English

Lochie Keenan

Will Janney

Sebastian Jones

Manager: Kirsty Janney

Max Poynton

Sam Tooth

Archie Warneford





# The John Bright Memorial Trophy

## Under 12 Division 1

James Gow (St. Augustines) - Hat-trick in Round 5  
Campbell Richardson (St. Augustines) - Hat-trick in Round 11

### Premiers: FOREST

Aiden Adams  
Liam Adams  
Benjamin Cranch  
Kale Gabila  
Tom Gordon

Ollie Melville  
Jake Osborne  
Cian Poirier  
Cam Scouller  
Connor Spinks

Noah Thomas  
Lincoln Waller  
Jordan Willis  
Benji Wilson

Coaches: Scott Osborne and Andrew Melville

Manager: Stephen Cranch



### Association Awards – Under 12 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Bill Williams	Harbord	Junior Cricketer of the Year	111.1 points
Bill Williams	Harbord	Batting Average	147.00
Bill Williams	Harbord	Batting Aggregate	441
Jake Osborne	Forest District	Highest Score	106*
Josh Park	Wakehurst	Bowling Average	4.84
Callum McKay	Harbord	Bowling Aggregate	20
Liam Dinan	Wakehurst	Best Bowling Figure	4/3 from 6 overs
Samuele Barros	Wakehurst		4/3 from 3 overs

# The George Lowe Cup

## Under 12 Division 2

### Premiers: PENINSULA “Tiger Sharks”

Euan Bates  
Damien Clarke  
Bailey Comans  
Zach Cooper

Gus Gerry  
Darcy Hoy  
Daniel McKay  
Hayden Scullion

Isaac Turner  
Jack Watt  
Sam Watt  
Flynn Westaway

Coach and Manager: Tom McKay



### Association Awards – Under 12 Division 2

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Gus Gerry	Peninsula	Junior Cricketer of the Year	82.0 points
Gus Gerry	Peninsula	Batting Average	52.0
Gus Gerry	Peninsula	Batting Aggregate	260
Gus Gerry	Peninsula	Highest Score	52*
Daniel McKay	Peninsula		
Isaac Turner	Peninsula	Bowling Average	3.83
Sam Watt	Peninsula	Bowling Aggregate	24
Sam Watt	Peninsula	Best Bowling Figure	5/2 from 4 overs



# The Les Gwynne Trophy

## Under 13

Jordon McPherson (Cromer) - Hat-trick in Round 1  
Benjamin Tallack (St. Augustines) - Hat-trick in Round 3  
Tom Colgan (St. Pius X College) - Hat-trick in Round 3

## Joint Premiers: ST. AUGUSTINE'S & HARBORD

### St. Augustine's "Gold"

Jordan Brewster  
Jackson Edward  
Harry Todd  
Michael Ryan

Callum McPhee  
Luis Ross  
Liam O'Sullivan  
Michael Kennedy

Addison Hawke  
Patrick Scognamiglio  
Benjamin Tallack  
Chester Gould

Coach: Joe O'Sullivan

Manager: Anthony Scognamiglio



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## Under 13 (continued)

### Harbord "Hornets"

Jack Cannon  
Leo Carlile  
Wil Dawes  
Oscar Greenwood

Ben Harris  
Jack Hobson  
Ben Lemlin  
Jarrod Lucas

Jackson Rath  
Josh Reid  
Will Satalic  
Bryn Singers

Coaches: Phil Munting (Supercoach)  
Andrew Dawes (The Apprentice)

Manager: Steve Hobson



### Association Awards – Under 13

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Tom Colgan	St. Pius X College	Junior Cricketer of the Year	86.2 points
Tom Colgan	St. Pius X College	Batting Average	74.40
Oscar Greenwood	Harbord	Batting Aggregate	413
Finn Nixon-Tomko	Cromer	Highest Score	103
Benjamin Tallack	St. Augustines	Bowling Average	3.87
Jack Cannon	Harbord	Bowling Aggregate	25
Maxwell Stewart	Peninsula	Best Bowling Figure	6/11 from 4.2 overs



# The James Randall Memorial Trophy

## Under 14 – Division 1

Ben Watts (Harbord) - Hat-trick in Round 11  
James Mulder (Collaroy Plateau) - Hat-trick in Round 11

### Premiers: COLLAROY PLATEAU “Electrodes”

Nathan Bain  
Hayden Brown  
Lachlan Burt  
Lachlan Cale

Adrian Caproni  
Ethan Elliott  
Harrison Kantor-Smith  
Fletcher Kirby

Brody Mather  
James Mulder  
Daniel Parker  
Josh Smith

Coaches: Jason Brown and Steve Caproni

Manager: Brett Mace



### Association Awards – Under 14 Division 1

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Oliver Davies	Harbord	Junior Cricketer of the Year	119.7 points
Fletcher Kirby	Collaroy Plateau	Batting Average	59.25
Oliver Davies	Harbord	Batting Aggregate	587 ##
Oliver Davies	Harbord	Highest Score	95
James Mulder	Collaroy Plateau	Bowling Average	6.53
Ben Watts	Harbord	Bowling Aggregate	20
Ethan Tabell	Harbord	Best Bowling Figure	5/23 from 3 overs

## MWJCA record

# The Bob Rollins Cup

## Under 14 – Division 2

Noah Reinecke (Redlands) - Hat-trick in Round 6  
Euan Dixon (Wakehurst) - Hat-trick in Round 7

### Premiers: REDLANDS

Toby Barnes  
Angus Carre  
Hamish Davidson  
James Dow  
Jerry Kuang

Ryan Martin  
Adam McNeil  
Dougald Miller  
Lachlan Miller  
Cameron Pascoe

Rory Peel  
Noah Reinecke  
Angus Simpson  
Oscar Wilson

Coach: Alex Slack

Assistant Coach: Andrew Langham



### Association Awards – Under 14 Division 2

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Anthony Denny	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	95.1 points
Anthony Denny	Wakehurst	Batting Average	60.17
Angus Carre	Redlands	Batting Aggregate	459
Angus Carre	Redlands	Highest Score	75
Adam McNeil	Redlands	Bowling Average	3.14 ##
Adam McNeil	Redlands	Bowling Aggregate	28
Euan Dixon	Wakehurst	Best Bowling Figure	5/3 from 3 overs

## MWJCA record

# The President's Cup

## Under 15

### Premiers: ST. AUGUSTINE'S "Green"

William Akhurst  
James Griffiths  
Jack Harrold  
Lachlan Kerr

William Lynch  
Campbell McPhee  
Ewan Metcalfe  
James Nelson

Jackson Prior  
Alexander Russell  
Jarad Travers  
Benjamin Wigney

Coaches: Angus McPhee and Frank Harrold



### Association Awards – Under 15

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Nicholas Osborne	St. Augustines	Junior Cricketer of the Year	133.6 points
Nicholas Osborne	St. Augustines	Batting Average	141.50
Nicholas Osborne	St. Augustines	Batting Aggregate	566
Hugo Weston	Harbord	Highest Score	129*
Lachlan Kerr	St. Augustines	Bowling Average	4.84
Lachlan Kerr	St. Augustines	Bowling Aggregate	25
Lachlan Kerr	St. Augustines	Best Bowling Figure	7/17 from 4.5 overs



# The Tony Rainey Cup

## Under 16-18

Tom Diggins (St. Pius X College) - Hat-trick in Round 3

### Premiers: HARBORD "Chiefs"

Tom Black  
Luke Gerethy  
Elliot Green  
Theo Guichon

Byron Leach  
Cameron Malouf  
Roy Outred  
Lucas Phillips

Jayden Pomeranetz  
Isaac Straatemeier  
Jarvis Zochling  
Ty Zochling

Coach: James Black

Manager: André Guichon



### Association Awards – Under 16-18

Name	Club	Award	Figures
Hayden Gullick	Wakehurst	Junior Cricketer of the Year	89.6 points
Toby Kovacs	Wakehurst	Batting Average	90.67
Matthew Levene	St. Augustines	Batting Aggregate	422
Nicholas Hidas	St. Augustines	Highest Score	168
Hayden Gullick	Wakehurst	Bowling Average	5.67
Max Dudfield	Redlands	Bowling Aggregate	32
James Thorley	Redlands	Best Bowling Figure	6/11 from 9 overs

# REPRESENTATIVE TEAM REPORTS 2013/14

## MWJCA Representative Cricket Chairman's Report

The 2013-14 Representative cricket season will be remembered as probably the most successful ever in Manly's junior representative cricket history. This success is judged by the number of boys involved in the Manly Representative cricket program, the high level of coaching throughout all of the age groups and, importantly, the on-field success of so many of our teams.

Following several seasons of development programs, this season Manly representative came of age as a significant force in both the New South Wales District Cricket Association and inter-Association's junior cricket representative programs. With the help of a large number of dedicated people, both on and off the Representative Committee, the program maintained the development of two teams in each age group from the Under 11s through to the Under 16s.

The 2013-14 Representative Committee, made up of Ross Denny, Sharon Bain, Danny LeMoy, Judy Kenzie, Steve Caproni, Ian Hogg, Ross Trewartha, Kevin Davies and myself, worked throughout the year to prepare the schedule of trials, games, coaches, specialist training, nets, kits and uniforms and many, many other facets of the representative program. Special thanks must go to the commitment from our coaches this year in delivering an outstanding effort for Manly Reps, not only in their ability, but also in the time spent working with their squads and teams. There were again record numbers of boys who came to the selection trials in February and March 2013 and from this over 180 boys were part of the Manly Warringah Junior Representative program during 2013-14.

The Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association's Representative Cricket program is very demanding and requires dedication, teamwork and a significant commitment. Representing Manly at Representative cricket is the highlight of the boys' junior cricketing days – especially as it involves playing in possibly the toughest and most demanding junior cricket competition in Australia. We again had 12 teams compete this year, six in the main NSW Cricket DCA competition and a further six teams in the Presidents Cup development competitions. Teams also represented Manly in various country carnivals. Whilst all of our teams competed strongly, there were a number of special highlights including the following:

- Manly winning the **Presidents Cup** (being the Association awarded the most points across the Presidents Cup season - with Sutherland second and Newcastle third);
- Manly coming third in the NSW DCA's **Gerry Meyer Shield** (which is awarded to the Association that obtains the highest number of points by all its DCA teams);
- **U11 Creak Shield** team – Undefeated DCA Premiers and winners of the Ron Arendts Memorial Shield, Newcastle;
- **Under 11 Presidents Cup team** – Fifth place;
- **Under 12 Arch Cawsey Shield team** – Semi-finalists;
- **U12 Presidents Cup team** - Undefeated Premiers;
- **Under 13 WS Gee Shield team** – Quarter-finalists;
- **Under 13 Presidents Cup team** – Undefeated Premiers;
- **Under 14 Harold Moore Shield team** – Undefeated DCA Premiers, undefeated winners of the Graeme Malcolm Newcastle Carnival Shield and winners of the SCG U14s State Challenge;

- **Under 14 Presidents Cup team** – Equal second place;
- **Under 15 Presidents Cup team** – Third place;
- **Under 16 Presidents Cup team** – Fourth place

To those boys who are now over 16, we wish you well in your cricketing future, and to those parents who have lived through a number of seasons, we thank you for your dedication in helping your sons play this great game. This was the last season of junior rep cricket coaching for our U16s Head Coach, Ross Denny, whose coaching support for all of our rep teams, generally behind the scenes, has been very significant for a number of seasons. Thank you Ross for all your hard work in this regard.

To the dedicated group of coaches who put in countless hours of planning and preparation, as well as just being there each week for training and matches on Sundays, a huge thanks. In particular, congratulations to Matt Phelps for guiding our Under 11s to such an outstanding first season of representative cricket. Special congratulations also to Paul O'Sullivan and Roy Vumbaca, co-coaches of the champion Under 14 team, who were jointly awarded New South Wales District Cricket Association's **Tom Richmond Trophy** for coaches of the year (2013-14). In addition to those wonderful parents who volunteered to manage teams, only support from people like you ensure that many tasks get done, and teams run smoothly. Your contribution to the community of Manly rep cricket is immense and invaluable.

Thanks to Mike Pawley (and Mike Pawley Sports) and to Specialised Wheelchair Company, for their support and sponsorship of the Manly juniors this season. Also thanks to the Sydney Sixers organisation for providing Sixers memberships to our Manly junior rep players. Thanks to Simon Couch at Chiropractic Solutions and Dean Gilchrist at Sportspro, for their support of the Manly juniors once again.

Thanks also to the MWJCA Committee, especially Danny LeMoy, Ross Denny and Denise Gullick, as well as the general junior committee, for your wonderful support and encouragement to rep cricket during the season.

I look forward to working with the Representative Committee in continuing to enhance the spirit of cricket within the Manly Warringah community and to make it another great season for the Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association representative teams in 2014-15.

**Dr Shane Moran**  
MWJCA Rep Chairman





# MWJCA REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARDS

**Under 11 Creak Shield**      *Joel Davies*

**Under 11 Presidents Cup**      *Sam Jones*



**Under 12 Cawsey Shield**      *Joel McGregor*

**Under 12 President's Cup**      *Lachlan Molyneux*



**Under 13 Gee Shield**      *Oliver Davies*

**Under 13 President's Cup**      *Jackson Rath*



**Under 14 Moore Shield**      *Aiden Bariol*

**Under 14 President's Cup**      *Luke Trbojevic*



**Under 15 Weblin Shield**      *Joel Wood*

**Under 15 President's Cup**      *Aaron Stevens*



**Under 16 Watson Shield**      *Abhijeet Viridi*

**Under 16 President's Cup**      *Byron Leach*



## **MWJCA PLAYERS SELECTED FOR THE 2013/14 CRICKET NSW ACADEMY**

*The Cricket NSW Academy (formerly Emerging Blues) is a State wide program responsible for the identification and development of talented male and female cricketers. The following MWJCA players were selected and participated in the program during the 2013/14 season*

### **Under 13**

Oliver Davies



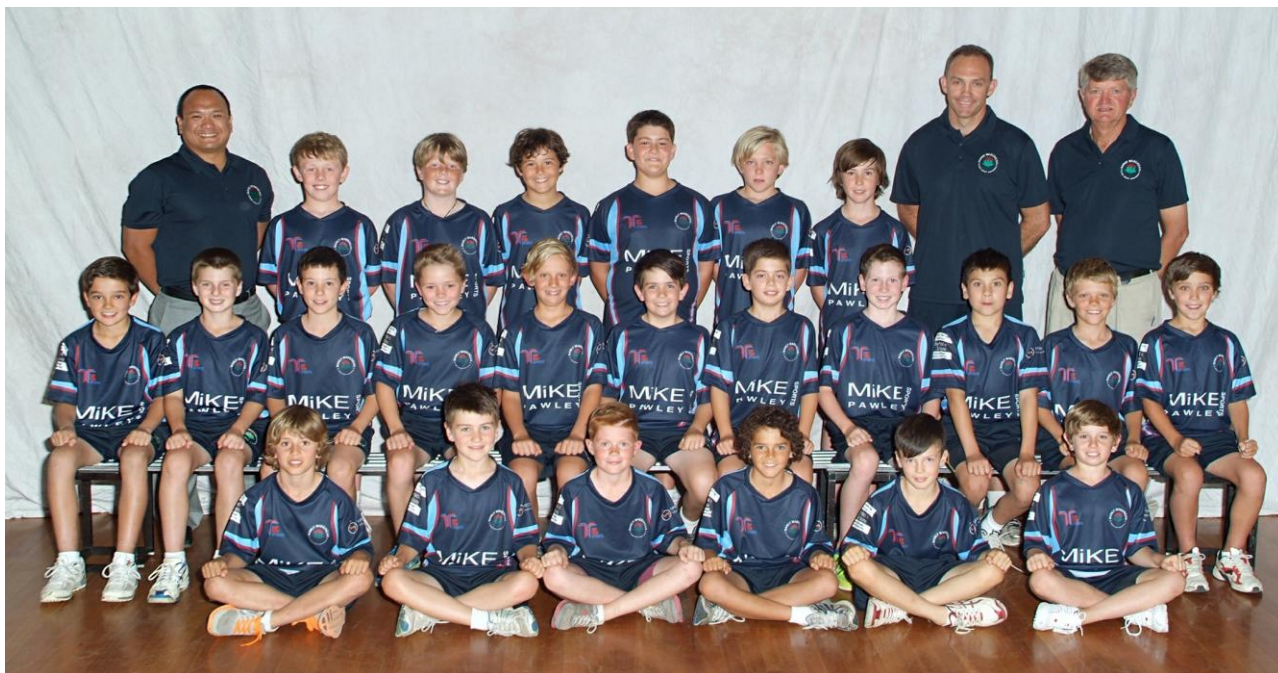
### **Under 14**

Aiden Bariol      Jack Edwards

Nick Osborne      Isaiah Vumbaca



## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 11 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Sid Williams (captain), James Brock, Joel Davies, Michael Drake, James Forbes, Kale Gabila, Sam Greenland, Oscar Lucius, Oliver Melville, Luke Morley, Thomas Phelps (vice captain), Nicholas Taylor

