

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB Inc.

2025 - 2026 SEASON



Vale Bert Alderson

14/12/1924 - 30/11/2025



PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB
SECOND GRADE PREMIERS - 2025 / 2026



PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB
15-2's PREMIERS — 2025 / 2026



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB
THE DAVID SHERWOOD CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET
FIFTH GRADE GRAND FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB
A.W. GREEN SHIELD - NSW PREMIER CRICKET
GRAND FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



129th Annual Report

1843 - 2026

Season Highlights



Congratulations Luke Dempsey

Our new Life Member

Luke has played an excellent record of cricket and undergone service to the Parramatta District Cricket Club as a senior umpire, mentorship coach and has played an influential role in the club's highly successful player development process through his ongoing commitment to the Parramatta Cricket Academy and A.W. Green Shield program.

He has with the Parramatta District Cricket Club played in the A.W. Green Shield in 2017/18 and continues into 2025/26.

STATISTICS:

- Franchise wicket - A.W. Green Shield (2017/18), Third grade (2020/21), Poidevin Gray Shield (2021/22), First grade (24/19/16) & 2022/23
- Club Record - Most catches in a season (Anderson) - 24
- 1st XI grade in NSW Premier Cricket Luke scored 8,357 runs, captured 288 wickets and took 152 catches.

Congratulations Matthew Giumelli

Cricketer of the Year 2025 - 2026
(Bill Anderson Memorial Trophy)

Congratulations Athan Maraziotis

Cumberland Medallist 2025-2026

Parramatta Medallist 2025/2026

Congratulations Kaya Kumar

Women's Player Of The Year 2025/2026

Congratulations Kate Pelle

Congratulations Kate Pelle and Grace Pooley

On your selection in the NSW Premier Cricket 1st Grade Women's Team of The Year 2025/26

Congratulations to our Men's Representative Players 2025 / 2026

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Congratulations to our Women's Representative Players 2025/2026

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Men's & Women's Representative Honours

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC

1843 – 2026

You are cordially invited to attend the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Club

to be held at Toongabbie Sports Club

on Wednesday 5th August 2026 at 7.00 pm.

BUSINESS

1. To receive the 129th Annual Report
2. Any Notices of Motion According to Rules
3. Life Memberships
4. To elect Officers and Board
5. To transact any business which may be introduced to Rule

Only Financial Members of the previous season shall be entitled to vote (vide by laws)

Samantha Jarman

Secretary

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PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC.

OFFICE BEARERS 2025-2026

JOINT PATRONS

Federal Member for Parramatta Mr Andrew Charlton
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President Parramatta District Cricket Association

CHAIR

Mr. Greg Monaghan

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Mr. T Wood

SECRETARY

Samantha Jarman

TREASURER

Samantha Jarman

DIRECTORS

M Bertus W Jarman P Giumelli S Reibelt D Pooley P West

SELECTION COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Paul Sullivan

1 st Grade:	Nick Bertus / Dhruv Kant	Owen Simonsen	Paul Sullivan
2 nd Grade:	Owen Simonsen	Matt Giumelli	Paul Sullivan
3 rd Grade:	Matt Giumelli	Yusof Brown	Paul Sullivan
4 th Grade:	Yusof Brown	Liam Gillies	Paul Sullivan
5 th Grade:	Liam Gillies	Jason Coleman	Paul Sullivan

PROVISIONAL SELECTION COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Paul Sullivan

Nick Bertus Paul Giumelli Jason Coleman

PUBLICITY AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

Greg Monaghan

DELEGATES TO S.C.A.

Greg Monaghan
Paul Giumelli

DELEGATE TO CRICKET NSW

Greg Monaghan

LIFE MEMBERS

*J Aitken	*A H Alderson	R Anderson	*W N Anderson	*T Arundell
*G T Barry	*L Benaud	*R Benaud OBE	M/s C Bennison	Nick Bertus
*F Bloxham	*W W Bodenham	*Dr. R Bowman	*W A Brodie	*L R Cadden
B Cherry	*W Cornock	*A J Cramond	*G Cranney	*H Cranney
*T Cranney Snr	G Davidson	*L J Deeth	L Dempsey	J Dwyer
Dr Wilf Ewens	Bruce Ferguson	D Ferguson	*H J Goodwin	*E Gould
*W Gould	D Jackson	*PH Jeffery OBE	*D Kennedy	*T D Little
*J J Miller	G Monaghan	*L W Pye	*R Rowe	R Shepherd
*S Stone	*S Teale	Allen Turrell	*Rev E F Waddy	*E L Waddy
K D Walters AM, MBE	M C Ward	Mrs. T Ward	*F Watsford	P J West
M A Wood	T J Wood	*R Wright OAM		

****Deceased***

FINANCIAL MEMBERS - (PLAYERS)

Abbott B	David E	Lamont P	Sharma R
Ajithkumar A	Dempsey L	Macdonald T	Shaun Nosina M
Akle C	Earl I	Mani B	Sheekey O
Akle S	Edwards R	Maraziotis A	Simonsen O
Ambardar A	Forrest K	McFadden J	Sira S
Aparajit R	Gillies L	Misbah A	Sullivan M
Apps L	Giumelli L	Mohanaraj A	Thornley K
Arnold A	Giumelli M	Natkunamanickam E	Topley R
Bateup N	Goulstone H	Noorbergen B	Vasanthakumar H
Bertus N	Grieve R	Noorbergen J	Venica-Singh G
Boreddy A	Guild D	Paskaranathan J	Wijesinghe A
Brown Y	Gunawardane K	Patil N	Willoughby H
Calvert A	Gupta R	Rajesidhiraju J	
Chawla V	Hossack J	Rana K	
Coleman J	James J	Robinson T	
Cooray L	Jarman W	Roche L	
Cooray N	Kant D	Samuel N	
Culnane C	Karam L	Samuel S	
Das Prangan	Knight C	Seoung H	
Das Prapta	Kulendran N	Shaikh S	

FINANCIAL MEMBERS - (TRUE BLUES)

Gold Member:

Franji J

Silver Members:

Black B	Calvert R	Nadadur R	West R
Calvert D	Crotty N	Grieve R	
Calvert P	Earl W	Natkunam A	

Bronze Member:

Gall J OAM

Report from the Chair

What a great year — again!

Highlights included another Women's 2nd Grade Premiership, finals appearances across Men's 1st, 2nd and 5th Grades, Women's 1st, Green Shield, and our PDCA 15/2 Women's feeder-team Premiership.

Parra Women finished 3rd in the Club Championship. Our Men, defending Champions, finished 4th.

Congratulations to major award winners **Athan Maraziotis** (Cumberland Medal), **Matt Giumelli** (Cricketer of the Year), **Kaya Kumar** (Parramatta Medal) and **Kate Pelle** (Player of the Year).

It was also a record-breaking representative season: three Parra/NSW women's players, **Ryan Gupta** debuting for NSW 2nd XI, five in the male NSW U19 squad, three of whom made Australia's U19 World Cup team. **Nitesh Samuel** was named Australian Player of the Tournament after topping the run aggregate.

Congratulations also to **Kate Pelle** and Nitesh on earning Tasmania contracts, joining **Tim Ward** and **Hayley Silver-Holmes** in Tasmanian squads and continuing Parramatta's strong pathway south. Starting with **Bruce Neill** in the 1960s, and including Rod **Tucker** in the 1980s, **Anthony Marr** in the "20 teens".

Despite Nitesh's success in the U19 World Cup, NSW could not find a place for him in their squad. At present, Cricket NSW is in the doldrums, finishing 2nd last in the Sheffield Shield. Michael Sullivan has been overlooked, year in year out, even for NSW 2nd XI, despite consistently outstanding performances. The treatment of Nick Bertus at the end of his short time there was appalling.

The Sheffield Shield is littered with players, often from Western Sydney, performing well for their chosen states. Nitesh joins Tim Ward in Tasmania along with many others such as Jordan Silk, Jake Doran, Charlie Wakim, Jackson Bird, and Lawrence Neil-Smith, and for Shield Winner South Australia, Ben Manenti, Hanno Jacobs, Henry Hunt, Henry Thornton, Jason Sangha, and Nathan McAndrew. Five of the top 11 run scorers in the Sheffield Shield were ex-NSW (one being Tim Ward).

A root and branch review of selections, coaching and development is required to produce Australia's next batch of champions from NSW. At present it's hard to see many who play for NSW.

Right now, Cricket Australia and the States are battling it out over whether to sell the Big Bash franchises, and for how much. As ever, in our professional cricket levels, it's all about the money. Thankfully, Cricket NSW has been holding out to date, but it's a major distraction. We would prefer that CA and the States have more focus on grass roots and player development.

Nick Bertus unfortunately missed most of this season after rupturing an Achilles tendon early in the year. Missing the rest of the season interrupted Nick's virtually inevitable progress to holding all the run scoring aggregate records for our club. Nick currently has 10,437 runs in all grades, rapidly closing in on **Bert Alderson's** record of 11,016, which has stood for 51 years. Nick has 9022 runs in First Grade getting awfully close to the mighty **Mudgee Cranney** record of 9,419 set in 1926/27.

What an amazing moment in our great Club's history if "our Bert" should pass Mudgee's record in its 100th anniversary year!

We've always prided ourselves on producing greatness off the field as well on. **Rodney Tucker** celebrated his 100th Test match as an international umpire during the year, **Greg Davidson** retiring after a stellar umpiring career including a Women's Test match, **Christine Bennison** scored 15 Test Matches, and now, tremendous credit to our current scorers **Peter Garlick** and **Jenny David**!

Both Peter and Jenny were appointed to score a Cricket Australia Women's T20 match at North Sydney Oval on Saturday 25th October, two scorers from the same Club!

The year ahead looks bright on the field, however off the field, the Club faces some major challenges.

Our greatest concern at time of writing is the proposed rental hike of **400%** for the use of **Old Kings Oval** to around **\$80,000p.a.** Old Kings used to be managed closer to home, through the Parramatta Park Trust. However that was swallowed up by the Western Sydney Parklands Trust, which in turn has been subsumed by the Greater Sydney Parklands Trust, making Old Kings just blip on the balance sheet.

Rental in 2023/24, already expensive at \$17,500 p.a., jumped to \$30,000 in 2024/25, then to \$44,000 last season. In 2026/27 we anticipate another huge increase, on the way to their \$80,000 target - which the Club simply cannot sustain.

A review of 20 similar turf wickets in our area has revealed rents from \$0 to \$11,000 pa. with a market rent average of just under \$5,000.

Urgent action to negotiate with the authorities has so far borne no result. All stops are being pulled out to encourage the State Government to see reason and charge a reasonable market rent.

On a brighter note, Stage One of the **Richie Benaud Oval** upgrade to a Regional Standard Turf Wicket facility was finally put out to tender. Parramatta Council has promised an update to the Club by October.

Thank you to our dedicated volunteers, Directors and helpers. Special congratulations to our Ray Rowe Volunteer of the Year winners - who else but **Nick Bertus** and **Luke Dempsey** along with the unstoppable **Paul Giumelli**. Together they run our tremendous Cricket Academy and Green Shield program along with many other contributions around the Club. All members of the Club were delighted that Luke was elected to **Life Membership** at the Cumberland Medal, joining Nick Bertus, who earned that same honour last year.

Scott Reibelt and **Deb Pooley** won the Ron Wright Administration Medal. What dedicated and successful leaders of Women's Cricket they are!

Finally, a huge thank you to our great Sponsors especially the **Parramatta Leagues Club** our major sponsors now for 40 years. I have been a Director on the Leagues Club Board for 6 years now and am very proud of the Club's tremendous support for the community.

We could not achieve what we have for Parramatta, for cricket, and for all our players and supporters without all our Sponsor's support.

Go Parra!

Greg Monaghan



Congratulations **Luke Dempsey**



Our new Life Member



Luke has shaped an excellent record of ardent and prolonged service to the **Parramatta District Cricket Club** as a forceful allrounder, multi-premiership winner, and has played an influential role in the club's highly successful player development process through his staunch commitment to the **Parramatta Cricket Academy** and **A.W. Green Shield** programmes.

His link with the Parramatta District Cricket Club began in the A.W. Green Shield in 2007/08 and continues into 2025/26.

Playing career:

- Premiership wins – A.W. Green Shield (2007/08); Third grade (2009/10); Poidevin-Gray Shield (2012/13); **First grade (2017/18) & (2022/23).**
- Club Record – Most catches in a season (fieldsman) – 24.
- In **All** grades in NSW Premier Cricket Luke scored **5,237** runs, captured **224** wickets and held **137** catches.

Treasurer's Report

Parramatta District Cricket Club Inc.
For the Financial Year Ended 30 June 2026

I am pleased to present the Treasurer's Report for the financial year ending 30 June 2026.

The Club recorded **total trading income of \$263,522.89**, an increase from **\$225,018.79** in the previous financial year. This growth was driven by increased grant funding, strong player registrations, and continued support from our valued sponsors.

Significant income highlights included:

- Player registration fees of **\$44,820.11**.
- Sponsorship income remained strong, particularly through the continued support of Parramatta Leagues Club and a number of new and returning sponsors.
- Grant funding exceeded **\$96,000**, reflecting the Club's success in securing funding from Cricket NSW, the ACA, and other government and sporting bodies.
- Continued fundraising, presentation events, and merchandise sales also contributed positively to overall revenue.

Total operating expenses for the year were **\$293,008.99**, compared with **\$249,510.35** in the previous year. The increase reflects the Club's continued investment in cricket programs and member services, including:

- Higher ground hire costs.
- Increased expenditure on coaching programs.
- Investment in club clothing and playing equipment.
- Expanded mentoring initiatives.
- Increased presentation and social media costs supporting member engagement and club promotion.

As a result, the Club recorded a **net operating deficit of \$29,486.10**, compared with a deficit of **\$24,491.56** in the previous year. While this represents a larger operating loss, it reflects deliberate investment in player development, facilities, coaching, and programs designed to strengthen the Club's long-term sustainability rather than a decline in financial performance.

The Club remains in a sound financial position, supported by strong revenue streams, ongoing sponsorship, successful grant applications, and prudent financial management. We will continue to monitor expenditure carefully while pursuing additional sponsorship and funding opportunities to ensure the Club remains financially sustainable.

I would like to thank our sponsors, grant providers, volunteers, committee members, and all those who have contributed to the Club throughout the season. Their support continues to be critical to the Club's success both on and off the field.

Samantha Jarman
Parramatta District Cricket Club Inc.

Profit and Loss

Parramatta District Cricket Club Inc. For the year ended 30 June 2026

	2026	2025
Trading Income		
ACA Grant	13,000.00	3,250.00
Bank Interest Income - Operating Account	-	68.50
CA - General Grant	28,698.00	17,811.00
Canteen & Catering Income	8,400.74	15,031.90
Clothing & Caps Proceeds	3,888.07	1,474.53
CNSW - Coaching Grant	30,391.00	22,803.00
CNSW - General Administration Grant	-	23,322.00
Donations	3,924.98	2,916.66
Fund-Raising General	665.00	278.57
General Grants	24,022.00	-
History Book Proceeds	259.08	6,105.79
Membership Fees - Bronze	50.00	-
Membership Fees - Gold	250.00	-
Membership Fees - Silver	90.00	681.83
Office of Sports - Grant	-	1,565.00
Other Revenue	93.87	147.89
PCA - Clothing & Caps Proceeds	815.45	2,474.07
PCA - Premium Program Fee	-	220.00
Player of the Round Proceeds	1,500.00	1,000.00
Player Registration Fees	44,820.11	47,236.24
Presentation Dinner Proceeds	6,130.00	5,377.20
PWGCC Player Rego Fees	17,960.28	-
SCA Dinners Proceeds	-	(136.33)
Social Media	882.50	1,527.31
Sponsorship - Accounting Firm/ SMSF247	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Associated Accounting Services	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Automatic Vending Specialist	2,500.00	2,500.00
Sponsorship - Bradmans Windows & Doors	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Cooks Plumbing	-	2,272.73
Sponsorship - Ecoclean	2,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Full Tilt Constructions	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Heliflite	1,500.00	1,000.00
Sponsorship - MSJ Advisory	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Parramatta Leagues Club	43,000.00	51,500.00
Sponsorship - Pendle Hill Vet	500.00	1,000.00
Sponsorship - Royal life Saving NSW	4,000.00	-
Sponsorship - RP Realty	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - Steel Builders	-	1,000.00
Sponsorship - Strike Print	2,500.00	2,500.00
Sponsorship - Sydneywide Shutters	1,500.00	-
Sponsorship - TLE Castle Hill	1,000.00	1,000.00

	2026	2025
Sponsorship - Toongabbie Sports	3,636.36	3,636.36
Sponsorship - Toyota Material Handling	4,545.45	4,545.45
Sponsorship - UpnUp	-	909.09
Sponsorship- Parramatta Property Holdings	1,500.00	-
Total Trading Income	263,522.89	225,018.79
Gross Profit	263,522.89	225,018.79
Operating Expenses		
Balls	19,670.54	13,898.20
Bank Fees	550.81	595.98
Canteen Expenses	6,446.86	11,531.75
Captain's Expenses	450.00	400.00
Catering Expenses	-	316.50
Clothing	26,247.57	26,649.76
Clothing - PWGCC	16,776.27	-
Coaching Fee Expenses	58,100.00	61,750.00
Communication Expense	3,588.88	988.98
Depreciation Expense - Fixed Assets	11,672.76	11,672.76
Event Expenses	466.59	227.27
Facilities - Repairs & Maintenance	577.40	1,738.59
Facilities Hire Expenses	4,477.75	630.00
Gifts & Donations	(182.15)	395.27
Ground Hire	66,359.63	47,983.17
Mentoring Expenses	6,500.00	-
Office Administration Expense	3,849.98	976.78
PCA - Balls	45.45	445.46
PCA - Clothing	1,148.00	3,924.50
PCA - Coaching Fee Expenses	5,960.00	9,090.91
PCA - Ground Hire	-	118.36
PCA - Tools & Equipment	595.00	551.44
Playing Costs - Grade	21,299.09	32,656.00
Premiers Dinner Expense	265.00	-
Presentation Dinner Expense	7,750.50	4,966.00
Printing & Publishing	50.00	2,423.64
Social Media Costs	5,656.36	4,720.00
Stationery	-	413.64
Sundry Expenses	11,411.77	2,805.71
Team Registration Fees	-	300.00
Tools & Equipment	3,967.80	1,453.18
Trophies Expense	7,610.31	5,436.50
Umpire Fee Expenses	1,696.82	450.00
Total Operating Expenses	293,008.99	249,510.35
Net Profit	(29,486.10)	(24,491.56)

Balance Sheet

Parramatta District Cricket Club Inc.

As at 30 June 2026

	30 JUNE 2026	30 JUNE 2025
Assets		
Bank		
BOQ 'Funds Held in Trust for Projects'	104,714.49	104,714.49
BOQ Current 5517	847.98	847.98
CBA Premium Cheque 1066	30,098.90	60,270.76
CBA Saving Account 8084	82,446.79	81,906.47
NAB Current 8191	20.00	20.00
Total Bank	218,128.16	247,759.70
Current Assets		
Accounts Receivable	4,096.00	36,588.10
Deposits	(4,000.00)	-
Interest Receivable	2,138.80	2,324.12
Total Current Assets	2,234.80	38,912.22
Fixed Assets		
Acc. Depreciation - Electronic Scoreboard - D.W. Pavilion	(12,095.40)	(10,079.50)
Acc. Depreciation - Electronic Scoreboard - Main	(57,941.16)	(48,284.30)
Acc. Depreciation - IT and Communication Equipment	(1,818.18)	(1,818.18)
Electronic Scoreboard - D.W. Pavilion	20,159.00	20,159.00
Electronic Scoreboard - Main	96,568.64	96,568.64
IT and Communication Equipment	1,818.18	1,818.18
Total Fixed Assets	46,691.08	58,363.84
Total Assets	267,054.04	345,035.76
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	8,994.80	35,411.20
CBA Society Account - Women	2,571.40	-
Grant Provision - Score Board	1,529.72	1,529.72
GST	5,426.28	3,700.78
Player Fees Received in Advance	7,993.48	7,993.48
Rounding	(0.49)	(0.37)
Suspense	2,032.00	28,408.00
Total Current Liabilities	28,547.19	77,042.81
Non-current Liabilities		
Provision for RBO Project	100,847.98	100,847.98
Total Non-current Liabilities	100,847.98	100,847.98
Total Liabilities	129,395.17	177,890.79
Net Assets	137,658.87	167,144.97
Equity		

	30 JUNE 2026	30 JUNE 2025
Accumulated Surplus	167,144.97	191,636.53
Current Year Earnings	(29,486.10)	(24,491.56)
Total Equity	137,658.87	167,144.97



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From the Past

(By Tom Wood – Parramatta District Cricket Club Historian)



Parramatta District Cricket Club and Parramatta Park – A Historical Association

The Parramatta District Cricket Club has shared an incredible enduring relationship with Parramatta Park, an association that had its start way back in the late 1850s and continues to this present day, no other Sydney Premier Cricket Club can match this statement.

Parramatta Park:

The precinct that is known as Parramatta Park was an area of great historical significance in the pioneering days of the new colony of New South Wales. Early November 1788 Governor Arthur Phillip established a military outpost at Parramatta (then known as Rose Hill), and convicts were sent there to commence farming, and this project became the first farm to produce sufficient food to feed the penal colony thus saving the new settlement in Sydney from starvation.

In 1790 Governor Phillip continued to advance Parramatta by laying out the area of the government Domain as part of the township. Located on the western edge of the original township it contained a Governor's residence – Old Government House was used by successive Governor's until 1855, and this notable building is preserved as a tourist attraction to the present day, standing as the oldest vice-regal residence in Australia – stockyards, lumber yards, a redoubt, food cultivation and grazing areas were all part of the domain.

In the 1840s a group known as the Parramatta Park Movement pushed hard for more public access to the Government Domain, and this resulted in Governor Fitzroy authorizing a Race Course (Cumberland Turf Club) to be constructed north of the river – the course occupied a significant area extending from the river in the west to O'Connell Street in the east. In modern days this area would contain Old Kings Oval and Bankwest Stadium – the Cumberland Turf club reigned from 1847 to 1858 before being replaced by the Mud Lodge Races whose duration spanned the years 1858 to 1883, after which Horse Racing activities were transferred to the modern site of the racetrack at Rose Hill.

The opportunity for more sporting activities in the park arose in 1857 when the western section of the domain was offered for sale and the Parramatta Park Act of 1857 was passed providing 246 acres, to be managed by Trustees, for public use and granted as a park for '*promoting the health and recreation of the inhabitants of the town of Parramatta*'.

Parramatta Cricket Club and the Park:

After a nomadic existence of playing local matches anywhere there was an available patch of grass – Barracks ground, Newlands Estate, Harris Meadows and the old Gaol green – the Parramatta Cricket Club started to conduct matches after 1857 on the Western or Back domain of Parramatta Park (Westmead area).

Needing a permanent home-base to advance the cricket club's profile, in 1862 the enthusiastic President Doctor George H. Pringle petitioned the Parramatta Park Trustees for permission to build a cricket field within the boundaries of the existing horse racing track. The permission was forthcoming and the cricketers then toiled for twelve months with picks and shovels levelling and clearing the rough land to create their field of dreams. The first match being married v. single was played in March 1863 – the field was surrounded by a post and rail fence. With no on tap water supply system and rain being the only watering agent, the quality of the pitch surfaces was pretty ordinary for a couple of decades.

The responsibility for the maintenance and equipment, facility improvements, staff appointments and ground hire were all entrusted to the Parramatta Cricket by the Park Trustees under the terms of a lease agreement that was renegotiated at various intervals. The cricket club's volunteer Ground Committee continued to undertake these duties and responsibilities through to 1st January 1936, when the task became too onerous for volunteers to continue in the wake of the 1930s post Great Depression years, and the Park Trust took over control of the oval with the Parramatta Cricket Club settling for the payment of an annual rental fee to ensure their continued tenancy.

Under the guidance of a strong and progressive management team headed by the likes of President Hugh Taylor, Secretary W.A. Brodie and Treasurer J.J. Miller the Parramatta Cricket Club gradually forged ahead in

the 1870s and 1880s, and so did Parramatta Oval under the club's control. A glance at some of the events associated with the oval during this period of the club's guardianship reflects its staged development towards a top-drawer colonial era sporting venue:

- 1874 *"The club set to work in earnest to make a county ground of it – placing a picket fence around it and planting trees"* – The Jubilee History of Parramatta (p. 138).

- 1882 – Town water was laid on the oval and a caretaker was appointed. This greatly aided a dramatic improvement in the quality of pitches prepared for matches.

- 1884 – Water was connected to the Pavilion, and Bicycle and a running track were added to the field.

- 1888 – The Sydney Morning Herald on 14th May carried an article on the Parramatta Cricket Club – *"On Saturday last a deputation from the Parramatta Cricket Club, consisting of Dr. Phillips, W.W. Bodenham, S. Walford, and N. Neale, waited upon the trustees of the Parramatta Park, and submitted proposals, in the event of a 10 years lease of the cricket ground being given to the club. It was proposed to spend 300 or 400 pounds on ground improvements, to make a tennis court, and a bicycle track. They asked also that they be granted an additional acre of land, and the right to charge admission, all money so made to be expended on the ground. The trustees informed them that, until the Amended Parks Act was passed, they had no power to grant the lease but promised when the Act was passed to give the club all assistance in their power"*.

The lease was eventually granted in 1888, the extra acre was acquired and the bicycle track inserted, also the cricket club adhered favourably to a request from The Kings School to connect their oval (Old Kings Oval) to the Parramatta Oval's water supply. The Kings School Oval was established in 1883 and some of the Parramatta Cricket Club's greatest players (e.g. L.W. Pye, S.R. Walford, the three Waddy brothers) played on the ground as students at the school.

- The Cricket Club in line with their role of controlling the oval oversaw hiring out its use to the bicycle and Rugby Union clubs, and employing the following Caretakers / curators (through to 1936):

- 1883 to 1888 – Tom Boon, who was also a prominent player.

- 1891 to 1901 – H. Andrews.

- 1901 to 1905 – A. Stapleton.

- 1905 to 1908 - A. Crawford.

- 1908 to 1911 – A.E. Cook who died in 1911 and his son F. Cook succeeded him until 1914.

- 1914 to 1927 – Fred Fitzgibbon, a former star player held the job until his death.

- 1927 to 1943 – Phil Conolly, another ex-player held the post until retirement.

Perched above the river and surrounded by an impressive array of trees the Parramatta Oval won wide acclaim as one of the most picturesque grounds in colonial cricket. The club's officials made the most of their facility and the growing status of the Parramatta Township to organise a series of matches between the local club and the touring English International teams (a feat no other Sydney Premier Grade Club can boast):

- 7th / 8th December 1881 - v. 22 of Cumberland – won by Cumberland.

- 28th / 30th November 1884 – v. 18 of Cumberland – won by England.

- 12th / 13th November 1886 – v. 18 of Parramatta – won by England.

- 4th / 5th November 1887 - v. 18 of Cumberland – won by England.

- 2nd / 3rd December 1887 – v. 18 of Parramatta – won by Parramatta.

- 9th / 10th December 1891 – v. 20 of Parramatta – won by England. The legendary Dr. W.G. Grace made a duck.

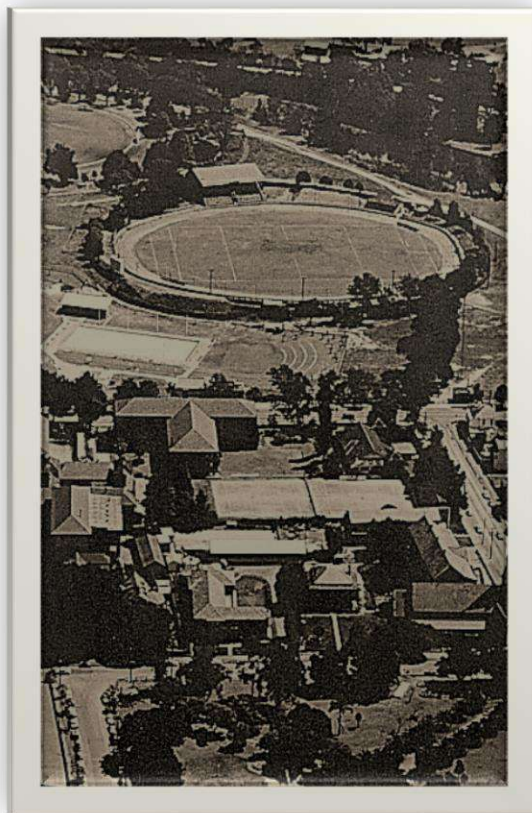
The Parramatta club continued to use the oval for their home matches, maintaining the facility and controlling the hiring and revenue raising associated the use of the ground, and it remained the club's headquarters when the NSW Cricket Association made a monumental change to the colonial cricket landscape in the 1893/94 season by introducing the new 1st grade Electorate (Grade) cricket competition – based upon residential qualifications by which players had to play for the club (boundaries were defined by NSWCA) within whose district they resided – Parramatta (Cumberland) was one of the eight foundation clubs.

By 1902 the fenced cricket ground on the northern side of the river was removed and replaced by two entrance avenues to Parramatta Oval. The oval's boundaries now consisted of an outer seven foot (2.1m) galvanized iron fence and two inner picket and board fences together with a weatherboard pavilion on the western side of the ground. The nearby Kings School Oval gained a picket fence to both enclose and protect the turfed oval.

The Parramatta Oval, often referred to as Cumberland Oval was upgraded and the work was completed in 1938 in time for the 150th celebration of European settlement in Australia. Between 1938 and 1948 motorcycle and speed car racing also took place inside the oval – the legendary three-time world grand prix champion Jack Brabham began his career here racing midget cars – Cumberland cricketers of that era tell tales of just drawing stumps and then being swamped by revving motor bike or car engines tuning up for their Saturday night gigs.