**President's Cup Team:** Joe O'Brien (captain), Ky Broome, Jack Chick, Samuel Dunn, Evan Dunnachie, Euan Harris, Finn Harte, Sam Jones, Luke Richardson, Henry Thomas, Lachlan Trewartha, Tom Wood

**Coaches:** Matthew Phelps (DCA), John Jackson (President's Cup)

**Managers:** Richard Gabila (DCA)

Kylie and Ross Trewartha (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Joel Davies (DCA)  
Sam Jones (President's Cup)

### DCA J.H. Creak Shield – Under 11

**2013/14 DCA J.H. Creak Shield Champions (Undefeated)**

**Ron Arendts Shield Winners (Newcastle Country Carnival)**

**Joint Winners - THE MIKE PAWLEY REPRESENTATIVE AWARD**

*for the most outstanding junior representative team of the season*

What a season, what a playing group, what a group of parents – What a Team!

The Manly Warringah Under 11 DCA team for 2013/14 made history for the Manly Warringah JCA by winning the NSW DCA Creak Shield competition and the Ron Arendts

Newcastle U11 tournament. This is the first time that a Manly Warringah U11 team has won either of these trophies since Manly Warringah JCA has competed in the representative competitions.



**2013/14 DCA J.H. Creak Shield Champions**

As the coach of the team, it was a pleasure to coach such a great bunch of players, players with high standards and players with immense talent. I thought I would make some quick comments about each player:

**Sid Williams** – our captain extraordinaire! Sid handled the role of captain with ease. He was organised, strategic, managed his players well and was open to suggestions from the coach. He was willing to try things and back his judgment – this is no mean feat when you have a coach like me and you are 11 years old... Sid bowled with great control and built pressure on batters, which often led to wickets for others. He was always our go to man when we need to get a wicket and keep the pressure on the opposition. We probably didn't see the best of Sid's batting during the competitions but his winning knock to win a T20 match at Newcastle was a highlight. Not many 11 year olds can say they have won a match needing 8 an over with 5 overs remaining.

**James Brock** – James was instilled as our opening batsman from the start and his positive attitude to stroke play regularly saw the team off to a great start. The first game saw James score a magnificent 83, which set the benchmark for the team and proved to every player in the group that large scores above 50 are possible. James made an effort to improve his fielding as the season progressed and took important catches in the pressure matches at the end of the season. Like his teammates, James has so much room to enhance his game.



**Joel Davies** – a lot has already been written about Joel's exploits during the U11 representative season. He deserves the plaudits for his performances because he consistently contributed to the results of the team. He has patience, game sense and immense confidence in his ability for a 10 year old. The most pleasing aspect of the season for Joel was to see him develop as a team player and embrace the strengths and weaknesses of other players. His innings in the final of the Newcastle tournament was his best innings of the season. It was fitting that he was announced as the player of the tournament after the match.

**Michael Drake** – Michael produced the most amazing display of batting for an 11 year old that I have ever seen! Michael showed his class and experience to dominate the opposition with bat and ball during the matches he completed in the DCA competition. The highlight was his 121\* against Parramatta and his 4/10 in the same match. I am pretty sure he was the Player of the Match in this game! Michael doesn't say much but he certainly takes in everything and processes in his special way. His application to batting and bowling is extraordinary for an 11 year old.

**James Forbes** – James will look back on the season with mixed emotions. He was part of history, as a member of the first team to win both trophies in the same year yet would probably have liked to have personally contributed more runs to the team. A lot of James's contribution cannot be described in runs and wickets. His support of his teammates, his catching and his fielding played an incredible role in the team victories. His fielding and catching in the finals was a highlight, especially the horizontal diving catch in the Newcastle match. I look forward to seeing James develop over the coming seasons when his physical stature increases and with his technique we see the runs flow from his blade.

**Kale Gabila** – Kale was one of the great improvers during the representative season. His game sense, stroke play and fearless attitude to progress the game made for heart stopping action for everyone involved in the team. It did not matter what situation Kale was presented he always attacked the scenario with a positive frame of mind. His running between the wickets was a highlight but our little "Speedy Gonzales" certainly caused the coach some heart flutters during the season – especially when batting with the "Road Runner".

**Sam Greenland** – Sam is one of the most technically gifted players in the team and executes his skills with absolute ease. He also has nerves of steel and this coupled with his technical ability allowed Sam to play a great innings in the Grand Final of the DCA competition. Sam performed in the big moments for the team. His stable, stress free attitude is a great attribute and one that the team benefitted from during the season. His bowling was accurate and built pressure on the batters which always created opportunities for wickets.

**Oscar Lucius** – for an 11 year old, Oscar possesses a very good pair of hands with a superb technique, which made him extremely invaluable to the team as our wicketkeeper. His keeping was outstanding and culminated in being recognized for these talents at the Newcastle tournament. Additionally to Oscar's technique and catching ability is his game sense. Whenever we needed to take that difficult catch, execute a tight run out or pull off a quick stumping, Oscar was able to come up with the goods. The upside to Oscar is that he loves the game, he contributes with the bat and his batting has so much more scope for improvement.

**Oliver Melville** – Oliver is our silent assassin. He opened the bowling in each game and consistently troubled the batsman with his control and variation without every really getting the wickets he deserved. When we came to the big games Oli came alive and always “knocked over” the opposition’s best batsman and gave his teammates the confidence to win the match. Oli is a great team man, contributes with the bat and like so many of the group have so much scope to improve his game.

**Luke Morley** – Our talkative “Sheik of Tweak”. Luke’s positive and vibrant nature was a positive influence on the team. His control and ability to “rip” his leg spin plus his vibrancy always created an air of expectancy for his teammates and team supporters. Luke stepped up to the plate when Michael Drake went overseas and took wickets consistently and was the captains go to bowler when the team needed a wicket. I look forward to seeing Luke work on his batting and see him raise his bat in a representative match in the coming years.

**Thomas Phelps** – as the Vice Captain, Tom played an important role in providing unwavering support to the captain and maintaining the competitive edge of the team. Tom was often heard supporting his teammates and driving positive outcomes within the group. These little 1%er’s played a keep role in the focus of the team. Tom led the competition in catches from non-keepers and regularly finished off the good work of the bowlers. Tom will be better for the 2013/14 campaign, as when he understands his limitations we will see vast improvements.

**Nicholas Taylor** – Nick contributed in many ways to the success of the team in 2013/14. He has the ability to crack a joke at the right time and then be serious with his teammates at the right time. He is super competitive, super quick between the wickets (that is why he was dubbed the “Road Runner”) and has great control with his off spin. His presence within the team was influential to our success – he always kept the group grounded and happy. Nick is also another player who contributed with bat and ball during the season but his scope for improvement is immense.



The team enjoyed the added support of Lachlan Trewartha and Joe O'Brien during the campaign. Lachie filled in one match for the group during the DCA rounds and contributed to a great win for the team. Joe played in the Newcastle tournament in the absence of Michael Drake. Joe improved greatly during the week with bat and ball and culminated the tournament with 4 wickets in the final. He was also a great team player during the week and was a pleasure to have in the team.

John Jackson must be congratulated for his huge contribution to the program. He coached the President Cup team, coached a DCA game, didn't miss a training session and didn't have a relative in the program. Extremely selfless from John and credit must go to him for the improvement the President Cup squad displayed during the entire summer. John was always supportive of the DCA squad and always adjusted his sessions if the DCA required extra room for game specific practice.

The other contributors to the team were the parents. Without their incredible support the boys would not have played so well.

Richard Gabila (Team Manager) and his wife Gabi must be congratulated for their tireless support of the team. Their organisation was tremendous and endless as the season went on. The best Team Managers leave nothing to chance and are generally one step ahead of the coach. Richard was the best Team Manager a coach could ask for.

My personal thanks must be conveyed to Andrew Melville who didn't miss a training session, assisted in any way possible (even throwing balls for 2 hours) and providing a positive contribution to the entire team. Mark Taylor was also a regular at training and always emphasized the positive way the game needed to be played. His cricket background played a key role in emphasizing the team strategies to the players and maintaining the intensity at training. Adam Lucius, Casey Drake, Matthew and Lachlan Morley also contributed to the quality, intensity and desired outcomes at training during the summer.

Melinda Gainsford-Taylor was also instrumental in improving the movement of our players. Most training sessions, Mel took the U11's for 15-20mins of running technique, speed and agility which culminated in our players getting to the ball faster, taking the catch easier and running between the wickets faster. Mel's positive outlook and personal experiences as and with athletes played a key role in the management of the players and the group dynamics.

On top of his assistance bowling leg breaks like "Warney" at training - Adam Lucius undertook the role of chief script/match reporter for the team to the association after each match. It was always great to read Adam's analysis of the match and replay the achievements of the boys on the Monday after the game. His ability to keep a drink cold all day was also much appreciated by the coach who always required a drink to settle the nerves after close finals matches.

I must also recognize the assistance Bruce Wickham provided to the manager and coach. His management of the selection process was phenomenal and his guidance on the standards expected of players, parents and team staff set a strong basis for the team for the season.

The other success story of the season was how our families embraced the competition. From day 1 at trials when Bruce Wickham set the benchmark of expectations from players

and parents, each family embraced their responsibilities and maintained a strong positive outlook. Each family (including grandparents) understood their role and provided endless support to each player and personally I would like to thank everyone for their unconditional support during the entire campaign.

The U11 team of 2013/14 goes down in history and deserves every accolade possible. The team has immense talent, strong competitive drive, mentally strong and most importantly contains good respectful people. They are a credit to their parents and themselves. I look forward to hopefully continuing to take them on the journey in 2014/15.

**Matthew Phelps**  
Coach  
April 2014





## **President's Cup – Under 11**

The key challenge for this group in the MWJCA representative program is that all the players are new to representative cricket. For some players it was their first exposure to traditional cricket. It was pleasing to see after two initial losses the team improved to three successive wins and a washed out final game. This was a mid-table finish in a 10 team competition. The performance of every player improved markedly over the season. Our team was not dominated by the efforts of one or two players but rather the efforts of all players.

Joe O'Brien proved an astute captain showing a tactical ability above his years.

My congratulations to the DCA team which had a stellar year.

### **Match Summaries**

#### **Round 1: Manly vs. Newcastle** at Ballast Park, Stockton - **"Baptism of fire"**

Newcastle 3/196 (FC Harte 8-1-17) def. MWJCA 143 (S Jones 40, T Wood 31)

It is a big ask to travel to Newcastle to play a de facto DCA team in your first game of rep cricket. On a fast ground we struggled to contain the top Newcastle batters. Finn Harte bowled 8 tight overs in humid conditions. A bright opening partnership of 60 from Joe O'Brien and Tom Wood followed by an attacking partnership from Ky Broome and "slamming" Sam Jones gave us a chance in the match.

#### **Round 2: Manly vs. Hornsby** at Nolans 1 - **"Catches win matches"**

MWJCA 9/126 (E Harris 22) def. by Hornsby 5/127 (S Jones 8-3-16)

We cobbled together 126 with the help of 22 from Euan Harris batting at 3. Tom Wood and Evan Dunnachie and sundries also made useful contributions to our total. Sam Jones was the leader of our attack that bowled well enough to win the game. However six dropped chances crippled our chances.

#### **Round 3: Manly vs. North West Sydney** at Castle Hill - **"On our way"**

North West 86 (S Dunn 7-3-6, H Thomas 7-2-18) def. by MWJCA 5/88 (L Richardson 14\*)

A focus on fielding at training made a huge difference. Two run outs and four catches in association with a tight attack led by Sam Dunn took 11 wickets for 86.

A solid partnership between Finn Harte and Luke Richardson saw us home.

#### **Round 4: Manly vs. Central Coast** at Plateau Park - **"Solid win after a shaky start"**

MWJCA 123 (J O'Brien 28, K Broome 22, H Thomas 20) def. Central Coast 99 (L Richardson 3.1-3-6)

Joe O'Brien showed his leadership qualities with a long determined innings after our horrific start (2-0). Tom Wood, Finn Harte and Ky Broome help build our total. An attacking innings from Henry Thomas was vital in the outcome of the match. His six to wide mid on was memorable.

Tight bowling supported by good fielding (6 straight catches and a run out) built pressure on central coast batters. Luke Richardson cleaned up the tail.

#### **Round 5: Manly vs. South Eastern** at Heffron Park - **"Nail biter"**

South Eastern 118 (S Dunn 5-2-7) def. by MWJCA 8/119 (E Harris 42, FC Harte 17)

Led by Sam Dunn, our medium pacers bowled tightly in windy conditions. Later, South Eastern had difficulty scoring off the spin trio of Ky Broome, Tom Wood and Lachlan Trewartha.

Our run chase was dominated by an attacking 42 from Euan Harris. His well-executed reverse sweep for four brought the MWJCA supporters to their feet (except for the coach). With two wickets remaining MWJCA required 9 to win. In a period of high tension, Jack Chick and Ky Broome got the required runs with three balls remaining.