In 1947 the Parramatta District Rugby League Club (Eels) played their debut match in the NSWRL 1st Grade competition (now the NRL) against Newtown on 12th April – Cumberland Oval continued as the home of cricket in summer and Rugby League and Union in the winter.

Cumberland Oval in the 1950s:



Old Kings Oval is visible in the top left-hand corner.

The Kings School relocated to Pennant Hills Road, North Parramatta and in 1967/68 the Park trust offered Old Kings Oval to Central Cumberland, and it was eagerly accepted as a home ground for the club's two Shires teams. In the 1969/70 season the NSWCA expanded their competitions to include 5th grade, and Cumberland fielded two teams in this new grade, who used Old Kings for home matches, and the oval also became the venue for the club's mid-week training sessions. From 1972/73 some 1st grade matches were allocated to Old Kings and for several seasons the staging of these matches was shared with Merrylands Oval.

Central Cumberland played its final season of cricket on Parramatta oval in 1973/74 with 5th grade using it as a home ground, and the actual last match played on the oval was the Grand Final against Gordon, which ended in triumph with the 'Two-blues' winning the contest and the Premiership.

In 1974 the Parramatta (Cumberland) Oval was reshaped into a rectangular configuration to cater for the requirements of the Parramatta Rugby League club, and a page in history was closed that charted the fortunes of the Parramatta cricket club's for 111 years – the cricketers built the original oval in 1863 and played on it until 1974 – cricket's operation were transferred permanently only a boundary hit away to Old Kings Oval and a new chapter was launched in the history of Parramatta Park's longest living tenants.

The Park Trust built a new playing facility in the northwest sector of the park called Coleman Oval and from 1974/75 until the 2001/02 season this site accommodated the cricket club's 5th grade home games. Unfortunately, as time marched on Coleman Oval's amenities fell behind the standards required by the Sydney Cricket Association for staging of its grade cricket matches – apart from a toilet and a very modest change room, there was limited services for preparation of afternoon tea, the playing field lacked boundary fencing and the quality of the pitches gradually deteriorated season by season – this situation induced Parramatta to switch 5th grade games to the better equipped Princes oval in Auburn in 2002/03.

By far the most significant change to Old Kings Oval occurred on Sunday 18th September 1994 when a gleaming new Grandstand and amenities block was officially opened and named in honour of the Parramatta club's champion former Test Batsman Doug Walters. In Doug's absence his wife Caroline performed the duties supported by John Haines (Lord Mayor of Parramatta) and Paul Elliott (Federal Labor Member for Parramatta) a former player with the club – the new building was an amazing upgrade to the oval, replacing its primitive eyesore of an old shed-like predecessor.



Across a period ranging from 2002/03 through to 2021/22 the Parramatta District Cricket Club has worked in conjunction with the park Trust to install several capital improvements to Old Kings Oval. Through a combination of self-fund-raising activities, together with the acquisition of various Cricket NSW and Government grants the club has initiated the following improvements:

- 2002/03 – installed four retractable practice nets for use on the turf training wickets.
- 2002/03 – expanded the turf practice wicket block by extra pitch capabilities.
- 2006/07 - Upgraded the Sight Screens – known as the Wally Cornock Sight Screens in honour of a former club stalwart.
- 2007/08 – erected four all weather artificial practice nets at the northern end of the ground – known as the Benaud nets in honour of the club's famous family.
- 2007/08 – installed a pop-up sprinkler system to the centre wicket table and to the turf practice pitches.
- 2019/20 – built an electric scoreboard close to the Bankwest Stadium on the eastern side of the oval – dedicated to Richie Benaud (former club and Australian Test captain).

In 2010 funding ex the Federal Labor Governments 'Stimulus Package' was put to good use by the removal of a decrepit wire mesh boundary fence and replacing it with a heritage inspired wooden picket fence, the Park Trust managed and oversaw that project.

The partnership between the Parramatta District Cricket Club and the historic Parramatta Park has been in place for a matchless **164 years** (1862 to 2026) – marking the cricket club as a '*living heritage*' and the oldest continuous sporting organisation to have taken residence in this important precinct.

Prominent Artist Deborah Angus was commissioned by the Parramatta cricket club to undertake an oil painting of Old Kings Oval as a fund-raising activity towards the Benaud Electronic Scoreboard project.

What of the Future?

At the close of the 2025/26 season, another highly successful one, a '*calamity hovers above*' the Parramatta District Cricket Club and its ability to continue to use Old Kings Oval as its home-base. The Greater Sydney Parklands – the Parramatta Park Administrators have proposed a **400%** annual hire fee increase. If this increase proceeds the P.D.C.C.; a volunteer run, non-for-profit organisation will be unable to financially carry the added cost burden and will be forced to step away from Old Kings Oval and a matchless association with the Parramatta Park that **dates to 1857**. This would indeed be a sad end to a historically significant piece of the Parramatta region's rich heritage.

- ❖ The 2025/26 season saw to stalwart Parramatta players reach significant personal performance milestones:
 - **Ben Abbott** joined the elite band of batsmen who have scored **5,000+** runs in **First Grade** for the Parramatta District Cricket Club. The other members of this club are – Harold 'Mudgee' Cranney, Nick Bertus, Edgar Lloyd Waddy, Leslie Walter Pye, Albert 'Bert' Alderson, Jack Fitzpatrick, Raymond Curtis Rowe, Michael Andrew Wood, Robert 'Bobby' Aitken, Richie Benaud, Kevin Douglas Walters – '*a mighty band.*'
 - **Michael Sullivan** added to growing list of achievements by reaching the landmark of capturing **300+ wickets** in **all grades** (excluding P.Gs and A.W.G.) for the Parramatta club.
- ❖ Young A.W. Green Shield batting star **Juhith Rajesidhiraju** performed splendidly throughout the season to break the **Fifth Grade** batting aggregate **record**. The previous record of **574** runs was set by former dyed-in-the-wool clubman Ronny Eagar in the 1971/72. Juhith's set the new mark at **677** runs. A bright future is predicted for this highly promising young cricketer.

2025-2026 OBITUARIES

The Board and Members of the Parramatta District Cricket Club extend their sincere condolences to the relatives of:

Obituary – Bert Alderson

[By Tom Wood – Parramatta District Cricket Club Historian]

Last weekend Parramatta (Central Cumberland) District Cricket Club legend Albert ‘Bert’ Alderson passed in Lismore Hospital.

Bert Alderson, who in his playing days was an outstandingly productive left-handed batsman for both the Parramatta District Cricket Club and the Sydney University Cricket Club, on **Saturday 14th December 2024** celebrates his **100th birthday** – thus becoming the fourth former Parramatta player to reach that milestone, the others were Jack Anthony, Bill Smith and Alan Cramond.

Bert Alderson was literally a run machine – one of only a handful of batsmen to top **14,000** runs in grade cricket – of which **10,731** were made in **1st Grade** with Central Cumberland and Sydney University. Right from the start of his career he was an intelligent batsman, who played with strong application, measured aggression and *‘understood what was required to be a consistent and prolific run-maker’*. Parramatta District Cricket Club – **First Grade player No. 269**.



It remains a great mystery that how as successful a 1st grade player as Bert, wasn't ever chosen to represent NSW in the Sheffield Shield competition – like many other Central Cumberland players over the years, the State Selectors didn't seem to notice him.

Small in stature he was a compact left-hander who spent much of his early career as an opening batsman. Bert's batting was well organised, based on a tight defence, fluent on-side play and a strong appetite for runs. He possessed a sharp eye as befits a talented State Baseballer and he was severe on any wayward bowling. By all reports his fielding ability was of the first order, and he was a more than handy back-up wicketkeeper in his younger days.

Bert first came to notice as a member of Cumberland's A.W. Green Shield team of 1939/40 and made some fill-in appearances in the Shires and 4th grade teams that season – Shires skipper Jack Tenie was obviously a good judge of a player when after only four innings he wrote – *“B. Alderson, a product of Parramatta High, came into the side late in the season and revealed possibilities out of the ordinary. Natural ability he has in abundance which, when blended with experience, should mould in him a potential first grade cricketer. The four innings he played realised 29, 20, 12 and 87 not out. The last innings particularly stamps him a batsman with a complete repertoire of strokes.”*

His lengthy grade career began in earnest from the 1940/41 season and concluded as it started with some fill-in appearances to assist Cumberland in the 1973/74 season, this timeframe was punctuated by Bert's secondment to

Sydney University's 1st grade team in 1951/52 to 1952/53 (whilst completing his Engineering degree) and again as captain between 1961/62 and 1965/66.

Bert played 20 full years of 1st grade for Central Cumberland between **1941/42** and **1973/74** – scoring an imposing **7,740 runs @ 28.04** - plus 7 seasons for Sydney University – and in total he peeled off a gargantuan **11,016 runs @ 31.21** for the Parramatta based club, this included **6** 1st grade centuries (best – 135 v. Manly in 1945/46), **4** in 2nd grade and **1** in 3rd grade.

Entering 1st grade whilst still a teenager, the determined left-hander immediately made his presence felt in the top grade and was at the zenith of his powers for Cumberland during the entire 1940s. Despite being young and inexperienced he was the club's most *'bankable'* batsman during the unstable days of World War II. During those seasons he regularly took out the team's batting honours – indeed he produced a *rich vein* of scoring with best seasonal aggregates of 560, 611, 672, 607, 509 between 1942/43 and 1949/50.

After acting as fill-in captain in Richie Benaud's absences in 1955/56, Bert captained the Cumberland 1st grade team in a diligent and capable manner during seasons 1956/57 and 1957/58. In 1961 he transferred his allegiances to Sydney University, whom he captained for the next five seasons. However, *'once a Cumbo always a Cumbo'* and Bert re-joined the club in 1966/67, initially just wanting a game in the 2nd grade side, but after just 4 innings for 301 runs he was elevated back into 1st grade for the remainder of the season. The next two seasons saw him elect to play in the club's 3rd grade team and help the development of a group of promising youngsters, after that he took on the valuable role of 2nd eleven captain between 1969–72, continuing to bat productively and utilizing his vast experience to groom batsmen for 1st grade.

Away from the cricket field Bert had risen in his professional capacity to become the Holroyd Council's Chief Engineer and was honoured with the Merrylands Oval Grandstand being formally named the **'Bert Alderson Stand.'**

The Alderson family were well represented at the club with Bert's brother Ken playing in the lower grades, and in the 1970s his sons Greg (left-handed bat and right-arm leg-spinner) played 2nd grade and made a few appearances in 1st grade, whilst Doug also a left-handed batsman and part-time off-spinner played 1st grade with good success prior to following the pursuit of a career away from the cricket field.

At a Parramatta District Cricket Club fund-raising Legends Luncheon in 2008, Richie Benaud a playing contemporary of Bert Alderson had this to say:

- *"I had the great fortune to play in the same Central Cumberland side as Bert in 1946.*

He and his family did tremendous things for young people – he was a mentor to me because they had a concrete practice pitch with a mat out Northmead way and we would practice there. The whole family welcomed the Benauds, and it was a tremendous thing."

Bert Alderson's Playing Career Statistics with Central Cumberland (Parramatta) District Cricket Club.

Grade	Inns	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches	Stump.
1st	310	34	135	7,740	28.04	119	3
2nd	46	16	125	1,456	48.53	13	0
3rd	33	6	125	1,107	41.00	25	8
4th	3	0	95	123	41.00	0	0
5th	12	6	42	133	22.17	2	0
Shires	15	4	90*	457	41.55	3	0
Total	419	66	135	11,016	31.21	162	11

Many of his contemporary cricketers were puzzled that Bert was never selected in the NSW Sheffield Shield team.

Albert H. 'Bert' Alderson remains a cricketer of special standing with the Parramatta District Cricket Club – a **Life Member** – the leading all-time run-getter with Club – one of just three players to score more than **10,000** runs for the club – and in 2015 was named in both the **1950s** and **1960s Teams of the Decade** for the club.

Bert was Club President in 1969/70 when Cumberland won the Club Championship for the first time, a role he continued in until the close of the 1971/72 season.



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC

(Formerly Central Cumberland District Cricket Club)

SELECTED MERIT TEAM OF THE 1950's

(in batting order)



1. Bert Alderson



3. Wilfrid Ewens



5. Ron James (c)



2. Bruce Ritchie



4. Richie Benaud



6. Norm Lockhart

The 1950s stands as one of the great eras of the Parramatta (Central Cumberland) District Cricket Club, throughout this period the Club stood amongst the vanguard teams in the prestigious Sydney First Grade competition and was represented on the field by a multitude of gifted players (including First-class cricketers Richie Benaud, Ron James and Jack Treanor).

The quality of the first grade teams' performance during this era is illustrated by the following record – runners-up in 1952/53, 1953/54 and 1955/56 – fourth place in 1951/52 and 1958/59.

The Club was also honoured in 1958/59 by its First Grade skipper Richie Benaud being appointed captain of the Australian Test team against the old enemy England.



7. Walter Cornock



9. Colin Barr



11. Ron Mulock



8. Greg Beisler



10. Jack Treanor



12. Leo Smith



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC

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SELECTED MERIT TEAM OF THE 1960's

(in batting order)



1. Bruce Neill



2. Harold Goodwin



3. Richie Benaud (c)



4. Doug Walters



5. Bert Alderson



6. John Benaud

The 1960s was a golden decade for the historic Parramatta (Central Cumberland) District Cricket Club, its playing ranks were rich with an array of talented players who could stand alongside the club's past champions of any era (eg Internationals Richie Benaud, Doug Walters and John Benaud).

The club's flagship, the First Grade Team, kept the "Two-Blues" amongst the competition's elite clubs during this period of time by annexing the 1964/65 Premiership (the club's third such title), finishing runners-up in 1965/66 and 1969/70 (after being Minor Premiers) and reaching the 1962/63 Semi-Final.

The decade's crowning glory was the capture of the coveted Club Championship in 1969/70 for the first time.



7. John Aitken



8. Greg Beisler



9. Robert Aitken



10. Dave Watson



11. Ron Mulock



12. Tom Wood

Vale Bert Alderson you played a magnificent innings.

MERRYLANDS PARK LOCAL COMMITTEE
in conjunction with
CUMBERLAND CRICKET CLUB

**GALA SPORTS
AFTERNOON**

and the Official Opening of
BERT ALDERSON STAND

on
MERRYLANDS PARK

on
SUNDAY, 30th OCTOBER, 1966

commencing at 1.30 p.m.

MERRYLANDS PARK LOCAL COMMITTEE:
R. W. D. Devlin, Deputy Mayor and President.
S. Boddan, Hon. Secretary.

CUMBERLAND CRICKET CLUB:
Ray Rowe, President.
J. Galt, Hon. Secretary.

SOUVENIR PROGRAMME - - - PRICE: 10c

PROGRAMME

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12.30 p.m. Gates open.

1.30 p.m. Official Opening of BERT ALDERSON STAND by His Worship the Mayor of Holroyd, Ald. M. J. Bennett, M.B.E.

2.00 p.m. Cricket Match —
Bert Alderson's Eleven v.
Doug Walters' Eleven.

3.15 p.m. Afternoon Tea.
Display: Merrylands Marching Girls
and Guildford Marching Girls.

3.45 p.m. Cricket Match resumes.

6.00 p.m. Finish.

Light refreshments available on the ground at small cost. Net proceeds will be shared by Dunrossil School and the Holroyd Meals on Wheels Committee.

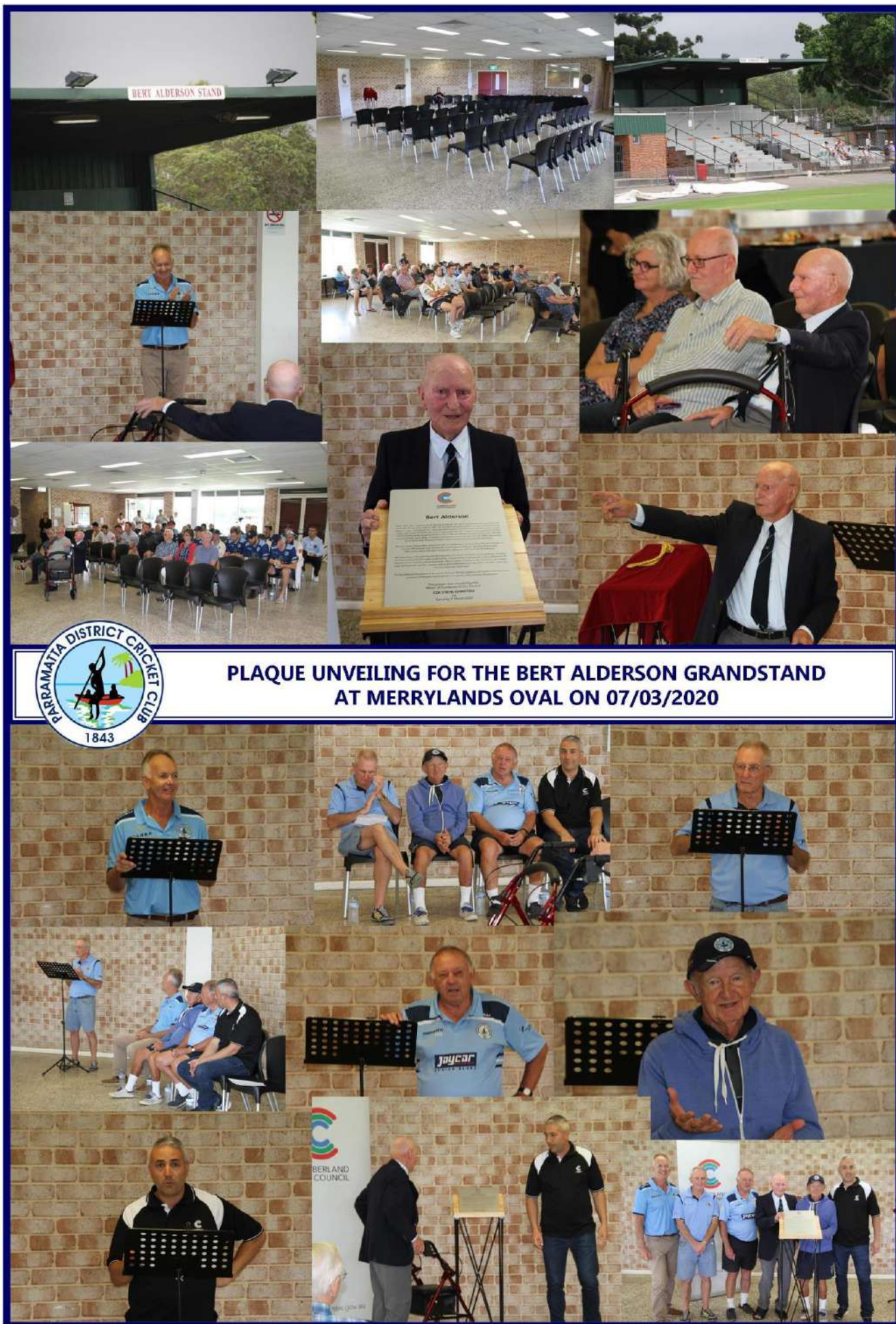
PLAYERS

BERT ALDERSON'S ELEVEN —

A. Alderson (Captain)
W. Saunders
W. Watson
N. Marks
L. Marks
M. Pawley
W. Armstrong
S. Teale
J. Oldman
W. Edgecombe
R. Rowe

DOUG WALTERS' ELEVEN —

D. Walters (Captain)
H. Goodwin
J. Erby
J. Hall
R. Plindt
H. Sampson
R. Shepherd
J. Aitken
R. Aitken
W. Lothian
D. Smith



Obituary – Bob Simpson

‘Simmo’ at Parramatta

[By: Tom Wood – P.D.C.C. Historian]



Bob Simpson, one of Australia's greatest slips fieldsmen, shows Parramatta players how it's done. Below: Some one-on-one instruction.

On Saturday the 16th of August 2025 Australian cricketing legend Bob Simpson passed away at 89 years of age.

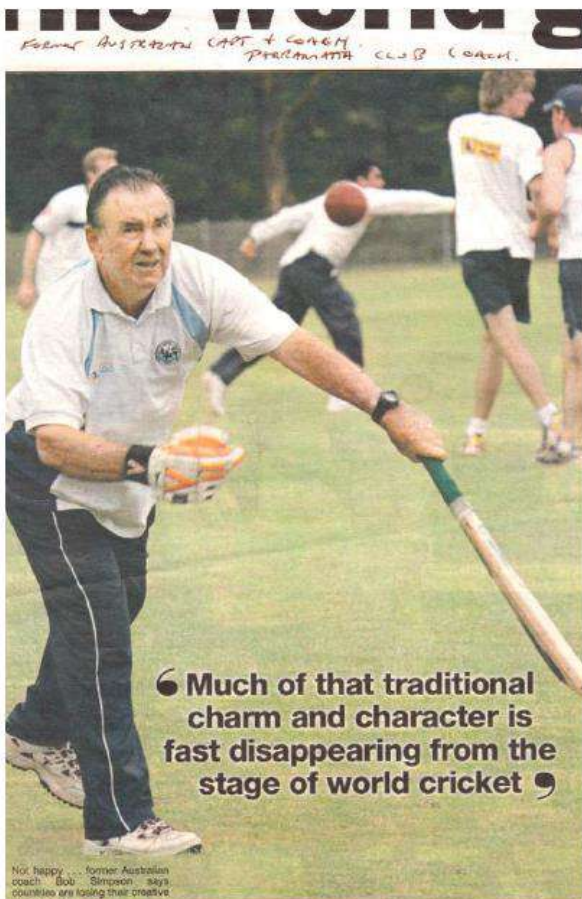
The Parramatta District Cricket Club was privileged to have a person of Bob's stature in both Australian and World Cricket to lead the club's coaching programme for three seasons:

2006/07, 2007/08 and 2008/09.

Bob Simpson forged a

monumental cricketing career after debuting for New South Wales in the Sheffield Shield competition at 16-years -of-age he when on to become one of Australia's foremost opening batsmen and captains – playing 62 Tests, scoring 4,869 runs @ 46.81 (H.S. – 311), claiming 71 wickets @ 42.26 (B.B. – 5/57) and pocketing 110 catches – and later Australia's first full-time head coach, accredited with re-establishing Australia as a powerful force in international cricket.

Simmo at Parramatta training.



Not happy ... former Australian coach Bob Simpson says countries are losing their creative abilities and more.

He brought a great wealth of cricket knowledge and know how, shaped from his international playing and coaching days, to his role at Parramatta. Bob introduced upgraded standards and processes to the club's training programme – emphasising the importance of fielding, and the need for application and thought to be key elements of batting and bowling.

He was readily available to all players for discussions on how to enhance their cricket and lent his support to club by attending its major fundraising events during his tenure at the club.

All officials and players at the Parramatta Club were proud to have had such a cricketing giant associated with their club.

On a personal note, I certainly enjoyed many long conversations on cricket and travel with Bob, whilst sitting under a tree and Old Kings Oval watching Parra and my son Michael play.

Vale Bob Simpson from all at Parramatta.

Obituary – Colin Barr

[By Tom Wood – P.D.C.C. Historian]



The Club received notice on 23/7/2025 that **Colin 'Col' Barr**, former First grade allrounder from the flourishing 1950s era, sadly passed away this week at 94 years of age.

Colin Barr was a gifted, enthusiastic cricketer whose skills complemented those of the more illustrious players (Richie Benaud, Jack Treanor, Ron James, Wilf Ewens and Wally Cornock) in the Cumberland teams of the 1950s. His principal forte was accurate and determined right-handed medium paced bowling that skidded deceptively off the pitch, which he backed up with forceful, clean hitting lower-order

batting and sharp fielding.

He grew up with Richie Benaud, playing both junior cricket and soccer together for the Rangers Club and they remained life-long friends, as were other 'Cumbo' teammates Wilf Ewens and Bruce Ritchie. Post his playing days Colin enjoyed a rewarding business career that involved extensive world travel, loved sport in general and became a dedicated and skilful golfer boasting an impressive 6 handicap.

Like so many other teenage cricketers of his era that came from Parramatta High School, Colin Barr commenced his grade cricket induction in traditional fashion via the A.W. Green Shield team in 1944/45 and 1945/46 – notable teammates being Richie Benaud, Bruce Ritchie and Harold Goodwin.

He launched his grade career in **Fourth** grade in the 1948/49 season and created a strong impression as a highly promising pace bowler by snaring **32 wickets @ 8.25** – including **6/20** v. Sydney University and **6/25** v. Wests – his form also earned him a spot in the club's Poidevin-Gray Shield team. The Fourth grade captain Bill Irwin had this to say about Colin in the annual report – *"The find of the season – everything a cricketer must have – ability, temperament, enthusiasm, a thirst for knowledge and keen to practice."*

The following season Colin consolidated his ranking as *'one to watch'* by grabbing healthy **48 wickets @ 15.71** in **Third** grade – featuring rich wicket hauls of **6/31**, **4/57**, **5/38**, **5/41** and **4/11** – this performance propelled him into the higher grades in the 1950/51, a season that saw his debut in **First grade**.

The 1950s was one of the Parramatta (Cumberland) greatest decades – the club was First grade runners-up in 1952/53, 1953/54 and 1955/56 – there was a wealth of fine bowlers (e.g. Benaud, Treanor, Keith Wall, Ron James and Wally Cornock) competing for First grade places and Colin Barr featured successfully across both First and Second grade through to his retirement in 1957/58.

His **First grade** career yielded **603 runs @ 13.40** (H.S. – 50) and **72 wickets @ 25.82** (B.B. – **5/40**) – it was recorded that he always played with passion whether, batting, bowling or fielding. Possibly the highlight of his First grade stint was a fine all round performance in the **1955/56 Final** v. Petersham staged at the S.C.G. – in a tense low scoring match Colin second top-scored with a determined 32 and bowled strongly to collect 4/32. Playing contemporary Wilf Ewens stated that if Colin had played for the club in another period, without the rich array bowlers Cumberland had in the 1950s and had he been given the opportunity to lead the attack, he had the ability to be a contender for first-class honours.

In Second grade he had more opportunity to parade his wares as an allrounder, through heavier bowling workloads and batting a bit higher in the order. Best illustrated by his splendid bowling performance in **1952/53** when he snaffled up **46 wickets @ 12.52**, featuring rich returns of **6/40**, 4/32 twice, and a career best **7/16** to destroy Northern District; and the **1953/54** season gave witness to his allrounder capabilities when he compiled **276 runs @ 23.00** (highlighted by a dashing **126** against Waverley made in just 73 minutes) and captured **32 wickets @ 18.88** (B.B. – 4/32).

Overall Col Barr's career with Parramatta (Central Cumberland) District Cricket Club stretched from **1948/49** through to **1957/58**.

Playing Statistics

Grade	Runs	High Score	Average	Catches	Wickets	Average	Best Bowled
1st Grade	603	50	13.40	13	72	25.82	5/40
2 nd Grade	695	126	17.38	19	109	15.99	7/16
3 rd Grade	408	71	19.43	21	78	13.96	7/40
4 th Grade	151	69	12.58	3	35	8.71	6/25
Poidevin-Gray	147	36*	13.36	7	21	19.90	4/26
A.W. Green Shield	194	54*	14.92	8	13	24.31	-
Total Club	2,198	126	15.81	71	328		



Richie Benaud [middle row - 2nd from left], Wilf Ewens [front row – 1st left], Bruce Ritchie © [front row – centre], and Colin Barr [front row – far right].

Obituary – Greg Haire

[By Tom Wood – Parramatta District Cricket Club Historian]

Sadly, the Parramatta Club lost another past player with the recent passing of former lower grades allrounder Greg Haire, who was the younger brother of ex Parramatta first-grade player and well-known NSW Premier Cricket Coach Michael Haire.

Greg was only engaged in a relatively brief career with the club – 1976/77 to 1981/82 but he proved to be a popular and well liked person amongst his fellow clubmates.

He showed himself to be a more than capable allrounder, an accurate and clever right-armed medium-pacer and sound right-handed middle-order batsman whose performances, in his stay with the club, suggested that he possessed the potential to establish himself in the higher grades had he remained longer with the 'two-blues' – he did played a Second grade game in 1977/78.

Greg commenced his association with Parramatta with the Fifth Grade 'B' team in 1976/77 and was an instant success proving to be the team's leading player in its drive to annex the Minor Premiership. He starred with the ball grabbing **41wickets** at praiseworthy **12.49** – highlights being 6/46 v. Mosman, 5/22 & 4/29 v. Sydney University 'B', and 5/30 v. Cumberland 'A' – and his batting produced a useful **262 runs @ 32.75** (H.S. – 62 v. Bankstown [SF] and 55 v. Cumberland 'A').

In 1977/78 strong early season form in Fourth Grade - **259 runs @ 43.17** and **14 wickets @ 8.29** – featuring a sensational performance against Sutherland – **92** with the bat and **7/14** with the ball, earned Greg promotion to Third and Second grade.

His Overall Playing statistics with Parramatta were:

Grade	Innings	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Ave.	Catches	Runs	Wickets	Ave.
5 th Grade	15	5	62	311	31.10	7	619	49	12.63
4 th Grade	9	1	92	283	35.38	4	220	23	9.57
3 rd Grade	4	-	4	7	1.75	3	128	4	32.00
2 nd Grade	1	-	15	15		-	-	-	-
Total	29	6	92	616	26.78	14	967	76	12.72

Vale Greg Haire – rest in peace.

MANAGEMENT REPORT

SEASON 2025 - 2026

FINAL GRADE POSITIONS

	2024-2025	2025-2026
Club Championships	1st	4th
First Grade	Minor Premiers & Premiers	Semi-Finalists
1st Grade (Limited Over)	Minor Premiers & Grand Finalists	11th
1st Grade Kingsgrove Sports Twenty 20 Cup	Quarter Finalists	Qualifying Finalists
Second Grade	Qualifying Finalists	Semi-Finalists
Third Grade	Premiers	9th
Fourth Grade	Semi-Finalists	7th
Fifth Grade	Premiers	Grand Finalists
Poidevin-Gray	Semi-Finalists	Semi-Finalists
A W Green Shield	Grand Finalists	Grand Finalists

PDCC BOARD

The Board met on 8 occasions during the season prior to this report going to print. The meeting attendances are as follows:

Chair	Greg Monaghan	6	2 apologies
Deputy Chair	Tom Wood	6	2 apologies
Secretary & Treasurer	Samantha Jarman	8	
Director	Mercedes Bertus	6	2 apologies
Director	Paul Giumelli	6	2 apologies
Director	Warwick Jarman	7	1 apology
Director	Deb Pooley	7	1 apology
Director	Scott Reibelt	6	2 apologies
Director	Peter West	6	2 apologies

Men's Office Bearers



**Greg Monaghan
Chair**



**Tom Wood
Deputy Chair**



**Samantha Jarman
Secretary, Treasurer
& Public Officer**



**Mercedes Bertus
Director**



**Paul Giumelli
Director**



**Warwick Jarman
Director**



**Deb Pooley
Director**



**Scott Reibelt
Director**



**Peter West
Director**



**Peter Garlick
Registrar &
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**Sumindre Gunawardane
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**Owen Simonsen
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Hannah Simmons

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**Scott Reibelt
President**



**Deb Pooley
Vice President
& Secretary**



**Samantha Jarman
Treasurer**

Men's Coaching Personnel



Jason Coleman
Head Club Coach



Paul Sullivan
Assistant Coach



Allen Turrell
Batting &
Wicket Keeping



Daniel Rixon
Mental Skills
Coach



Paul Giumelli
Fielding, Net
Co-ordinator &
Pathways



Will Affleck
Batting Coach



Luke Dempsey
White Ball
Coach



Doug Walters AM MBE
Coaching Mentor



Jason Coleman
Poidevin-Gray Shield Coach and Manager



Paul Giumelli



Nick Bertus



Luke Dempsey



Paul Giumelli

A.W. Green Shield Coaches and Manager



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SYDNEY CRICKET ASSOCIATION

We take this opportunity of conveying our thanks to the Darren Goodger, and Sean Mantle for managing the NSW Premier Cricket Program this past season and for their support during the season.

To Graham Gorrie, Chairman, SCA Committee of Management and the SCA Committee, thank you for your contribution to NSW Premier Cricket.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET ASSOCIATION

We confirm our continued support for the PDCA has never been stronger, the Pathways established in recent times between the Club and the PDCA has generated a competitive standard in the Parramatta area for both Girls and Boys.

A number of former and current grade players have become closely involved with the coaching and selection of the Representative Teams, this has resulted in a stronger relationship between the two bodies.

Our thanks to Chairman, Peter McLoughlin, Frank Pitt, Executive Officer and PDCA Board for their total support and cooperation, which is greatly appreciated.

VOLUNTEERS

The Club conveys thanks to the many volunteers, who support the club during the season, and many are around in the off season, the time you give is greatly appreciated.

The Old Kings Oval canteen was managed by Mercedes Bertus who was ably supported by Joey Franji and Rodney West together with the help of player family members Carmel Black and Milissa Noorbergen. We thank you and your help in providing canteen facilities at matches is greatly appreciated.

Cricket teams need scorers and we are fortunate to have and thank our senior dedicated scorers Peter Garlick, Jenny David and Glenn Chant together with those that help the lower grade teams. Your efforts in providing up to date scores at matches are greatly appreciated by our whole cricket community.

Ray Rowe Award 2025/26

[Volunteer of the Year]

(By Tom Wood – Club Historian)

For the first time this coveted award will be shared.

The 2025/26 season's winners are **Nick Bertus**, **Luke Dempsey** and **Paul Giumelli**.

Over the past five seasons the collective work of these gentlemen in relation to player development through the Parramatta Cricket Academy programme and the A.W. Green Shield has been incredible.

The performances of the A.W. Green Shield team under the guidance of the **'Big Three'** provides testimony to the ongoing success of their skill in providing the club's budding young players with a sound cricket education:

- 2022/23 – Premiers.
- 2023/24 – Grand Finalists.
- 2024/25 – Grand Finalists.
- 2025/26 – Grand Finalists.

They have been instrumental in bringing a wave of talented young cricketers into the Parramatta's NSW Premier Cricket ranks, schooling them in the Club's values and this has in turn contributed strongly to P.D.C.C.'s recent period of success.

Bertus, Dempsey and Giumelli are very worthy winners of the **Ray Rowe Award**.

'Awesome Threesome'



Previous Winners of the Ray Rowe Volunteer's Award

2009/10	Graham Dunn
2010/11	Glenn Chant
2011/12	Mike Feeney
2012/13	Luke McNaught
2013/14	Merryn Bertus
2014/15	Veena Naidu
2015/16	Lisa Bates
2016/17	Matt Roughan
2017/18	Mercedes Bertus
2018/19	Warren Drinnan
2019/20	Mark McLeod
2020/21	Paul Giumelli
2021/22	Rodney West
2022/23	Peter Garlick
2023/24	Jenny Wise
2024/25	Joey Franji
2025/26	Nick Bertus, Luke Dempsey & Paul Giumelli

CRICKET NEW SOUTH WALES UMPIRES AND SCORERS' ASSOCIATION

We acknowledge the support all clubs receive from this active Association.

Our thanks to Tim Donahoo, Executive Officer and his staff who have maintained a first-class program. Our thanks are also extended to all the Umpires and Scorers.



Parramatta District Cricket Club
Season 2025/26 Awards

Major Individual Grade Awards

Cricketer of the Year

Matthew Giumelli

Cumberland Medal

Athan Maraziotis

Sid Teale Award

(Most improved under 21)

Nitesh Samuel

Bill Lambert Award

(Wicket-keepers only - most dismissals)

Dhruv Kant

Catches - 30

Stump. - 2

Total - 32

Irwin Fielding Award

(Non-wicketkeepers)

Luke Giumelli

Doug Walters Trophy

(Batting Aggregate)

Andrew Calvert

841 runs @ 42.05

Richie Benaud Bowling Award

(Bowling Aggregate)

Michael Sullivan

43 wickets @ 18.79

Ray Rowe Award

(Volunteer of the Year)

2025/26

Nick Bertus / Luke Dempsey / Paul Giumelli

John Benaud Award

(Rookie of the Year)

Reyansh Sharma

First Grade Captain's Encouragement Award

Juhith Rajesidhiraju

Seasonal Awards

<u>Milestones</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Wickets</u>
Andrew Calvert	4,000	
William Jarman	3,000	
Kashvi Gunawardane	3,000	
Jason Coleman	2,000	
Owen Simonsen	2,000	
Matt Giumelli		100
Isaac Earl		100
Naveen Patil		100
Liam Gillies		200
Hayden Goulstone		200
Michael Sullivan		300
Jay Noorbergen	100 dismissals	
Luke Dempsey	100 catches	
Yusof Brown	100 catches	
Ben Abbott	100 catches	

CUMBERLAND MEDAL - Major Award Winners

 *Congratulations*
Matthew Giumelli 



Cricketer of the Year 2025 - 2026
(Bill Anderson Memorial Trophy)

 *Congratulations*
Athan Maraziotis 





Cumberland Medallist 2025-2026



Nitesh Samuel
Sid Teale Award
(Most improved Under 21)



Dhruv Kant
Bill Lambert Award
(Wicket Keepers only—Most Dismissals)



Luke Giumelli
Irwin Fielding Award
(Non-Wicket Keepers)



Andrew Calvert
Doug Walters Trophy
(Batting Aggregate)



Michael Sullivan
Richie Benaud Bowling Award
(Bowling Aggregate)



**Luke Dempsey, Nick Bertus,
& Paul Giumelli**
Ray Rowe Award



Reyansh Sharma
John Benaud Award
(Rookie of the Year)



Juhith Rajesidhiraju
First Grade Captain
Encouragement Award



Scott Reibelt & Deb Pooley
Ron Wright Administration Medal

Poidevin-Gray Shield Awards

Harold (Mudgee) Cranney - Batting Award	Athan Maraziotis
Lou Benaud - Bowling Award	Nilaathan Kulendran
Les Pye Allrounder Award	Blake Noorbergen

A.W. Green Shield Awards

Harold Goodwin - Batting Award	Reyansh Sharma	337 runs @ 56.20
John Aitken - Bowling Award	Kaito Forrest	17 wickets @ 14.40
	Ethan	
Wes Gould - Allrounder Award	Natkunamanickam	194 runs, 7 wickets, 7 catches.
Ron Wright - Fielding Award	Leon Cooray	6 catches & 3 runouts

2025/26

A.W. Green Shield - Grand Finalists

Plaque

J. Rajesidhiraju, R. Aparajit, R. Sharma, J. Paskaranathan, E. Natkunamanickam (capt), B. Mani, A. Ambardar, L. Cooray, K. Forrest, G. Loretan, S. Subramanian, G. Gangatharan, L. Karam, E. Parsons.

Batting Awards - Season 2025/26

Druhv Kant	105 v. Bankstown 1st grade 2025/26
Blake Noorbergen	104 v. Manly 1st grade 2025/26
Andrew Calvert	100 v. North Sydney & 148* v. Rand - Pete [QF] - 1st grade 2025/26
Kashvi Gunawardane	100* v. Sydney Uni. 2nd grade 2025/26
Santhosh Samuel	113 v. Sutherland 2nd grade & 116 v. Manly PGs 2025/26
Will Jarman	149* v. UNSW 2nd grade 2025/26
Anthan Maraziotis	100* v. NDs 2nd grade, 110 v. Bankstown 3rd grade, 100 v. Gordon PGs 2025/26
Matt Giumelli	145* v. Manly 3rd grade 2025/26
Yusof Brown	105 v. Manly 4th grade 2025/26
Liam Roche	113* v. NDs 4th grade 2025/26
Juhith Rajesidhiraju	125 v. Bankstown & 112 v. Manly [QF] 5th grade 2025/26
Lachlan Apps	112 v. Sutherland 5th grade 2025/26
Nitesh Samuel	119 v. Gordon PGs 2025/26

Bowling Awards - Season 2025/26

(Mounted Ball)

Michael Sullivan	5/25 v. Bankstown, 6/42 v. North Sydney 1st grade 2025/26
Isaac Earl	5/27 v. Sydney Uni, 5/50 v. Sutherland 1st grade 2025/26
Hayden Goulstone	5/65 v. Hawkesbury 1st grade 2025/26
Vishek Chawla	5/36 v. Mosman 2nd grade 2025/26
G. Venica-Singh	5/42 v. Bankstown 3rd grade 2025/26
Patrick Lamont	5/44 v. Sydney Uni 3rd grade 2025/26
Kabir Rana	6/32 v. Hawkesbury 4th grade 2025/26
Harry Willoughby	5/32 v. NDs 4th grade 2025/26
Kaito Forrest	5/6 v. St. George 5th grade 2025/26 [Hat-trick]
Naveen Patil	7/46 v. Manly [QF] 5th grade 2025/26
Liam Gillies	5/109 v. Fairfield [GF] 5th grade 2025/26
Nilaathan Kulendran	5/7 v. Blacktown, 5/23 v. Manly P.Gray Shield 2025/26
Leon Cooray	5/28 v. Manly A.W. Green Shield 2025/26
Gus Loretan	5/33 v. Bankstown A.W. Green Shield 2025/26

Plaque	
NSW Premier Cricket Fifth Grand Finalist 2025/26	L. Gillies (capt), J. Rajesidhiraju, R. Aparajit, S. Shaikh, J. Paskaranathan, L. Apps, A. Mohanaraj, N. Patil, S. Akle, B. Mani, E. Natkunamanickam, J. Hossack, K. Forrest, L. Cooray
Ron Wright Administration Medal	Scott Reibelt
Ron Wright Administration Medal	Deb Pooley
Life Membership	Luke Dempsey







Cricketer of the Year

Matthew Giumelli	1013	Santhosh Samuel	494
Isaac Earl	986	Prangan Das	485
Hayden Goulstone	979	Benjamin Mani	480
Liam Gillies	966	Leon Cooray	475
Michael Sullivan	961	Ryan Gupta	473
Andrew Calvert	941	Jonathon Hossack	469
Athan Maraziotis	927	Nitesh Samuel	464
Juhith Rajesidhiraju	907	Cameron Knight	457
Dhruv Kant	886	Reyansh Sharma	440
Naveen Patil	879	Nilaathan Kulendran	437
Owen Simonsen	790	Akash Arnold	435
Kashvi Gunawardane	708	Harry Willoughby	433
Vishek Chawla	694	Connor Culnane	427
Lachlan Apps	691	Naden Cooray	421
Patrick Lamont	691	Nicholas Bateup	416
Kaito Forrest	685	Sebastian Akle	414
Jay Noorbergen	680	Aston Wijesinghe	399
William Jarman	679	Jack McFadden	392
Oliver Sheekey	660	Thomas Macdonald	386
Liam Roche	621	Samad Shaikh	371
Prapta Das	621	Advik Ajithkumar	341
Damien Guild	614	Nick Bertus	333
Kabir Rana	613	John James	307
Ronav Aparajit	601	Ryan Edwards	288
Advith Boreddy	578	Jason Coleman	203
Jayden Paskaranathan	576	Abishek Mohanaraj	191
Sumair Sira	569	Ethan Natkunamanickam	189
Rory Grieve	558	Evan David	172
Gabriel Venica-Singh	553	Kye Thornley	146
Charlie Akle	541	Luke Dempsey	145
Luke Giumelli	538	Aryan Ambardar	132
Hamilton Seoung	530	Arhan Misbah	40
Yusof Brown	524	Maher Shaun Nosina	40
Benjamin Abbott	518	Reece Topley	20
Blake Noorbergen	516	Habinesh Vasanthakumar	8
Theo Robinson	500	Lucas Karam	1



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB INC.

SELECTION GRADINGS RD 1 - 2025-2026

	1 st GRADE*	2 nd GRADE	3 rd GRADE	4 th GRADE	5 th GRADE	Unavailable
1	N. Samuel	A. Maraziotis	N. Bateup	H. Seoung	A. Mohanaraj	B. Abbott
2	+D. Kant	W. Jarman	+T. Robinson	R. Aparajit	J. Rajesidhiraju	B. Noorbergen
3	A. Calvert	+A. Boreddy	M. Giumelli ©	+A. Ajithkumar	S. Shaikh	J. Noorbergen
4	S. Samuel	A. Arnold	A. Wijesinghe	R. Sharma	E. Natkunamanickam	D. Guild
5	N. Bertus ©	K. Gunawardane	T. Macdonald	Y. Brown ©	S. Akle	G. Singh
6	H. Goulstone	H. Goulstone ©	R. Grieve	C. Knight	+C. Akle	J. Hossack
7	O. Simonsen	I. Earl	C. Culnane	R. Edwards	L. Cooray	O. Sheekey
8	S. Sira	L. Roche	Prangan Das	E. David	L. Gillies ©	L. Apps
9	M. Sullivan	N. Kulendran	Prapta Das	J. McFadden	B. Mani	J. James
10	K. Thornley	V. Chawla	L. Giumelli	K. Rana	J. Paskaranathan	K. Forrest
11	R. Gupta	N. Cooray	P. Lamont	H. Willoughby	N. Patil	
12						
13						

*1st Grade Rd 1 had a bye and played a Rd 2 T20 match on 20th September with Grades 2-5 starting Rd 1 with T20 matches on 27th September, 2025

**Congratulations to our Club Members on their Remarkable
Representative Honours Achievements During 2025 - 2026 Season**

4 Under 19 World Cup Representatives



John James



**Nitesh Samuel
AUSTRALIA**



Naden Cooray



**Theo Robinson
SCOTLAND**

5 Under 19 NSW Metro Representatives

**Hong Kong
U16, U17 & U19s**



**Naden
Cooray**



**John
James**



**Nitesh
Samuel**



**Blake
Noorbergen**



**Sumair
Sira**



**Reyansh
Sharma**

4 Under 22 Australian Indoor Cricket World Cup Champions



**Jay
Noorbergen**
**Men's
Captain**



**Blake
Noorbergen**



**Damien
Guild**



**Grace
Pooley**
**Women's
Captain**

2 PDCC Scorers Appointed to the Same Cricket Australia Match



Our two PDCC Scorers Jenny David and Peter Garlick who were appointed to score the same Cricket Australia Women's T20 Spring Challenge Match between the Thunder and Sixers which also included two PWGCC Players Claire Moore and Stella Campbell



Congratulations to our Men's **Representative Honours 2025 / 2026**



Sean Abbott

- Australia T20
- NSW & Sydney Sixers
- Surrey CCC



Tim Ward

- Tasmania
- One Day Cup Best XI
- Hobart Hurricanes



Ryan Gupta

- NSW Second XI
- Australian Universities
- NSW Blues Academy



Nitesh Samuel

- Australia U19s
- NSW U19 Metro
- U19 Mens National Player of the Tournament (Leading Run Scorer 364 Runs @ 91 ave. & 129 top score)
- U19 Nationals Team of the Tournament
- NSW Blues Academy
- Basil Sellars Scholar
- Tasmania 2026-2027



Naden Cooray

- Australia U19s
- NSW U19 Metro
- U19 Nationals Team of the Tournament
- NSW Blues Academy



John James

- Australia U19s
- NSW U19 Metro
- NSW Blues Academy
- Basil Sellars Scholar



Theo Robinson

- Scotland U19s



Blake Noorbergen

- Australia U22 Indoor World Champions
- NSW U22 Indoor Team
- NSW U19 Metro
- NSW Blues Academy
- NSW Open Indoor 2026



Jay Noorbergen

- Australia U22 Indoor Captain & World Champions
- NSW U22 Indoor Team



Damien Guild

- Australia U22 Indoor World Champions
- NSW U22 Indoor Team
- NSW Open Indoor 2026



Sumair Sira

- NSW U19 Metro
- NSW Blues Academy



Congratulations to our Men's **Representative Honours 2025 / 2026**



Kye Thornley

- NSW Blues Academy



Advith Boreddy

- NSW U19 Metro State Challenge



Athan Maraziotis

- NSW U19 Metro State Challenge



Reyansh Sharma

- Hong Kong U16, U17 & U19s
- AW Green Shield Merit XII
- NSW SSA U15 & Under Championships
- All Schools Australian U15 Merit Squad



Advik Ajithkumar

- NSW U17 Metro State Challenge



Evan David

- NSW U17 Metro State Challenge



Kaito Forrest

- AW Green Shield Merit XII



Peter Garlick

- Various rep. scoring duties, the major matches included Sheffield Shield, One Day Cup, WNCL, 2nd XI Men & Women, BBL & WBBL, Premier Cricket Grand Final, Mens & Womens U19 State Challenge matches, Women's T20 Spring Challenge etc.



Ethan Natkunamanickam

- NSW SSA U15 & Under Cricket Championships



Saharsh Subramanian

- NSW SSA U15 & Under Cricket Championships
- All Schools Australian U15 Merit Squad



Jenny David

- Various rep. scoring duties, Sheffield Shield, Women's National League, Gov. General's XI vs India Women T20, Women's T20 Spring Challenge, NSW Breakers matches etc.

NSW Premier Cricket - Club Championship

Rank	Team	CC PTS
1	St George	1,484
2	Northern District	1,468
3	Manly Warringah	1,467
4	Parramatta	1,425
5	Eastern Suburbs	1,363
6	Randwick Petersham	1,317
7	Mosman	1,199
8	Sydney University	1,173
9	UTS North Sydney	1,127
10	Sutherland	1,052
11	Bankstown	1,050
12	Fairfield-Liverpool	1,042
13	Western Suburbs	1,031
14	UNSW	926
15	Penrith	904
16	Campbelltown Camden	848
17	Gordon	756
18	Sydney	683
19	Blacktown	659
20	Hawkesbury	531



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Congratulations
Matthew Giumelli



Cricketer of the Year 2025 - 2026
(Bill Anderson Memorial Trophy)



Congratulations
Athan Maraziotis



Cumberland Medallist 2025-2026



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FIRST GRADE SEASON PHOTOS



FIRST GRADE REPORT

Position = 6th Lost Semi Final

Season 2025-26

The 2025/26 season presented our 1st grade side with a new set of challenges as we looked to build on the success of the previous year. While we entered the season having lost some key players during the off-season, the emergence of a talented group of young players gave us confidence that we could remain competitive and continue the strong culture that has been built within the team.

Our campaign began with the T20 competition, where we put together some impressive performances, however our run came to an end in the quarter-finals. As the season got underway, we were dealt with a few injuries early in the campaign, including the loss of our captain Nick Bertus. Stepping into the captaincy role for the first time was both a privilege and an incredibly rewarding experience, and I thoroughly enjoyed leading such a talented group of players throughout the season.

Despite the setbacks, the team continued to compete with determination and never used injuries or player availability as an excuse. Unfortunately, we fell short of qualifying for the One-Day finals, but our performances in the Two-Day competition saw us earn a place in the semi-finals. Reaching the final six was a tremendous achievement considering the adversity we faced, with several senior players sidelined through injury and others unavailable due to representative commitments during key stages of the season.

One of the defining features of our year was the willingness of every player to embrace their opportunity. Those who came into the side consistently stepped up, performed their role, and contributed to the team's success. This was highlighted in our quarter-final victory over minor premiers, Randwick. It was one of the most memorable wins I have been fortunate enough to be a part of.

While we ultimately fell short of bringing home a premiership, the season provided plenty of positives. The grit and determination displayed by the group throughout the year was something everyone involved with Parramatta Cricket Club can be proud of. Just as importantly, a number of our younger players gained invaluable experience and showed they have bright futures ahead of them. Those experiences will strengthen both the individuals and the team as we continue to build towards future success.

Dhruv Kant

First Grade Captain

FIRST GRADE

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE BELVIDERE CUP

Matches Played	17
Won 1 st Innings	6
Won Outright	1
Lost 1 st Innings	6
Lost Outright	1
Drawn	3
Tied	0
Points	49
Position	6th, Semi-Finalists

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	3565	Wickets Lost:	125	Average:	28.52
Runs Against:	3486	Wickets Taken:	135	Average:	25.82

SCORES 50 and OVER

A.Calvert	148*	vs	Randwick Petersham QF
D.Kant	105	vs	Bankstown
B.Noorbergen	104	vs	Manly
A.Calvert	100	vs	Northern Districts
W.Jarman	88*	vs	Eastern Suburbs
N.Bertus	83*	vs	Western Suburbs
N.Bertus	77	vs	UNSW
D.Kant	73	vs	Campbelltown Camden
D.Kant	71*	vs	Sutherland
N.Samuel	69	vs	Randwick Petersham QF
B.Abbott	66	vs	Blacktown
N.Samuel	63*	vs	Fairfield Liverpool
A.Calvert	62	vs	Western Suburbs
N.Samuel	61	vs	Blacktown
H.Goulstone	60*	vs	Sydney
B.Noorbergen	57	vs	Hawkesbury
H.Goulstone	56	vs	Manly
N.Samuel	50	vs	Fairfield Liverpool

5 WICKETS or MORE in INNINGS

M.Sullivan	6/42	vs	Northern Districts
M.Sullivan	5/25	vs	Bankstown
I.Earl	5/27	vs	Sydney University
I.Earl	5/50	vs	Sutherland
H. Goulstone	5/65	vs	Hawkesbury

PARTNERSHIPS 50 and OVER

A.Calvert – H.Goulstone	123	vs	Northern Districts – 4 th wicket
N.Samuel – A.Calvert	110	vs	Randwick Petersham – 2 nd wicket QF
A.Calvert – H.Goulstone	107	vs	Randwick Petersham – 5 th wicket QF
B.Noorbergen – H.Goulstone	98	vs	Manly – 6 th wicket
B.Noorbergen – K.Gunawardane	93	vs	Hawkesbury – 5 th wicket
N.Samuel – A.Calvert	92	vs	Fairfield Liverpool – 2 nd wicket
B.Abbott – A.Calvert	89	vs	Western Suburbs – 2 nd wicket
D.Kant – B.Noorbergen	87	vs	Sutherland – 5 th wicket
S.Samuel – H.Goulstone	86	vs	Sydney – 5 th wicket
B.Abbott – N.Samuel	86	vs	Blacktown – 1 st wicket
N.Samuel – D.Kant	85	vs	Blacktown – 2 nd wicket
N.Bertus – N.Samuel	84	vs	Western Suburbs – 4 th wicket
I.Earl – S.Sira	69	vs	Manly – 8 th wicket
W.Jarman – R.Gupta	69	vs	Eastern Suburbs – 10 th wicket
B.Abbott – W.Jarman	68	vs	Manly – 1 st wicket
N.Samuel – B.Abbott	68	vs	Fairfield Liverpool – 1 st wicket
B.Abbott – N.Samuel	62	vs	Sydney University – 1 st wicket
N.Samuel – A.Calvert	54	vs	Sydney University – 2 nd wicket
N.Samuel – A.Calvert	57	vs	Hawkesbury – 2 nd wicket
W.Jarman – S.Sira	66	vs	Eastern Suburbs – 8 th wicket
A.Calvert – B.Noorbergen	60	vs	Mosman – 4 th wicket
D.Kant – N.Bertus	52	vs	UNSW – 3 rd wicket
N.Bertus – N.Samuel	58	vs	UNSW – 4 th wicket
W.Jarman – A.Calvert	58	vs	Sydney – 3 rd wicket
B.Noorbergen – S.Samuel	58	vs	Manly – 5 th wicket
A.Calvert – J.James	57	vs	Northern Districts – 5 th wicket
N.Samuel – A.Calvert	53	vs	Fairfield Liverpool – 2 nd wicket
I.Earl – S. Sira	52	vs	Hawkesbury – 8 th wicket



SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
1	Bye			
2	Parramatta 199 (47.5) D. Kant 73 (78) N. Bertus 46 (66) H. Goulstone 26 (52)	def by	Campbelltown Camden 5/246 (50) O. Simonsen 3/49	Raby Sports Complex Oval 1 LO
3	Parramatta 251 (50) N. Bertus 83* (95) A. Calvert 62 (79) B. Abbott 48 (53)	def	Western Suburbs 180 (44.2) R. Gupta 4/44 O. Simonsen 3/34	Old Kings Oval LO
4	Parramatta 227 (58.3) D. Kant 105 (131) N. Bertus 27 (57)	def	Bankstown 123 (42.1) & 4/163 M. Sullivan 5/25 R. Gupta 2/3 K. Thornley 2/19 I. Earl 2/28	Bankstown Oval
5	Parramatta 112 (57.4) & 4/144 dec.(57) N. Samuel 32 (120) B. Abbott (20) N. Samuel 42 (150) B. Abbott 41 (63)	def outright by	Sydney University 57 (29) & 4/200 (31.3) I. Earl 5/27 M. Sullivan 4/27 M. Sullivan 3/45	Old Kings Oval
6	Parramatta 9/260 (95.5) B. Noorbergen 57 (112) N. Samuel 35 (90)	drawn	Hawkesbury 310 (95.5) H. Goulstone 5/65 R. Gupta 2/62	Old Kings Oval
7	Parramatta 7/237 dec.(73) D. Kant 71 (110) B. Noorbergen 47 (97)	def outright	Sutherland 106 (35.4) & 123 (54.1) I. Earl 5/50 M. Sullivan 4/37 M. Sullivan 3/27 R. Gupta 2/14 J. James 2/27	Sutherland Oval 1
8	Parramatta 9/287 (50) N. Bertus 77 (98) B. Noorbergen 46 (48) D. Kant 40 (43)	def by	UNSW 4/305 (50) H. Goulstone 2/44	Old Kings Oval LO
9	Parramatta 6/230 (48.4) H. Goulstone 60*(69) S. Samuel 45 (66) W. Jarman 40 (62)	def	Sydney 8/228 (50) M. Sullivan 2/35 I. Earl 2/38 H. Goulstone 2/47	Drummoyne Oval LO
10	Parramatta 3/222 (41) B. Abbott 66 (38) N. Samuel 61 (105) D. Kant 49 (62)	def	Blacktown 9/221 (50) M. Sullivan 3/43 R. Gupta 3/50	Joe McAleer LO
11	Parramatta 172 (36.5) B. Noorbergen 37 (65) A. Calvert 33 (51)	def by	Mosman 7/229 (41) S. Sira 4/44 R. Gupta 2/52	Old Kings Oval LO

12	Parramatta	abandoned	Gordon 0/4 (1.1)	Old Kings Oval LO
13	Parramatta 377 (99) B. Noorbergen 104 (149) H. Goulstone 56 (86) S. Sira 49 (70)	def by	Manly 5/378 (68.5) H. Goulstone 3/82 M. Sullivan 2/76	Manly Oval
14	Parramatta 275 (93.4) W. Jarman 88* (164) D. Kant 35 (38) S. Sira 34 (99)	drawn	Eastern Suburbs 6/152 (50.3) I. Earl 4/58	Old Kings Oval
15	Parramatta 9/266 dec. (72.5) A. Calvert 100 (186) H. Goulstone 36 (82)	def	Northern Districts 194 (52.1) & 4/132 (40) M. Sullivan 6/42 S. Sira 4/33 H. Goulstone 2/23	Mark Taylor Oval
16	Parramatta 134 (58.4) & 4/172 N. Samuel 50 (111) A. Calvert 44 (114) N. Samuel 63* (167) B. Abbott 43 (39)	def by	Fairfield Liverpool 9/135 dec. (51.4) H. Goulstone 4/26 S. Sira 2/28 I. Earl 2/39	Rosedale Oval
QF	Parramatta 6/295 dec. (93) A. Calvert 148* (246) N. Samuel 69 (113) H. Goulstone 36 (92)	def	Randwick Petersham 237 (97.3) N. Kulendran 4/40 V. Chawla 3/51 I. Earl 2/70	Coogee Oval
SF	Parramatta 163 (64.1) B. Noorbergen 38 (75) W. Jarman 32 (76)	def by	Manly Warringah 292 (111.3) S. Sira 3/87 V. Chawla 2/38 H. Goulstone 2/41 N. Kulendran 2/51	Manly Oval