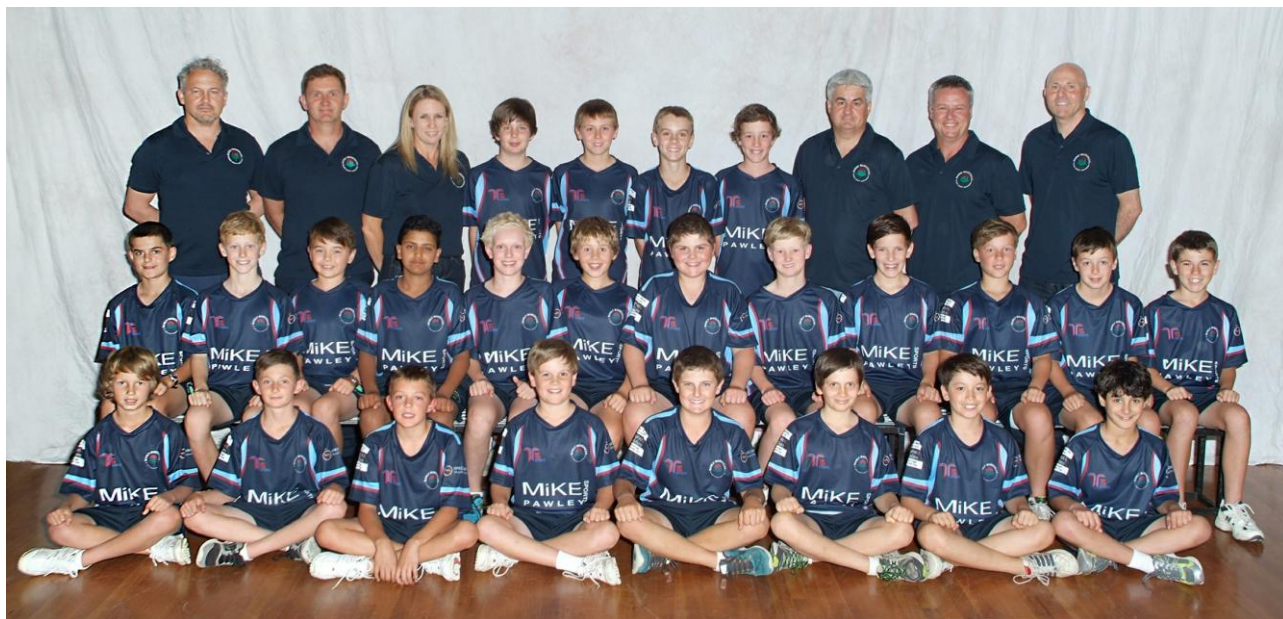
**Grand Final: Manly vs. South Eastern at Plateau Park (wash out)**

After persevering for an hour or so in poor conditions the game was abandoned due to increasing rain.

**John Jackson**



## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 12 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Ned Barnet, Jarod Colyer, Lucas Heffernan, Jack Hobson, Ewan Hughes, Bailey Kenzie, Joel McGregor, Finn Nixon-Tomko, Jake Osborne, Jeremy Tolman, Ben Watts, Bill Williams

**President's Cup Team:** Aidan Bennett, Will Davidson, Kai Davies, Liam Dinan, Callum McKay, Jack Melchiorre, Brynn Mendel, Lachlan Molyneux, Josh Park, William Rogers, Ashish Sharda, Noah Vumbaca  
*Filled in:* Tom Pattinson (Round 5)

**Coaches:** Paul Heffernan (DCA), Craig Tomko (Assistant - DCA)  
Giles Park (President's Cup)  
Simon Molyneux, Scott Bennett (Assistants - President's Cup)

**Managers:** Andrew Barnet (DCA), Amanda Swan (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Joel McGregor (DCA)  
Lachlan Molyneux (President's Cup)

### DCA Arch Cawsey Shield – Under 12

The boys second year of rep cricket probably exceeded our expectations. The team combined well this season to make the semi-finals in DCA competition and came third in the Lismore country carnival.

Our player of the year was tightly contested, with a few worthy contenders. This shows that the team as not overly dependent, on any one player to perform well each game. Joel McGregor is our U12 DCA Player of the Year. Joel lead our teams most runs ladder, but the following paragraphs builds a picture of why Joel is a worthy recipient, due to his positive batting in crucial times when required. Joel showed his promise in his very first DCA game of the season against Georges River, when he came in at 4/37 and proceeded to calmly rebuild our innings, with strong defence and rotating the strike to top score with 26 runs. In the Parramatta game, Joel scored 47 runs during a partnership of 91 runs off only 20 overs with Lucas Heffernan-this partnership for me was the highlight of the season



with both batsmen taking on the bowling/fielders with good placement and running between wickets. Joel also top scored with 15 in a low scoring game vs. Northern Districts.

Joel's icing on the cake was his dazzling 64 runs in the pressure of the Quarter Final vs. Blacktown. It was a fantastic innings, under the pressure of a QF after seeing two batsmen go cheaply early. Joel's smashing pull shots that crashed in to the picket fence were worth the admission price alone!! His ground fielding and sharp catching was also a real asset to the team, prowling around the wicket square - well done Joel!!

Other worthy contenders were Lucas for his positive batting and snappy fielding, wicket taking ability and Bailey for astute tight bowling and leading wicket taker.

The team showed their fortitude to keep their nerve, to win a few close games this year. Tight bowling at crucial times built the pressure for the wickets to fall.

The semi-final result was not a reflection of the boy's effort this year, but the boys have the ability to learn and grow from this game. Turning over the strike as a batsman is important to building a team innings, and sometimes that means taking a few calculated risky shots if the scoreboard is not ticking over.

The boys have gained a good foundation from the last two years, about field placements and how to bowl to a field. In the coming seasons the boys will work at fitness, flexibility (warm ups) and improving the overall standard of fielding. Another important aspect is batting with more intent. Cricket shouldn't just be about occupying the crease - we also need to be looking to hit the balls into gaps and rotate the strike to disrupt the opposition's bowling attack.

A big thanks to our manager, Andrew Barnet for his organisation and support throughout the year - another big effort!! The coaches would also like to express thanks to our parent group for their assistance and cooperation during year - it certainly makes our job easier!!

The improvement in the boys from last year to this year really has been tremendous. The coaches, Paul & Craig are very proud of the fact, that our boys played competitively all season and excelled in making the semi-finals this year. Congratulations to all the boys!!

**Paul Heffernan and Craig Tomko** (coaches)

### **DCA Cawsey Shield: Match Results**

**DCA Round 1** 27-Oct-13 Manly Warringah **8/121** *defeated* Georges River St George **104**

Joel McGregor 26, Ben Watts 21 no,  
Jarod Colyer 19

Bailey Kenzie 4/25, Bill Williams 1/2,  
Ben Watts 1/11, Jack Hobson 1/13

- Our score was boosted in the last few overs by clever hitting from Ben & Ben
- Bill breaking his bat after smashing a four, dancing down the wicket to fast bowler!!
- Direct hit run out by Ned Barnet, thrown while sitting on his bum - superb work!!
- With two wickets left, Lucas Heffernan took a difficult catch diving forward at point.

**DCA Round 2** 3-Nov-13 Manly Warringah **5/162** *defeated* ACT **8/159**

Lucas Heffernan 29, Ned Barnett 29, Jack Hobson 3/32 (5 overs),  
Ben Watts 16, Finn Nixon-Tomko 14 no, Ben Watts 0/14 (10 overs),  
Jake Osborne 11 no Bill Williams 1/16 (8 overs),  
Bailey Kenzie 1/22 (8 overs)

- Ned Barnett taking a magnificent reflex catch at short midwicket.
- Jack Hobson being on a hat trick. The tension was high, as the hat trick ball was hit high back to Jack, who got both outstretched hands to ball, but couldn't quite hang on - close!!!
- Finn (14 no) and Jake Osborne (11 no) got the team over the line in the 49<sup>th</sup> over.

**DCA Round 3** 10-Nov-13 Manly Warringah **1/143** *defeated* Parramatta **3/142**

Lucas Heffernan 67 no, Bailey Kenzie 2/20 (9 overs), Ben Watts 0/14 (9 overs),  
Joel McGregor 47 Ned Barnett 0/17 (9 overs), Jack Hobson 0/15 (5 overs)

- Bailey, deceiving a batsman, who shouldered arms and lost his stumps - magical stuff!!
- With rain falling, Joel & Lucas, setting the team up for victory, with a superb opening partnership of 91 runs off 20 overs - game won in the 34<sup>th</sup> over!!
- A big thank you to the scorers (Niels & Scott), who were rugged up from the cold & wet conditions, like they were at the North Pole!!

**DCA Round 4** 17-Nov-13 Manly Warringah **92** *drew* South Eastern **0/12**

Bailey Kenzie 28, Lucas Heffernan 24

- A game against our arch rivals, after a stop/start affair, was eventually washed out at 2.50pm.

**DCA Round 5** 24-Nov-13 Manly Warringah **5/60** *defeated* Northern Districts **10/59**

Joel McGregor 15 Lucas Heffernan 3/6 (7 overs), Bill Williams 2/6 (6 overs),  
Jack Hobson 1/7 (7 overs), Jeremy Tolman 1/9 (7 overs),  
Ewan Hughes 1/0, Bailey Kenzie 1/4 (5 overs),  
Jarod Colyer 1/3

- Jake bowling his mediums, had his first bowl for the season and bowled tightly
- Jarod, was called into the attack over and immediately picked up a wicket with his first ball
- The last wicket was by Ewan Hughes, who smashed the stumps with his first ball!!
- Ned and Ewan steadied the ship to get us home in the 29<sup>th</sup> over.

**Quarter Final** 1-Dec-13 Manly Warringah **8/160** *defeated* Blacktown **8/147**

Joel McGregor 64, Jarod Colyer 22, Bill Williams 1/21 (8 overs), Jack Hobson  
Finn Nixon-Tomko 19, Ned Barnett 12 1/7 (7 overs), Jeremy Tolman 1/15 (7 overs),  
Bailey Kenzie 1/22, Ben Watts 2/27 (10 overs),  
Ned Barnett 0/20 (8 overs)

- Joel & Jarod, batting sensibly to put on 2<sup>nd</sup> wicket 89 run partnership.
- Jeremy has tip toed thru the clovers of Balgowlah, to face his only and last ball of the innings, and delivers with a big six over the mid-wicket pickets and onto the golf course for six runs!!
- Fantastic to see some of the boys from the Presidents team supporting from the sidelines in the last few overs-much appreciated guys!!

**Semi Final** 8-Dec-13 Manly Warringah **10/102** *defeated by* Central Coast **1/106**

Bill Williams 36, Jack Hobson 9 no, Bill Williams 1/20 (7 overs), Bailey Kenzie 0/10  
Ewan Hughes 10 no (6 overs), Ned Barnett 0/23 (10 overs)

- Bill 'all day watto' Williams, entertaining 36 runs
- Ewan & Bill in putting the pressure back on the opposition with a 28 run partnership

**Lismore Tournament: Match Results**

**Round 1** (45 overs) 7-Jan-14 Manly Warringah **8/169** *defeated* Tamworth **61**

Ned Barnett 41, Ben Watts 20, Ned Barnett 2/0, Lucas Heffernan 2/5, Finn Nixon-  
Finn Nixon-Tomko 20 Tomko 2/5

- Ned scoring 41 off only 54 balls - great work and retiring not out.
- Ben Watts swinging the willow to hit his 20 off only 11 balls!!
- Bailey taking the keepers pads and completing stumping off Finn's bowling - has that ever happened before, two keepers in same game taking stumping off each other's bowling?

**Round 2** (25 overs) 8-Jan-14 Manly Warringah **9/86** *defeated* Newcastle Presidents **4/32**

Jeremy Tolman 23 Jake Osborne 1/11, Jeremy Tolman 1/4

- Rain interrupted game and Manly declared winner on run rate

**Round 3** (25 overs) 8-Jan-14 Manly Warringah **6/106** *defeated* Illawarra **9/81**

Joel McGregor 25, Jarod Colyer 19, Ewan Hughes 2/7  
Bill Williams 17

- After being 2/0, Joel & Jarod combined in a partnership to bring our innings to life!!
- Bill's hitting at the end was special, 17 off 16 balls



**Semi Final** (45 overs)    9-Jan-14    Manly Warringah **10/80** *defeated by* North Shore **9/126**  
Finn Nixon-Tomko 30                      Ned Barnet    2/13  
Lucas Heffernan 13

**3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Playoff** (30 overs)    10-Jan-14    Manly Warringah **10/92** *defeated* Parramatta **10/42**  
Lucas Heffernan 28,                      Joel McGregor 4/2, Bill Williams 2/4  
Jeremy Tolman 22,  
Jake Osborne 14

- Jeremy back to his cavalier ways with 22 of 22 balls
- Lucas knocked up 28 off 39 balls
- Jarod opening our bowling attack, with a miserly 0/6 off 5 overs
- Joel bowling his wobbly accurate mediums to pick up 4 wickets

**Paul Heffernan and Craig Tomko** (coaches)



## **President's Cup – Under 12**

### **2013/14 Under 12 President's Cup Champions**

What a brilliant season for everyone connected to the Under 12 Presidents Cup team for 2013-2014. A great bunch of boys, fantastic parents plus five wins out of five saw Manly end up top of the league. The only disappointment being that the Grand Final against Sutherland was a complete wash-out. Even though we still finished the season in first place, it was such an anti-climax for everyone.

I would like to say a big thank you to Scott and Simon for helping me with the coaching and to Amanda for being a superb Manager. I think it is very important that the boys know the support that goes into putting on a game of Rep cricket and this season a special mention must go to Alex Vumbaca for scoring at every game. Alex went to another level this year by not only scoring using the traditional score book but also scoring each game on her iPad as well - multitasking at its best. For our home games, Loretta and Elton really stepped up to the mark by organising the catering and I am sure that we had the best cricket lunches in the whole of NSW. I would also like to thank the rest of the parents for helping out in setting up the ground, pitching the gazebos and providing the ice for the eskies - a real team effort.

As seems to be the norm, you would never have guessed that the boys would have remained unbeaten throughout the Rep season after witnessing our two pre season warm up games. To put it mildly, we were a shambles. It looked as though it could be a long hard summer ahead. However, much to our delight, the boys really did listen and took on board what we were saying and by the end of the season had gelled into a great little team with everyone backing one another.

Due to the grand final being washed out, our previous game against South Eastern (who also had not lost a game) turned out to be our grand final. What a fantastic game of cricket, against a very sporting opposition. We scored 10-149 off our 50 overs. Jack Melchior achieved top score of 43 and was well supported by Lachlan Molyneux 26, Will Davidson and Will Rogers with 16 and 15 respectively. We thought that we were probably about 20 - 30 runs light. Prior to taking the field, we impressed upon the boys that if we were going to win then every catch had to be taken and the fielding had to be immaculate. Well what a thoroughly great team performance we witnessed. Each bowler bowled line and length and gave the batsmen absolutely nothing. The fielding was perfect and every catch was taken. Lachlan took a magnificent one handed catch and from that moment you could just tell that all the boys believed that they could win. South Eastern were very good opponents and fought right to the end - we eventually had them all out for 123.

Highlights from our bowling were Lachlan 3-6 off 4 overs and Ash 4 -19 off 7 overs. This was a real team performance and even the boys that had not taken any wickets or scored many runs in the game were on a complete high knowing that they still had an impact on the game.

At this point I would just like to give Aidan Bennett, our electric opening bowler a special mention. Aidan who is going to be the scourge of many batsmen for years to come due to his pace, sadly went over on his ankle during net practise just before round 5. After being carted off to hospital in great pain it was then confirmed a few days later that he had

severely damaged his ligaments and that was the end of his season. I know that Aidan was absolutely gutted but would like to thank him for turning up to support his team mates against South Eastern - it was much appreciated.

Each player contributed throughout the season and these include the following -

**Aidan Bennett** - A very good first Rep season for Aidan only spoilt by injuring his ankle in the nets before our 5th game and ruling him out for the remainder of the season. I lost count of the number of times that Aidan beat the bat and on several occasions opposition coaches commented to me that their boys had never previously faced such pace. A highlight with the bat was his 33 no against North West Sydney that included seven 4s.

**Will Davidson** - Another player making his debut season as a Rep cricketer. Will is Mr Reliable. Throughout the season he continued to bowl a good tight line and length and when quick runs were required he was the man for the job. A couple of highlights being his 39 against North West Sydney when he opened the batting and a fantastic catch that he took in the outfield, away at Hornsby in round two.

**Kai Davies** - Kai always came on first change and had a fantastic season bowling his spin. After the opening attack had tied the batsmen down Kai came on and was brave enough to give the ball plenty of air and it paid off as time after time the batsmen thought that they could hit him out of the park. Needless to say that they didn't and he ended up joint leading wicket taker with 7 wickets. Apart from his wickets he also had a fantastic run out with a direct hit when we were away at Central Coast.