FIRST GRADE LIMITED OVERS

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE

Matches Played	6
Won	3
Lost	3
No Result	0
Points	18
Position	11 th

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	1361	Wickets Lost:	42	Average:	32.40
Runs Against:	1409	Wickets Taken:	43	Average:	32.76

FIRST GRADE T20

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE

Matches Played	5
Won	3
Lost	2
Tied	0
Points	9
Position – Pool C	2 nd – Lost QF

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	582	Runs Against:	567
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SCORES 50 and OVER

A.Calvert	77	vs	Mosman QF
N.Bertus	72	vs	Eastern Suburbs
D.Kant	69	vs	Gordon

PARTNERSHIPS 50 and OVER

D.Kant – A.Calvert	88	vs	Mosman – 3 rd wicket QF
B.Abbott – D.Kant	58	vs	Western Suburbs – 1 st wicket



Kingsgrove Sports T20 Cup SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
2 (Bye RND 1)	Parramatta 7/156 (20.0) A. Calvert 45 (35) B. Abbott 35 (24) D. Kant 23 (21)	def by	Western Suburbs 5/160 (16.4) R. Gupta 2/35	Merrylands Oval
3	Parramatta 3/98 (17.1) A. Calvert 40* (32) T. Ward 22 (24)	def	Blacktown 96 (17.1) O. Simonsen 2/8 K. Thornley 2/12 R. Gupta 2/22	Old Kings Oval
4	Parramatta 6/154 (20) D. Kant 69 (57) N. Bertus 27 (18)	def	Gordon 6/142 (20) S. Sira 2/25	Old Kings Oval
5	Parramatta 7/174 (19.3) N. Bertus 72 (50) O. Simonsen 27* (11)	def	Eastern Suburbs 8/169 (20) K. Thornley 2/30 O. Simonsen 2/36	Waverley Oval
QF	Parramatta 8/140 (20) A. Calvert 77 (51) D. Kant 25 (33)	def by	Mosman 156 (19.3) K. Thornley 3/15 M. Sullivan 3/34 O. Simonsen 2/44	Coogee Oval



FIRST GRADE (BELVIDERE CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
Overall

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OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Randwick Petersham 1st	15	69	1	1.689	0.985	10	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	3773	800.4	91	375.4	1007.1	153
2 Eastern Suburbs 1st	15	66	1	1.487	0.916	10	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	3902	878.5	110	343.1	973.5	141
3 St George 1st	15	66	2	1.32	0.513	10	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	3506	892.5	106	325.6	901	130
4 Manly Warringah 1st	15	57	1	1.263	0.709	9	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	3777	785.1	107	4150	1031.1	151
5 Bankstown 1st	15	50	0	1.097	-0.31	7	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	3622	967.2	135	342.2	844	140
6 Parramatta First Grade	15	49	0	1.104	-0.198	6	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	3565	987	125	348.6	914.5	135
7 Fairfield-Liverpool 1st	15	49	2	0.952	-0.017	7	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	3258	865	113	387.4	1023.5	128
8 Sydney University 1st	15	47	2	1.098	0.779	6	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	3420	842.3	125	323.7	987	130
9 Campbelltown Camden 1st	15	46	0	0.881	-0.354	7	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	3728	952	136	366.8	859	118
10 UTS North Sydney 1st	15	45	0	0.999	-0.724	7	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	4153	1028.2	138	388.3	815.1	129
11 Gordon 1st	15	45	0	0.803	-0.154	7	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	3508	977.4	155	360.7	907	128
12 Mosman 1st	15	44.8	0	1.105	0.541	7	6	0	1	1	0	0	-1.2	3805	837.2	125	382.9	956.4	139
13 Northern District 1st	15	44	0	1.048	0.348	6	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	3992	916.3	134	352.3	879.1	124
14 Sutherland 1st	15	42.9	1	0.819	-0.133	6	7	0	1	1	0	0	-2.1	3452	939.1	150	325.9	855.3	116
15 UNSW 1st	15	41	0	0.945	-0.411	6	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	3981	1045.1	131	350.4	830.2	109
16 Western Suburbs 1st	15	40	1	0.882	0.515	6	8	0	1	1	0	0	0	3691	812.3	117	382.6	950	107
17 Penrith 1st	15	27	0	0.775	-1.023	4	10	0	1	1	0	0	0	3346	952.1	137	4001	881.5	127
18 Hawkesbury 1st	15	23	0	0.758	-0.535	3	9	0	1	1	0	0	0	2821	823.1	132	335.2	846	119
19 Blacktown 1st	15	19	0	0.755	-0.351	3	11	0	0	1	0	0	0	3598	908	133	382.9	887.4	107
20 Sydney 1st	15	17	0	0.773	-0.83	2	10	0	1	1	0	0	0	3938	1043.5	131	388.5	844	100

P: Played PTS: Ladder points BP: Bonus points Q: Quotient NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results BYE: Byes FORF: Forfeits DISQ: Disqualifications
ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled WT: Wickets Taken

FIRST GRADE (BELVIDERE CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
2 Day+

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2 DAY+

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	W2	W1	L	L2	L1	DRAW	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Randwick Petersham 1st	8	41	2.116	1.187	6	1	5	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2355	48	227.2	98
2 Eastern Suburbs 1st	8	38	1.514	1.007	6	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2587	66	2070	80
3 St George 1st	8	31	1.074	-0.231	5	0	5	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	1916	65	205.7	75
4 UTS North Sydney 1st	8	30	1.072	-0.726	5	0	5	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	2681	90	238.9	86
5 Parramatta First Grade	8	28	1.178	-0.208	3	1	2	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	2204	83	207.3	92
6 Sutherland 1st	8	26.9	0.877	-0.032	4	1	3	3	1	2	1	0	0	-2.1	2150	96	206.7	81
7 Manly Warringah 1st	8	26	1.162	0.58	4	1	3	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	2041	63	250.8	90
8 UNSW 1st	8	26	1.136	-0.285	4	0	4	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	2446	75	212.4	74
9 Campbelltown Camden 1st	8	25	0.836	-0.537	4	0	4	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	2218	92	230.7	80
10 Sydney University 1st	8	24	1.053	0.761	3	2	1	3	0	3	2	0	0	0	2039	80	203.3	84
11 Gordon 1st	8	24	0.78	-0.163	4	0	4	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	2238	100	229.4	80
12 Northern District 1st	8	23	1.091	0.396	3	0	3	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	2534	87	202.8	76
13 Bankstown 1st	8	23	1.006	-0.281	3	1	2	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	2287	91	202.3	81
14 Western Suburbs 1st	8	18	0.888	0.615	3	0	3	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	2051	72	211.5	66
15 Mosman 1st	8	17.8	0.935	0.453	3	0	3	4	1	3	1	0	0	-1.2	2025	78	230.4	83
16 Sydney 1st	8	14	1.005	-0.454	2	0	2	4	0	4	2	0	0	0	2487	76	227.9	70
17 Fairfield-Liverpool 1st	8	14	0.724	-0.381	2	0	2	4	0	4	2	0	0	0	2011	75	251.8	68
18 Penrith 1st	8	12	0.734	-1.033	2	0	2	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	2205	93	268.1	83
19 Hawkesbury 1st	8	8	0.812	-0.454	1	0	1	5	0	5	2	0	0	0	1540	85	180.7	81
20 Blacktown 1st	8	7	0.801	-0.175	1	0	1	6	0	6	1	0	0	0	2114	75	2180	62

P: Played PTS: Ladder points Q: Quotient NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won W2: Win Outright W1: Win First Innings L: Lost L2: Loss Outright L1: Loss First Innings DRAW: Draw TIE: Ties
N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against WT: Wickets Taken

FIRST GRADE LIMITED-OVERS CUP

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

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ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 St George L/O	6	32	2	1.512	5	1	0	0	0	1539	279.2	1199	300
2 Fairfield-Liverpool L/O	6	32	2	0.805	5	1	0	0	0	1247	245.5	1280	300
3 Eastern Suburbs L/O	6	25	1	0.756	4	2	0	0	0	1315	268.1	1242	299.3
4 Manly Warringah L/O	6	25	1	0.668	4	2	0	0	0	1506	266	1473	295
5 Randwick Petersham L/O	6	25	1	0.509	4	2	0	0	0	1418	268.1	1299	271.5
6 Mosman L/O	6	24	0	0.367	4	2	0	0	0	1632	291	1525	291
7 Bankstown L/O	6	24	0	-0.188	4	2	0	0	0	1335	296.2	1300	277
8 Sydney University L/O	6	20	2	0.782	3	3	0	0	0	1289	266	1204	296.2
9 Western Suburbs L/O	6	19	1	0.081	3	3	0	0	0	1640	286.3	1563	277
10 Northern District L/O	6	18	0	0.309	3	3	0	0	0	1458	287.5	1403	295
11 Parramatta First Grade L/O	6	18	0	0.007	3	3	0	0	0	1361	280.4	1409	291
12 Campbelltown Camden L/O	6	18	0	0.004	3	3	0	0	0	1411	290.1	1361	280.1
13 Gordon L/O	6	18	0	-0.119	3	3	0	0	0	1266	295	1313	297.4
14 Sutherland L/O	6	13	1	-0.534	2	4	0	0	0	1266	291	1192	244
15 UTS North Sydney L/O	6	12	0	-0.47	2	4	0	0	0	1353	278.5	1494	280.4
16 Hawkesbury L/O	6	12	0	-0.61	2	4	0	0	0	1281	273.4	1509	285.1
17 Blacktown L/O	6	12	0	-0.727	2	4	0	0	0	1315	290.3	1479	281.3
18 UNSW L/O	6	12	0	-0.813	2	4	0	0	0	1352	292	1380	253.3
19 Penrith L/O	6	12	0	-1.057	2	4	0	0	0	1141	286.2	1259	251.4
20 Sydney L/O	6	0	0	-1.469	0	6	0	0	0	1375	300	1606	265.2

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MEN'S KINGSGROVE SPORTS T20

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

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Pool B

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Sydney University	4	12	0.837	4	0	0	0	0	697	80	630	80
2 Northern District	4	9	1.292	3	1	0	0	0	565	66.2	579	80
3 Sutherland	4	6	0.062	2	2	0	0	0	540	731	572	78.1
4 Penrith	4	3	-0.971	1	3	0	0	0	463	78.2	468	88
5 Campbelltown Camden	4	0	-0.998	0	4	0	0	0	524	80	540	71.4

P: Played PTS: Ladder points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled

Pool A

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Randwick Petersham	4	12	2.2	4	0	0	0	0	581	721	468	80
2 Fairfield-Liverpool	4	7.5	1.578	2	1	1	0	0	697	80	560	78.3
3 St George	4	6	-0.233	2	2	0	0	0	655	80	654	77.4
4 Sydney	4	3	-1.282	1	3	0	0	0	568	74.5	605	76
5 Hawkesbury	4	1.5	-2.415	0	3	1	0	0	476	80	626	74.5

P: Played PTS: Ladder points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled

Pool D

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Bankstown	4	9	0.59	3	1	0	0	0	618	731	534	75.4
2 Manly Warringah	4	6	1.519	2	2	0	0	0	704	80	580	75.4
3 Mosman	4	6	0.663	2	2	0	0	0	680	75.4	621	75.2
4 UNSW	4	6	1.405	2	2	0	0	0	601	77	677	73.3
5 UTS North Sydney	4	3	-1.388	1	3	0	0	0	621	79.4	722	74.2

P: Played PTS: Ladder points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled

Pool C

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Western Suburbs	4	9	1.341	3	1	0	0	0	677	76	534	78.3
2 Parramatta	4	9	0.279	3	1	0	0	0	582	75.5	547	76.4
3 Eastern Suburbs	4	6	0.094	2	2	0	0	0	686	80	675	79.3
4 Blacktown T20	4	6	-0.822	2	2	0	0	0	447	77.2	504	76.2
5 Gordon	4	0	-0.943	0	4	0	0	0	608	80	680	78.1

P: Played PTS: Ladder points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled

2025 - 2026 First Grade Statistics - All Formats & Matches															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Calvert, Andrew	22	23	42.05	841	3	148	0	3	162	213	0--9		18	0	0
Samuel, Nitesh	19	21	30.05	541	3	69	0	0	0	0	--		6	0	0
Kant, Dhruv	21	22	30.05	601	2	105	0	0	0	0	--		0	32	2
Abbott, Benjamin	19	19	23.26	442	0	66	0	0	0	0	--		2	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	12	13	29.46	383	0	104	0	0	9	24	0--0		4	0	0
Goulstone, Hayden	18	15	23.92	311	2	60	26	63	743	1534	5--65	28.57	9	0	0
Bertus, Nick	11	12	42	378	3	83	0	0	0	0	--		9	0	0
Jarman, William	8	7	54.5	218	3	88	0	0	0	0	--		3	0	0
Sira, Sumair	16	13	16.77	151	4	49	20	8	581	643	4--33	29.05	1	0	0
Earl, Isaac	16	13	11.2	112	3	36	27	45	794	1369	5--27	29.4	9	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	10	8	16.25	130	0	45	0	0	0	0	--		3	0	0
Sullivan, Michael	18	11	14.85	104	4	29	42	32	787	1294	6--42	18.73	4	0	0
James, John	6	5	13.6	68	0	30	3	3	144	192	2--27	48	4	0	0
Gupta, Ryan	21	10	15.75	63	6	29	25	22	726	973	4--44	29.04	8	0	0
Gunawardane, Kashvi	1	1	31	31	0	31	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	3	2	11	22	0	12	7	12	140	228	4--40	20	0	0	0
Maraziotis, Athan	1	2	17	17	1	14	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Simonsen, Owen	7	6	13.5	54	2	27	14	1	234	217	3--34	16.71	3	0	0
Thornley, Kye	7	3	6	6	2	4	13	3	170	228	3--15	13.07	2	0	0
Chawla, Vishek	2	1		0	1	0	5	7	89	294	3--51	17.8	0	0	0
Sharma, Reyansh	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Ward, Timothy	3	3	12	36	0	22	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0

2025 - 2026 First Grade Statistics - Belvidere Cup															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Calvert, Andrew	17	18	41.31	661	2	148	0	3	153	207	0--0		16	0	0
Samuel, Nitesh	14	16	32.27	484	1	69	0	0	0	0	0--0		3	0	0
Kant, Dhruv	16	17	31.73	476	2	105	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	29	1
Abbott, Benjamin	16	17	23.94	407	0	66	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	11	12	31.08	373	0	104	0	0	9	24	0--0		4	0	0
Goulstone, Hayden	17	14	25.83	310	2	60	25	63	710	1510	5--65	28.4	8	0	0
Bertus, Nick	7	8	50.6	253	3	83	0	0	0	0	0--0		8	0	0
Jarman, William	8	7	54.5	218	3	88	0	0	0	0	--		3	0	0
Sira, Sumair	11	9	17.38	139	1	49	16	7	453	541	4--33	28.31	0	0	0
Earl, Isaac	14	12	11.1	111	2	36	26	45	749	1351	5--27	28.81	8	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	7	5	20	100	0	45	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	0	0
Sullivan, Michael	14	10	14.14	99	3	29	36	32	675	1213	6--42	18.75	2	0	0
James, John	6	5	13.6	68	0	30	3	3	144	192	2--27	48	4	0	0
Gupta, Ryan	16	10	15.75	63	6	29	18	22	579	853	4--44	32.17	5	0	0
Gunawardane, Kashvi	1	1	31	31	0	31	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	3	2	11	22	0	12	7	12	140	228	4--40	20	0	0	0
Maraziotis, Athan	1	2	17	17	1	14	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Simonsen, Owen	2	2	15	15	1	14	6	0	83	104	3--34	13.83	2	0	0
Thornley, Kye	3	2	5	5	1	4	5	3	91	132	2--19	18.2	2	0	0
Chawla, Vishek	2	1		0	1	0	5	7	89	294	3--51	17.8	0	0	0
Sharma, Reyansh	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0

2025 - 2026 First Grade Statistics - One Day Matches															
Player name	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Bertus, Nick	4	4	106	212	2	83	0	0	0	0	0--0		2	0	0
Calvert, Andrew	7	6	35.4	177	1	62	0	0	89	90	0--12		2	0	0
Kant, Dhruv	6	5	35	175	0	73	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	2	1
Abbott, Benjamin	6	5	28	140	0	66	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Goulstone, Hayden	7	4	44	132	1	60	5	1	248	354	2--44	49.6	3	0	0
Samuel, Nitesh	5	5	24.2	121	0	61	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	3	2	41.5	83	0	46	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	5	3	24.33	73	0	45	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Jarman, William	4	3	28	56	1	40	0	0	0	0	--		2	0	0
Sullivan, Michael	7	4	27.5	55	2	29	7	3	230	342	3--43	32.86	1	0	0
Earl, Isaac	4	2	9	18	0	10	3	0	159	181	2--38	53	1	0	0
James, John	2	1	17	17	0	17	1	0	55	66	1--43	55	1	0	0
Simonsen, Owen	2	2	15	15	1	14	6	0	83	104	3--34	13.83	2	0	0
Sira, Sumair	4	2	6	12	0	6	4	1	121	138	4--44	30.25	0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	1	1	10	10	0	10	1	0	49	36	1--49	49	0	0	0
Gupta, Ryan	7	3	8	8	2	5	9	1	257	288	4--44	28.56	2	0	0
Thornley, Kye	2	1		4	1	4	2	2	47	60	1--12	23.5	1	0	0
Maraziotis, Athan	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Chawla, Vishek	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Gunawardane, Kashvi	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Sharma, Reyansh	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0



2025 - 2026 First Grade Statistics - Kingsgrove Sports T20 Matches															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Calvert, Andrew	5	5	45	180	1	77	0	0	9	6	0--9		2	0	0
Kant, Dhruv	5	5	25	125	0	69	0	0	0	0	--		0	3	1
Bertus, Nick	4	4	31.25	125	0	72	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Samuel, Nitesh	5	5	19	57	2	18	0	0	0	0	--		3	0	0
Simonsen, Owen	5	4	13	39	1	27	8	1	151	113	2--8	18.88	1	0	0
Ward, Timothy	3	3	12	36	0	22	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Abbott, Benjamin	3	2	17.5	35	0	35	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	3	3	10	30	0	22	0	0	0	0	--		2	0	0
Noorbergen, Jay	1	1	12	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Sira, Sumair	5	4	12	12	3	6	4	1	128	102	2--25	32	1	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	1	1	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Sullivan, Michael	4	1		5	1	5	6	0	112	81	3--34	18.67	2	0	0
Earl, Isaac	2	1		1	1	1	1	0	45	18	1--45	45	1	0	0
Goulstone, Hayden	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	33	24	1--33	33	1	0	0
Thornley, Kye	4	1		1	1	1	8	0	79	96	3--15	9.88	0	0	0
Gupta, Ryan	5	0		0	0	0	7	0	147	120	2--22	21	3	0	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB THE BELVIDERE CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET FIRST GRADE SEMI-FINALISTS 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Rodney West (Volunteer), Mercedes Bertus (Director), Santhosh Samuel, Isaac Earl, Michael Sullivan, Hayden Goulstone, William Jarman, Sumair Sira, Paul Sullivan (Assistant Coach), Peter Garlick (Scorer), Jason Coleman (Coach)
Middle Row: Nitesh Samuel, Ryan Gupta, Dhruv Kant (Captain), Andrew Calvert, Ben Abbott, Joey Franji (Volunteer)
Front Row Inset: Blake Noorbergen, Nick Bertus (Injured Captain), John James



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB - NSW PREMIER CRICKET KINGSGROVE SPORTS TWENTY20 CUP QUALIFYING FINALISTS 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Mercedes Bertus (Director), Rodney West (Volunteer), Sumair Sira, Isaac Earl, Kye Thornley, Michael Sullivan, Ben Abbott, Luke Dempsey (White Ball Coach), Peter Garlick (Scorer)

Middle Row: Tim Ward, Ryan Gupta, Nick Bertus, Dhruv Kant (Captain), Owen Simonsen, Andrew Calvert, Nitesh Samuel

Front Row Inset: Jason Coleman (Coach), Santhosh Samuel



SECOND GRADE SEASON PHOTOS



Second Grade Report

Position: – 3rd

The Parramatta 2nd Grade squad entered the 2025/26 campaign ready to build on a finals appearance from the season before and continue the momentum the squad had worked hard to build.

Round 1 & 2 vs North Sydney & Campbelltown: With the first two rounds of the season beginning with the T20s, Parramatta started the season 2/2 with fireworks. Standout performances from Kashvi and Boreddy in the first fixture with the bat and Isaac with the ball saw a strong win over the Bears. Into round 2 saw wickets shared and a great display keeping the ghosts to an abysmal 114. Our batters too strong, chasing it 1 down and 6 overs to spare, Ben and Kashvi sealing the victory and the boys march on to Round 3.

Round 3 vs Wests: White ball format continues and we move to the 50 over set up. Wests batting first, the wickets were shared once again with Naden the standout bowler picking up 2/20 off his 10, allowing us to restrict them to 180. In return our batting proved to be too much chasing the total down with 5 wickets in hand and 5 overs left, Blake with an amazing 63* complimented by both Advith and Isaac to get the boys home and to go 3/3.

Round 4 vs Bankstown: Into the white clothing and red ball, saw us play Bankstown in the first red ball fixture of the year. A hard fought bowling innings saw spin dominate with both Naden and Owen picking up 3 wickets each and Bankstown getting to a competitive 243. This proved to be too much for us in return, with a number of our batters getting starts and not finishing the job. A reality check for the group and plenty of positive signs ahead.

Round 5 vs Sydney Uni: Archrivals and a huge fixture in the calendar saw Parra sent Uni in on a wet one, the bowling unit kept Uni to 146, GVS 10 straight overs and setting the tone up top with 2 wickets, assisted by Owen's 3 the boys went into the innings break on top. What came next was an absolute carve up. Chasing the runs none down with 20 overs left. Kashvi hitting his first 2nd Grade hundred, complimented by Will. It was a demoralising win.

Round 6 vs Hawkesbury: Backing up the previous week was always going to be tough and didn't we ever. An outright win over Hawkesbury, getting all 10 points. Owen picking up 4 wickets in each innings, and Vishy 4 wickets in the 2nd innings, Hawks couldn't handle the spin threats. Clinical batting from Will (74) and Advith (91) allowed the rest to set the game up and make possible for 10 points.

Round 7 vs Sutherland: Back to white ball at Old Kings, the boys were up and about after two super strong wins. The form continued, batting dominance from Santhosh, hitting his first hundred along with both Advith (40) and Athan (59) saw us get to 260. The bowlers held their nerve and bowled Sutherland out for 190, Sumair picking up 3 at the top and Vishy working his magic with another 4 wickets. 3 great wins on the bounce.

Round 8 vs UNSW: Will Jarman goes bang. At the smallest ground in the comp, the hosts put 297 on a young second grade team at Dave Phillips, Prapta a stand out with 4 wickets.. The hosts needed more. Chasing the total down with 6 overs left, Jarmo led the way with a massive 149* to get the boys home in a mammoth effort. Plenty of notable knocks around Will with Kashvi, Santhosh and Athan all chipping in.

Round 9 vs Sydney: White ball cricket continues in Round 9, versing Sydney the visitors notched up a strong 247 on a good kings wicket, all bowlers getting one wicket. The boys were able to get home with one ball to spare, Jay (78) and Aston (65) the stand outs, special mention to Prapta's innings as the end to get us back in it.

Rounds 10 vs Blacktown: Another home white ball, Blacktown couldn't handle the spin triple threat, with Owen picking up 4, Naden 2 and Vishy 1. Parramatta were able to keep the hosts to a low of 107. Advith (42) and Athan (43*) in return knocking off majority of the total and the hosts chasing is down in just 27 overs.

Rounds 11 vs Mosman: We were sent in at AB Oval, with no real stand outs, everyone chipped in and made our way to a competitive 201. Knowing we needed to be on our game, we produced the best fielding display for the year which allowed the spin twins to dominate 5 wickets to Vishy and Naden with an exceptional 1/14 of 10 buried the hosts hopes as we defended our total.

Rounds 12 vs Gordon: Washout

Round 13 vs Manly: A massive clash with both teams sitting top of the ladder, unfortunately the less said about this game the better. Unfortunately, Manly grabbed the 10 points. A real eye opener if we wanted to be competitive. Jay the standout batter getting 30 in both innings.

Round 14 vs Eastern Suburbs: We travel to the Eastern Suburbs for Round 14, sent in we got our self to 198 with a few players all chipping in Athan (68), Advith (41) and Owen (30*). With the second innings constantly in the balance, some clutch overs from Prapta, Damien and Vishy saw the match end in a tie, Prapta the stand out with 3 wickets.

Round 15 vs Northern Districts: Another big fixture at the business end, Parramatta Spin twins were back at it both picking 3 wickets each, this time with some help from Prapta. In return, Athan hitting 100* and Kashvi 96, the visitors had no chance, two massive knocks at a key point in the season.

Round 16 vs Fairfield: Final regular season round saw Parramatta's bowling grind hard to keep Fairfield to a strong 299, Prapta again standing up with another 3 wickets along with Pat, Vishy and Damien chipping in with 2 wickets each. To chase the total, someone needed to stand up, unfortunately a lot of good starts saw us fall 40 odd short. Nevertheless a great regular season and time for finals 2 years in a row.

Finals Rd 1 vs NDs: After last year's finals, we wanted to return the favour, bowling first to take time out of the games, NDs got themselves to 294 leaving us a tricky time to bat damage was limited and only one wicket fell giving us a strong position for Day 2. Day 2 saw us lose wickets at bad times but stepping up when the team needed it most Jay facing 258 balls, Matt 96 and Owen 96, we were able to hold on for the draw and progress to the Semi's.

Finals Rd 2 vs Manly: Manly batting first, they batted the full day 1, the boys fought hard on a flat wicket Prapta and Damien picking up 3 each. 346 was always going to be tough but the boys gave it a real crack with everyone chipping into and unfortunately falling 30 runs short, standouts with the bat being Jay (61) and Naden (59*). Tough result but all in all a great season.

Second Grade Player Profiles – 2025/26 Season

Kashvi Gunawardane – A big year for Kashvi, saw him earn himself a first-grade debut. A season that saw his first second grade hundred, 517 runs @ 36.9, his destructive batting style up the top always set our batting innings up in the right way.

Athan Maraziotis: Stepping up to 2nd grade this year, Athan is an incredible young talent that is up for every challenge that he faces. In his first full year he notched up his maiden second grade hundred with 454 runs @ 41.2, his strong season elevated him to get a first grade debut this year. Look forward to watching him in the coming year.

Advith Boreddy – Another young prospect, Bo has all the talent in the world and can't wait for him to realise it. Another strong season with 400+ runs and some great innings. Bo will go from strength to strength, and have him locked in for a big year ahead.

Jay Noorbergen – As one of the senior players this year, Jay stood up at crucial times with some enormous innings for the team. 360 runs @ 36 and plenty of amazing catches, Jay's leadership and ability to put the team first is a true testament to his character. Can't wait to see him build on this strong season.

Will Jarman – Only had Will for the first part of the season but his numbers saw him cement his spot in First Grade, 330 runs @ 66. Will went from strength to strength this season and can tell he is building to have a long and lustrous career.

Santhosh Samuel – Another player who his strong start saw him in the top grade. Tosh showed the caliber of player he is and the more experience he gains the better. His dynamic batting and willingness to take the game on will see him go far.

Owen Simonsen (C) – "Owen in his 12th straight season at Parra captained 2nd grade again during season 2025-26 when not playing 1st grade white ball matches. Another successful season with the team making the semi-final. A one club player Owen will be a big loss should he decide to hang the boots up. Not only a great player but an even better bloke. (Written by Jason Coleman)"

Prapta Das- 20 wickets @ 19, Prapta's ability to beat the batter and bowl some of the tough overs and deliver is second to none. I don't think if he keeps this up, he will be in 2nd Grade for long. I look forward to him going from strength to strength as he builds into it.

Naden Cooray – A huge year for Naden, not necessarily getting all the wickets, week in week out he delivered and could be relied on with the ball. 16 wickets @ 19, Naden is a future star and keen to see his success.

Vishek Chawla – Passion. One of the many words to describe Vishy, his competitive spirit is infectious. A career year for the man with 25 wickets @ 23, along with seeing him debut in first grade and be a key player in some big moments. Can't wait to see what he has in store for next year.

Gab Singh – The veteran, his ability to bowl mammoth spells and get a wicket when the back is against the wall is something you can't teach. Unfortunately injuries not helping throughout the year but always delivered. 12 wickets @ 21, GVS was able to always get the job done.

Pat Lamont – After strong seasons in 3s, Pat play multiple games this year where his spells with the new ball always got our bowling inning on the front foot, getting better and better each game. Finishing the year with 10 wickets.

With 26 players used this year, I would love to go into detail on you all. You were all a massive part of this season and I can't thank you enough, no matter who played you all stepped up when needed and is what this club is about. A shout out goes to you all, who played pivotal roles in our journey to the finals. Huge congratulations to **Athan, Kashvi, John, Nila and Vishy** on earning their First Grade debuts an outstanding achievement that reflects your hard work and talent.

Reaching the finals for back to back year is a testament to the group and what we are building, with such a young team this year. Season 2025/26 will go a long way to helping build your careers and generate success. With a team stacked with emerging talent, I'm confident next season will be even stronger.

Thank you to our dedicated scorers Jenny David and Glenn Chant, your help was much appreciated by the team. Also a thank you to the parents and volunteers who brought energy and support to every match day. A special shout out to the **Jarmans, Noorbergens, and co.** for their ongoing dedication. Lastly, sincere thanks to **Jason Coleman, Paul Sullivan, and Paul Giumelli** for their exceptional leadership and tireless work behind the scenes. The club's success starts with you.

Owen Simonsen

2nd Grade Skipper

SECOND GRADE **OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE**

Matches Played	18
Won 1 st innings	10
Won Outright	1
Lost 1 st Innings	3
Lost Outright	1
Drawn	2
Tied	1
Points	71
Position	3 rd

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	3150	Wickets Lost:	101	Average:	31.18
Runs Against:	3183	Wickets taken:	145	Average:	21.95

SCORES 50 and OVER

Kashvi Gunawardane 96 vs Northern Districts
Kashvi Gunawardane 100 vs Sydney Uni
Kashvi Gunawardane 68 vs UTS North Sydney

Athan Maraziotis 100 vs Northern Districts
Athan Maraziotis 68 vs Eastern Suburbs
Athan Maraziotis 54 vs UNSW
Athan Maraziotis 59 vs Sutherland

Advith Boreddy 91 vs Hawkesbury

Jay Noorbergen 61 vs Manly
Jay Noorbergen 56 vs Northern Districts
Jay Noorbergen 78 vs Sydney

Will Jarman 149 vs UNSW
Will Jarman 74 vs Hawkesbury

Santhosh Samuel 113 vs Sutherland

Damien Guild 65 vs Fairfield

Aston Wijesinghe 65 vs Sydney

John James 52 vs Hawkesbury

Blake Noorbergen 63 vs Wests

Ben Abbott 51 vs Campbelltown

5 Wickets or More in Innings

V. Chawla 5/36 vs Mosman

PARTNERSHIPS 100 and OVER

K.Gunawardane – W.Jarman	150	vs Sydney University	1 st wicket
W. Jarman – A. Boreddy	163	vs Sydney	3 rd wicket
S. Samuel – A. Maraziotis	120	vs Sutherland	4 th wicket
K.Gunawardane – A. Maraziotis	165	vs Northern Districts	3 rd wicket
A.Boreddy – J. Noorbergen	102	vs Manly	5 th wicket

Individual Performances

Batting

Kashvi Gunawardane 517 Runs @ 36.93 HS 100

Bowling

Vishek Chawla 25 W @ 23.8 BB 5/36

SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
1	Parramatta 7/179 (20) Lost Toss - Batted	def	North Sydney 6/149 I.Earl 4/40	Bon Andrews
2	Parramatta 1/115 (13.3) Won toss – Bowled	def	Campbelltown 8/114 L. Roache 2/14 N. Cooray 2/22	Old Kings Oval
3	Parramatta 5/181 (45) Lost Toss - Bowled	def	Western Suburbs 9/180 (50) N.Cooray 2/20 I. Earl 2/45	Pratten Park OD
4	Parramatta 207 (76.4) Won Toss - Bowled	def by	Bankstown 243 (86.3) O. Simonsen 3/36 N. Cooray 3/43	Old Kings Oval
5	Parramatta 0/150 (30.4) Won toss – Bowled	def	Sydney University 146 (45.5) O. Simonsen 3/2 G. Singh 2/20	University Oval OD
6	Parramatta 5/301 (76) Lost toss – Bowled	def outright	Hawkesbury 125 & 134 O. Simonsen 4/24 & 4/45 V. Chawla 4/59	Bensons Lane
7	Parramatta 7/260 (50) Lost Toss - Batted	def	Sutherland 191 (42.4) V. Chawla 4/36 P. Das 2/38	Old Kings Oval OD
8	Parramatta 4/301 (44.1) Won toss – Bowled	def	UNSW 9-297 (50) P. Das 4/33	Dave Phillips Oval OD
9	Parramatta 8/248 (49.5) Lost Toss – Bowled	def	Sydney 5/247 (50) P. Lamont 1/28 O. Simonsen 1/42	Old Kings Oval OD
10	Parramatta 3/108 (27.5) Won toss – Bowled	def	Blacktown 107 (46.4) O. Simonsen 4/24 N. Cooray 2/31	Old Kings Oval OD
11	Parramatta 201 (49.3) Lost Toss - Batted	def	Mosman 179 (44.2) V. Chawla 5/36 N. Cooray 1/14	Allan Border Oval OD
12	Parramatta Wash Out	draw	Gordon 4/139	Beauchamp Oval OD
13	Parramatta 83 & 139 Lost Toss - Batted	def outright by	Manly 5/208 & 1/18 G. Singh 2/47	Old Kings Oval
14	Parramatta 8/198 (50) Lost Toss – Batted	tied	Eastern Suburbs 8/198 P. Das 3/49 P. Lamont 3/39	Waverly Oval OD
15	Parramatta 3-223 (72) Lost Toss – Bowled	def	Northern Districts 206 (79.3) P Das 3/29 V. Chawla 3/44	Old Kings Oval

16 Won toss – Bowled	Parramatta 253 (86.2) D. Guild 65 (159) S. Samuel 44 (94)	def by	Fairfield 299 (94.2) P. Das 3/66 D. Guild 2/31	Old Kings Oval
QF Won Toss - Bowled	Parramatta 7/222 (108) J. Noorbergen 56* (258) O. Simonsen 47* (90)	Draw	Northern Districts 294 (94.3) P. Lamont 4/43 M. Giumelli 3/49	Old Kings Oval
SF Lost toss – Bowled	Parramatta 9/312 (86) J. Noorbergen 61 (98) N. Cooray 59* (76)	Lost	Manly-346 (119.4) P. Das 3/51 D. Guild 3/34	Graham Reserve



SECOND GRADE (ALBERT CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
Overall

Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 St George 2nd	16	74	1	1.52	0.86	12	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	3729	757.2	108	3565	877.2	157
2 Manly Warringah 2nd	16	73	0	1.48	0.696	11	3	0	1	0	0	0	-1	3251	692.1	99	3328	832	150
3 Parramatta Second Grade	16	71	1	1.42	0.233	11	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	3150	800.4	101	3183	860	145
4 Northern District 2nd	16	70	1	1.269	0.639	12	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	3243	761.3	122	3015	833.1	144
5 Sydney University 2nd	16	65	3	1.403	0.652	10	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2912	700.3	96	3069	875.4	142
6 Mosman 2nd	16	63	2	1.29	0.757	9	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	3558	773	120	3102	806.4	135
7 UTS North Sydney 2nd	16	56	2	1.259	0.23	9	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	3533	833	114	3446	859.1	140
8 Randwick Petersham 2nd	16	55	1	1.193	0.602	9	5	0	1	0	0	0	-3	3395	726.1	119	3687	897.5	153
9 Sutherland 2nd	16	52	1	1.078	0.43	9	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	3515	821.3	140	3095	804.1	133
10 Bankstown 2nd	16	48	1	0.958	0.428	7	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	3168	711.5	111	3631	902.5	122
11 Fairfield-Liverpool 2nd	16	45	0	0.917	-0.701	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	3314	886.4	134	3206	722.1	119
12 Eastern Suburbs 2nd	16	43	0	0.982	-0.338	6	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	3111	836.3	109	2934	723.1	101
13 Sydney 2nd	16	40	1	0.875	0.037	6	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	3556	849.4	132	3479	838.5	113
14 Western Suburbs 2nd	16	38	1	0.933	-0.337	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	3465	849.3	132	3711	840.2	132
15 Campbelltown Camden 2nd	16	34	0	0.848	-0.353	5	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	3362	881	138	3217	771.3	112
16 Penrith 2nd	16	32	1	0.774	-0.649	5	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	2961	848.4	130	3175	767.5	108
17 Blacktown 2nd	16	21	0	0.615	-0.721	3	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	2800	785.2	143	3468	809	109
18 Hawkesbury 2nd	16	19	1	0.561	-0.996	3	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	3046	875.2	168	2973	664.1	92
19 Gordon 2nd	16	15	0	0.749	-0.825	2	12	0	2	0	0	0	0	3459	832.2	157	3502	705	104
20 UNSW 2nd	16	15	0	0.674	-0.602	2	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	3752	915	158	3523	749.1	100

P: Played PTS: Ladder points BP: Bonus points Q: Quotient NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Tie N/R: No Results BYE: Byes FORF: Forfeits DISQ: Disqualifications
ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled WT: Wickets Taken

SECOND GRADE (ALBERT CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
2 Day+

Show advanced ladder

2 DAY+

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	W2	W1	L	L2	L1	DRAW	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Manly Warringah 2nd	5	34	1.753	1.248	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	1419	39	1328	64
2 Mosman 2nd	5	28	1.581	1.02	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1386	46	1181	62
3 St George 2nd	5	28	1.564	0.687	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1383	44	1406	70
4 Sydney University 2nd	5	23	1.575	0.538	3	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1130	31	1388	60
5 Eastern Suburbs 2nd	5	19	1.424	-0.083	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1410	38	1198	46
6 Northern District 2nd	5	18	1.398	0.477	3	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1424	49	1309	63
7 UTS North Sydney 2nd	5	18	1.392	0.286	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1424	46	1178	53
8 Randwick Petersham 2nd	5	18	1.203	0.7	3	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	-3	1399	45	1628	63
9 Fairfield-Liverpool 2nd	5	18	0.91	-0.862	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1311	62	1208	52
10 Sutherland 2nd	5	18	0.859	0.281	3	0	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1273	54	1152	42
11 Bankstown 2nd	5	17	0.725	0.175	2	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1305	54	1565	47
12 Parramatta Second Grade	5	16	1.141	-0.281	2	1	1	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	1206	48	1233	56
13 Western Suburbs 2nd	5	13	0.832	-0.352	2	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	1569	57	1654	50
14 Sydney 2nd	5	12	0.836	-0.068	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1480	53	1435	43
15 Campbelltown Camden 2nd	5	7	0.69	-0.583	1	0	1	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	1242	55	1275	39
16 Penrith 2nd	5	7	0.651	-0.788	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	1242	48	1351	34
17 UNSW 2nd	5	6	0.789	0.079	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	1719	66	1517	46
18 Blacktown 2nd	5	6	0.672	0.013	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	1206	49	1647	45
19 Hawkesbury 2nd	5	6	0.499	-1.212	1	0	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	1370	75	1208	33
20 Gordon 2nd	5	0	0.813	-0.75	0	0	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	1544	54	1581	45

P: Played PTS: Ladder points Q: Quotient NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won W2: Win Outright W1: Win First Innings L: Lost L2: Loss Outright L1: Loss First Innings DRAW: Draw TIE: Tie
N/R: No Results ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against WT: Wickets Taken

SECOND GRADE (ALBERT CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
One Day

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ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Parramatta Second Grade	9	49	1	1.63	0.835	7	0	1	1	0	1650	45	1687	75
2 Northern District 2nd	9	46	1	1.184	0.757	7	1	0	1	0	1506	60	1441	68
3 St George 2nd	9	40	1	1.598	0.968	6	2	0	1	0	2019	52	1846	76
4 Sydney University 2nd	9	36	3	1.145	0.365	5	3	0	1	0	1528	55	1504	62
5 Mosman 2nd	9	35	2	1.275	0.605	5	3	0	1	0	1912	61	1647	67
6 UTS North Sydney 2nd	9	35	2	1.089	0.454	5	3	0	1	0	1872	60	2004	70
7 Randwick Petersham 2nd	9	34	1	1.275	0.453	5	3	0	1	0	1696	63	1731	82
8 Manly Warringah 2nd	9	33	0	1.168	-0.145	5	3	0	1	0	1534	57	1705	74
9 Bankstown 2nd	9	28	1	1.143	0.712	4	4	0	1	0	1604	49	1804	63
10 Sydney 2nd	9	28	1	1.11	0.451	4	4	0	1	0	1849	60	1748	63
11 Sutherland 2nd	9	28	1	1.079	0.28	4	4	0	1	0	1976	72	1805	71
12 Campbelltown Camden 2nd	9	27	0	1.029	0.019	4	4	0	1	0	1849	70	1668	65
13 Fairfield-Liverpool 2nd	9	27	0	0.998	-0.16	4	4	0	1	0	1831	56	1768	54
14 Western Suburbs 2nd	9	22	1	0.924	-0.402	3	5	0	1	0	1571	63	1754	65
15 Penrith 2nd	9	22	1	0.842	-0.383	3	5	0	1	0	1523	71	1554	61
16 Eastern Suburbs 2nd	9	21	0	0.695	-0.715	2	4	1	2	0	1377	63	1476	47
17 Blacktown 2nd	9	15	0	0.664	-1.36	2	6	0	1	0	1409	77	1514	55
18 Gordon 2nd	9	12	0	0.755	-0.777	1	6	0	2	0	1687	66	1624	48
19 Hawkesbury 2nd	9	10	1	0.563	-0.778	1	7	0	1	0	1468	76	1611	47
20 UNSW 2nd	9	9	0	0.558	-1.463	1	7	0	1	0	1713	82	1683	45

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SECOND GRADE (ALBERT CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
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T20

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Manly Warringah 2nd	2	6	4.04	2.035	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	298	31.4	3	295	40	12
2 Sydney University 2nd	2	6	2.87	3.082	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	254	33.5	10	177	40	20
3 Sutherland 2nd	2	6	2.753	3.2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	266	40	14	138	40	20
4 Parramatta Second Grade	2	6	1.956	2.201	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	294	33.3	8	263	40	14
5 Northern District 2nd	2	6	1.181	1.576	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	313	38.1	13	265	40	13
6 St George 2nd	2	6	0.957	0.384	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	327	39.5	12	313	40	11
7 UTS North Sydney 2nd	2	3	1.907	0.139	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	237	35.1	8	264	40	17
8 Western Suburbs 2nd	2	3	1.519	0.549	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	325	40	12	303	40	17
9 Bankstown 2nd	2	3	1.482	0.119	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	259	38.5	8	262	40	12
10 Eastern Suburbs 2nd	2	3	1.246	0.91	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	324	40	8	260	36.1	8
11 Hawkesbury 2nd	2	3	0.953	0.82	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	208	40	17	154	35.1	12
12 Penrith 2nd	2	3	0.854	-0.924	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	196	33.3	11	271	40	13
13 Randwick Petersham 2nd	2	3	0.732	-0.307	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	40	11	298	38.1	8
14 Gordon 2nd	2	3	0.496	-1.724	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	228	40	17	297	40	11
15 UNSW 2nd	2	0	0.891	-1.141	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	320	40	10	323	35.2	9
16 Campbelltown Camden 2nd	2	0	0.608	-1.404	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	271	40	13	274	33.3	8
17 Fairfield-Liverpool 2nd	2	0	0.607	-1.622	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	172	40	16	230	38.5	13
18 Mosman 2nd	2	0	0.437	-1.679	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	260	40	13	274	33.3	6
19 Blacktown 2nd	2	0	-0.319	-3.05	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	385	40	17	307	40	9
20 Sydney 2nd	2	0	0.282	-3.073	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	227	40	19	296	33.5	7

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2025 - 2026 Second Grade Statistics - Albert Cup															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Gunawardane, Kashvi	17	17	36.93	517	3	100	0	0	0	0	0--0		11	0	0
Maraziotis, Athan	13	13	41.27	454	2	100	2	1	68	90	1--6	34	5	0	0
Boreddy, Advith	17	17	29.87	448	2	91	0	0	0	0	--		11	0	1
Noorbergen, Jay	15	13	36	360	3	78	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	26	1
Jarman, William	8	7	66	330	2	149	1	0	29	24	1--29	29	4	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	10	9	32.56	293	0	113	0	0	0	0	0--0		5	0	0
Simonsen, Owen	11	9	34.83	209	3	47	23	19	423	796	4--24	18.39	0	0	0
Guild, Damien	7	7	18.29	128	0	65	7	16	140	320	3--34	20	3	0	0
Wijesinghe, Aston	6	7	18.14	127	0	65	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
DAS, PRAPTA	11	7	17.6	88	2	38	20	16	396	686	4--33	19.8	3	0	0
Cooray, Naden	10	3	35.5	71	1	59	16	19	305	676	3--43	19.06	3	0	0
James, John	3	3	69	69	2	52	3	1	85	150	2--13	28.33	1	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	1	1		63	1	63	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Abbott, Benjamin	1	1	51	51	0	51	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Das, Prangan	5	3	16	48	0	20	4	5	254	348	2--24	63.5	2	0	0
Giumelli, Matthew	3	3	15.33	46	0	33	4	1	94	148	3--49	23.5	1	0	0
Earl, Isaac	3	2	35	35	1	24	7	0	111	108	4--40	15.86	0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	8	4	30	30	3	11	8	5	253	396	2--28	31.63	1	0	0
Sira, Sumair	3	2	20	20	1	16	4	5	112	186	3--49	28	1	0	0
Lamont, Patrick	9	5	6.33	19	2	6	10	15	385	630	4--43	38.5	0	0	0
Roche, Liam	5	2	8	16	0	15	5	2	140	174	2--14	28	1	0	0
Giumelli, Luke	2	2	7	14	0	9	0	0	64	102	0--22		0	0	0
Arnold, Akash	2	1	12	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	--		2	0	0
Venica-Singh, Gabriel	7	3	3.33	10	0	6	12	10	254	414	2--20	21.17	0	0	0
Goulstone, Hayden	1	1	5	5	0	5	1	0	26	24	1--26	26	0	0	0
Chawla, Vishek	16	6	1.33	4	3	3	25	29	596	1086	5--36	23.84	4	0	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB THE ALBERT CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET SECOND GRADE SEMI-FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Mercedes Bertus (Director), Rodney West (Volunteer), Patrick Lamont, Gabriel Venica-Singh, Advith Boreddy, Matthew Giumelli, Damien Guild, Santhosh Samuel, Paul Sullivan (Assistant Coach), Glenn Chant (Scorer)

Middle Row: Athan Maraziotis, Kashvi Gunawardane, Owen Simonsen (Captain), Jay Noorbergen, Luke Giumelli, Aston Wijesinghe
Front Row: Inset: Jenny David (Scorer), Joey Franji (Volunteer), Vishek Chawla, Nilaathan Kulendran, Naden Cooray, Liam Roche, William Jarman, Prangan Das, Prapta Das



THIRD GRADE SEASON PHOTOS



Third Grade Report.

Final Position: 9th

Season 2025/26

After the highs of last season, Third grade was exposed to plenty of adversity this season. The club's successes last season meant there were many players called up for well-deserved representative honours. Unfortunately, the ripple effect of this meant the lower grades more experienced players were given opportunities in the top grades, and the youth we are so proud of were given a chance to repay the investment put into the outstanding academies and youth programs Parramatta CC have set up.

Over the season, these younger players showed their skill. Hamilton exhibited some class at the top of the order while Rey Sharma and Cam Knight showed their skill in the batting order, displaying some excellent stroke play and power hitting in the middle of the innings. Connor Culnane showed some strong form at the start of the season, bowling well at key stages particularly in the T20 games. The Das twins tore through batting orders in the early season, earning promotion to Second Grade.

Third Grade started the season strongly with plenty of runs at Merrylands Oval, Theo Robinson the Scottish import and Athan doing most of the heavy lifting. Athan scoring an excellent hundred against Bankstown in the early rounds showed his potential as he continued this form into seconds and then eventually making a well-deserved First Grade debut against Fairfield. Experienced campaigners Luke Giumelli and Gab Venica-Singh help guide the team to important victories with ball in hand, having the team in the top 6 at the Christmas break.

After Christmas, things took a turn. Struggling to field a consistent team every week took its toll. Injuries and rep duties along with a tough draw saw Third Grade struggle to win games. The inexperience of the group showed at crucial stages, and it was detrimental to the outcome of season. What looked to be another successful season ended in a very disappointing, but it allowed for a lot of lessons that the young team can take into their long grade careers.

Though the seasons end was poor, there are plenty of young players who will improve. The talent coming through Parramatta CC is a credit to the hard work of the coaching staff and the administration behind the scenes. To have lost so many players and still be competitive in all grades shows why the club belongs in the upper echelon of Sydney Grade Cricket. I am sure Third Grade will return next year, bigger and better than the year before.

Thank you too all the players, it was a pleasure to captain you this season and I hope we can all learn from this season and improve our cricket moving forward.

Matthew Giumelli.

Captain



THIRD GRADE

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE

Matches Played	16
Won	8
Lost	7
Drawn	0
No Result	1
Points	48
Position	9 th

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	3049	Wickets Lost:	117	Average:	26.05
Runs Against:	2931	Wickets taken:	130	Average:	22.54

SCORES 50 and OVER

M.Giumelli	145*	vs	Manly Warringah
A.Maraziotis	110	vs	Bankstown
T.Robinson	87	vs	Hawkesbury
A.Wijesinghe	84	vs	UNSW
M.Giumelli	78	vs	UNSW
L.Giumelli	71	vs	Hawkesbury
D.Guild	73	vs	Blacktown
T.Robinson	67	vs	Sydney University
R.Sharma	67	vs	Blacktown
A.Maraziotis	64	vs	Sydney University
C.Knight	63*	vs	Sydney
A.Wijesinghe	56	vs	Hawkesbury
M.Giumelli	55	vs	Bankstown
T.Robinson	54	vs	Western Suburbs
A.Ajithkumar	54	vs	Sutherland
N.Bateup	54	vs	Northern District
M.Giumelli	51	vs	Sydney University
M.Giumelli	50	vs	Western Suburbs
D.Guild	50*	vs	Mosman

5 WICKETS or MORE in INNINGS

G.Venica-Singh	5/42	vs	Bankstown
P.Lamont	5/44	vs	Sydney University

PARTNERSHIPS 50 and OVER

A.Wijesinghe – M.Giumelli	136	vs	UNSW – 3 rd wicket
A.Wijesinghe – T.Robinson	128	vs	Hawkesbury – 1 st wicket
T.Robinson – A.Maraziotis	122	vs	Sydney University – 1 st wicket
D.Guild – R.Sharma	119	vs	Blacktown – 4 th wicket
A.Maraziotis – M.Giumelli	91	vs	Bankstown – 3 rd wicket
A.Maraziotis – A.Arnold	79	vs	Bankstown – 3 rd wicket
D.Guild – M.Giumelli	69	vs	Western Suburbs – 3 rd wicket
N.Bateup – T.Robinson	64	vs	UTS North Sydney – 1 st wicket
R.Sharma – C.Knight	58	vs	Fairfield-Liverpool – 4 th wicket
A.Ajithkumar – T.Robinson	57	vs	Sydney – 1 st wicket
L.Giumelli – Prangan Das	54	vs	Hawkesbury – 8 th wicket
A.Ajithkumar – C.Knight	53	vs	Sydney – 4 th wicket
A.Ajithkumar – T.Macdonald	52	vs	Sutherland – 6 th wicket
C.Knight – L.Giumelli	52	vs	Sydney – 6 th wicket
L.Roche – L.Giumelli	50	vs	Hawkesbury – 7 th wicket

THIRD GRADE

SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
1	Parramatta 4/151 (20) M. Giumelli 35 (31) N. Bateup 34 (29) T. McDonald 32* (24)	def by	UTS North Sydney 6/152 (19.2) C. Culnane 2/22 P. Lamont 1/22 Prapta Das 1/32 Prangan Das 1/39	Bon Andrews Park (North Sydney Oval No. 2)
2	Parramatta 82 (19.4) L. Giumelli 23 (31) T. Robinson 16 (13)	def	Campbelltown Camden 81 (20) C.Culnane 3/10 P.Lamont 3/25	Old Kings Oval
3	Parramatta 180 (41.2) T.Robinson 54 (37) M.Giumelli 50 (55) D.Guild 40 (61)	def by	Western Suburbs 290 (49.2) P. Lamont 3/23 C.Culnane 3/61 A.Maraziotis 2/56	Merrylands Oval OD
4	Parramatta 5/220 dec. (61.1) A. Maraziotis 110 (193) M. Giumelli 55 (46) A. Arnold 39 (78)	def	Bankstown 145 (56.4) & 1/24 (18) G. Venica-Singh 5/42 L. Giumelli 2/22	Kelso Park North
5	Parramatta 6/249 (45.2) T.Robinson 67 (90) A.Maraziotis 64 (83) M.Giumelli 51 (47)	def	Sydney University 248 (49.4) P.Lamont 5/44 Prangan Das 4/39	Merrylands Oval OD

6	Parramatta 8/361 dec. (80) T.Robinson 87 (129) L.Giumelli 71 (61) A.Wijesinghe 56 (77) Prangan Das 34*	def	Hawkesbury 131(42.3) & 1/41 (7) L. Roche 4/22 Prapta Das 3/24 C.Culnane 2/26 C.Culnane 1/11	Merrylands Oval
7	Parramatta 181 (48.4) A. Wijesinghe 84 (106) M. Giumelli 78 (88) A. Ajithkumar 37* (29)	def	Sutherland 145 (41.2) P. Lamont 3/22 M. Giumelli 3/36	Tonkin Parkl OD
8	Parramatta 5/263 (49.3) A. Boreddy 49 (76) R. McDowell 27 (48) N. Bateup 26 (47)	def	UNSW 6/262 (50) M. Giumelli 2/44 L. Giumelli 2/75	Merrylands Oval OD
9	Parramatta 5/217 (42.5) B.Knight 63* (52) A.Ajithkumar 49 (100) T.Robinson 27 (49)	def	Sydney 213 (48.4) A.Arnold 3/30 K.Rana 2/35 Prangan Das 2/48	Birchgrove Oval OD
10	Parramatta 5/234 (49) D. Guild 73 (108) R. Sharma 67 (66) M. Giumelli 33 (31)	def	Blacktown 148 (41.4) K. Rana 3/20 L. Giumelli 2/20 Prangan Das 2/44	Whalan Reserve (Hanshaw Oval) OD
11	Parramatta 133 (33.5) D.Guild 50* (75)	def by	Mosman 4/134 (20) Prangan Das 1/23 K. Rana 1/23 P. Lamont 1/48	Merrylands Oval OD
12 Washed Out	Parramatta	drawn	Gordon	Merrylands Oval OD
13	Parramatta 9/282 dec. (68.1) M. Giumelli 145* (198) R. Sharma 40 (40)	def by	Manly Warringah 6/284 (66.4) Prapta Das 3/48 K. Rana 2/82	L.M. Graham Reserve
14	Parramatta 182 (37.1) C. Knight 39 (46) L. Giumelli 30 (23)	def by	Eastern Suburbs 6/269 (50) M. Giumelli 2/33 N. Bateup 2/48 L. Giumelli 2/56	Merrylands Oval OD
15	Parramatta 179 (77.5) N. Bateup 54 (116) H. Seoung 47 (138)	def by	Northern District 196 (63.5) R. Grieve 4/45 C. Culnane 2/31	Asquith Oval
16	Parramatta 135 (35.2) R. Sharma 45 (63) C. Culnane 25 (33) C. Knight 19 (32)	def by	Fairfield-Liverpool 168 (57.5) M. Giumelli 3/24 N. Bateup 2/20 G. Venica-Singh 2/35	Don Dawson

THIRD GRADE (MITCHELL CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
Overall

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OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Western Suburbs 3rd	16	69	2	1.414	0.673	11	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2999	735.4	118	2802	823.2	156
2 Northern District 3rd	16	65	1	1.306	0.869	10	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	3113	676.5	102	2639	707.3	113
3 Manly Warringah 3rd	16	65	2	1.295	0.383	11	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	3003	779.3	117	2595	748	131
4 St George 3rd	16	60	2	1.4	0.748	10	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	3198	758.5	110	2574	742.4	124
5 Eastern Suburbs 3rd	16	55	0	1.225	0.704	8	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	3153	730.4	130	2752	762.1	139
6 Penrith 3rd	16	55	2	1.158	0.527	8	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	2478	666.4	120	2727	855	153
7 Randwick Petersham 3rd	16	53.5	1	1.093	0.389	8	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	3008	719.4	122	3067	809.1	136
8 UNSW 3rd	16	49	0	1.141	-0.387	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3296	813.3	114	3268	736.1	129
9 Parramatta Third Grade	16	48	0	1.155	0.017	8	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	3049	756.4	117	2931	730.3	130
10 Mosman 3rd	16	45	0	0.988	-0.295	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2939	789.1	140	2696	670.4	127
11 UTS North Sydney 3rd	16	41	2	0.837	0.102	6	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	2966	724.3	147	2965	742.5	123
12 Blacktown 3rd	16	38	1	0.914	-0.247	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2464	725.4	111	2718	746	112
13 Gordon 3rd	16	38	1	0.913	-0.279	6	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	2833	721.5	122	3076	731.4	121
14 Bankstown 3rd	16	35.5	0	0.784	-0.348	5	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	2821	779.3	136	3016	760.1	114
15 Sydney University 3rd	16	34	0	0.88	0.208	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2834	716.2	117	2944	785.3	107
16 Fairfield-Liverpool 3rd	16	34	0	0.728	-0.706	5	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	2847	806.2	155	2873	678	114
17 Sutherland 3rd	16	32	0	1.048	-0.472	5	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2961	805.5	108	2982	719.1	114
18 Campbelltown Camden 3rd	16	31	0	0.908	-0.558	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	2572	753.2	120	2618	659	111
19 Hawkesbury 3rd	16	25	0	0.585	-0.949	3	9	0	3	0	0	0	0	2265	665.4	127	3078	707.1	101
20 Sydney 3rd	16	21	0	0.71	-0.574	3	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	2865	743.3	129	3343	755	107

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THIRD GRADE (MITCHELL CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder
2 Day+