**Liam Dinan** - Usually a fairly sedate batsman Liam shocked us all during the game against North West Sydney, when after I suggested to him that he might like to try and up the scoring rate a little, he proceeded to hit the bowlers all round Balgowlah oval hitting five 4s and just missing out on his first 50 when he was out for 45 - very entertaining. Against South Eastern he stepped up with the ball and bowled superbly, even though he did not take a wicket he played a huge part for the team in tying the batsman down and ended with figures of 7 overs for 12 runs.

**Callum McKay** - Callum is our Gun in the field and ended the season with 4 catches, two being taken in our top of the table clash against South Eastern where the old saying catches win matches came to fruition. Nothing gets past Callum in the field and I don't even think he dropped a catch during training all summer. A good medium pace bowler who bowled well but without any luck.

**Jack Melchior** - Jack grew in confidence as the season went on and ended up opening the batting and finished with his highest Rep score of the season of 43. Jack is another player with a very good pair of hands and he took a very good catch in the slips against South Eastern in round 5.

**Brynn Mendel** - Brynn had a very good season with the bat even though he only batted three times, despite the fact that he always appeared to be carrying an injury. He opened against Hornsby in round 2 and carried his bat ending up 66 NO. Brynn has an excellent eye for a ball and hits it very hard. Against North West Sydney he showed that he is a real team player, after receiving a blow to his head, when unluckily the ball went through his grill while wicket keeping, he was still keen to carry on playing as his mother was trying to take him to hospital where it was later found that he had mild concussion.



**Lachlan Molyneux** - Lachlan was our player of the season. He scored 98 runs and took 6 wickets and 3 catches - one against South Eastern where he seemed to grow about a meter in height, held up his hand and the ball just stuck, still lives in the memory. A very good bowler who continually put the ball on a perfect length that made each batsman think. As a batsman he just improved as the season went on and was never afraid to play a few shots.

**Josh Park** - Josh started the season with a bang with 69 NO against Newcastle. This was his first ever 50 and I think he felt a bit embarrassed about holding his bat up to acknowledge the clapping. He opened the bowling for the first time this season against South Eastern in our last game and helped give the team a good start with tight figures of 5 runs off 3 overs.

**Will Rogers** - Will is a fantastic team player and definitely the loudest person in the field, he never stops shouting encouragement. Home or away he is always first to arrive at the ground and with the help of his parents can be seen measuring his run up. He forms part of our opening attack and after much hard work in the nets and thinking about where he is going to pitch the ball, Will ended up having an excellent season, taking 6 wickets.

**Ashish Sharda** - Ash was a pleasure to have in the team this year and he has the most fantastic outswing bowling action. Ash often came on first change and found his line and length straight away. As the season progressed so did his bowling, culminating with fantastic figures in our last must win game, of 4 wickets for 19 runs off 7 overs. At one stage he was on a hat-trick but just missed out. He ended the season as joint leading wicket taker with 7 wickets.

**Noah Vumbaca** - Noah along with Jack captained the team this season and did a very good job of marshalling his troops. Noah reads the game very well and takes the game to the opposition. He is a very positive batsman who is never afraid to play his shots and entertained us all with a very good knock of 22 against North West Sydney that only came to an end after being run out. He is probably the quickest between the wickets in the team.

All in all a fantastic season for everyone connected with the under 12 Presidents Cup team - the only strange thing being that even though we won the comp no cup actually exists, maybe Barack Obama just keeps the cup for himself, or is that the wrong President.

**Giles Park**  
Coach

## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 13 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Adrian Caproni, Oliver Davies, Luca Franks, William Greenland, Nathan Hogg, Liam House, Fletcher Kirby, Kyle Martin, James Mulder, Luis Ross, Lachlan Scheffers, Tenzin Tenkyong

**President's Cup Team:** Jake Alexander, Byron Bates, Jordan Brewster, Jacob de Angelis, Tom Fountain, Oscar Greenwood, Thomas Ivers, Harrison Kantor-Smith, Jackson Rath, Mason Rutzou, Harry Todd, Henry Wilkinson-Gill

**Coaches:** Steve Caproni, Kevin Davies, Mike Pawley, Scott Brewster (President's Cup)

**Managers:** Iain Hogg (DCA), Jenny Wilkinson (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Oliver Davies (DCA)  
Jackson Rath (President's Cup)

### DCA W.S. Gee Shield – Under 13

Three years ago we set off on a journey of discovery for many of the budding cricketers from the Manly Warringah area. The new Manly DCA team set out to grow both as cricketers and as young men who happened to play good cricket. I am pleased to say that results aside, the boys are turning into fine young men who represent the area with great pride and passion. As head coach I could not be happier with the progression they have shown over 3 years of hard work.

It was approximately 3 years ago that this team entered the DCA competition and to a certain degree was confronted with a whole new level of competition which it had not encountered previously in any form of cricket. (Tough and uncompromising games of cricket, which were clearly a step ahead of any Saturday junior competition which the team had been accustomed to). The team performed reasonably and won 2 of their 5 games in that first year.

The 2012/2013 season had the team mentally prepared for what lay ahead. With one year of cricketing experience, we set out to better our performances through hard work and effort. The team improved materially, winning 3 of its 5 games, losing out to the eventual premiers by a few runs and finishing outside the finals by a small quotient margin. The boys showed great character and really started to believe they could mix it with the better teams. Whilst disappointed to miss out on finals, we knew that our program and systems were working.

The 2013/2014 season was yet another year where the team continued to work hard on its self-belief and cricketing ability. The team sustained its journey of improvement winning 3 games, 2 drawn (wet weather) and finishing top of its pool group. I am particularly proud of this result given that the group featured last year's premiers and 3 of the 5 making it into the final 6. This is truly a remarkable result and a testament to the hard work of the boys and coaches alike.

The team made it through to the finals for the first time and posted a wonderful score of 5 for 190. Unfortunately in a close contest, Camden scored the runs with a couple of balls to spare, with their opener scoring a hundred and helping to get them across the line. Whilst disappointing to lose the final, the experience was truly remarkable and I sincerely hope the boys can walk away from this knowing they could mix it with the best.

The season was particularly pleasing for a number of reasons:

- As coach I spent a great deal of the season focusing on self-belief. Really getting the boys to think they were good enough and that they could beat anyone on their day. The highlight was beating a previously unbeaten Sutherland team which hadn't lost a game for 3 years and was the reigning premier.
- Introducing specific game strategies and having the team play to a plan against certain rivals. As coach, I wanted the boys to think about what they wanted to accomplish and how they approached their cricket. This was by far and away one of the biggest improvements on years gone by.
- Players were also given set roles throughout the game and fulfilled these with the upmost professionalism. The DCA competition is tough uncompromising cricket and players will continue to be chosen to play set roles within the team.
- The boys themselves have worked hard on improving their own skills. Sustained play against tough competition has helped to set a much higher benchmark which the boys are aspiring to meet.
- The overall strength of the broader team with many more players contributing to the final result. Improvements in all aspects of the game, including batting, bowling and fielding.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the support team that have been part of this journey for the past 3 years. Iain Hogg who has been a tireless worker behind the scenes helping to not only assist with the performance of our group, but contributed to the running of the whole rep program (Rep committee member). Iain was often seen scoring, throwing balls and being a busy body on game days. Thank you.

I wanted to also acknowledge Kevin Davies support throughout the season, assisting with all of the training drills and game day activities. Kevin was also tireless in his work on all



aspects of the game day, preparing pitches, setting up tents and assisting the boys in preparing for the game that lay ahead.

Thank you to all the extended volunteers for the extra support; from organising afternoon teas, to accommodation, taking photos, pick up/drop offs, carrying tents, drying pitches of excess water etc... It takes a lot of organising and support and this experience would not be possible without your contributions. Thank you.

Thank you to all of the parents, siblings and friends who have supported your boys and helped to create an environment which enabled them to play without pressure. They have improved thanks to your ongoing support.

As the season draws to a close, I would like to once again acknowledge the boys for the way they have conducted themselves throughout the year. We set out to play with 5 key principles in mind:

1. Try your best
2. Train the way you want to play
3. Respect and encourage each other
4. Take personal responsibility for your cricket
5. Have fun.

I am proud of their accomplishments and the way they conducted themselves.

I sincerely hope that you all enjoyed the 2013 / 2014 program. It has been a thrill to be part of your boys lives and I hope they walked away feeling that they enjoyed the challenge and thrill of being part of a competitive yet nurturing environment.

**Steve Caproni**

### **President's Cup – Under 13**

<b>2013/14 Under 13 President's Cup Champions</b>
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A year can make a big difference at this age. Gone were the 11 year olds of last year that struggled to concentrate for 50 overs and whose fielding had cost them a number of games. In their place were a group of boys that were keen to learn and who now loved fielding to the point that our fielding sessions down at Weldon Oval would have gone on all night if their parents hadn't come to pick them up.

With the DCA boys well in to their competition it can seem an age before the first Presidents Cup game comes around and the boys were itching to get started. Our first game was a practice match against North Shore who had beaten us by 200 runs the previous season, even at this age it can leave a mental scar! Ironically it was the only game we lost this year, albeit by 19 runs, and yet it was undoubtedly the pivotal moment in our season. Prior to the game the boys were psyching themselves out but in the end played well enough to make themselves believe that anything was possible if you focused on playing well yourself.

Our first competition game was away at Newcastle, who always seem to produce strong teams. The pitch was one of those very old skinny pitches which proved testing for the Newcastle bowlers. After an excellent opening spell their bowlers generously helped us to 144 with a number of wides. There were some good grafting innings from Oscar and Harry with 39 and 24 respectively.

Newcastle were pretty confident of knocking off the runs before the reported storm blew in but they needn't have worried as it was Jackson Rath who blew them away with a great opening spell, knocking over their top order with 3 clean bowled. All the bowlers kept the pressure on with some wonderfully accurate bowling with Newcastle eventually succumbing to be all out for 67. Tom Fountain and Harry Kantor-Smith took 3/10 and 2/5 respectively. Byron Bates had a great game behind the stumps with 3 stumpings and 2 catches.

Our first home game was against Hornsby on a very warm day at Harbord Park. Winning the toss and batting first again we made a very credible 195. A middle order blitz from Jacob de Angelis whose 54 was our first and only half century of the season took the game away from Hornsby. He was ably supported by Jake Alexander and Jordan Brewster who both got in to the 30's. This time it was the spinners who did the job with Tom Fountain again bagging 3 wickets along with Oscar Greenwood (2) and Harry Wilkinson- Gill (1). Again the fielding backed up the bowlers and Hornsby limped to 109 all out.

Our final game before the break was out at Kellyville against North Western. When we arrived at the ground I thought we had come to the wrong venue as the North Western boys were all huge and a number with more facial hair than you would expect from 12 year olds! Another psychological barrier to overcome!

After a mini collapse early on we were helped by A. Extras who top scored, with some useful middle order cameos from Harry, Jacob and Jordan. Our aim this season with the bat was to make sure we batted our full 50 overs and work on our running between the wickets. We again achieved the first target batting through to make a competitive 144. The running between the wickets was improving but as with anything new it does result in some suicidal/ comical moments.

Any worries about our total not being enough were dispelled by Jackson Rath and Tom Ivers who ran through the top order. The innings was wrapped by the spinners and another great fielding effort with two or three excellent catches being taken. North Western was all out for 71 in the 28<sup>th</sup> over giving us an early mark which is always appreciated at away games.

The mid season break for Christmas was not ideal, unless you are 12 in which case it's great. With our two hardest games still to come there was concern as to whether we could keep our momentum going.

Unfortunately the T20 comp we were due to play in January was cancelled which didn't leave much game time before the visit of Central Coast. This game had been moved to David Thomas due to Warringah Council kindly top soiling Harbord Park. The outfield at David Thomas has been especially designed to deny 12 year olds boundaries so it was just as well we had worked on our running. Batting first again we laboured against a very well drilled Central Coast team who gave us nothing to hit and bowled well to a defensive ring field. Three run outs didn't help and only a late flurry of scampered singles from

Jackson Rath (23) got us to 106, with only one boundary! We were again grateful for the 17 wides. As Central Coast had easily beaten North Shore in the previous round, I hadn't told the boys, this didn't seem enough runs despite the slow outfield.

These are the games that age coaches and parents but at 5-77 we looked out of the contest. However the self belief that has grown in these boys over the previous few months came to the fore and with some particularly fine bowling from Harry Kantor- Smith and Tom Ivers we were able to dismiss Central Coast for 99. The final catch looped towards Jake Alexander in what seemed like super slow motion and as the ball nestled safely in his hands the boys celebrated wildly while the parents considered the locality of the nearest bottle shop! While it's not just about winning there is no doubt that these are the sorts of games that will be talked about for many years to come.

Our final game of the group stages was in Maroubra against a strong South Eastern side. Winning the toss for the 5<sup>th</sup> time in a row we batted first and found ourselves in a real battle against a couple of tall and fiery opening bowlers. As can often happen, we had weathered the storm well and then proceeded to give back the advantage. Only a very patient and mature innings from Mason Rutzou (37) and a little help again from A. Extras got us to a defendable 151.

The South Eastern boys came out swinging and for the first time this season we were being belted to all parts. This was going to be another good test for the boys. At 4-109 South Eastern looked good for a win but after a very timely drinks break the Manly boys got to work taking the last 7 wickets for 25 runs. The wickets were spread but there were great efforts from Harry, Tom and Jackson as well as a very brave effort from Tom Fountain who again took 3 wickets with a badly injured thumb on his bowling hand.

Having won 5 from 5 we had qualified to play in the final against North Shore in what was a new format this year. Playing in a final is a great experience at any age. Unfortunately in what had been a great summer of weather the gods had the last say and the Griffith Park wicket disappeared under a long puddle.

The team's performances this year exceeded all of our expectations but more importantly each and every boy in the team improved as a player and they had great fun along the way. The fact that they are looking forward to next season already says a lot. The fact we scored the most runs in the competition yet had only one 50 scored and took the most wickets with no one getting more than 3 in a game shows how the whole team contributed to the overall success of the season.

The spirit amongst the boys was clearly evident at both training and on match days. The same can be said off the field as the parent support was fantastic. Many thanks to Jenny Wilkinson, who in managing the side ensured we were all in the right place at the right time and to all the parents who organised all the catering, did the scoring and umpiring and nervously paced the boundary with the coach.