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2 DAY+

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	W2	W1	L	L2	L1	DRAW	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Eastern Suburbs 3rd	5	28	1.505	1.338	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1394	54	1166	68
2 Northern District 3rd	5	25	1.52	0.872	4	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1377	38	1144	48
3 Randwick Petersham 3rd	5	24	1.48	1.034	4	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1125	44	1071	62
4 Manly Warringah 3rd	5	24	1.363	0.244	4	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1165	38	1079	48
5 Penrith 3rd	5	23	1.185	0.439	3	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	838	47	1023	68
6 Sutherland 3rd	5	20	1.36	-0.265	3	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1127	34	1072	44
7 Western Suburbs 3rd	5	19	1.451	0.62	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1238	41	1144	55
8 UNSW 3rd	5	19	1.434	-0.43	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1200	45	1078	58
9 Sydney University 3rd	5	19	1.008	0.855	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1144	45	1059	42
10 Parramatta Third Grade	5	12	1.36	0.246	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1177	42	989	48
11 Mosman 3rd	5	12	0.773	-0.54	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1103	61	1075	46
12 St George 3rd	5	7	1.07	0.196	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	987	39	922	39
13 Campbelltown Camden 3rd	5	7	0.971	-0.636	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	1063	46	999	42
14 Bankstown 3rd	5	7	0.788	-0.371	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	1069	50	1193	44
15 Gordon 3rd	5	7	0.773	-0.48	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	1315	58	1378	47
16 Blacktown 3rd	5	7	0.733	-0.404	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	886	50	1015	42
17 Fairfield-Liverpool 3rd	5	7	0.547	-1.01	1	0	1	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	1095	68	1205	41
18 UTS North Sydney 3rd	5	6	0.797	-0.155	1	0	1	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	1353	64	1273	48
19 Sydney 3rd	5	6	0.771	-0.527	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	940	51	1218	51
20 Hawkesbury 3rd	5	1	0.349	-1.351	0	0	0	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	924	56	1417	30

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THIRD GRADE (MITCHELL CUP)

MATCHESSTANDINGSSTATS

Ladder
One Day

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ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 St George 3rd	9	47	2	1.636	1.089	7	1	0	1	0	1846	60	1354	72
2 Western Suburbs 3rd	9	47	2	1.577	0.925	7	1	0	1	0	1525	59	1360	83
3 Manly Warringah 3rd	9	35	2	1.353	0.523	5	3	0	1	0	1551	67	1231	72
4 Northern District 3rd	9	34	1	1.095	0.493	4	2	0	3	0	1345	50	1228	50
5 Mosman 3rd	9	33	0	1.245	0.165	5	3	0	1	0	1603	67	1345	70
6 Parramatta Third Grade	9	33	0	1.037	-0.103	5	3	0	1	0	1639	61	1709	66
7 UTS North Sydney 3rd	9	32	2	0.876	0.276	4	3	1	1	0	1332	69	1410	64
8 UNSW 3rd	9	30	0	1.066	-0.068	5	4	0	0	0	1784	57	1849	63
9 Penrith 3rd	9	29	2	1.146	0.507	4	4	0	1	0	1395	65	1460	78
10 Blacktown 3rd	9	28	1	0.983	-0.099	4	4	0	1	0	1329	52	1455	56
11 Randwick Petersham 3rd	9	28	1	0.929	-0.394	4	4	0	1	0	1607	63	1702	62
12 Bankstown 3rd	9	27	0	0.776	-0.374	4	4	0	1	0	1547	69	1617	56
13 Gordon 3rd	9	25	1	0.937	-0.11	3	4	0	2	0	1269	56	1451	60
14 Eastern Suburbs 3rd	9	24	0	1.009	0.087	3	4	0	2	0	1458	64	1286	57
15 Campbelltown Camden 3rd	9	24	0	0.956	-0.332	3	4	0	2	0	1301	56	1409	58
16 Fairfield-Liverpool 3rd	9	24	0	0.824	-0.451	3	4	1	1	0	1520	75	1426	58
17 Hawkesbury 3rd	9	21	0	0.818	-0.649	2	4	0	3	0	1115	57	1434	60
18 Sydney 3rd	9	15	0	0.634	-0.624	2	6	0	1	0	1694	65	1848	45
19 Sutherland 3rd	9	9	0	0.827	-0.685	1	7	0	1	0	1580	63	1666	55
20 Sydney University 3rd	9	9	0	0.746	-0.442	1	7	0	1	0	1427	67	1627	57

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RA: Runs Against WT: Wickets Taken

THIRD GRADE (MITCHELL CUP)

MATCHESSTANDINGSSTATS

Ladder
T20

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T20

Team	P	PTS	Q	NR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Gordon 3rd	2	6	1.764	0.773	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	249	35.5	8	247	40	14
2 Sydney University 3rd	2	6	1.631	1.362	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	33.4	5	258	40	8
3 Northern District 3rd	2	6	1.569	3.1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	391	40	14	267	40	15
4 St George 3rd	2	6	1.447	1.674	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	365	40	11	298	40	13
5 Manly Warringah 3rd	2	6	0.923	0.46	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	287	37.5	12	285	40	11
6 Blacktown 3rd	2	3	1.561	0.324	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	249	38.1	9	248	40	14
7 Sutherland 3rd	2	3	1.419	0.146	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	254	40	11	244	39.2	15
8 Fairfield-Liverpool 3rd	2	3	1.198	-0.25	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	232	40	12	242	40	15
9 Eastern Suburbs 3rd	2	3	1.17	-0.006	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	301	40	12	300	39.5	14
10 Parramatta Third Grade	2	3	1.142	-0.098	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	233	40	14	233	39.2	16
11 Penrith 3rd	2	3	0.878	0.115	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	245	36.5	8	244	37.2	7
12 Western Suburbs 3rd	2	3	0.791	-1.549	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	236	40	18	298	40	18
13 UTS North Sydney 3rd	2	3	0.782	0.094	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	281	39.2	14	282	40	11
14 Hawkesbury 3rd	2	3	0.782	-0.297	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	226	40	14	227	38.1	11
15 Bankstown 3rd	2	1.5	0.819	-0.025	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	205	40	17	206	40	14
16 Randwick Petersham 3rd	2	1.5	0.751	-0.449	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	276	40	15	294	40	12
17 Mosman 3rd	2	0	0.773	-1.668	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	233	40	12	276	36.5	11
18 Sydney 3rd	2	0	0.705	-1.848	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	231	40	13	277	36.2	11
19 UNSW 3rd	2	0	0.609	-1.773	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	312	40	12	341	38	8
20 Campbelltown Camden 3rd	2	0	0.605	-0.553	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	208	40	18	210	36.3	11

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OF: Overs Faced WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled WT: Wickets Taken

2025 - 2026 Third Grade Statistics - Mitchell Cup															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Giumelli, Matthew	14	13	40.58	487	1	145	14	5	280	444	3--24	20	6	0	0
Robinson, Theo	12	12	27.5	330	0	87	0	0	0	0	0--0		4	13	0
Guild, Damien	8	8	36.14	253	1	73	0	0	8	6	0--8		6	0	0
Sharma, Reyansh	8	6	35.17	211	0	67	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Wijesinghe, Aston	6	6	32.5	195	0	84	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Giumelli, Luke	15	10	24.25	194	2	71	11	3	477	598	2--20	43.36	11	0	0
Maraziotis, Athan	3	3	61.67	185	0	110	3	3	86	132	2--56	28.67	2	0	0
Knight, Cameron	8	7	34.2	171	2	63	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Ajithkumar, Advik	6	6	33.8	169	1	54	0	0	8	6	0--8		1	0	0
Bateup, Nicholas	10	8	16.88	135	0	54	5	5	181	276	2--20	36.2	1	0	0
Arnold, Akash	11	10	12.22	110	1	39	3	4	130	228	2--30	43.33	8	0	0
Macdonald, Tom	7	6	18.8	94	1	32	0	0	0	0	0--0		4	0	0
Seoung, Hamilton	5	4	19.5	78	0	47	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	0	0
Grieve, Rory	8	7	12.75	51	3	13	4	4	62	113	4--45	15.5	6	0	0
Das, Prangan	9	4	12.33	37	1	34	15	4	299	414	4--39	19.93	0	0	0
Culnane, Connor	12	8	6.17	37	2	25	16	16	329	533	3--10	20.56	3	0	0
Akle, Charlie	4	3	11.67	35	0	19	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	2	0
Roche, Liam	2	2	15.5	31	0	25	4	4	50	87	4--22	12.5	0	0	0
Lamont, Patrick	8	4	11	22	2	8	16	7	254	362	5--44	15.88	2	0	0
Dempsey, Luke	1	1	14	14	0	14	0	0	35	30	0--35		0	0	0
DAS, PRAPTA	2	1		13	1	13	4	4	64	96	3--24	16	1	0	0
Venica-Singh, Gabriel	5	3	1.67	5	0	4	9	6	176	276	5--42	19.56	3	0	0
Rana, Kabir	9	5	1	2	3	1	11	7	312	538	3--20	28.36	1	0	0
Edwards, Ryan	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	--		0	3	0
Sullivan, Michael	1	1		2	1	2	1	2	21	44	1--21	21	0	0	0
Willoughby, Harry	2	0		0	0	0	1	3	72	90	1--15	72	0	0	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB THE MITCHELL CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET THIRD GRADE - 2025 / 2026



**Back Row: Inset: Paul Giumelli (Manager & Director), Connor Culnane, Charlie Akle, Cameron Knight, Kabir Rana, Luke Giumelli, Luke Dempsey,
Inset: Theo Robinson, Damien Guild**

Middle Row: Inset: Advik Ajithkumar, Reyansh Sharma, Nicholas Bateup, Matthew Giumelli (Captain), Hamilton Seoung, Rory Grieve, Inset: Akash Arnold

Front Row: Inset: Aston Wijesinghe, Tom Macdonald, Prangan Das, Patrick Lamont



FOURTH GRADE SEASON PHOTOS



Fourth Grade Report

Position: – 7th

The 25/26 season was a challenging one, particularly with a lot of injuries throughout. The boys did extremely well to end up 1 point out of the top 6 (7th position) given we had lost 3 of the first 5 games. The playing group never gave up right to the last innings but unfortunately missed out on finals this season.

Rd 1 – The boys travelled to Tunk's to do battle with UTS on a slow wicket with a lot of grass. Opting to bowl first in a T20 to get the feel of the ground. A big performance from young Hamilton with 4/29, we restricted them to 125 runs off their allotted 20 overs. It looked to be cruisy before having to do a bit of catch up on the required run rate, Ryan Edwards gets the job done on the last ball!

Rd 2 – The second T20 of 2 for the year, another away game but this time down at Raby Road with what seemed to be our youngest side to date. The boys come away with a scratchy 22 run victory, but the ghosts never really looked in the game thanks to some tight bowling from Evan David and Kabir Rana.

Rd 3 - After a strong start to the year the boys were feeling confident (maybe too confident) as we were beaten convincingly by Wests (defeated by 112 runs). Still in T20 mode we did not adapt to the one-day format and tried to run the total down as quickly as possible.

Rd 4 – The first game at the fortress (Merrylands Oval), we put on a solid total of 258, however we were looking like 350 at one point as the wicket was as flat as always. Strong performances by Advik and Cam Knight with the bat and Harry Willoughby with the ball were not enough to stop Bankstown running down the total (by 2 wickets).

Rd 5 – The boys took on Sydney University in a rain affected one day match. Rey Sharma the standout batsmen scoring 51 of the 116-run total. The bowlers all chipped in and did their best to defend what seemed to be a tricky total on that wicket, particularly Jack McFadden and his outstanding 4/20 spell was all but enough to take home the W.

Rd 6 – After 3 straight defeats, confidence was a little down but having fought to the end for the last 2 there was always strong belief that we could turn it around. We did just that by dominating hapless Hawkesbury bowling them out for a low 130 runs thanks to 6/35 incredible spell of off-spin showcasing his class. Rey and Rory dominated with the bat on a wicket that was not easy to get started on by putting on around 170 runs between the pair. We scored quickly and attempted an outright win to no avail.

Rd 7 – Back to the home of 4th grade, we came up against mid table Sutherland who are not to take lightly. The opposition chose to bowl first on a flat wicket, Hamilton and Charlie both scoring 50s to help us to a solid 255 total. Tight bowling from our pacemen Harry and Bates with economies in the 3s kept Sutherland out of the contest until a fightback which proved to be too late. The boys back in full confidence leading into the summer.

Rd 8 – We then took on ladder leaders UNSW (who played in the GF). Bowling first on solid wicket, young Leon Cooray was the man with the ball due to his impressive tight bowling from one end (1/34 off 10) restricted UNSW to 227. They were confident that was enough,

but the boys batted fearlessly to run down the score 6 down in 43 overs thanks to Cam Knight who batted on one leg for his unbeaten 68 and Tommy Mac's 50.

Rd 9 – Three wins on the trot; it was important to keep the momentum going into Christmas. The boys chased down a tricky total of 205 back at Merrylands with 2 wickets to spare. Another top shelf bowling performance by Leon Cooray (2/19 off 10) and batting performances by Hamo (43), Bates (46) and fill in skipper Luke “ticket” Dempsey (51*).

Rd 10 – The wins kept compiling and our ladder position continuously improving. We played against bottom of the table Blacktown. We bowled first and Blacktown put on 220 runs off their 50. Well shared in the wickets with Evan taking 3, Kaito, Bates and Sheeks 2 each. Not a big score but we had to stay locked in. We chased down the total with ease only 5 down (Yusof 75* and Liam 61) with 14 overs to spare.

Rd 11 – The last game before Christmas and the boys were on a roll and full of confidence. Mosman in good form had chose to bat first and were looking comfortable against the pace bowlers when conditions got dry. A change of pace with Leon and Sheeks controlling the game, Mosman put on 233 runs for us to chase. Our openers came out firing going at 9 an over for the first 8 overs without loss of wicket which put us in control. Then came Rory to join Hamilton to score 83* and 73 which saw us finish the first half of the season on a high.

Rd 12 – Abandoned match

Rd 13 – Round 12 saw us still in the top 6 but we knew this was the important part of the season where a loss could really dent our position on the ladder. We came up against strong Manly side at home and were unfortunately too good for us despite century from Yusof (105).

Rd 14 – We headed out to the city to take on Easts which was the crucial game for us to keep our finals hopes in our hands. Akash and Sheeks taking 7 wickets between them kept Easts to 234 which we believed was more than they deserved due to sloppy fielding. Roche with 49 and Tom 42 were without support and unfortunately a collapse had seen us lose by 64 runs.

Rd 15 – Hopes were still alive and we were up against a finals team in Northern District. Harry led the way taking a clinical 5/32 (15.3) which saw ND's collapse to only 152 runs on a solid Merrylands wicket. We tried to run the score down a little too quickly which put us in a bit of a scare at 4/89. Demo with a calm head (41) and Rochie with a power and brute (113*) took the game away from the opposition and saw us win convincingly. Another attempt of outright was too much on a belter.

Rd 16 – The final round of the comp and the equation was either win outright or hope for results to fall our way. Unfortunately neither of the two happened but we did not die wondering. We bowled Fairfield out for only 140 runs (Rory 4fa, Leon 3fa) and put on a quick 205 runs 5 wickets down (Sheeks 60, Akash 55, Rory 40) to attempt at the near impossible task of winning outright at Merrylands Oval. We had Fairfield down 3/62 before time had run out on us.

The fourth grade playing group (minimum 8 games):

Harry Willoughby (13 games) - a sound season for Harry with a bowling average of 29. Bowled well but was without luck on many occasions yet still bowled consistently tight (economy 3.35). He found his form taking a 5fa late in the season and will look to carry that form into the next year.

Jack McFadden (13 games) – Jack had a breakout season by taking 16 wickets @ 24.81 and cementing his spot in 4s. Still young and lots to offer the club. Looking forward to seeing him progress again.

Oliver Sheekey (12 games) – once again reliable and easy to manage. Sheeks contributed with both bat and ball, scoring 249 runs @ 24.9 and 8 wickets @ 24.13. He has quickly become one of the experienced/ mature heads in the side.

Hamilton Seoung (11 games) – it didn't start as planned but Hamilton improved out of sight once he found his feet. A classy left handed batsmen and a handy leggie. Hamo finished the season well with 282 runs @ 28.2. Excited to see what's ahead for him.

Ryan Edwards (9 games) - After a year out of the game, it was great to have Eddo back in the team (despite the constant nagging for a bowl). His contribution with the gloves was much needed in the side and always kept up the energy in the team.

Leon Cooray (8 games) – a rising star in the spinners department. His first year in 4s and showed a lot of poise and calmness despite lack of experience in grade cricket. Taking 10 wickets @ 27.8, it was his economy rate that was the impressive number (2.81). The wickets will come as he gains more experience.

Rory Grieve (8 games) - another outstanding season with bat in hand. Scoring 277 runs @39.57. Maturity and strength was a feature of his batting game. Finished the year strongly with ball in hand once he overcame his injury, taking a 4fa at the back end of the year.

Liam Roche (8 games) – while unable to bowl in higher grades, Liam was a strong contributor with the bat in 4s including his memorable 113 sending balls into orbit. His leadership in the side was also appreciated and much needed for the younger players coming through.

Cameron Knight (8 games) – a rising talent who didn't waste any time making his mark in the team as a batter. Scoring 226 runs @ 45.2 and doing it so easily. He was deservedly promoted up the grades proving too good for fourth grade.

Yusof Brown © (14 games) – not a bad season for the veteran skippers 15th year at Parramatta. Leading the batting aggregate with 334 runs @ 33.4 and making a comeback with his pace bowling, stealing a few poles. Did someone say another season?

Thanks to the following players who played a handful of games in 4s and helped the team success and look forward to the years to come.

Evan David, Kabir Rana, Rey Sharma, Tom Macdonald, Charlie Akle, Advik Ajithkumar, Kaito Forrest, Ronav Aparajit, Nilaathan Kulendran.

Special mention to Luke Dempsey who for the love of the club, came back out of retirement to fill in the skipper role for a few of games. The club will always remember his contributions and continuous contributions in helping the younger players and they all learn from his experience. The skipper certainly appreciates his presence.

Although we narrowly missed the finals, the inexperience of the playing group and with all the injury blows, the club can be proud of another successful season. To finish 7th and had more wins than 3 teams above us, we can take a lot of positives into season 2026/27 and hope to reach ultimate glory by bringing home the Reid Cup.

Thank you once again to all the coaches, Jason Coleman, Paul Sullivan, Paul Giumelli and Allen Turrell. It's not only giving their time to coaching every week but the mental and emotional support they give to the players that goes a long way in helping this club to be as successful as it is. Thanks to all the parents for continued support at the games and thanks to all the players for all the memories.

Yusof Brown

4th Grade Skipper

FOURTH GRADE

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE

Matches Played	16
Won 1 st innings	10
Won Outright	0
Lost 1 st Innings	5
Lost Outright	0
Drawn	1
Tied	0
Points	57
Position	7 th

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	3021	Wickets Lost:	111	Average:	27.2
Runs Against:	3074	Wickets taken:	122	Average:	25.2

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SCORES 50 and OVER

Liam Roche	113*	v	Northern District
Yusof Brown	105	v	Manly Warringah
Reyansh Sharma	93	v	Hawkesbury
Hamilton Seoung	83*	v	Mosman
Rory Grieve	80	v	Hawkesbury
Yusof Brown	75*	v	Blacktown
Cameron Knight	74	v	Bankstown
Rory Grieve	73	v	Mosman
Cameron Knight	68*	v	UNSW
Advik Ajithkumar	68	v	Bankstown
Liam Roche	61	v	Blacktown
Oliver Sheekey	60	v	Fairfield-Liverpool
Charlie Akle	59	v	Sutherland
Akash Arnold	55	v	Fairfield-Liverpool
Hamilton Seoung	55	v	Sutherland
Luke Dempsey	51*	v	Sydney
Reyansh Sharma	51	v	Sydney University
Tom Macdonald	50	v	UNSW

5 Wickets or More in Innings

Kabir Rana	6/35	v	Hawkesbury
Harry Willoughby	5/32	v	Northern District

Batting (Aggregate)

Yusof Brown 334 runs @ 33.4 – H.S 105

Bowling (Aggregate)

Jack McFadden 16 wickets @ 24.81 B.B 4/20 (9 overs)

BATTING PARTNERSHIPS (100 RUNS OR MORE)

R. Grieve & R. Sharma – 169 runs (3rd wicket partnership) v Hawkesbury
H. Seoung & R. Grieve – 108 runs (4th wicket partnership) v Mosman



SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
1	Parramatta 5/128	def	UTS North Sydney 7/125	Tunks Park
Won toss – Bowled	A Ajithkumar 34 (43)		H Seoung 4/29 (4)	
2	Parramatta 8/126	def	Campbelltown Camden 5/104	Raby Sports 2
Won toss – Batted	R Aparajit 26 (39)		K Rana 2/17 (4)	
3	Parramatta 151	Def by	Western Suburbs 5/263	Blick Oval
Lost toss – Bowled	R Sharma 45 (39) C Knight 44* (35)		Y Brown 2/13 (3) J McFadden 2/62 (10)	
4	Parramatta 258	Def by	Bankstown 8/259	Merrylands Oval
Lost toss – Batted	C Knight 74 (85) A Ajithkumar 68 (133)		H Willoughby 4/78 (22.1)	
5	Parramatta 116	Def by	Sydney University 8/123	Marrickville Oval
Lost toss – Batted	R Sharma 51 (60)		J McFadden 4/20 (9)	
6	Parramatta 6/218d	def	Hawkesbury 130 & 0/79	Bensons Lane – Oval 2
Won toss – Bowled	R Sharma 93 (117) R Grieve 80 (103)		K Rana 6/35 (17)	
7	Parramatta 9/255	def	Sutherland 9/207	Merrylands Oval
Lost toss – Batted	C Akle 59 (40) H Seoung 55 (81)		K Rana 3/42 (9) J McFadden 2/29 (6)	
8	Parramatta 6/228	def	UNSW 5/227	Cahill Park
Won toss – Bowled	C Knight 68* T Macdonald 50		T Mcdonald 2/40 (9)	
9	Parramatta 8/206	def	Sydney 7/205	Merrylands Oval
Won toss – Bowled	L Dempsey 51* N Bateup 46 H Seoung 43		L Cooray 2/19 (10) N Bateup 2/20 (6)	
10	Parramatta 5/222	def	Blacktown 220	Merrylands Oval
Won toss – Bowled	Y Brown 75* L Roche 61		E David 3/27 (7)	
11	Parramatta 4/235	def	Mosman 9/233	Rawson Oval
Lost Toss – Bowled	H Seoung 83* (106) R Grieve 73 (69)		C Culnane 3/50 (8) O Sheekey 2/37 (10)	
12	Parramatta 0/0	drew with	Gordon 0/0	Killara Park
Match Abandoned				
13	Parramatta 248	def by	Manly Warringah 4/250	Merrylands Oval
Won toss – Batted	Y Brown 105 (126) O Sheekey 42 (85)		K Forrest 2/32 (12)	

14 Lost Toss – Bowled	Parramatta 170 L Roche 49 (56) T Macdonald 42 (57)	Def by	Eastern Suburbs 234 A Arnold 4/47 (10) O Sheekey 3/35 (8)	Trumper Park
15 Lost Toss – Bowled	Parramatta 5/247d L Roche 113* (91) L Dempsey 41 (35)	def	Northern District 152 & 2/61 H Willoughby 5/32 (15.3) & 2/15 (7) J McFadden 2/22 (12) L Cooray 2/28 (13)	Merrylands Oval
16 Won toss – Bowled	Parramatta 5/205d O Sheekey 60 A Arnold 55 R Grieve 40	def	Fairfield- Liverpool 140 & 3/62 R Grieve 4/21 (11) L Cooray 3/22 (14)	Merrylands Oval

FOURTH GRADE (REID CUP)

MATCHES **STANDINGS** STATS

Ladder

Overall

Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 UNSW 4th	16	72	2	1.532	0.7	11	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2939	733.4	105	2666	806.3	146
2 Eastern Suburbs 4th	16	71	0	1.73	1.077	11	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	2818	673.2	103	2561	824	162
3 St George 4th	16	64	1	1.271	0.37	11	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	3054	768.3	116	2795	775.2	135
4 Manly Warringah 4th	16	62	2	1.195	0.694	9	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	2538	610.1	103	2493	719.3	121
5 Northern District 4th	16	58	1	1.506	0.425	9	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	3223	766.1	108	2655	702.1	134
6 UTS North Sydney 4th	16	58	0	1.079	0.375	9	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	3020	755.1	138	2940	811.2	145
7 Parramatta Fourth Grade	16	57	0	1.08	0.834	10	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	3021	659.2	111	3074	820.2	122
8 Sydney University 4th	16	52	1	0.928	0.102	9	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	2758	725.4	125	2946	796.4	124
9 Bankstown 4th	16	48	0	1.1	-0.038	8	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	2620	757.1	110	2490	711.4	115
10 Western Suburbs 4th	16	43	1	1.123	0.058	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	3363	818.1	132	3040	750.2	134
11 Randwick Petersham 4th	16	42	0	0.867	0.02	6	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	3109	760.3	146	3242	797	132
12 Gordon 4th	16	42	0	0.866	-0.935	7	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	2848	736.2	125	3102	645.5	118
13 Mosman 4th	16	38	1	1.013	0.308	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	3127	782	138	2929	793.4	131
14 Penrith 4th	16	36	2	1.099	-0.028	5	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	2586	724.5	115	2638	733.3	129
15 Sutherland 4th	16	36	0	0.856	-0.396	5	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	2778	763.4	129	2867	710.4	114
16 Sydney 4th	16	33	0	0.857	0.055	5	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	2824	706	134	3098	785.2	126
17 Hawkesbury 4th	16	33	0	0.735	-0.973	4	9	0	3	0	0	0	0	2808	763.3	134	2935	631	103
18 Blacktown 4th	16	32	0	0.655	-0.946	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	2732	767.1	135	2966	658	96
19 Fairfield-Liverpool 4th	16	22	0	0.585	-1.623	3	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	2501	807.3	141	2846	602.5	94
20 Campbelltown Camden 4th	16	13	1	0.654	-0.526	1	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	2370	708.4	138	2754	711.3	105

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FIFTH GRADE (DAVID SHERWOOD CUP)

MATCHES **STANDINGS** STATS

Ladder

2 Day+

Show advanced ladder

2 DAY+

Team	P	PTS	Q	NR	W	W2	W1	L	L2	L1	DRAW	TIE	N/R	DISQ	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Eastern Suburbs 5th	5	34	1.594	1.964	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1121	42	1289	77
2 Parramatta Fifth Grade	5	28	1.966	1.204	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1041	43	751	61
3 Randwick Petersham 5th	5	25	1.64	1.028	4	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1370	36	1067	46
4 St George 5th	5	24	1.993	1.221	3	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1094	35	1035	66
5 Penrith 5th	5	24	1.417	0.059	4	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1134	52	800	52
6 Northern District 5th	5	22	1.34	1.127	3	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1050	47	1133	68
7 Sydney University 5th	5	18	1.17	0.52	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1354	60	1080	56
8 Mosman 5th	5	18	1.143	0.317	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1022	35	1098	43
9 UNSW 5th	5	16	1.292	0.361	2	1	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1244	55	1015	58
10 Manly Warringah 5th	5	13	1.461	0.559	2	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1356	45	1031	50
11 Blacktown 5th	5	13	1.032	-0.518	2	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1027	45	1127	51
12 Fairfield-Liverpool 5th	5	12	0.947	-0.046	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1032	55	951	48
13 Sydney 5th	5	12	0.645	-0.767	2	0	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1146	57	1278	41
14 UTS North Sydney 5th	5	8	1.082	-0.425	1	0	1	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	981	37	1298	53
15 Sutherland 5th	5	7	0.758	-1.203	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1086	54	1378	52
16 Hawkesbury 5th	5	6	0.609	-1.111	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	752	59	962	46
17 Gordon 5th	5	6	0.575	-1.575	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1140	52	1218	32
18 Bankstown 5th	5	6	0.442	-0.679	1	0	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	971	69	1272	40
19 Western Suburbs 5th	5	6	0.397	-1.886	1	0	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1174	79	1308	35
20 Campbelltown Camden 5th	5	2	0.669	-0.77	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	821	55	825	37

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FOURTH GRADE (REID CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

Show advanced ladder

ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 UNSW 4th	9	47	2	1.685	1.012	7	1	0	1	0	1658	52	1513	80
2 Eastern Suburbs 4th	9	42	0	1.474	0.882	6	1	1	1	0	1487	55	1449	79
3 Manly Warringah 4th	9	41	2	1.485	1.477	5	1	0	3	0	1291	44	1205	61
4 Northern District 4th	9	34	1	1.485	0.711	4	2	1	2	0	1855	59	1397	66
5 Western Suburbs 4th	9	34	1	1.38	0.531	5	3	0	1	0	1959	66	1556	72
6 St George 4th	9	34	1	1.061	0.057	5	3	0	1	0	1693	69	1502	65
7 Sydney University 4th	9	34	1	1.049	-0.062	5	3	0	1	0	1440	63	1503	69
8 UTS North Sydney 4th	9	33	0	1.11	-0.037	5	3	0	1	0	1506	63	1572	73
9 Parramatta Fourth Grade	9	33	0	0.944	0.064	5	3	0	1	0	1591	62	1712	63
10 Penrith 4th	9	29	2	1.327	0.802	4	4	0	1	0	1493	60	1387	74
11 Randwick Petersham 4th	9	27	0	0.726	-0.435	4	4	0	1	0	1679	76	1703	56
12 Gordon 4th	9	24	0	0.712	-0.832	3	4	0	2	0	1344	63	1616	54
13 Mosman 4th	9	22	1	1.076	0.587	3	5	0	1	0	1893	71	1758	71
14 Bankstown 4th	9	21	0	0.926	-0.274	3	5	0	1	0	1355	61	1318	55
15 Hawkesbury 4th	9	21	0	0.687	-0.908	2	4	0	3	0	1230	57	1476	47
16 Sutherland 4th	9	18	0	0.811	-0.607	2	5	0	2	0	1482	66	1605	58
17 Fairfield-Liverpool 4th	9	18	0	0.614	-1.355	2	5	0	2	0	1205	65	1509	50
18 Sydney 4th	9	15	0	0.752	-0.282	2	6	0	1	0	1558	71	1603	55
19 Campbelltown Camden 4th	9	13	1	0.728	-0.562	1	6	0	2	0	1364	61	1534	50
20 Blacktown 4th	9	12	0	0.709	-1.172	1	6	0	2	0	1525	67	1700	53