Coach: **Scott Brewster**  
Manager: **Jenny Wilkinson**

#### **Results:**

<b>Round 1</b>	Manly Warringah 9/144	defeated	Newcastle 67 all out
	O Greenwood 39		J Rath 3/5, T Fountain 3/10
	H Kantor Smith 24		H Kantor-Smith 2/5



			B Bates 5 dismissals
<b>Round 2</b>	Manly Warringah 9/195 J de Angelis 54 J Alexander 34 J Brewster 31	defeated	Hornsby Ku-ring-gai 109 all out T Fountain 3/27 O Greenwood 2/12
<b>Round 3</b>	Manly Warringah 7/144 H Kantor Smith 25 J de Angelis 21 J Brewster 20*	defeated	North Western 71 all out J Rath 3/14 O Greenwood 2/3 H Kantor Smith 2/6 T Ivers 2/8
<b>Round 4</b>	Manly Warringah 9/106 J Rath 23*	defeated	Central Coast 99 all out H Kantor-Smith 3/15 T Ivers 2/9 H Wilkinson-Gill 2/13 T Fountain 2/21
<b>Round 5</b>	Manly Warringah 10/151 M Rutzou 37* B Bates 22	defeated	South Eastern 134 all out T Ivers 3/16 O Greenwood 2/12 J Rath 2/20 T Fountain 2/29



**The Under 13 Presidents Cup team had a great season – remaining undefeated throughout the season!**

## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 14 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Jonah Anderson, Aiden Bariol, Matt Brewster, Hayden Brown, Jack Edwards, Ned Hole, Matt Moran, Shahill Nair, Nick Osborne, Jacob O'Sullivan, Isaiah Vumbaca, Jadon Wilson, Gabriel Harris

**President's Cup Team:** Tom Braund (captain), Jack Stevenson (captain), Mitchell Beach, Finn Harris, Gabriel Harris, Matthew Johnson, Cohen Mantle, Adam McNeil, Adam O'Brien, Claeton O'Connell, Joshua Smith, Luke Trbojevic

*Filled in:* Meet Patel (Round 5)

**Coaches:** Paul O'Sullivan, Roy Vumbaca (DCA)  
Andrew Braund (President's Cup)

**Managers:** Shane Moran (DCA), Steve Bariol (Physiotherapist-DCA)  
Jim Beach (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Aiden Bariol (DCA)  
Luke Trbojevic (President's Cup)

### DCA Harold Moore Shield – Under 14

**2013/14 DCA Harold Moore Shield Champions (Undefeated)**

**Graeme Malcolm Shield Winners (Newcastle Country Carnival)**

**NSW State Challenge Winners**

**Joint Winners - THE MIKE PAWLEY REPRESENTATIVE AWARD**

*for the most outstanding junior representative team of the season*





**2013/14 DCA Harold Moore Shield Champions**

The curtain is drawn on a wonderful season for the Under 14 DCA team. The players will go down in the Manly history books as being members of one of the most successful U14 teams after winning the Harold Moore Shield, The Graeme Malcolm Shield (Newcastle Country Carnival) and the NSW State Challenge. It was fitting that the players were presented with their medals at the SCG, in the Members Stand, under lights on one of the most famous cricket grounds in the world. It is a wonderful memory for the players and parents and certainly one of the many highlights of the season which started back in August.

During the pre-season the players began preparation in a very thoughtful and technical minded manner. Under the guidance of batting guru Bobby Rollins, we spent many hours refining and developing the technical components of batting. Fielding and catching were also an important component of the pre-season training while the bowlers focused on delivering the ball with consistent line and length.

The season couldn't come fast enough and we opened with a solid win against Northern Districts. A 99 run partnership between Jack and Aiden set us off in a positive manner which continued throughout the entire season. All our batters performed consistently as did our bowling attack, while the fielding continued to improve throughout the season. The strength of our team lied in the depth of both batting and bowling. Highlights of the season were abundant; here are some of them for the players:

**Jonah Anderson** continued to grow in confidence as a representative player during the season. His fielding was certainly a highlight, taking 5 exceptional catches and causing 4 run outs with his baseball like arm. Jonah's batting also improved during the season highlighting with a well-constructed 27 n.o. against Canterbury. His off spin bowling



improved enormously as well and we look forward to watching this develop in the forthcoming years. Jonah's all round ability as a cricketer continues to grow and strengthen.

**Aiden Bariol** scored the team's first hundred (110) in representative cricket against Hornsby in the quarter final. It was a magnificent innings of power, determination and timing. This score was on the back of previous scores of 81 vs. Illawarra, 75 vs. Northern Districts and 52 vs. Sutherland. Aiden amassed 439 runs in 12 innings during the season. Aiden's keeping was also of an exceptionally high standard, taking 8 catches and making 5 stumpings. He continues to mature and develop into a fine young cricketer and is to be congratulated for winning the player of the year.

**Matt Brewster** has a magnificent set of catching hands. Some of the catches he took at gully were game changers. He also did a great job as back up keeper to Aiden. Matt also enjoyed a few significant innings during the season, none more than his 23 against South Eastern in the Final. He arrived at the crease with our team in desperate need to set a competitive target. The pressure was on and Matt's calmness and ability to push the ball around for singles and two's helped get our team to a defendable target which enabled us to eventually win the game and the DCA Championship.

**Hayden Brown** missed the first 2 games due to injury but arrived back on the scene in round 3 taking 1-8 from 3 well directed overs. His confidence built with each game and his form improved. He found his mojo and out swinger against Parramatta taking 2-10 from 4 overs. We hope next season he is injury free to enable him to play to his wonderful potential.

**Jack Edwards** enjoyed many highlights and captained the side with decisiveness and maturity this season. His 98 against St George was an innings of balance, power and timing. Jack bats selflessly. He always put the team first and in his magnificent innings of 98, he was out caught while attempting to score as many runs as possible for the team in a shortened game due to rain. Jack found form on many other occasions and impressed with scores of 72 vs. Illawarra, 64 vs. Parramatta and 35 vs. Northern Districts. Jack amassed 421 runs in 13 innings and also took 9 valuable catches throughout the season.

**Gabriel Harris** played in the first 2 rounds of the DCA competition and joined the team for the Newcastle carnival. He proved to be a competitive cricketer and great team player. Gabriel was always reliable in the field, had a safe set of hands and proved to be a consistent batter and bowler. His 27 vs. Hunter Valley was a strong and powerful innings with some big hits.

**Ned Hole** grew stronger and gained in confidence with each game. He thrived on the additional responsibility cast upon him this season and he didn't let anyone down. Ned batted up the order this season and enjoyed having more time at the crease. He has a unique ability to score quick runs if needed or consolidate. His 38 n.o. vs. Georges River was scored at a run a ball and he put on 113 with Jack in equal time in a superb partnership. Ned's fielding was simply magnificent. He took 8 catches, mostly in the outfield and each one was more difficult than the previous. He collected several important wickets along the way as his bowling continues to improve.

**Shahill Nair** joined our side this season and bowled as if he had been in the side for years. He always bowls consistently and picks up wickets regularly at a miserly rate. Players enjoy bowling in partnerships with him because he builds pressure with consistent

tight lines. In his first spell in the team he took 2-6 off 5 overs and never looked back. His 3-3 in the quarter final against Hornsby was a spell of consistent line and length. Shahill didn't get much opportunity with the bat but when he did he showed he knew which end of the bat to hit the ball. His 31 vs. Hunter Valley in Newcastle was a great innings of powerful hitting.

**Matt Moran** proved what a consistent and reliable bowler he is with many fine performances during the season. His 4-10 vs. South Eastern in the DCA Final bowled us to victory. We will always remember the wide grinned smile on his face as the stumps were smashed to the ground as the final wicket fell. Matt also took 3-10 vs. Northern Districts and 3-15 vs. Parramatta. Matt also enjoyed the remarkable statistic of bowling 77 overs during season with the figures of 12-146 at an amazing economy rate of 1.9 runs per over. Matt's batting also proved handy coming in the middle order.

**Nick Osborne** has an ability to perform when the team needs him the most. His 42 vs. South Eastern in the final saved the team as wickets fell around him. He helped guide the team to a defendable total which proved a match winner at the end of the game. He also scored a powerful 51 vs. Illawarra and 63 vs. Northern Districts at Newcastle. His bowling was equally impressive with a highlight 4-31 against St George. Nick's fielding was always of the highest standard. He would have saved at least 25-30 runs each innings and showed his athleticism while taking some amazing diving catches.

**Jacob O'Sullivan** will be remembered for 3 very significant and match winning performances during the season. His 5-10 against Newcastle in the Final of the Graeme Malcolm Shield was a magnificent bowling effort as he bowled the team to victory. This was on the back of scoring 30 runs in the team total of only 99 runs. In the NSW State Challenge he took 4-19 which halted the scoring ability of the opposition and swung the game in our favour. We will never forget his magnificent outfield catch in the Final of the DCA which dismissed the batting danger man from South Eastern.

**Isaiah Vumbaca** grew in confidence as the season progressed. His batting showed signs of a maturing and developing cricketer who thrives when the going gets tough. His 62 against Newcastle on a tacky wicket in Newcastle displayed his unique ability to adjust his batting technique to suit the difficult situation. His 34 n.o. against Sutherland in the Semi Final and 34n.o in the NSW State Challenge proved to be match winning innings as he guided our team home on both occasions. Isaiah's bowling was always consistent and he took 3 wickets on 3 occasions during the season. He collected at least 1 wicket in most of his spells.

**Jadon Wilson** is to be congratulated for being the leading wicket taker during the DCA competition. He took 13 wickets during the competition and enjoyed the remarkable statistic of taking at least 1 wicket in every game. His 3-26 vs. Illawarra and 3-42 vs. Parramatta were excellent spells and often had the batters guessing which way the ball was going to spin. Jadon is improving on being a more consistent leg spin bowler. His fielding also improved this season and we will always remember Jadon's brilliant catch against Georges River with a very wet ball.



**Matt Moran takes the final wicket to win the DCA Championship against South Eastern**

### **The Graeme Malcolm Shield (Newcastle Country Carnival): 19-23 January 2014**

The team travelled to Newcastle buoyed by the success of winning the Harold Moore DCA competition. Whilst the DCA season had been successful the group was determined and focussed to take on the next challenge – the last chance to claim a country carnival title which had previously eluded the team.

In the three round games Manly were powerful, clinical and impressive. The team finished the pool rounds placed first after three victories against Northern Districts, Hunter Valley and Central Coast. One of the most pleasing aspects of these victories was the fact that in each game the batting and bowling orders were mixed around. With the tremendous depth of talent in the squad, mixing orders did not compromise the ability of the team to execute to a high standard.

The round games featured the following impressive batting performances: Nick Osborne 62 n.o. and 29 n.o.; Aiden Bariol 49; Ned Hole 38; Isaiah Vumbaca 35; Shahill Nair 31; Jack Edwards 29; Gabriel Harris 27 and 19 n.o.; Matt Brewster 20; Jonah Anderson 17 n.o. and Matt Moran 14 n.o. With the ball the following players produced great results: Jacob O'Sullivan 3-4, 2-3 and 1-7; Isaiah Vumbaca 3-6 and 2-9; Shahill Nair 2-2; Jack Edwards 2-14; Ned Hole 2-25; Jadon Wilson 2-25 and Matt Moran 1-5.

The semi final against the Newcastle President Cup team presented players with the challenge of batting on a tacky wicket. The top order batsmen found the ballooning ball difficult to negotiate and at 4/16 the team needed some stability. A gritty, hard fought innings of 62 n.o. from Isaiah Vumbaca, with support from Ned Hole with 16, gave the bowlers a healthy total to defend. The bowlers stepped up to the mark with Nick Osborne 2-1; Jonah Anderson 2-5; Jack Edwards 2-7 and Shahill Nair 1-3 producing dominant performances to seal the victory.

The final placed Manly at the beautiful Newcastle No:1 Sports Ground against the home team Newcastle DCA. On a good wicket for batting the openers Aiden Bariol (14) and Jack Edwards (18) were looking solid before a run out brought the first wicket. Unfortunately the wickets continued to fall regularly and Manly were in a massive hole at 8 for 60. A determined and gutsy innings of 30 from Jacob O'Sullivan helped the team set a defendable total of 100.

But the bowlers needed to take wickets and economically – and they did. The fielders needed to be sharp – and they were. Manly had Newcastle at 6 for 35 and things were on track. But at the crease was the big hitting Newcastle keeper. After hitting two 4s and two massive 6s he raced to 33 and got his team to just over 30 runs from victory. Manly needed his wicket, quickly. Enter Jacob O'Sullivan, who knocked over the keeper's stumps with a great length delivery. Jacob bowled superbly and finished with outstanding figures of 5-10 off 8 overs. He was well supported by Nick Osborne 2-18; Jack Edwards 1-15 and Shahill Nair 1-11. Jacob was deservedly named the Player of the Carnival as Manly claimed The Graeme Malcolm Shield.

### **NSW Under 14 State Challenge T20 match – Sydney Cricket Ground: 9 February 2014**

This day will forever be fondly remembered by every member of the U/14 DCA team. The NSW State Challenge brought Manly, the winners of the U/14 DCA Harold Moore competition, against Newcastle, the winners of the country equivalent the Bradman Cup. And the venue – the historic Sydney Cricket Ground.

Manly were given the home dressing room and the players soaked up the history and grandeur of sharing the same room as many of the game's past and present legends. The pitch inspection saw curator Tom Parker putting the finishing touches to the centre wicket. The electronic scoreboard had the Manly player names up and the music was playing across the ground. The scene was just like an international match.

Newcastle won the toss and chose to bat on a great wicket. Manly's bowlers were tight and contained the Newcastle openers from getting away but couldn't get an early wicket. At 0-51 Newcastle were well positioned to launch an attack and amass a big total. But like he had done three weeks earlier Jacob O'Sullivan again ripped through the Newcastle top order claiming 4-19 from 4 overs. With Nick Osborne claiming a wicket, catch and diving run out along with good catches to Jonah Anderson, Aiden Bariol and Ned Hole, Manly restricted the opposition to 114 runs off 20 overs.

Opening batsman Jack Edwards set the tone for the run chase slamming 15 runs from the first over and blasting 23 from 13 balls with controlled, powerful hitting. A mix up had Jack run out and Manly's second wicket fell soon after. At 2-31 mature batting was needed. A great 60 run partnership between Aiden Bariol (34 off 30 balls) and Player of the Match Isaiah Vumbaca (34 n.o. off 27 balls) saw Manly comfortably home with more than 5 overs spare.

The win was the final chapter of a memorable and remarkable season for the U/14 DCA team. Winning the DCA Harold Moore Shield, Graeme Malcolm Shield (Newcastle Country Carnival) and State Challenge was a unique and exceptional achievement. Over the course of these competitions the team was undefeated – a total of 14 matches for the season.





**The Under 14 DCA Players celebrate after winning the NSW State Challenge at the SCG**

There are many people who have contributed to the success of the team this season. None more than Manager Shane Moran, who did a fantastic job and as always was a great support for the players and coaches. Physiotherapist Steve Bariol ensured every time the players took the field to train or play they were physically ready. Our scorers Penny Moran and Phill Edwards, especially for the live scoring. Our team of wonderful parents, grandparents and siblings who help out with lunches, field set ups, ice and anything required but most importantly for make every game a great day out. Thanks for the support from Manly Grade Cricket especially Bobby Rollins, David Gainsford and Greg Boyer.



**Jacob and Aiden celebrate a wicket in the final of the State Challenge**

## **Match Results: DCA Competition**

### **Round 1: U14 DCA vs. Northern Districts DCA at Nolan Reserve 6**

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2013

**Manly 7/208 (50 overs) def Northern Districts 10/48 (33 overs) and 1/52 (21 overs)**

Aiden Bariol 75, Jack Edwards 35, Ned Hole 25 n.o.

Matt Moran 3-10 (6 overs), Shahill Nair 2-6 (5 overs), Jadon Wilson 2-7 (5 overs)

### **Round 2: U14 DCA vs. Illawarra DCA at Figtree Park 2**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2013

**Manly 4/274 (50 overs) def Illawarra 10/147 (47.1 overs)**

Aiden Bariol 81, Jack Edwards 72, Nick Osborne 51, Isaiah Vumbaca 33

Jadon Wilson 3-26 (8 overs), Isaiah Vumbaca 3-26 (6 overs), Nick Osborne 2-30 (5 overs)

### **Round 3: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Canterbury Wests II at Nolan Reserve 6**

Sunday 10th November 2013

**Canterbury Wests II 8/72 (25 overs) def by Manly Warringah 1/74 (16 overs)**

Isaiah Vumbaca 3-9 (3 overs), Shahill Nair 1-4 (3 overs), Hayden Brown 1-8 (3 overs)

Jonah Anderson 27 n.o, Jacob O'Sullivan 17 n.o, Jack Edwards 16

### **Round 4: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Georges River at Old Park #1**

Sunday 17th November 2013

**Manly Warringah 4/181 (28 overs) def Georges River 6/145 (28 overs)**

Jack Edwards 98, Ned Hole 38 n.o, Matt Brewster 29

Nick Osborne 4/31, Jacob O'Sullivan 1/10, Jack Edwards 1/30

### **Round 5: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Parramatta at Griffith Park**

Sunday 24th November 2013

**Manly Warringah 10/176 (44 overs) def Parramatta 10/142 (45 overs)**

Jack Edwards 64, Jacob O'Sullivan 30, Ned Hole 18

Matt Moran 3/25 (9 overs), Jadon Wilson 3/42 (10 overs), Haydon Brown 2/10 (4 overs)

### **Quarter Final: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Hornsby at Griffith Park**

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2013

**Manly Warringah 7/242 (50 overs) def Hornsby 9/124 (50 overs)**

Aiden Bariol 110, Jack Edwards 34, Jacob O'Sullivan 24, Nick Osborne 20

Shahill Nair 3/3 (5 overs), Jadon Wilson 2/10 (5 overs), Matt Moran 1/15 (8 overs)

### **Semi Final: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Sutherland at Griffith Park**

Sunday 8th December 2013

**Sutherland 8/178(50 overs) def by Manly Warringah 7/182 (47 overs)**

Aiden Bariol 52, Isaiah Vumbaca 34 n.o, Jacob O'Sullivan 33, Matt Moran 30

Shahill Nair 2/14 (7 overs), Ned Hole 1-13 (3 overs), Nick Osborne 1-17 (5 overs)

### **Final: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. South Eastern at Griffith Park**

Sunday 15th December 2013

**Manly Warringah 134 (49.5 overs) def South Eastern 101 (45 overs)**

Nick Osborne 42, Matt Brewster 23, Isaiah Vumbaca 21

Matt Moran 4-10 (7 overs), Jadon Wilson 2-20 (7 overs), Isaiah Vumbaca 2-22 (10 overs)

## **Match Results: The Graeme Malcolm Shield (Newcastle Country Carnival)**

**Round 1: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Northern Districts DCA at Connolly Park**  
Sunday 19 January 2014

**Manly Warringah 9/209 (50 overs) def Northern Districts 10/112 (40.5 overs)**

Nick Osborne 63 n.o., Isaiah Vumbaca 35

Isaiah Vumbaca 3-6 (3.5 overs), Jacob O'Sullivan 2-3 (4 overs), Ned Hole 2-25 (7 overs)

**Round 2: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Hunter Valley at Lugar Park**

Monday 20 January 2014

**Manly Warringah 10/261 (49 overs) def Hunter Valley 8/141 (50 overs)**

Aiden Bariol 49, Ned Hole 38, Shahill Nair 31, Nick Osborne 29 n.o., Jack Edwards 29, Gabriel Harris 27

Jack Edwards 2-14 (5 overs), Jadon Wilson 2-43 (8 overs)

**Round 3: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Central Coast at Lindsay Memorial Oval**

Tuesday 21 January 2014

**Central Coast 10/53 (24.5 overs) def by Manly Warringah 1/54 (17.3 overs)**

Matt Brewster 20

Jacob O'Sullivan 3-4 (3.5 overs), Shahill Nair 2-2 (4 overs), Isaiah Vumbaca 2-9 (4 overs)

**Semi Final: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Newcastle Presidents Cup at Lugar Park**

Wednesday 22 January 2014

**Manly Warringah 9/139 (50 overs) def Newcastle Presidents Cup 10/93 (42.2 overs)**

Isaiah Vumbaca 62 n.o.

Nick Osborne 2-1 (2.2 overs), Jonah Anderson 2-5 (5 overs), Jack Edwards 2-7 (5 overs)

**Final: U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Newcastle DCA at Newcastle No:1 Sports Ground**

Thursday 23 January 2014

**Manly Warringah 10/99 (38.2 overs) def Newcastle DCA 10/75 (36.3 overs)**

Jacob O'Sullivan 30

Jacob O'Sullivan 5-10 (8 overs), Nick Osborne 2-18 (5 overs)

## **NSW U/14 State Challenge**

**U14 Manly Warringah DCA vs. Newcastle at The Sydney Cricket Ground**

Sunday 9 February 2014

**Newcastle 6/114 (20 overs) def by Manly Warringah 4/115 (14.2 overs)**

Isaiah Vumbaca 34 n.o., Aiden Bariol 34, Jack Edwards 23

Jacob O'Sullivan 4-19 (4 overs)

**Paul O'Sullivan and Roy Vumbaca**  
Coaches





**Manly in action at the SCG in the State Challenge**

## **President's Cup – Under 14**

Congratulations to the Manly U14 Presidents Cup team, coming together this season and forming a very talented and competitive side. Every player contributed in some way to the success of the team.

Our team was made up of the following players:

Mitchell Beach, Tom Braund, Finlay Harris, Gabriel Harris, Matthew Johnson, Adam McNeil, Cohen Mantle, Adam O'Brien, Claeton O'Connell, Joshua Smith, Jack Stevenson, Luke Trbojevic.

The season's highlight was the game we played against Sutherland on a beautiful sunny Sunday at the picturesque Griffith Park. That day the team gelled together beautifully for a fabulous victory over a strong Sutherland side.

A big thank you must go to all the families. Whether helping out with preparation of delicious lunches, scoring and umpiring duties or just being there for the boys, your involvement is very much appreciated.

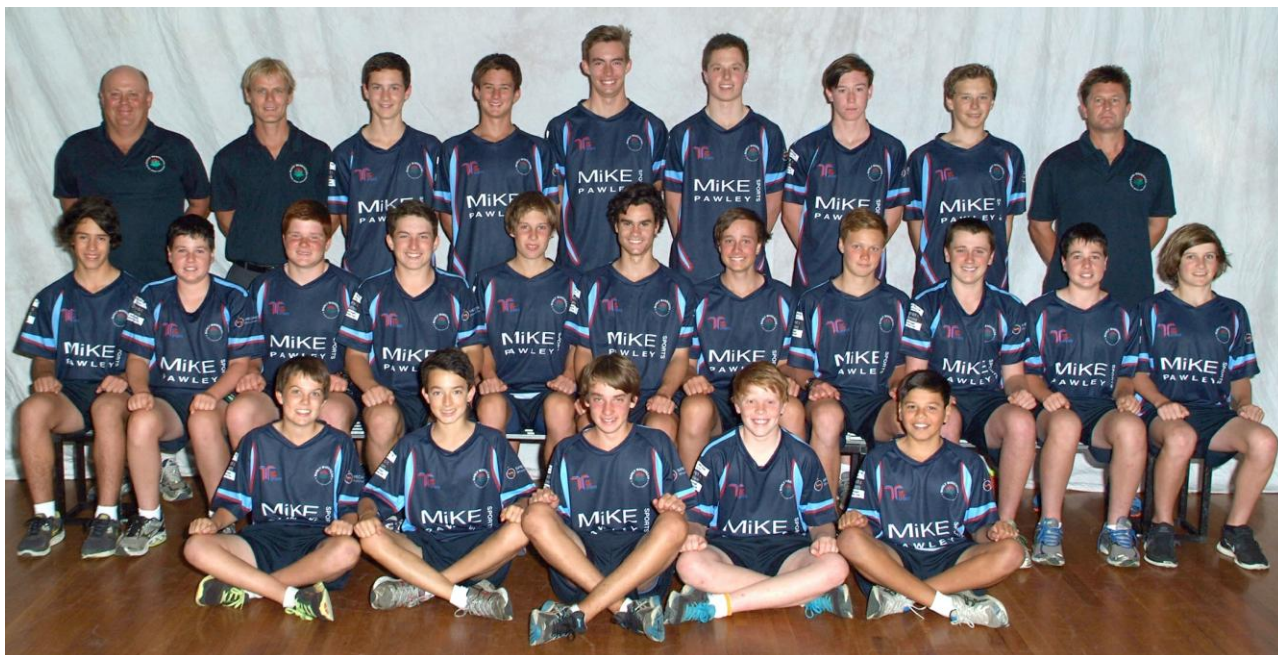
Congratulations to Tom & Jack who captained the side, and to Luke, who is our recipient of the player of the season award.

Last but by no means least, thanks to our wonderful Manager, Jim Beach.

**Andrew Braund - Coach**



## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 15 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Jack Pickering (captain), Joel Wood (vice capt), William Akhurst, Alex Bain, Joshua Blount, Harrison Brock, Ned Healey, Max Jolley, Sam Kelly, Lachlan Kerr, Ellis Raymond, Daniel Watts

**President's Cup Team:** Lachlan Charles, Ruben Donato, Sean Harlen, Jack Heysmand, Daniel Horton, Toby Kovacs, Tully Moffat, Lachlan Morley, Matthew Morley, James Nelson, Aaron Stevens, Joshua Tighe

**Coaches:** Rob Pickering (DCA), Duncan Kerr, Stuart Love (Assistant Coaches)  
Michael Kovacs, Darryl Stevens, Matt Heysmand (President's Cup)

**Managers:** Cathy Wood (DCA), Sandy Tighe (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Joel Wood (DCA)  
Aaron Stevens (President's Cup)

### DCA E.G. Weblin Shield – Under 15

We entered the 2013/2014 DCA season with great anticipation. We had a highly committed and enthusiastic group of boys keen to improve on previous years and qualify for finals. It was clearly evident that the boys were keen to focus on improvement of their core skills and we were lucky to have support of a number of specialist coaches during the season to share their knowledge and accelerate the boy's development. My thanks to David Gainsford–Bowling, Greg Boyer–Wicket keeping and Phil Marks who gave up their time to lead sessions which were really appreciated by the Team.

In preparation for the season the coaches spent time developing and articulating our game plan which provided a structure for the boys and allowed each to understand their role. It provided guiding principles about how we would bat, bowl and field and set milestones so that we were aligned in our approach throughout each game.

The games began with two trial matches against strong opposition in North Shore and Sutherland. The trial approach was not necessarily about winning but preparing for the season ahead and testing our game plan. In both games we scored more than 200 runs and really proved that when we applied ourselves and spent time in the middle that we had a very capable batting line-up. Joel Wood was a standout scoring 106 not out and 59 not out. Others to start well were Josh Blount 53 and Alex Bain 39 and 23. It was our bowling and fielding where we learnt most and required more improvement. The pitches in Sydney were generally dry and flat so bowling consistent line and length backed up by good energetic fielding was going to be important. Alex Bain lead the bowling with 6 wickets with the other wickets evenly shared.

The season proper began well with a solid performance against the Central Coast. We bowled them out for 193. Alex Bain continued his good form with the ball claiming 2 wickets and was well supported by our spinners Dan Watts 2-19 and Ellis Raymond 2/22.

We started our batting innings with great confidence given the +200 totals in both trial games. Max Jolley (19) and Josh Blount (23) gave us a solid start and Jack Pickering continued the momentum scoring a solid 28. But it was a magnificent partnership from Joel Wood (71 no) and Ned Healey (20 no) who steered us home for the loss of 5 wickets. Great start!

The second game saw us travel together by bus to the beautiful Coogee Oval. Duncan Kerr is an outstanding bus driver! We lost the toss and after some good early bowling had them 2/20 after the first 10 overs. Some solid batting and several well constructed partnerships saw South Eastern post a strong 8/259. We really let them get away in the last 10 overs! It was going to take some batting to chase this one down! We lost our openers early and found ourselves 3/14 before Jack Pickering (72) and Joel Wood (51) steadied the ship with a fantastic partnership of 114. We then lost 3 quick wickets before we again counter attacked with Will Akhurst (59 no) and Harry Brock (24) almost saw us home. We fell an agonising 9 runs short. A tough loss but lots to be proud of in the way we fought right to the end.

Unfortunately our next two games against Newcastle and Penrith were washed out and it made it almost impossible to qualify for the finals.

We entered the last game against North Shore with strong belief and an outside chance of finals if results fell our way. We won our first toss of the season and batted. A dry and crumbling Weldon wicket proved a big challenge and we were bundled out for 94. Only Josh Blount (20) and Joel Wood (20) were able to put up any real resistance. We bowled with great intent and Captain Jack Pickering supported his bowlers with aggressive fields to have North Shore on the back foot at 5/26 off 13 overs. Alex Bain and Lachie Kerr bowled beautifully to give us every chance of an unlikely victory but some risky hitting by North Shore paid dividends and they finally reached the total for the loss of 6 wickets.

I'd like to give a special thanks to our Team Manager, Cathy Wood, for doing a fantastic job organizing us all throughout the season. Cathy you are a legend!

I'd also like to say a big thank you to my assistant Coaches Duncan Kerr (The Bus Driver) and Stuart Love who provided great support and contributed to creating an excellent Team Culture.

A special thanks to all the rest of the parents for helping out, in particular Kim Kelly and Hazel Jolley for the afternoon teas and of course the boys who provided the coaches with so many highlights and such a rewarding season.

Finally it was very exciting to see five of our Team selected to represent Manly-Warringah in the 2014 Green Shield. Those selected were Alex Bain, Ned Healey, Lachlan Kerr, Jack Pickering and Joel Wood. All of the boys performed well providing many of the Team highlights. Well done boys and we look forward to more numbers in next year's team.

**Rob Pickering**  
2013/14 U15 DCA Coach

## Statistics

### Batting

	<a href="#">PLAYER</a>	<a href="#">MAT</a>	<a href="#">INN</a>	<a href="#">NO</a>	<a href="#">50S</a>	<a href="#">HS</a>	<a href="#">RUNS</a>	<a href="#">AVE.</a>
1	Wood, Joel	4	3	1	2	7*	142	71.0
2	Pickering, Jack	4	4	1	1	72	104	34.7
3	Blount, Joshua	4	4	1	0	23	62	20.7
4	Akhurst, William	4	2	1	1	59*	60	60.0
5	Jolley, Max	4	4	0	0	19	36	9.0
6	Healey, Ned H	4	3	1	0	20*	31	15.5
7	Bain, Alexander	4	3	0	0	14	28	9.3
8	Brock, Harrison	4	2	0	0	24	28	14.0
9	Kelly, Sam	4	3	0	0	10	19	6.3
10	Raymond, Ellis	4	2	2	0	12*	15	NA
11	Kerr, Lachlan E	4	2	0	0	10	11	5.5

### Bowling

	<a href="#">PLAYER</a>	<a href="#">MAT</a>	<a href="#">O</a>	<a href="#">M</a>	<a href="#">R</a>	<a href="#">W</a>	<a href="#">AVE.</a>	<a href="#">STR.</a>	<a href="#">ECN.</a>
1	Bain, Alexander	4	20	5	64	5	12.8	24	3.2
2	Watts, Daniel	4	25	8	69	4	17.25	37.5	2.76
3	Kerr, Lachlan E	4	25	3	80	3	26.67	50	3.2
4	Raymond, Ellis	4	15	1	57	2	28.5	46	3.72
5	Wood, Joel	4	17	1	91	2	45.5	51	5.35
6	Healey, Ned H	4	22	5	91	2	45.5	66	4.14
7	Brock, Harrison	4	5	0	29	1	29	30	5.8
8	Pickering, Jack	4	11	2	40	1	40	66	3.64
9	Jolley, Max	4	2	0	6	0	NA	NA	3

## DCA Weblin Shield: Match Results

<b>Round 1</b>	Manly 5/196 Joel Wood 71* Jack Pickering 28 Josh Blount 23 Ned Healy 20*	defeated	Central Coast 193 Alex Bain 2/25 Dan Watts 2/19 Ellis Raymond 2/22
<b>Round 2</b>	Manly 9/250 Jack Pickering 72 Will Akhurst 59* Joel Wood 51 Harry Brock 24	defeated by	South Eastern 6/259 Lachlan Kerr 2/45 Alex Bain 1/25 Dan Watts 1/36
<b>Round 3</b>	Manly	drew	Newcastle (washed out)
<b>Round 4</b>	Manly 1/37 Josh Blount 19*	drew	Penrith (washed out)

<b>Round 5</b>	Manly 94	defeated by	North Shore 6/95
	Josh Blount 20 Joel Wood 20		Alex Bain 2/14 Lachlan Kerr 1/19 Dan Watts 1/14 Joel Wood 1/13

### Player of the Year

Congratulations to **Joel Wood** our player of the Year. Joel scored 307 runs at an average of 153 across all games (including trial matches) and took 2 wickets. He was dismissed twice in 5 innings. Well done Joel.