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FOURTH GRADE (REID CUP)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

T20

Show advanced ladder

T20

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Eastern Suburbs 4th	2	6	6.502	2.111	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	282	38.5	4	206	40	19
2 St George 4th	2	6	2.533	1.474	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	224	32	6	221	40	15
3 Gordon 4th	2	6	2.377	0.837	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	269	36.1	6	264	40	14
4 Northern District 4th	2	6	2.108	2.05	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	284	40	12	202	40	18
5 Sydney University 4th	2	6	1.53	1.928	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303	39.2	12	231	40	14
6 Parramatta Fourth Grade	2	6	1.023	0.625	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	254	40	13	229	40	12
7 UTS North Sydney 4th	2	3	1.625	1.724	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	299	40	12	230	40	15
8 Bankstown 4th	2	3	1.489	0.515	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	279	37	8	281	40	12
9 Fairfield-Liverpool 4th	2	3	1.157	-0.162	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	240	40	10	228	37	11
10 Mosman 4th	2	3	0.917	0.029	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	278	40	11	248	35.5	9
11 Western Suburbs 4th	2	3	0.805	-0.449	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	281	40	14	299	40	12
12 Randwick Petersham 4th	2	3	0.68	-1.099	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	251	40	15	295	40	12
13 Manly Warringah 4th	2	3	0.462	-0.051	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	232	38.5	15	234	38.5	7
14 Blacktown 4th	2	3	0.357	-1.625	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	212	40	15	277	40	7
15 Penrith 4th	2	0	0.875	-0.937	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	233	40	11	266	39.2	11
16 UNSW 4th	2	0	0.761	-0.753	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	195	40	13	197	35	10
17 Campbelltown Camden 4th	2	0	0.69	-1.163	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	211	40	13	235	36.3	10
18 Sydney 4th	2	0	0.513	-2.2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	259	40	16	347	40	11
19 Hawkesbury 4th	2	0	0.494	-2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	229	40	15	309	40	10
20 Sutherland 4th	2	0	0.44	-0.46	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	273	40	15	289	39.4	7

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2025 - 2026 Fourth Grade Statistics - Reid Cup

Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Brown, Yusof	14	13	33.4	334	3	105	4	3	75	96	2--13	18.75	5	1	0
Seoung, Hamilton	11	11	28.2	282	1	83	6	1	149	180	4--29	24.83	4	0	0
Grieve, Rory	8	7	39.57	277	0	80	4	6	68	144	4--21	17	1	0	0
Roche, Liam	8	7	44	264	1	113	1	1	80	121	1--34	80	5	0	0
Sheekey, Oliver	12	11	24.9	249	1	60	8	3	193	246	3--35	24.13	7	0	0
Sharma, Reyansh	6	6	38.17	229	0	93	0	0	33	30	0--5		0	0	0
Knight, Cameron	8	8	45.2	226	3	74	1	1	65	72	1--20	65	4	0	0
Ajithkumar, Advik	5	5	26.4	132	0	68	0	0	26	42	0--26		3	0	0
Macdonald, Tom	6	5	24.4	122	0	50	3	0	93	108	2--40	31	5	0	0
Dempsey, Luke	4	3	111	111	2	51	0	1	12	18	0--12		2	0	0
Akle, Charlie	6	6	23.75	95	2	59	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	12	0
Edwards, Ryan	9	7	14	84	1	22	0	0	0	0	--		1	8	0
Aparajit, Ronav	4	4	18.5	74	0	26	0	0	23	30	0--11		2	0	0
Bateup, Nicholas	3	3	23.67	71	0	46	5	1	82	138	2--20	16.4	2	0	0
Wijesinghe, Aston	3	3	22.33	67	0	36	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Arnold, Akash	3	3	21	63	0	55	4	1	78	102	4--47	19.5	1	0	0
Willoughby, Harry	13	8	7.17	43	2	19	15	21	445	796	5--32	29.67	3	0	0
Mani, Benjamin	2	2	29	29	1	16	0	0	2	12	0--2		1	0	0
McFadden, Jack	13	6	5.5	22	2	8	16	21	397	696	4--20	24.81	2	0	0
Cooray, Leon	9	3	6.5	13	1	11	10	15	278	594	3--22	27.8	3	0	0
David, Evan	7	3	4	12	0	6	6	0	158	180	3--27	26.33	4	0	0
Rana, Kabir	7	5	5.5	11	3	8	15	22	281	546	6--35	18.73	2	0	0
Hossack, Jonathon	1	1	7	7	0	7	1	1	22	54	1--22	22	0	0	0
Forrest, Kaito	5	2		6	2	6	7	3	170	252	2--32	24.29	0	0	0
Apps, Lachlan	1	1	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	4	2	2.5	5	0	4	3	5	35	96	2--17	11.67	1	0	0
Akle, Sebastian	2	1		3	1	3	1	2	33	60	1--1	33	1	0	0
Guild, Damien	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Lamont, Patrick	1	0		0	0	0	3	3	39	78	3--39	13	0	0	0
Coleman, Jason	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	26	48	1--26	26	1	0	0
Culnane, Connor	2	0		0	0	0	3	0	90	96	3--50	30	0	0	0
PATIL, NAVEEN	2	0		0	0	0	0	2	53	84	0--15		0	0	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB THE REID CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET FOURTH GRADE 2025 / 2026



**Back Row: Inset: Hamilton Seoung, Nilaathan Kulendran, Charlie Akle, Jack McFadden, Harry Willoughby, Akash Arnold, Paul Giumelli (Director), Inset: Evan David
Middle Row: Inset: Liam Roche, Rory Grieve, Leon Cooray, Yusof Brown (Captain), Oliver Sheekey, Luke Dempsey, Inset: Reyansh Sharma
Front Row: Inset: Ryan Edwards, Cameron Knight, Kabir Rana**



Fifth Grade Report- Runners up

Season 2025/26 saw another fantastic year for Parramatta Fifth grade and another memorable year for the Parramatta Cricket Club as a whole. Firstly, I do want to emphasise my gratitude and appreciation for the coaching staff at the club, without them our club would not be where it is today. We as a club are profoundly lucky to have coaches such as Jason Coleman, Paul Sullivan, Paul Giumelli, Allen Turrell and others, who work tirelessly to maintain the high standards set at the club.

After last season's heroics, to make it to a third consecutive grand final is an amazing achievement that the squad should be proud about. Unfortunately, this year's grand final did not go our way, however I am still filled with an immense sense of pride about our season.

Our season did not get off to an ideal start however, as we lost our first three games of the season, putting us immediately on the back foot. In saying this, rounds 1 and 2 were T20s and were only worth 3 points each, meaning the losses did not have as much weight on them. I am personally not a fan of T20 cricket in lower grades, especially in 5th grade. They do not help the development of the young cricketers coming through and they cater to sides who have older, more experienced players who can utilise their brute strength. Nevertheless, in these games it was still clear to see that the talent of our squad was there and I had full faith that it would shine through. Round 3 was a tough loss against Western Suburbs, however we were down to 9 players for half the game due to injuries to Kaito and Abishek mid game.

Each year I have been captaining Parramatta Fifth grade, we have been blessed with young talented cricketers coming through, and this year was no different. This season saw a fantastic group of young cricketers from our green shield make their mark in grade cricket this season and prove that they have what it takes to play at this level. Round 4 against Bankstown proved to be the first example of that, where Juhith Rajesidhiraju and Ronav Aparajit put on an incredible 199 first wicket partnership. These two players would become integral to our success this season, with Juhith amassing an incredible 677 runs at 35.63 and Ronav accumulating 447 runs at 27.94 for the season. It was fantastic to see these two young players develop throughout the season and it is evident that they both have big futures ahead of them.

An outright win against Bankstown in round 4 also kick started our season, marking the beginning of a 10 game winning run between rounds 4 and 14. During this period, we found our momentum and our talent began to shine through, as I knew it would. During this winning streak we also saw a number of our other Green Shielders begin to find their feet in Grade cricket, with Kaito Forrest and Leon Cooray being two of them.

Kaito is a talented right arm medium pacer who developed into one of our most reliable quicks this season. After a steady start to the season, Kaito grew in confidence and eventually found his way into 4th grade for a considerable chunk of the campaign, only coming back into 5th grade to qualify for finals. His 5/6 in the semi-final against St George (including a hat trick) was a remarkable spell of bowling that defined how much progress he had made throughout the season. I also believe he was the pick of our bowlers in the final against Fairfield/Liverpool. His 22 wickets at 13.59 along with 17 wickets in Green shield at

14.29 capped off a promising first season for the young quick. Leon was our frontline off spinner during the first half of the season and was consistently one of our better bowlers, particularly in the limited over games. Similar to Kaito, Leon's consistency eventually got him selected in 4th grade, where he spent the remainder of the season past Christmas. However, Leon played a crucial role for us during the finals where he helped out as a sub fielder and assisted with the hydration of the team (hydration is key).

Coming into round 14 we were now sitting 2nd and finals looked all but a certainty. We had just come off a great win against Manly Warringah, where another one of our young Green Shielders, Jayden Paskaranathan, had played a match winning knock of 76 off 64 balls to help us chase down Manly's 196. Round 14 saw us play Eastern Suburbs, who were sitting first and unfortunately it did not happen to be our day. We experienced a heavy loss against a strong Easts side. However in round 15 we bounced back against Northern Districts with an impressive win away from home. Kaito Forrest and Naveen (Guru) Patil were the standouts with 4 wickets apiece. Round 16 saw us lose heavily to eventual winners Fairfield/Liverpool, however we managed to finish 3rd after the regular season. A great achievement after losing our first three games.

While it is true that we have relied upon our young cricketers in 5th grade, our team has also been defined by our core group of senior players who have been together for the past 3 seasons. We have been incredibly lucky to have guys like Samad Shaikh and Naveen Patil, who along with myself, have been the core of the side throughout the last 3 seasons. Having a stable group of experienced players in 5th grade is a blessing and has been fundamental to our success in the past 3 seasons. Both players had fantastic campaigns with Samad finishing on 361 runs at 20.06 and The Guru finishing on 32 wickets at 12.31.

Additionally, we have been lucky to have players such as Jonty Hossack and Lachlan Apps who have also added real experience and quality to our side over the past 2 seasons. A stand out this season was Appsy's brilliant 112 off 51 balls against Sutherland in round 7. Whilst Appsy didn't have an ideal end of the season with the bat, he became an important bowling option for us, snagging 12 wickets for us during the season. Jonty came in midway through the season, and continued where he left off last season. Jonty's aggressiveness and will to win became vital to our bowling attack and was a significant factor in our success this season.

The finals series was a rollercoaster to say the least this year. Our quarter final was against Manly at our home ground The Green. I lost yet another toss (I lost most tosses this year) and we were sent in to bat. Our innings got off to an awful start as we were 3/15 early on and managed a modest total of 150 in our first innings. Manly, as expected, were quite confident they would chase this down with ease. However, The Guru had other ideas. After one of the great spells of bowling I have seen in years, Manly were skittled for 89 early on day 2, with Nav collecting 7/41 off 21.1 overs. The game was far but over as we had over sessions left in the day still. Juhith however, ensured that the game was out of reach for Manly in the 2nd innings, compiling 112 runs off 137 balls to ensure we were through to the semi-final against St George.

A repeat of the Grand Final last season, this time we did manage to get a full game of cricket in against St George, and boy did it deliver. I lost another toss and St George chose to bat first on an Old Kings wicket that is notorious for doing a bit early. This was indeed the case,

and some. Kaito Forrest this time stepped up with the ball with a remarkable spell of bowling, taking 5/6 including a hat trick. St George were bowled out for 44, a scarcely believable score at the time but one that put us in an almost unlovable position. We did however, try our best to make a game of it, by getting bowled ourselves for 93, resulting in St George coming out in the 2nd innings and putting on a score for us to chase in day 2. We were given 114 to chase on day 2, where Juhith once again stepped up with 52 not out. He may have run his skipper out at the end of the day, however we were through to a third consecutive grand final which was a fantastic achievement.

The Grand Final was a harsh learning experience for our young side. Fairfield Liverpool won the toss on a good batting wicket at Rosedale and unsurprisingly, chose to bat. After a good first session and having Fairfield 5/136, Jarrad Burke and one of their young cricketers compiled a chanceless partnership of over 200, essentially batting us out of the game. It was a tough couple of days for our boys out there, however I could not for any moment doubt their efforts and I am extremely proud of them. In all honesty, it would have been a great learning experience seeing someone of Jarrad's quality go about his work that day and I hope our boys took a lot away from it. Our innings did not go as planned, being bowled out for 210. However, tired minds and bodies would have played a role in that. As I said at the presentation night, if it takes one of the greatest first grade cricketers to ever do it to beat us, then so be it.

Overall I am so incredibly proud of our boys and our club, it gives me great pride to captain our fifth grade and hopefully next year we can make it four finals in a row. Great season boys.

Liam Gillies

Captain

OVERALL TEAM PERFORMANCE

Matches Played	19
Won	13
Lost	6
N/R / Drawn	0
Points	71
Position	3 rd Grand Finalists

RUNS FOR and AGAINST

Runs For:	3019	Wickets Lost:	118	Average:	25.58
Runs Against:	2534	Wickets taken:	146	Average:	17.35



SCORES 50 and OVER

J.Rajesidhiraju	125	vs	Bankstown
L.Apps	112	vs	Sutherland
J.Rajesidhiraju	112	vs	Manly Warringah QF
R.Aparajit	93	vs	Sutherland
R.Aparajit	87*	vs	Sydney University
J.Paskaranathan	81	vs	Sydney
J.Paskaranathan	76	vs	Manly Warringah
C.Akle	74	vs	Hawkesbury
C.Akle	67	vs	Bankstown
R.Aparajit	66	vs	Bankstown
S.Shaikh	66	vs	Fairfield Liverpool GF
J.Rajesidhiraju	59*	vs	Mosman
J.Rajesidhiraju	57	vs	UNSW
A.Ambardar	53	vs	Sydney
J.Rajesidhiraju	52*	vs	St George SF
S.Shaikh	51	vs	Bankstown

5 WICKETS or MORE in INNINGS

N.Patil	7/46	vs	Manly Warringah QF
K.Forrest	5/6	vs	St George SF
L.Gillies	5/109	vs	Fairfield Liverpool GF

PARTNERSHIPS 50 and OVER

R.Aparajit – J.Rajesidhiraju	199	vs	Bankstown – 1 st wicket
R.Aparajit – L.Apps	164	vs	Sutherland – 3 rd wicket
J.Rajesidhiraju – S.Shaikh	140	vs	Manly Warringah - 2 nd wicket QF
J.Paskaranathan – A.Ambardar	132	vs	Sydney – 6 th wicket
R.Aparajit – O.Sheekey	104	vs	Sydney University – 4 th wicket
J.Paskaranathan – J.Coleman	79	vs	Manly Warringah - 6 th wicket
C.Akle – A.Mohanaraj	78	vs	Hawkesbury – 5 th wicket
S.Shaikh – J.Paskaranathan	75	vs	Fairfield Liverpool – 4 th wicket GF
R.Aparajit – J.Rajesidhiraju	73	vs	Mosman – 1 st wicket
O.Sheekey – J.Coleman	69	vs	Hawkesbury – 7 th wicket
S.Shaikh – C.Akle	59	vs	Bankstown – 4 th wicket
L.Apps – A.Mohanaraj	58	vs	UNSW – 4 th wicket
S.Shaikh – C.Akle	57	vs	Western Suburbs – 4 th wicket
R.Edwards – J.Rajesidhiraju	56	vs	UNSW – 1 st wicket
S.Akle – L.Gillies	53	vs	Sutherland – 7 th wicket
J.Rajesidhiraju – L.Apps	51	vs	Mosman – 3 rd wicket
R.Aparajit – J.Rajesidhiraju	50	vs	Sydney University – 1 st wicket

FIFTH GRADE

SEASON MATCH SUMMARIES

RND				Venue
1	Parramatta 4/105 (20) A. Mohanaraj 30 (27) E. Natkunamanickam 25 (37) S. Shaikh 17 (25)	def by	UTS North Sydney 6/106 (19.1) L. Gillies 3/15 E. Natkunamanickam 1/19	Tunks Turf T20
2	Parramatta 9/87 (20) J. Rajesidhiraju 33 (43) L. Apps 29 (32)	def by	Campbelltown Camden 4/88 (19) B. Mani 1/13 N. Patil 1/14 L. Gillies 1/15 L. Cooray 1/17	Raby Sports Complex (Oval 2) T20
3	Parramatta 8/180 (36.2) C. Akle 42 (33) S. Shaikh 38 (56) O. Sheekey 23 (38)	def by	Western Suburbs 7/293 (50) N. Patil 3/39 L. Gillies 2/51 O. Sheekey 1/36	The Green OD
4	Parramatta 378 (79.5) J. Rajesidhiraju 125 (172) C. Akle 67 (47) R. Aparajit 66 (134) S. Shaikh 51 (82)	def outright	Bankstown 113 (37.5) & 69 (24.1) S. Akle 3/16 K. Forrest 2/19 L. Gillies 2/22 J. Hossack 2/29 J. Hossack 3/13 J. Rajesidhiraju 2/10 S. Akle 2/27	Grahame Thomas Oval
5	Parramatta 4/192 (40) R. Aparajit 87* (124) O. Sheekey 42 (49)	def	Sydney University 150 (39) L. Gillies 3/17 O. Sheekey 3/22	Camperdown Park
6	Parramatta 7/233 (45.3) C. Akle 74 (65) O. Sheekey 36* (26) A. Mohanaraj 29 (30)	def	Hawkesbury 127 (45.3) & 1/39 (26.5) J. Coleman 3/18 S. Akle 3/30 L. Cooray 1/1	The Green
7	Parramatta 321 (47) L. Apps 112 (51) R. Aparajit 93 (115) S. Akle 38 (39) L. Gillies 23 (23)	def	Sutherland 115 (36.3) L. Cooray 2/10 K. Forrest 2/24 S. Akle 2/28	The Green OD
8	Parramatta 5/231 (39.5) J. Rajesidhiraju 57 (58) G. Venica-Singh 38* (52) L. Apps 34 (30) A. Mohanaraj 32 (36)	def	UNSW 9/230 (50) B. Mani 3/26 L. Apps 2/37 L. Gillies 2/56	The Green OD
9	Parramatta 9/278 (50) J. Paskaranathan 81 (76) A. Ambardar 53 (57) B. Mani 30* (32)	def	Sydney 247 (47.1) N. Patil 4/26	Ryde Oval OD

10	Parramatta 166 (43.4) L. Apps 40 (69) J. Paskaranathan 38 (46)	def	Blacktown 151 (40.1) N. Patil 4/22 B. Mani 3/41	Rod Yendle Oval OD
11	Parramatta 3/161 (32.1) J. Rajesidhiraju 59* (82) R. Aparajit 37 (66) L. Apps 33 (16)	def	Mosman 6/160 (39) B. Mani 2/30	The Green OD
12	Parramatta 3/114 (21) J. Rajesidhiraju 36 (46) S. Shaikh 29* (49)	def	Gordon 132 (20.2) E. Natkunamanickam 3/13 J. Hossack 2/23 N. Patil 2/28	The Green OD
13	Parramatta 6/196 (59.2) J. Pakaranathan 76 (64) J. Coleman 31* (91) J. Rajesidhiraju 28 (67) L. Gillies 23* (53)	def	Manly Warringah 192 (79.4) N. Patil 3/18 L. Gillies 3/43 J. Hossack 2/25	Mike Pawleyl
14	Parramatta 110 (46.1) R. Aparajit 27 (58)	def by	Eastern Suburbs 3/111 (25.3) J. Hossack 2/26	Snape Oval OD
15	Parramatta 140 (63.3) & 0/37 (8) L. Apps 40 (85) A. Mohanaraj 31 (81) J. Rajesidhiraju 22 (78)	def	Northern Districts 89 (46.1) N. Patil 4/22 K. Forrest 4/37	Storey Park
16	Parramatta 57 (35) S. Shaikh 31* (87)	def by	Fairfield Liverpool 122 (43.5) B. Mani 3/23 L. Apps 2/19 J. Hossack 2/28	Fairfield Oval
QF	Parramatta 150 (57.4) & 7/240 (72) J. Paskaranathan 45 (61) A. Ambardar 29 (41) R. Aparajit 25 (72) J. Rajesidhiraju 112 (137) L. Gillies 38 (71) S. Shaikh 27 (116)	def	Manly Warringah 89 (48.1) N. Patil 7/46 J. Hossack 3/160	The Green
SF	Parramatta 93 (46.2) & 5/114 (44.4) J. Paskaranathan (29) J. Rajesidhiraju 27 (50) J. Rajesidhiraju 52* (116) R. Aparajit 20 (61)	def outright	St George 44 (40.3) & 9/162 dec.(47) K. Forrest 5/6 L. Gillies 3/12 J. Hossack 2/12 L. Gillies 4/40 L. Apps 2/21 K. Forrest 2/28	Old Kings Oval
GF	Parramatta 210 (56.1) S. Shaikh 66 (109) J. Paskaranathan 45 (56) N. Patil 36* (70)	def by	Fairfield Liverpool 430 (124.4) L. Gillies 5/109 K. Forrest 2/54	Rosedale Oval

FIFTH GRADE (DAVID SHERWOOD CUP)

MATCHES **STANDINGS** STATS

Ladder

Overall

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OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Eastern Suburbs 5th	16	81	5	1.709	2.016	12	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2961	613.4	101	274.4	977	160
2 Fairfield-Liverpool 5th	16	74	5	1.343	0.705	12	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2437	669.1	120	2298	782.3	152
3 Parramatta Fifth Grade	16	71	1	1.474	0.849	11	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3019	694.3	118	2534	724.3	146
4 Manly Warringah 5th	16	67	3	1.65	1.11	11	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	3135	733	112	2442	771.1	144
5 Penrith 5th	16	65	2	1.353	0.024	10	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	2713	775.4	112	2237	644.1	125
6 St George 5th	16	64	1	1.436	1.002	10	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2738	678.3	112	2689	886.3	158
7 Northern District 5th	16	62	1	1.305	0.918	10	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	3049	668.1	125	2970	814.5	159
8 Randwick Petersham 5th	16	56	1	1.039	0.595	8	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	2988	690.4	110	2717	728.2	104
9 UTS North Sydney 5th	16	54	1	1.166	0.102	9	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2586	695.2	98	2964	819.3	131
10 Sydney University 5th	16	39	0	0.896	-0.349	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2902	785.4	142	2848	704.2	125
11 Sydney 5th	16	39	0	0.791	-0.572	6	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	3172	816	138	3341	749.1	115
12 UNSW 5th	16	38	1	0.943	0.203	5	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	3250	803.4	151	2669	695	117
13 Mosman 5th	16	36	0	0.929	-0.082	5	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	2647	736.1	113	2672	726.3	106
14 Blacktown 5th	16	31	0	0.854	-0.476	4	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	2188	650	114	2404	625.4	107
15 Campbelltown Camden 5th	16	30	1	0.846	-0.463	5	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2308	780.2	124	2375	694.1	108
16 Bankstown 5th	16	30	0	0.763	-0.303	5	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	2869	745.5	139	3027	729.2	112
17 Western Suburbs 5th	16	30	0	0.589	-1.408	5	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	2873	801	166	3053	611.1	104
18 Sutherland 5th	16	25	0	0.81	-1.148	3	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	2595	755.3	125	3451	748.4	134
19 Hawkesbury 5th	16	18	0	0.512	-1.878	1	11	0	4	0	0	0	0	1706	652.5	123	2002	445.4	74
20 Gordon 5th	16	12	0	0.582	-1.688	2	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	2735	820	144	3454	687.3	106

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MATCHES **STANDINGS** STATS

Ladder

2 Day+

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Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	W2	W1	L	L2	L1	DRAW	TIE	N/R	DISQ	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Eastern Suburbs 5th	5	34	1.594	1.964	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1121	42	1289	77
2 Parramatta Fifth Grade	5	28	1.966	1.204	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1041	43	751	61
3 Randwick Petersham 5th	5	25	1.64	1.028	4	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1370	36	1067	46
4 St George 5th	5	24	1.993	1.221	3	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1094	35	1035	66
5 Penrith 5th	5	24	1.417	0.059	4	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1134	52	800	52
6 Northern District 5th	5	22	1.34	1.127	3	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1050	47	1133	68
7 Sydney University 5th	5	18	1.17	0.52	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1354	60	1080	56
8 Mosman 5th	5	18	1.143	0.317	3	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1022	35	1098	43
9 UNSW 5th	5	16	1.292	0.361	2	1	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1244	55	1015	58
10 Manly Warringah 5th	5	13	1.461	0.559	2	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1356	45	1031	50
11 Blacktown 5th	5	13	1.032	-0.518	2	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1027	45	1127	51
12 Fairfield-Liverpool 5th	5	12	0.947	-0.046	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1032	55	961	48
13 Sydney 5th	5	12	0.645	-0.767	2	0	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1146	57	1278	41
14 UTS North Sydney 5th	5	8	1.082	-0.425	1	0	1	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	981	37	1298	53
15 Sutherland 5th	5	7	0.758	-1.203	1	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1086	54	1378	52
16 Hawkesbury 5th	5	6	0.609	-1.111	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	752	59	962	46
17 Gordon 5th	5	6	0.575	-1.575	1	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1140	52	1218	32
18 Bankstown 5th	5	6	0.442	-0.679	1	0	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	971	69	1272	40
19 Western Suburbs 5th	5	6	0.397	-1.886	1	0	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1174	79	1308	35
20 Campbelltown Camden 5th	5	2	0.669	-0.77	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	821	55	825	37

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Ladder

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ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	WL	RA	WT
1 Fairfield-Liverpool 5th	9	56	5	1.669	1.587	8	0	0	1	0	1216	54	1160	86
2 Manly Warringah 5th	9	48	3	1.495	1.716	7	1	0	1	0	1526	64	1180	74
3 Eastern Suburbs 5th	9	44	5	2.158	1.952	6	2	0	1	0	1598	45	1201	73
4 Parramatta Fifth Grade	9	43	1	1.359	0.615	7	2	0	0	0	1786	62	1589	75
5 UTS North Sydney 5th	9	40	1	1.302	0.533	6	2	0	1	0	1378	52	1444	71
6 Penrith 5th	9	38	2	1.381	0.181	5	2	0	2	0	1341	51	1199	63
7 Northern District 5th	9	34	1	1.15	0.537	5	3	0	1	0	1723	68	1586	72
8 St George 5th	9	34	1	1.148	0.616	5	3	0	1	0	1352	64	1398	76
9 Randwick Petersham 5th	9	31	1	0.899	0.324	4	3	0	2	0	1413	54	1397	48
10 Sydney 5th	9	27	0	0.968	-0.364	4	4	0	1	0	1749	64	1778	63
11 Campbelltown Camden 5th	9	22	1	0.951	-0.009	3	5	0	1	0	1289	58	1354	58
12 UNSW 5th	9	22	1	0.857	0.214	3	5	0	1	0	1768	79	1409	54
13 Bankstown 5th	9	21	0	1.109	-0.119	3	5	0	1	0	1700	56	1587	58
14 Western Suburbs 5th	9	21	0	0.74	-0.995	3	5	0	1	0	1410	72	1455	55
15 Mosman 5th	9	18	0	0.849	-0.703	2	5	0	2	0	1362	64	1278	51
16 Sutherland 5th	9	18	0	0.792	-1.083	2	5	0	2	0	1246	58	1788	66
17 Blacktown 5th	9	15	0	0.71	-0.597	1	5	0	3	0	956	58	1067	46
18 Sydney University 5th	9	15	0	0.665	-1.181	2	6	0	1	0	1315	72	1537	56
19 Hawkesbury 5th	9	12	0	0.361	-3.379	0	5	0	4	0	744	55	824	22
20 Gordon 5th	9	3	0	0.53	-1.754	0	8	0	1	0	1334	79	1975	62

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Ladder

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Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Manly Warringah 5th	2	6	7.301	1.891	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	253	33	3	231	40	20
2 Northern District 5th	2	6	2.089	0.625	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	276	40	10	251	40	19
3 Fairfield-Liverpool 5th	2	6	1.653	0.55	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	189	36.1	11	187	40	18
4 St George 5th	2	6	1.403	1.284	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	292	38	13	256	40	16
5 Sydney University 5th	2	6	1.311	0.25	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	233	38.4	10	231	40	13
6 Campbelltown Camden 5th	2	6	1.193	0.31	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	198	38	11	196	40	13
7 UTS North Sydney 5th	2	6	0.795	1.061	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	227	34.2	9	222	40	7
8 Bankstown 5th	2	3	1.178	0.304	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	198	40	14	168	36.1	14
9 Penrith 5th	2	3	1.111	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	238	40	9	238	40	10
10 Western Suburbs 5th	2	3	0.93	-0.025	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	289	40	15	290	40	14
11 Gordon 5th	2	3	0.923	-0.112	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	261	39.4	13	261	39	12
12 Blacktown 5th	2	3	0.887	1.189	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	205	31.5	11	210	40	10
13 Eastern Suburbs 5th	2	3	0.68	-0.299	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	242	40	14	254	40	10
14 Sutherland 5th	2	0	1.221	-0.105	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	40	13	265	39.4	16
15 Parramatta Fifth Grade	2	0	0.761	-0.283	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	192	40	13	194	38.1	10
16 Mosman 5th	2	0	0.761	-0.825	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	40	14	296	40	12
17 Hawkesbury 5th	2	0	0.648	-2.75	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	210	40	9	216	27	6
18 Sydney 5th	2	0	0.628	-0.445	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	277	40	17	285	38.4	11
19 Randwick Petersham 5th	2	0	0.405	-1.2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	205	40	20	253	40	10
20 UNSW 5th	2	0	0.285	-1.953	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	238	40	17	245	31	5