## President's Cup – Under 15

The 2013/14 U15 Presidents Cup season was a lot of fun even though it may not have produced the results that the team had the potential too. With a solid training and trial match, the foundations were laid for a strong season. However the stats disagree with 2 wins / 3 losses / 1 washout / 1 bye. Coaching was provided by an elite team of Michael Kovacs, the one-armed Darryl Stevens and cunning Matt Heysmand. If this was not enough the team also had a couple of specialist coaching sessions with Phil Marks, David Gainsford and Greg Boyer. These were invaluable and we are all very grateful for their support.

Managing the side was the ever reliable and super organised Sandy Tighe. With the support of all the parents and siblings our Sundays were a festival of warm-ups, set-ups, scoring, umpiring and coaching. Thanks to everyone who helped out and shared the load. It certainly makes the season a lot more fun for everyone.

### The Season

The season began with an easy win in our trial game vs. North Shore and then the boys were right on top vs. Hornsby in the First Round. Unfortunately they lacked self-belief chasing a modest score of 143 and were all out for 91. The following week we held another trial game as we had a bye and the boys returned to playing up to their potential. This was great preparation to the last game before Christmas where the team defeated North Shore again.

2014 saw the team start all over again with enthusiastic training sessions and a pizza bonding night. The first match was vs. Central Coast which was our best performance of the season. A strong batting performance was backed up with an impressive bowling and fielding session which saw us 2/1 with 3 matches to go. Unfortunately it was all downhill from there. The next match was vs. Sutherland on a brilliant summer's day but our lads had been psyched out before they even batted and were all out for 58 against a very defensive side.

The following week we had a washout vs. Penrith and then finished by playing a winless Newcastle at home. Once again they only needed to chase a modest total but failed to even get started with only 2 players getting double figures. Not a great way to finish the season as it was clear the boys have a heap of talent and just failed to produce the goods on match day. Each player contributed throughout the season but we needed more of



them to combine in batting and bowling partnerships and for them to honestly believe they are able to win the comp if they ALL play to their potential.

## **The Players**

**Lachlan Charles** – Courageously took on the opening batsman role and contributed well with a couple of starts. Hopefully will build on this next season.

**Ruben Donato** – Improved throughout the season and finished with runs and wickets in the last two matches.

**Sean Harlen** – Unfortunately injury plagued Sean early in the season but when he returned he snared 7 wickets (best 3/11 off 7 overs) in 3 matches.

**Jack Heysmand** – Grew a lot during the season and showed good signs as an opening batsman with his best innings being 46 vs Central Coast.

**Dan Horton** – A fantastic leg spin bowler who turned many a game. Dan took 11 wickets for the season which including three 3 wicket hauls and was very handy with the bat.

**Toby Kovacs** – Great enthusiasm and leadership. Toby's wicketkeeping improved and impressed throughout the season. Highlights were scoring 36 vs North Shore and snaring 5 catches vs Newcastle.

**Tully Moffat** – Great team man who makes turning up every Sunday a lot of fun. Impressive season, batting in the middle order and scoring 44 vs. North Shore and taking 3/26 vs Newcastle.

**Lachlan Morley** – A great addition to any side with a fierce competitive attitude and good cricket brain. Very useful bowler with best figures of 3/34 vs. Hornsby and showed early signs of his batting skill.

**Matt Morley** – Very economical bowler who allowed the team to create pressure from tying down the opposition. Matt ended up having only 20 runs scored off him in the entire season and bowled 15 overs!

**James Nelson** – Shows great potential and signs of improvement throughout the season. James' willingness to learn and enthusiasm on the field resonates throughout the team.

**Aaron Stevens** – Top season with success in everything he did: captaincy, batting, bowling and fielding – if only he could keep too! Highlights were scoring 50 vs Central Coast and 3/11 vs. North Shore.

**Josh Tighe** – A very skilful athlete who can bat, bowl and field as good as any other player. Highlight was a gutsy 30 vs. Central Coast which held the side together.

## **Player of the Year - Aaron Stevens**

- Batting: 96 runs @ 24.0, Highest score 50
- Bowling: 6/60 for the season @ 10.0, Best bowling 3/11
- Strong leadership on and off the field.

**Michael Kovacs** (Coach)

## MWJCA 2013/2014 Under 16 Season Report



**DCA Team:** Joseph Graham (captain), Matthew Brock, Jake Carden, Will Denny, Harrison Dunn, Theo Guichon (WK), Nick Hidas, Matthew Kennedy, Liam Mason, Kieren Nixon, Aaron Peters, Abhijeet Viridi

**President's Cup Team:** Byron Leach (captain), Glyn Archer (vice-capt 4 games), Jack Crombie (vice-capt one game), Lachlan Allomes, Cameron Brown, Bryton Caldwell, Hayden Gullick, Matthew Kennedy, Johnny McNally, Jayden Pomeranetz, Jayden Steanes, Michael Woodhouse

**Coaches:** Ross Denny (DCA), Simon Crombie (President's Cup)

**Assistant Coaches:** Danny LeMoy, Jacob Graham, James Trickey

**Managers:** Andy Mason, Vicki Carden (DCA)  
David Brown (President's Cup)

**Players of the Year:** Abhijeet Viridi (DCA)

- Bowling: 12 wickets @ 8.2, Best bowling 5/31

Byron Leach (President's Cup)

- Batting: 187 runs @ 37.4, High score 74
- Bowling: 7 wickets @ 11.9, Best bowling 3/21

### DCA C.S. Watson – Under 16

The Under 16 squad convened in the first week of August to commence a pre-season training program leading into what would be the player's last season in Representative Cricket. With excellent support from assistant coaches Danny LeMoy and new recruits, Jacob Graham and James Trickey, we set about having a strong focus on fitness and fielding in those first weeks.

Throughout the pre-season and during the season we had a very high calibre of specialist coaches and I would like to acknowledge their tremendous support - David Gainsford as

always had a great rapport with the squad and assisted with our pace bowlers in particular, Greg Boyer gave the wicket keepers invaluable advice during the season, Phil Marks joined us for some very insightful batting clinics, Rod Van Buizen gave the team a specialist pre-season throwing and fielding session, while Dean Gilchrist provided an excellent batting clinic for the whole U16 squad in August. Special mention to Cameron Merchant from the Manly grade club who would often be up at Weldon Oval on Friday when we trained – Cameron would often join us and had a fantastic rapport with the boys.

A goal we set was for the boys to enjoy their final season of junior representative cricket, while aiming to do the best they can for the team. We agreed on the core values we wanted to uphold within the team and each of the boys given their role in the team environment.

It was a great disappointment to us all when we lost both Byron Leach and Glyn Archer to injury for the entire DCA season. Despite it being a big loss for the DCA side, it was however very pleasing to see both Byron and Glyn fit enough to play Presidents Cup when the season started in December, with both Byron and Glyn providing tremendous contributions to the team.



After concluding a strong pre-season training program, we had trials against North Shore and Sutherland. In particular, we had an outstandingly strong win against Sutherland who we had never previously beaten, highlighted by a scintillating unbeaten century by Jake Carden (104 n.o.) in a 105 run opening stand with Joe Graham off the first 15 overs chasing only 134 after Will Denny took 4 wickets with support from, Jake, Harrison Dunn, Aaron Peters and Nick Hidas. A very solid start leading into the DCA Round 1.



The DCA season was somewhat bittersweet in the sense that I felt the boys were more competitive than they had ever been in seasons previous. The bowling and fielding, in particular was a standard well above the year before with our attack continually taking wickets and bowling sides out. In fact, the team took the 2<sup>nd</sup> most number of wickets in its pool of 6 and 4<sup>th</sup> most number of wickets in the competition averaging almost 9 wickets per match. With a bit of luck we could have made the finals, however we lost a number of games that came heartbreakingly close and went down to the final over of the match. While our bowling had served us well, unfortunately the batting could have been a bit more consistent with starts not being converted to big scores when most needed.



**Celebrating a wicket against Hawkesbury in Round 1**

Joe Graham took on the role of captain this season and showed great leadership on the field. When we found ourselves needing to be attacking, he did a great job of turning the thumb screws and employing very attacking fields which always tended to put a lot of pressure on the opposition and get us wickets.

On an individual batting basis, Nick Hidas was our top run scorer with his score of 64 (including 6 fours and one six) in Round 1 being an innings of immense character in a 96 run partnership with Matt Brock when it was most needed after a top order collapse. Jake Carden, while early in the season not capitalizing on some starts, scored the innings of the season against Newcastle in our final rep match. His innings of 80 was an outstanding knock which included 5 fours and 5 sixes made off 125 balls – a real pleasure to watch. Liam Mason was elevated to opener with Joe Graham this season – both players showed great patience and were unlucky not to convert some of their good starts into bigger scores. Aaron Peters batting at #3 this season probably didn't get the scores he would have liked but I look forward to seeing him really mature as an entertaining and attacking batsman in years to come. Matt Brock, Kieren Nixon and Theo Guichon all had some great moments during the season. Theo's unbeaten 37 in the final overs of the Newcastle match in a partnership of 54 with Will (29) gave us a very competitive total on the day. Kieren's unbeaten innings against Northern Districts was another solid effort. Matt made some positive starts but special mention should be made of his energy in the field, particularly his reflex fielding in close to the bat in tight situations. Our lower order batsmen, Will Denny, Matt Kennedy, Abhijeet Viridi and Harrison Dunn got some regular opportunities to bat in difficult circumstances and never let us down with their gritty determination.

On the bowling front, we had a 5-pronged pace attack that proved to be very effective and took 29 wickets in 4 matches this season. Will Denny continued as one of our openers, a



role he has performed so well since debuting in U10 Foster Shield in 2007/08. Joining him this season was Abhijeet Viridi. Abhijeet was able to swing the ball prodigiously into right handed batsmen and in forming that opening bowling partnership with Will and his outswingers, they were able to continually trouble opposition opening bats and get early breakthroughs. Special mention needs to be made to Abhijeet who was the top wicket-taker in the Under 16 DCA Rounds with 12 wickets at an average of 8.17. This included best bowling figures of 5/31 against Northern Districts in round 2. Jake Carden, Joe Graham and Harrison Dunn as our first and second change pacemen were tremendous and consistently able to take wickets. Jake's competitive spirit and ability to take a wicket when most needed was great for the team. Joe continued where he left off last season with his nagging line and length that would always seem to extract a wicket for us. It was a pleasure to welcome Harrison to the DCA team – he showed tremendous team spirit and was well rewarded with a 3-wicket haul against Parramatta with a fiery bowling spell. Our spin duo of Liam Mason and Matthew Brock turned into a trio this season with Aaron Peters taking up wrist spin bowling - having not really bowled much spin before, Aaron was a revelation in the trial against Sutherland where he was turning the ball 90 degrees. While not dominating in the wicket hauls, they provided our pace attack outstanding support and bowled well throughout the season.

Well done to Theo Guichon who performed all the wicket keeping duties throughout the DCA season and did a tremendous job. It has been fantastic to see him grow in both ability and confidence in the role.

It was also great to welcome Matt Kennedy to the team who having never played rep cricket before fitted into the team very well. It was a pleasure to have Matt on board, always giving 100% to the team, excellent in the field, and then having the opportunity to play on in the Presidents Cup season after the DCA season had concluded.

While it was very disappointing to lose in a number of such close matches this year, the boys were incredibly competitive in all 4 matches that were played and realistically with a few things going differently could have been 4 from 4. They all should be immensely proud of their efforts and the character they have each shown throughout.

To the players, it has been quite a journey. Congratulations to you all as you complete your junior representative careers and best wishes to each of you on wherever your cricket pathway takes you. Having roles as parent, manager or coach over the last 7 seasons, I have watched these boys grow from children and seen them develop as cricketers and most importantly into outstanding young men, all the better for having experienced the highs and lows that the wonderful game of cricket has to offer. Special mention to Jake Carden, Will Denny, Joe Graham and Liam Mason who represented Manly in the 2007/08 Under 10 Foster Shield team and played representative cricket in each of the subsequent seasons. In the case of Jake and Liam, they also played in the 2006/07 season.

Finally it was very rewarding to see six of our U16 squad selected to represent Manly-Warringah in the 2013/14 Green Shield. Those selected were Jake Carden, Will Denny, Joseph Graham, Nick Hidas, Abhijeet Viridi and Glyn Archer.

There were many people who helped me during the course of the season, but I would like to particularly thank Vicki Carden and Andy Mason for the outstanding job they did managing the team throughout the season – always a pleasure to work with and I look forward to our friendship continuing well into the future as our kids move into senior cricket. Vicki did an amazing job organising lunches and afternoon teas for our home

games which were simply outstanding. Andy was a tremendous source of support for the players and myself on match day as well as helping out at training.



Special thanks must go to Danny LeMoy who was our head selector for the age group once again and then continued on into the season proper, providing me tremendous support as assistant coach at both training and matches. Danny is always very giving of his time and we all loved having him around – thanks so much Danny!

We were also very lucky to have two of our Manly players, Jacob Graham and James Trickey come on board this season as assistant coaches. Jacob showed great maturity as a coach and the players learnt a great deal from his own experience as well as one on one batting sessions. James is a qualified fitness trainer and did a great job running fitness sessions as well as assisting in other coaching areas. These are two outstanding young men and Manly is lucky to have them in the ranks and I look forward to them continuing their coaching journey into the future.

Thanks also to Simon Crombie and David Brown who coached and managed the President's Cup team after the final teams were announced. These guys are two stalwarts of Manly junior cricket who I have known for many years and wish them and all the President's Cup players all the best for the future.

Finally, a thank-you to our great group of parents who supported both me and the players so well during this season and seasons past – I look forward to continuing to catch up with you all in the seasons to come.

**Ross Denny (Coach)**





**Farewell to the Under 16 Representative players and best wishes for the future!**

## **President's Cup – Under 16**

**Results:** 2 wins, 3 losses, 1 wash out, 1 bye

Looking at the talent in the team, and then the results, I would have to say the team didn't achieve the results they were capable of.

The team came 4<sup>th</sup> on the ladder. In reality 2<sup>nd</sup> place would have been a more accurate gauge of the skills and ability of the team. Unfortunately we didn't win enough of the 'big' moments, however it wasn't through lack of effort from the team.

In round 1 we let Hornsby Ku-ring-gai & Hills off the hook from being 8/149 to reach 202. We fell 22 runs short in the run chase losing our last 4 wickets for 5 runs in the process. Byron anchored the innings with 67 and Jack made a quick 28 to nearly win the game.

Round 2 we had a bye and Round 3 we only managed to score 142, despite an excellent 86 run partnership between Bryton (50) and Glyn (40). Northern Districts passed us 3 wickets down in what was a very lack lustre effort in the field.



The boys returned after the Christmas break and showed us what they were capable of in the next two games. They chased down Central Coast's total of 131 (despite losing 4/5 in the middle order) thanks to a great 53 run partnership in 7 overs by Jack and Matt who both finished not out on 27. It was also the game where Jayden Pomeranetz showed what he is capable of. He bowled a great spell of fast bowling and backed it up with some great fielding.

Round 5 against Sutherland was the best performance of the season. They bowled Sutherland out for 151 and passed them 6 down in the 35<sup>th</sup> over with Byron carrying his bat with a great 74no following 3/21 with the ball.

Round 6 was washed out and the wheels fell off against Newcastle in round 7 when we were all for 92 chasing 196. There were some 'home town' umpires decisions that went against us, however the Newcastle team really gave it to our boys verbally in the field. The intimidation had the desired effect as it put our boys right off their game. As far as cricket skills were concerned, we were head and shoulders above them. It was a very disappointing end to the season!

As a team the boys 'gelled' particularly well and played some excellent cricket. We often were able to make early inroads in to the opposition batting thanks to Glyn and then really apply the pressure in the middle of the innings bowling our spin and medium pace bowlers, drying up the run rate and getting through the overs quickly. The Central Coast game was a great example of this when the boys bowled 18 overs in 45 minutes for only 30 runs. This was the game plan in the field for each game and I'm pleased to say the team really stuck to it and saw the results of their efforts. Johnny and Jayden Steanes and Lachie were instrumental in executing this plan game after game. Johnny and Lachie's economy rates were 2.5 and 2.8 runs per over. Glyn, Byron, Johnny led the way with 7 wickets each and were well backed up by Jayden Steanes with 6 and Lachie 5.

With the bat, we looked to get off to a solid start each game and then have one of the openers anchor the innings while the stroke-makers did their stuff. Byron led from the front with scores of 74no, 67 and 32. Bryton scored a classy 50 and Glyn a determined 40 against Northern Districts. Cameron showed what he is capable of with an entertaining 33 in round 1. Both Hayden and Jack looked great at times with some scores in the 20's.



The fielding was generally pretty good with the game against Northern Districts being the exception. Bryton and Cameron shared the keeping duties and were both tidy behind the stumps. Jack took the most catches with 4 as well as 2 run outs. Woody took 3 and a run out.



The team was led particularly well by Byron. Despite having a run of injuries prior to and early in the season, he was the stand out performer. He scored 187 runs opening the batting and took 7 wickets with his spin bowling.



My goal at the beginning of the season was for the team to enjoy their last season of Junior Representative Cricket. It was great to see the friendships develop and the new players quickly slot into the team. Steansey and Woody kept us entertained throughout the season and made a huge contribution to the team's enjoyment and success. This age group traditionally has a fairly high dropout rate. I hope that this isn't the case with these guys. There are plenty of options available to them to continue playing the game next season through their Clubs at junior and senior level as well as through the Pathway program.

Thank you to the parents who always put their hands up to help out, whether it be setting up the field, umpiring, scoring, coffee runs etc. and for getting the boys to training and to the games. Thanks also for the great afternoon teas. They were something to behold. By far the best in the competition!

Finally, a huge thanks to our Team Manager David Brown. Dave has been the heart and soul behind the team for many years and his contribution to the team as always, was simply outstanding!

**Simon Crombie**  
Coach



# MWJCA RECORDS as at 2013/14 Season

## CRITERIA FOR ASSOCIATION RECORDS

**BATTING** – to qualify, a batsman must bat in 8 innings and score 100 runs or more during the season.

**BOWLING** – to qualify, a bowler must take 15 wickets and bowl 30 overs during the season.

## RECORDS SET IN 2013/14

Under 14/1      Oliver Davies (Harbord) - Batting Aggregate 587 (previously 586 in 2007/08)

Under 14/2      Adam McNeil (Redlands) - Bowling Average 3.14 (previously 4.05 in 2007/08)

## Under 11 Records from 1975/1976 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	Jack Edwards	Beacon Hill Youth Club	566		110*			2009/10
	Cameron Williamson	Beacon Hill Youth Club		110.00				1980/81
	Shawn Bradstreet	Belrose				52		1982/83
	M. Wolley	Forest Anglicans					2.10	1981/82

## Under 12 Records from 1977/1978 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	Nicholas Hidas	Collaroy Plateau	512					2009/10
	Michael Cosentino	Wakehurst Redbacks			109*			1995/96
	Daniel Tabrett	Wakehurst Redbacks		245.00				2002/03
	Linc Woodroff	St Augustines				45		1992/93
	Sam Rose	Peninsula					2.20	2006/07
2	E. Watson	Beacon Hill Youth Club	475					1980/81
	H. Wheatley	Terrey Hills		118.30				1993/94
	Ryan Cullam	Forest District			115*			2010/11
	R. McDermott	Seaforth Youth Club				61		1979/80
	Edward Bernasoni	Seaforth					1.55	2003/04
3	R. Gracie	Collaroy Plateau	200					2001/02
	A. Ross	Palm Beach		31.66				1985/86
	B. Lougham	Palm Beach				30		1985/86
	A. Porter	Narrabeen				30		1985/86
	R. Grant	Palm Beach					2.95	1985/86

### Under 13 Records from 1978/1979 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	Warren Evans	Forest Districts	444					1982/83
	Oliver Davies *	Harbord	537					2012/13
	Daniel Tabrett	Wakehurst Redbacks		247.00				2003/04
	P. Johnston	Forest Districts			154*			1980/81
	W. Jones	Belrose				40		1981/82
	Sam Rose	Peninsula					2.24	2007/08
2	Daniel McKenna	Beacon Hill	462					2006/07
	M. Hill	St. Augustine's College		71.60			2.81	1992/93
	Christopher Fiadino	St Pius			113			2006/07
	S. Bartlett	Pittwater House				54		1982/83
3	Julian Bignold	Terrey Hills	317	31.70				1985/86
	G. Speakman	Redbacks				41	2.29	1985/86

\* Record set during a season where division 1 teams played division 2 teams for part of the competition

### Under 14 Records from 1978/1979 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	<b>Oliver Davies</b>	<b>Harbord</b>	<b>587</b>					<b>2013/14</b>
	Daniel Schimek	St. Augustine's College		292.0				2005/06
	Daniel Paterson	Peninsula			129			2008/09
	J. O'Neil	Warringaroos				42		1979/80
	Sam Rose	Peninsula				42		2008/09
	Sam Rose	Peninsula					2.48	2008/09
2	Harry McKibbon	Redlands	564					2006/07
	T. Rigby	Seaforth Youth Club		149.50				1999/00
	Harry McKibbon	Redlands			119			2006/07
	J. Saunders	Terrey Hills				56		1980/81
	<b>Adam McNeil</b>	<b>Redlands</b>					<b>3.14</b>	<b>2013/14</b>
3	Josh Andersen	Harbord	332					1999/00
	T. Goodwin	Harbord		68.25				1999/00
	A. Gilmore	Redbacks				46	2.60	1985/86



### Under 15 Records from 1978/1979 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	Keenan Gillespie	Peninsula	587					2009/10
	Theo Guichon	Harbord		188.0				2012/13
	Craig Currie	Beacon Hill			193			1989/90
	J. Gavanga	St Augustines				49		1979/80
	Sam Rose	Peninsula					4.18	2009/10
2	Josh Andersen	Seaforth Youth Club	464					2000/01
	Tim Rigby	Seaforth Youth Club		149.50				1998/99
	Scott Patterson	Cromer			100			2002/03
	Paul Hynes	St Pius				52		1989/90
	S. Manning	Cromer					4.10	1990/91

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

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	Highest score	Aggregate	Average	
1	Michael Balzan	Redlands	797	113.86				2011/12
	Matthew Nesbitt	Seaforth			234*			2004/05
	D. Riddington	Seaforth Youth Club				34		2000/01
	Daniel Tabrett	Cromer				34		2006/07
	Steven Taylor	Beacon Hill					5.62	2002/03
2	James Gonda *	St. Augustines	324					2012/13
	D. Riddington	Seaforth Youth Club		34.90	100*	19		1998/99
	B. Bilton	St Augustines/Terrey Hills				19		1998/99
	J. Smith	Seaforth Youth Club					8.40	1998/99

\* Under 16/17 competition changed to U16-18 in 2012/13 season

## MWJCA Old Records

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). Under 10 and Under 11 Division 2 and 3 now play average cricket so these records are now unchanged. The old records were:

### Under 10 Records to 1973/1974 Season

Div.	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	P. Lowery	NarrabeenYouth Club	415			105		1968/69
	G. Fletcher	Beacon Hill		42.50				1972/73
	M. Sanford	Narrabeen Lakes			67			1971/72
	M. Sutter	Wakehurst					1.90	1969/70
2	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club	378		104*			1967/68
	G. Pope	Avalon Youth Club		41.14				1967/68
	T. McTeigue	Collaroy Plateau				107		1969/70
	C. Stoneman	Curl Curl Youth Club					0.88	1972/72

### Under 10 Records from 1974/1975 Season

Div.	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	R. Medway	Forest Anglicans	247					1976/77
	R. Walton	Seaforth Youth Club		186.00				1978/79
	B. Minnett	Collaroy Plateau				58		1974/75
	B. Cake	Collaroy Plateau					1.54	1975/76
2	A. Gray	St Kevins	210					1974/75
	M. Bland	Forest Anglicans		195.00				1978/79
	A. Hodgson	Forest Anglicans				52		1975/76
	M. James	Allambie					2.41	1979/80

### Under 11 Records to 1974/1975 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	A. Fraser	Christian BrosCollege	601					1974/75
	G. Fletcher	Beacon Hill		74.33				1973/74
	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club			105*			1968/69
	D. Tracey	North Balgowlah				122		1962/63
	A. Spargo	Balgowlah					1.54	1961/62
2	S. Mesite	Christian BrosCollege	487	60.87				1966/67
	R. Delaney	Narrabeen YouthClub			97			1967/68
	P. Brown	Balgowlah				100		1961/62
	R. Margolis	Avalon					0.94	1973/74
3	K. Wright	Balgowlah Rugby Union	219	21.90	41*			1966/67
	G. Horton	Pittwater				83		1966/67
	T. Ansel	BeaconHill YouthClub					2.35	1966/67

### Under 11 Records from 1975/1976 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
2	J. Sanders	Terrey Hills	362					1977/78
	G. Brown	Beacon Hill YClub		31.60				1977/78
	G. Willmack	Terrey Hills				55	2.12	1982/83

### Under 12 Records to 1976/1977 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	A. Fraser	Christian BrosCollege	716	89.50				1975/76
	S. Johnson	Allambie			131			1975/76
	J. Burke	St. Augustine's College				134		1965/66
	D. Anderson	Collaroy Plateau					1.56	1958/59
2	G. Verity	Cromer	432					1974/75
	N. Tuckerman	Allambie		161.50				1976/77
	L. Poganowski	Manly Vale			110*			1962/63
	L. Anderson	Frenchs Forest				91		1960/61
	J. Douglas	Mona Vale					1.66	1958/59
3	G. Reid	North Balgowlah	317	195		77		1964/65
	S. Green	North Balgowlah				77		1964/65
	J. Murray	Christian BrosCollege			66*			1964/65
	J. Rodgers	Christian BrosCollege					3.12	1964/65

### Under 13 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	P. Spraggs	Collaroy Plateau	698					1962/63
	S. Hegarty	St. Augustine's College		117				1974/75
	M. Jolly	Seaforth Youth Club			148*		2.38	1970/71
	S. Buchan	St. Augustine's College				85		1967/68
2	G. Alley	Seaforth Youth Club	507					1965/66
	M. Smith	Forest Anglicans			125			1972/73
	D. Alley	Collaroy Plateau				57		1965/66
	S. Lawler	Narrabeen Lakes				57		1972/73
	P. Wilkins	Wakehurst					2.90	1969/70

### Under 14 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	R. Ryan	Christian BrosCollege	794	198.50	170*			1962/63
	M. Murfin	Seaforth Youth Club				71		1969/70
	J. Tucker	Dee Why					2.04	1972/73
2	T. Hall	Christian BrosCollege	548		141			1977/78
	N. Coltman	Curl Curl		79				1962/63
	S. Hynes	Christian BrosCollege				69	2.30	1976/77

### Under 15 Records to 1977/1978 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	D. Headon	Pittwater RSL	503					1965/66
	M. McGuire	Dee Why RSL		107				1971/72
	S. Allum	Pittwater RSL				82		1965/66
	A. Gors	Beacon Hill					2.48	1972/73

### Under 16 Records to 1997/1998 Season

Division	Name	Club	Batting			Bowling		Season
			Aggregate	Average	HighestScore	Aggregate	Average	
1	T. Marsh	Pittwater House	473					1993/94
	S. Gillespie	Collaroy Plateau		131				1990/91
	S. Jenkins	Pittwater House			124	39		1993/94
	P. Connor	Redbacks					3.93	1987/88



## MWJCA History of Winning Teams 2004/05 to 2013/14

Age	Div	2013/14	2012/13	2011/12	2010/11	2009/10	2008/09	2007/08	2006/07	2005/06	2004/05
U9	1							Harbord	Cromer	Seaforth	Cromer
U9	2										Seaforth
U10	1	Collaroy Harbord	Wakehurst	Harbord	Harbord	Peninsula Killerwhales	Peninsula Wakehurst	Collaroy Wakehurst Harbord	Seaforth	Wakehurst	Wakehurst
U10	2	Harbord	Peninsula	Harbord	Beacon Hill	Harbord White	Beacon Hill	Forest	Peninsula	Beacon Hill	Seaforth White Seaforth Blue
U10	3										Peninsula Collaroy
U11	1	Wakehurst	Wakehurst	Seaforth	Harbord St Augustines	Peninsula Firefish	Wakehurst	Peninsula	Wakehurst	Peninsula	Wakehurst
U11	2	Harbord	Harbord	Cromer Peninsula	Harbord White	Seaforth	Wakehurst	Peninsula	Seaforth	Harbord	Cromer Wakehurst
U11	3										Collaroy
U12	1	Forest	Seaforth	Peninsula	Harbord St Augustines	Collaroy Surge	Peninsula	St Augustines	Peninsula	Peninsula	Peninsula
U12	2	Peninsula	Cromer	Wakehurst Peninsula	Forest	Peninsula Lobsters	Peninsula	Harbord	Peninsula	Seaforth	Beacon Hill
U13	1	St Augustines Harbord	Collaroy	St Augustines	Wakehurst	Peninsula Sea Spiders	St Augustines	Peninsula	Harbord	Peninsula	St Augustines
U13	2		Wakehurst	Beacon Hill	Peninsula Lobsters	Redlands	St Augustines	Peninsula	Beacon Hill	St Pius	Seaforth
U14	1	Collaroy	Collaroy	Collaroy Surge	Peninsula Sea Spiders	St Augustines Wakehurst	Peninsula	Harbord	Peninsula	Wakehurst	Beacon Hill
U14	2	Redlands	St Augustines			Harbord Hotshots		Forest	St Pius	Wakehurst	
U15	1	St Augustines	Collaroy Force	Collaroy	Wakehurst Red	Peninsula	Harbord	Harbord	Peninsula	Collaroy	Peninsula St Augustines
U15	2										St Pius
U16-18 *	1	Harbord	Redlands	St Augustines	Collaroy Static	Redlands	Harbord	Wakehurst	Cromer	Cromer	Seaforth
U16-18 *	2		Wakehurst								Wakehurst

\* Included U16/17 prior to 2012/13 season

# Manly Warringah Junior Cricket Association

## 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 McCullum-Toomey Tony Sullivan	Tony Pecar
2005/06	Tony Pecar	-	Ashley Kaye	John Treadwell	Sally McCullum-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	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