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OF: Overs Faced WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled WT: Wickets Taken

2025 - 2026 Fifth Grade Statistics - David Sherwood Cup															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Rajesidhiraju, Juhith	19	22	35.63	677	3	125	2	0	45	54	2--10	22.5	6	3	0
Aparajit, Ronav	15	18	27.94	447	2	93	0	1	48	54	0--0		6	0	0
Shaikh, Samad	18	20	20.06	361	2	66	0	0	0	0	0--0		1	0	0
Paskaranathan, Jayden	9	10	38.44	346	1	81	0	0	0	0	--		0	16	2
Apps, Lachlan	15	17	20.35	346	0	112	12	15	327	598	2--19	27.25	5	0	0
Akle, Charlie	6	6	50.25	201	2	74	0	0	0	0	--		0	6	0
Gillies, Liam	17	14	13	169	1	38	34	34	578	1091	5--109	17	6	0	0
Mohanaraj, Abishek	14	12	13.73	151	1	32	0	0	0	0	0--0		3	0	0
Ambardar, Aryan	7	6	18.67	112	0	53	1	1	98	111	1--40	98	0	0	0
PATIL, NAVEEN	14	11	18.17	109	5	36	32	41	394	901	7--46	12.31	5	0	0
Sheekey, Oliver	3	3	50.5	101	1	42	4	3	58	126	3--22	14.5	0	0	0
Akle, Sebastian	11	8	13.14	92	1	38	12	3	266	349	3--16	22.17	5	0	0
Mani, Benjamin	12	8	20.25	81	4	30	15	9	295	425	3--23	19.67	6	0	0
Coleman, Jason	5	4	32.5	65	2	31	4	6	78	194	3--18	19.5	2	0	0
Natkunamanickam, Ethan	9	6	11.8	59	1	25	5	2	131	198	3--13	26.2	2	0	0
Hossack, Jonathon	9	7	7	42	1	16	20	19	249	564	3--13	12.45	2	0	0
Edwards, Ryan	2	2	21	42	0	24	0	0	0	0	--		0	3	1
Venica-Singh, Gabriel	1	1		38	1	38	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Forrest, Kaito	11	7	3.8	19	2	10	22	27	299	690	5--6	13.59	3	0	0
Cooray, Leon	8	4	11	11	3	7	8	7	184	297	2--10	23	6	0	0
Nosina, Maher Shaun	3	2	5	10	0	6	1	0	51	66	1--24	51	1	0	0
Vasanthakumar, Habinesh	2	2	4	8	0	7	0	0	0	0	0--0		0	0	0
Thornley, Kye	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	--		2	0	0
Karam, Lucas	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Karam, Steven	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Mcfadden, Jack	1	0		0	0	0	1	0	40	48	1--40	40	1	0	0
misbah, arhaan	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	12	2--3	1.5	0	0	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB THE DAVID SHERWOOD CUP - NSW PREMIER CRICKET FIFTH GRADE GRAND FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Jason Coleman (Coach), Abishek Mohanaraj, Lachlan Apps, Ronav Aparajit, Naveen Patil, Jonathon Hossack, Kaito Forest, Samad Shaikh, Jenny David (Scorer), Tom Wood (Director)
Front Row: Inset: Aryan Ambardar, Sebastian Akle, Juhith Rajesidhiraju, Jayden Paskaranathan, Benjamin Mani, Liam Gillies (Captain), Leon Cooray, Inset: Ethan Natkunamanickam



POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD PHOTOS



Parramatta		11:24	
Athan Maraziotis		101	
Nitesh Samuel		95	
Wickets	Total	Extras	Overs
0	203	7	36.3
Gordon			
Vivaan Gandhi		Wickets:	Runs: 41
Overs: 7.3			



Parramatta		11:36	
Santhosh Samuel		2	
Nitesh Samuel		101	
Wickets	Total	Extras	Overs
1	211	8	38
Gordon			
Vivaan Gandhi		Wickets:	Runs: 42
Overs: 8			

Poidevin-Gray Shield Report Season 2025/26

Position on Ladder: Pool B - 1st (Lost Semi to Bankstown)

After falling in the semi-finals the year before, the Poidevin-Gray squad approached the 2025/26 season with higher hopes. With the strength of the club only growing, there was more depth in the squad than ever before. The competition with two T20s and four Limited-Overs matches began on the very first weekend of cricket for 2025/26 against UNSW at Merrylands Oval.

T20 Round 1 vs UNSW (Win)

With some new and very talented members added to the squad, we took on UNSW for our first game of the year. After losing the toss and bowling on a good wicket and small ground, we knew we had to bowl and field well to chase as low a total as possible. Although not taking a wicket in the four over power play, Isaac and Samir kept UNSW to only 17 runs which set up perfectly for Kye and Naden to take consistent wickets throughout the middle overs. After keeping UNSW to just 8/109, Nitesh guided the chase with help of short cameos from Athan and Akash, Parramatta chased down the total in 17.1 overs finishing 5/110.

N Cooray 3/12 (3), I Earl 2/13 (4), K Thornley 2/22 (4), N Samuel 29*(34), A Arnold 24(13)

T20 Round 2 vs Eastern Suburbs (Loss)

After losing the toss and being sent in against a very strong Eastern Suburbs side, we knew we had to bat smart in order to set a respectable total. Unfortunately after a decent start at 0/25 off the first three overs, we began to lose wickets at a consistent rate ultimately being bowled out for 103 off the final ball of the innings. With defending a small total we were always behind the game as we were chasing wickets with the ball. After a poor start Liam and Ryan got us back in the game taking 2 wickets each in the middle overs. This was ultimately not enough with Eastern Suburbs chasing the total down 15.3 overs, finishing 6/105.

A Maraziotis 22(26), L Roche 2/16 (4), R Gupta 2/15 (4)

Limited Overs Round 3 vs Manly Warringah (BP Win)

With the T20 fixtures done and dusted we start our limited over matches in round 3 against the reigning champs, Manly Warringah who are always the team to beat year in year out. After finally winning a toss, we chose to bat first on a great batting wicket. After losing an early wicket the Samuel brothers Nitesh and Santhosh steadied the ship with both passing half centuries and Santhosh going on to score a classy 116(115). Advith and Blake both chipped in with quick cameos to finish on 4/291 after the 50 overs. After a tight power play with only 42 runs scored 1 down, Nilaathan in his return from injury picked up from previous years pg's form taking 5/23 in his 8 over spell. Ryan does what he does best and took a quick 2 wickets to secure the bonus point win with manly all out for 108.

N Samuel 77(108), S Samuel 116(115), N Kulendran 5/23 (8)

Limited Overs Round 4 vs Blacktown (BP Win)

After winning the toss and bowling first on a soft, wet wicket we knew we had to make the best of these conditions. Isaac and Samir started off well with a couple early power play wickets, before Nilaathan once again showed his class in the middle overs. After taking 5fa the previous round, he backed it up with an even better spell, taking 5/7 off 8 overs with 3 maidens. Liam cleaned up the tail with a quick 3fa, and Blacktown were bowled out for 80. After losing Nitesh early, Athan and Santhosh made the chase look simple by both batting positively on a tricky wicket, finishing 1/81 with yet another bonus point win.

N Kulendran 5/7 (8), L Roche 3/9 (3.5), A Maraziotis 45*(38), S Samuel 30*(49)

Limited Overs Round 5 vs Mosman (Loss)

Playing a full strength Mosman side was always going to be a good challenge, especially with our side missing 5 players and a couple playing slightly injured. With another toss won we elected to bat on a used Allan Border wicket. After a decent start Santhosh and Advith both batted extremely well in the middle, which was broken up by Santhosh unluckily being runout backing up at the non-strikers end. After this we lost wickets consistently, with Damien and Prapta both batting well to bat out the overs getting 21 each, meaning we finished 8/212 (50). This was very clearly not enough against an extremely strong Mosman batting lineup with them chasing it down, 2/214 in the 43rd over.

S Samuel 52(68), A Boreddy 45(43)

Limited Overs Round 6 vs Gordon (BP Win)

With Isaac out injured, Santhosh subbed in as captain and won the toss and elected to bat first. Being the last round game and last game before the christmas break, it was a must win to finish top of our side of the table. Athan and Nitesh batted beautifully scoring twin centuries effortlessly at a quick rate. With a little cameo from Blake, we finished on 7/291 (50). Damien took 3 quick early wickets and Ryan showed his class yet again taking 4fa, with Gordon finishing all out for 146 and a bonus point for us.

A Maraziotis 100(116), N Samuel 119(128), D Guild 3/18 (6), R Gupta 4/22 (9.2)

Limited Overs Quarter Final vs Sydney University (Win)

With another Semi-final made, and a few players away for international duties we won the toss and bowled first on a fresh wicket on a cloudy, rainy Sunday. Another great start by Isaac and Sumair with not a lot of luck meant Sydney Uni were only 1/24 off the power play. This was backed up by all bowlers in the middle overs with Prapta taking 3 wickets, Ryan taking 2 and Sydney Uni finishing 9/173 (50). With an extremely rain affected chase, and the covers constantly going on and off Athan and Blake both batted patiently and smart, ultimately chasing the DLS target off 5/143.

P Das 3/24 (10), R Gupta 2/22 (10), A Maraziotis 62*(114), B Noorbergen 39(56)

Limited Overs Semi Final vs Bankstown (Loss)

We arrived at Old Kings to take on Bankstown once again in a semi-final who had beaten us the previous year. After losing the toss, we had first crack with the ball in hand. Bankstown's

Riley Kingsell got off to a flyer for the second year in a row making 148 off just 60 balls. After an obvious tough start with the ball the boys all fought hard to get back in the game keeping them to 313. With a big chase ahead, Athan and Nitesh once again got us off to a good start. Blake also batted well in the middle overs but unfortunately we fell short of the mammoth total being bowled out for 257.

P Das 3/46 (5), A Maraziotis 64(65), B Noorbergen 68(63), N Samuel 47(40)

Partnerships 50 and Over

1. A. Maraziotis - N. Samuel — 220 vs Gordon, 1st wicket
2. N. Samuel - S. Samuel — 189 vs Manly Warringah, 2nd wicket
3. A. Maraziotis - N. Samuel — 78 vs Bankstown, SF, 1st wicket
4. B. Noorbergen - A. Boreddy — 77 vs Manly Warringah, 4th wicket
5. A. Maraziotis - B. Noorbergen — 74 vs Sydney University, QF, 3rd wicket
6. A. Maraziotis - S. Samuel — 73 vs Blacktown, 2nd wicket

Top Performers

Leading Run Scorers

1. Athan Maraziotis - 349 runs (58.17 Ave)
2. Nitesh Samuel - 311 runs (51.83 Ave)
3. Santhosh Samuel - 263 runs (37.57 Ave)

Leading Wicket Takers

1. Ryan Gupta - 11 wickets (17.45 Ave)
2. Nilaathan Kulendran - 10 wickets (3.0 Ave)
3. Prapta Das - 7 wickets (18 Ave)

Captain's Statement

It was my honour to captain a Parramatta Cricket Team and I enjoyed every moment of this season. We had several new players join our squad who showed they were more than up for this level and with so many players returning next year, I'm sure there is major success for this group in the future. As I wrap up my Poidevin-Gray years, along with Santhosh Samuel, I'd like to thank Jason Coleman, Paul Giumelli and Paul Sullivan who have shown consistent support to the team all throughout the year. It has truly been a pleasure leading this group of lads and I wish them the best of luck going forward.

Player Summaries

Isaac Earl - 7 Matches (4 wickets, 2 catches, 4/7 tosses won)

This was Isaac's 4th and final season of PGs. His 1st as Captain and he took the side to the finals series. A true competitor and a natural leader. Well done on a very successful PGs career Isaac. (Written by Jason Coleman)

Athan Maraziotis - 8 Matches (349 runs, 1 wicket, 1 catch)

At the top of the order Athan was an aggressive batter that put pressure on the opposition bowlers. He consistently scored critical runs which set up a lot of wins for the team throughout the season and there is no doubt he will continue this in the future.

Nitesh Samuel - 7 Matches (311 runs, 3 catches)

Nitesh was a rock-solid opener paired with Athan at the top, whose calm and composed batting anchored the team throughout the season. Highlighted by a classy 77 against Manly and an unbeaten 29* in a successful chase against UNSW, he consistently set up or steered successful pursuits.

Santhosh Samuel (vc) - 8 Matches (263 runs, 1 catch, 1/1 tosses won)

Santhosh is a positive batter that takes the game on with his class and shot selection ultimately scoring critical runs to win games for the team. This being his final year, Santhosh was also a great leader stepping up as captain and someone I could always go to for suggestions.

Blake Noorbergen - 5 Matches (185 runs, 2 wickets, 5 catches)

With missing out on three games due to higher representative cricket, Blake in only his second year of PGs was once again a standout performer in all three facets of the game. His unbeaten 62* under pressure in the rain-affected quarter-final showcased his maturity which will continue to help win games for the team.

Ryan Gupta - 8 Matches (11 wickets, 6 catches)

Ryan was once again an extremely valuable part of our bowling attack and got the rewards he deserved, being our leading wicket taker. Paired with this Ryan was a standout in the field taking 6 catches throughout the season. I'm sure with one year left in his PGs career he will continue with these standout performances.

Advith Boreddy (wk) - 8 Matches (101 runs, 10 catches)

In his first year of PGs Advith was a wonderful inclusion, with both bat and gloves. Made key middle-order contributions, including a fluent 45 against Mosman, and was sharp behind the stumps with 10 catches. His composure added stability, and he adapted well to the demands of the PGs environment in his debut season.

Nilaathan Kulendran - 2 Matches (10 wickets)

Nilaathan returned from injury in style with back-to-back five-wicket hauls, including an incredible 5/7 off 8 against Blacktown. His control, pace, and wicket-taking ability were unmatched, a proven match-winner whose presence transformed the attack.

Prapta Das - 4 Matches (7 wickets)

In his debut season Prapta was a great mid-season inclusion taking wickets at important times in all matches. His 3/24 in the quarter-final was crucial to setting up victory. For a debut season, he displayed maturity well beyond his years.

Naden Cooray - 5 Matches (6 wickets, 1 catch)

With Naden representing NSW and AUS in u19 tournaments he was only available for five matches. With that being said Naden played a massive role for the team taking regular wickets and bowling at a low economy when thrown the ball in tough situations.

Sumair Sira - 7 Matches (4 wickets, 3 catches)

After a breakout season last year Sumair was once again a staple for this team. In true Parramatta fashion, Sumair was a fierce competitor who won the big moments and never backed down from a fight.

Liam Roche - 7 matches (5 wickets)

Liam's second year around the squad was fun and enjoyable for all as he brought a light perspective to each game. Although he was 12th man for many games this season, he is a skilful all-rounder who will be important for the squad's success in coming years.

Damien Guild - 4 Matches (3 wickets, 3 catches)

Damian was a dependable seamer who bowled impactful spells in tough situations, highlighted by his quick three-wicket burst against Gordon. Damien also proved reliable whenever called upon in all three facets of the game.

John James - 4 Matches (20 runs, 2 catches)

With John also representing NSW and AUS in u19 tournaments he featured in several mid-season fixtures, contributing valuable runs down the order and reliable bowling and fielding. His leadership, energy and team-first approach added depth to the side.

Akash Arnold - 7 Matches (41 runs)

Brought composure and intent in pressure situations, including a brisk 24 against UNSW in the opening round. His attacking style complemented the top order and provided useful momentum during chases. Akash was also a staple in the field.

Isaac Earl
Captain



POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

Overall

Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Pool B

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Parramatta	6	25	3	1.876	1.968	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1088	202.3	35	762	223.5	46
2 Mosman	6	24	2	1.617	1.177	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1050	184.2	28	1043	230.5	45
3 Bankstown	6	23	0	1.091	-0.102	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1161	236.1	42	1089	217	43
4 UTS North Sydney	6	23	1	1.258	0.994	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1162	190.2	35	1161	227.1	44
5 Manly Warringah	6	21	1	1.079	-0.12	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	883	223.5	45	891	219.1	49
6 Eastern Suburbs	6	16	0	0.999	-0.027	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1112	225.3	44	1138	229.3	45
7 Gordon	6	16	0	1.072	-0.403	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	981	219.5	35	1124	231	43
8 Western Suburbs	6	16	1	0.885	0.509	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1132	237	53	965	226.1	40
9 Blacktown PGs	6	4	0	0.437	-2.381	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	836	236	46	1164	196.3	28
10 UNSW	6	0	0	0.61	-1.301	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	939	237	58	1007	191.2	38

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Pool A

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Sutherland	6	30	2	1.821	1.686	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1197	218.3	39	910	240	54
2 St George	6	26	0	1.519	0.895	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1214	240	44	999	240	55
3 Northern District	6	26	0	1.178	0.312	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1259	240	46	1184	240	51
4 Sydney University	6	19	1	1.198	0.727	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1084	210.3	41	1059	239.3	48
5 Randwick Petersham	6	17	1	0.833	0.557	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1118	207.2	43	1154	238.4	37
6 Campbelltown Camden	6	17	1	0.78	0.378	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1114	210.1	45	1173	238.2	37
7 Fairfield-Liverpool	6	14	0	0.955	-0.09	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1134	238.4	49	1162	240	48
8 Sydney	6	12	0	1.005	-0.49	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1053	238.2	48	1178	240	54
9 Penrith	6	4	0	0.776	-1.385	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	931	239.3	47	1225	232.2	48
10 Hawkesbury	6	0	0	0.421	-2.948	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	761	240	55	821	134.1	25

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POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

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ONE DAY

Pool A

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Sutherland	4	26	2	2.265	4	0	0	0	0	955	178.3	617	200
2 Sydney University	4	19	1	0.904	3	1	0	0	0	820	170.3	781	200
3 St George	4	18	0	0.534	3	1	0	0	0	903	200	796	200
4 Northern District	4	18	0	0.04	3	1	0	0	0	911	200	903	200
5 Randwick Petersham	4	13	1	0.664	2	2	0	0	0	855	167.2	889	200
6 Campbelltown Camden	4	13	1	0.486	2	2	0	0	0	807	170.1	844	198.2
7 Sydney	4	12	0	-0.496	2	2	0	0	0	801	198.2	907	200
8 Fairfield-Liverpool	4	6	0	-0.225	1	3	0	0	0	860	200	905	200
9 Penrith	4	0	0	-1.502	0	4	0	0	0	679	200	942	192.2
10 Hawkesbury	4	0	0	-3.08	0	4	0	0	0	535	200	542	94.1

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OB: Overs Bowled

Pool B

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Parramatta	4	21	3	2.382	3	1	0	0	0	875	165.2	548	188.2
2 Mosman	4	20	2	1.175	3	1	0	0	0	744	148.3	740	193
3 UTS North Sydney	4	19	1	1.042	3	1	0	0	0	845	152.3	842	187.1
4 Western Suburbs	4	16	1	0.761	2	1	1	0	0	888	197	713	190.2
5 Bankstown	4	15	0	-0.413	2	1	1	0	0	811	196.1	805	177
6 Manly Warringah	4	13	1	-0.301	2	2	0	0	0	661	191	674	179.1
7 Eastern Suburbs	4	12	0	-0.059	2	2	0	0	0	869	190	895	193.1
8 Gordon	4	12	0	-0.601	2	2	0	0	0	687	183.3	830	191
9 UNSW	4	0	0	-1.239	0	4	0	0	0	740	197	806	161.2
10 Blacktown PCs	4	0	0	-2.442	0	4	0	0	0	572	196	839	156.3

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MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

T20

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T20

Pool B

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Bankstown	2	8	1.65	2	0	0	0	0	350	40	284	40
2 Manly Warringah	2	8	1.336	2	0	0	0	0	222	32.5	217	40
3 Gordon	2	4	0.741	1	1	0	0	0	294	36.2	294	40
4 Mosman	2	4	0.53	1	1	0	0	0	306	35.5	303	37.5
5 UTS North Sydney	2	4	0.403	1	1	0	0	0	317	37.5	319	40
6 Eastern Suburbs	2	4	0.156	1	1	0	0	0	243	35.3	243	36.2
7 Parramatta	2	4	-0.297	1	1	0	0	0	213	37.1	214	35.3
8 Blacktown PGs	2	4	-1.525	1	1	0	0	0	264	40	325	40
9 Western Suburbs	2	0	-0.932	0	2	0	0	0	244	40	252	35.5
10 UNSW	2	0	-1.725	0	2	0	0	0	199	40	201	30

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Pool A

Team	P	PTS	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 St George	2	8	2.7	2	0	0	0	0	311	40	203	40
2 Northern District	2	8	1.674	2	0	0	0	0	348	40	281	40
3 Fairfield-Liverpool	2	8	0.661	2	0	0	0	0	274	38.4	257	40
4 Randwick Petersham	2	4	-0.278	1	1	0	0	0	263	40	265	38.4
5 Campbelltown Camden	2	4	-0.549	1	1	0	0	0	307	40	329	40
6 Penrith	2	4	-0.695	1	1	0	0	0	252	39.3	283	40
7 Sutherland	2	4	-1.275	1	1	0	0	0	242	40	293	40
8 Sydney University	2	0	-0.437	0	2	0	0	0	264	40	278	39.3
9 Sydney	2	0	-0.475	0	2	0	0	0	252	40	271	40
10 Hawkesbury	2	0	-1.324	0	2	0	0	0	226	40	279	40

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2025 - 2026 Poidevin-Gray Shield Statistics															
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding								
		Innings	Average	Runs	N.O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	Balls	B.B.	Average	Catches Non WK	Catches WK	Stump.
Maraziotis, Athan	8	8	58.17	349	2	100	1	0	33	60	1--33	33	1	0	0
Samuel, Nitesh	7	7	51.83	311	1	119	0	0	0	0	--		3	0	0
Samuel, Santhosh	8	8	37.57	263	1	116	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Noorbergen, Blake	5	4	46.25	185	0	68	2	0	50	90	1--17	25	3	2	0
Boreddy, Advith	8	7	20.2	101	2	45	0	0	0	0	--		3	7	0
Arnold, Akash	7	4	13.67	41	1	24	0	0	38	48	0--38		0	0	0
DAS, PRAPTA	4	2		28	2	21	7	3	126	162	3--24	18	0	0	0
Roche, Liam	7	2	11	22	0	12	5	1	29	53	3--9	5.8	0	0	0
Cooray, Naden	5	3	7	21	0	17	6	0	110	150	3--12	18.33	1	0	0
Guild, Damien	4	2	10.5	21	0	21	3	1	62	90	3--18	20.67	3	0	0
James, John	4	3	9.5	19	1	9	0	0	34	24	0--34		2	0	0
Gupta, Ryan	8	2	8	16	0	11	11	3	192	304	4--22	17.45	6	0	0
Earl, Isaac	7	4	4.67	14	1	5	4	5	213	258	2--13	53.25	2	0	0
Wijesinghe, Aston	2	2	5	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	--		1	0	0
Das, Prangan	1	1		6	1	6	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Sira, Sumair	7	3	2	6	0	4	4	0	268	246	1--20	67	3	0	0
Thornley, Kye	2	1		4	1	4	3	0	36	39	2--22	12	1	0	0
Macdonald, Tom	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Kulendran, Nilaathan	4	0		0	0	0	10	3	30	96	5--7	3	1	0	0





PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB POIDEVIN-GRAY SHIELD SEMI-FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Jenny David (Scorer), Paul Sullivan (Assistant Coach), Prapta Das, Akash Arnold, John James, Advith Boreddy, Sumair Sira, Liam Roche, Blake Noorbergen, Nitesh Samuel, Jason Coleman (Coach)
Front Row: Athan Maraziotis, Naden Cooray, Santhosh Samuel, Isaac Earl (Captain), Ryan Gupta, Damien Guild, Inset: Paul Giumelli (Manager & Director)



2025/26 AW Green Shield Report

Season record: 7 wins – 2 losses (including the GF yet again) - 1 wash/out

Position: 2nd on the ladder – Grand Finalists

The 2025/26 AW Green Shield started with a great sense of anticipation, excitement and confidence. On the back of 3 consecutive AW Green Shield grand final appearances the 2025/26 Parra Green Shield cohort were keen to go one better this time around.

With many of the previous season squad returning, we were able to bolster the squad with an opening bowling cartel of Kaito and Gus. We added depth to the batting with Aryan and Juhith, while our spin stocks were bolstered with Girish, Saharsh and Aryan joining the squad. Throw in the addition of two young dynamic cricketers in Lucas and Emmert and the squad was well balanced and certainly more than capable of giving the competition a shake again in 2025/26.

This squad were under no illusions as to how tough the task that they ahead with the expectations of many and all the Green Shield cricket squads wanting to take down Parra. That made for exciting, tough and competitive cricket each round and the boys thrived on the challenge and certainly didn't let the club and the supporters down.

The 2025/26 Squad consisted of;

Ethan Natkunamanickam (Captain), Reyansh Sharma (VC), Ronav Aparajit, Juhith Rajesidhiraju, Leon Cooray, Benjamin Mani, Maher Nosina, Jayden Paskaranathan, Kaito Forrest, Gus Loretan (country player), Lucas Karam, Emmert Parsons, Aryan Ambardar, Girish Gangatharan, Saharsh Subramanian

Nick Bertus (Head coach), Luke Dempsey (Assistant Coach), Paul Giumelli (Manager)

Here is an overview of how the season transpired on the road to the fourth straight Grand Final;

Round 1 v Gordon – Beauchamp Oval

Parramatta 9/218 - Juhith 70(99), Aryan 55(77), Rey 35(20) def

Gordon 192 (Ethan 3-22, Kaito 3-25, Leon 2-48) by 26 runs

A tough start to the season away to a strong Gordon outfit. After the loss of an early wicket Rey set the tone for a rapid fire 35 before regular wickets fell. A 97-run partnership between Juhith and Aryan ensured we made a respectable 218 from our 50 overs.

Gordon started the chase strongly and were 1 for 111 before our spinners went to work. Wickets to Girish, Ethan and Leon moved the match back in our favour before the pace and accuracy of Kaito finished Gordon off.

Round 2 v Manly Warringah – Merrylands Oval

Parramatta 8/239 – Benji 61(75), Rey 49(28), Jayden 40(45) def

Manly 105 – Leon 5-28, Girish 2-14 by 110 runs (DLS) with a bonus point

We returned home to a very hot Merrylands Oval for our Round 2 clash with Manly. After winning the toss, Parra batted first and the innings follow a similar pattern to our round 1 fixture. A quick fire 49 to Rey was the highlight early. However, a steady flow of wickets saw us 6-150. Sensible batting from Benji, Jayden and Leon ensured we batted our overs and we finished 8-239.

The temperature continued to soar and Manly were looking for the beach. A delay for heat with Manly at 3-38 only prolonged the inevitable. When players returned to the field, the match had been reduced to a 40 over match. Once again, our spinners Leon with a 5fa and Girish took control and quickly wrapped up the match dismissing Manly for 105. A convincing bonus point win to Parra

Round 3 v Sutherland – Sutherland Oval

Sutherland 133 – Kaito 4-16, Girish 3-29 lost to

Parramatta 4-136 off 24.5 overs – Ronav 35(54), Rey 23(21), Aryan 23*(13) by 6 wickets

Aiming to go 3 from 3 leading into the Christmas, the boys travelled to the shire to meet the undefeated Sutherland squad. With the start brought forward by an hour due to the expected heat, it was an early start for all concerned. Not the heat, the early start or a confident opposition phased the Parra boys. In what was a quite clinical display, the boys put in one of their best matches of the season. Outstanding pace bowling by Kaito, Gus and Benji supported by brilliant spin bowling from Girish, Etan and Leon saw Sutherland under pressure from the outset. Backed up by the catching, run outs and relentless pressure in the field Sutherland could only muster 133 in what were perfect conditions for batting.

Parra then took to the crease and played nice and positively to pass Sutherland 4 down in the 25th over. Ronav enjoying some time at the crease top scoring with a well-made 35. Another bonus point win leading into the Christmas break and the boys 3 from 3 was the perfect start to the competition.

Round 4 v Randwick Petersham – Merrylands Oval

Randwick Petersham 8-219 – Girish 2-33, Ronav 2-41, Kaito 2-52

lost to

Parramatta 2-166 off 33 overs – Rey 93*(85), Ronav 53(85) by 8 wkts (DLS)

Our second home game at Merrylands and another scorcher to welcome the visitors to the west. In stifling conditions, Parra toiled hard to restrict Randy Petes to 219 off their 50 overs. Kaito and Ronav the pick of then seamers and Girish again spinning his way into the wicket takers.

In reply, Parra set out to dominate in the heat and a 136 run partnership between Ronav (53) and Rey (93no) put the match beyond doubt. When the heat rule was invoked, Parra were 2-166 off 33 overs and well in front on DLS calculations. The game was called off with Parra again achieving Bonus point win. 4 from 4 and the boys on track.

Round 5 v Eastern Suburbs – Waverley Oval

Eastern Suburbs 9/194 – Gus 3-29, Kaito 2-34

Lost to

Parramatta 1/94 off 17.2 overs – Ronav 37*(61), Juhith 33(40) by 9 wkts (DLS)

Round 5 we travelled to Waverley to take on Easts in what was to be our 3rd DLS impacted match. This time it wasn't the heat but the rain that intervened. Bowling first, our pace bowling opening attack of Kaito and Gus set the match up early. Easts limped their way to 194 off their 50 overs.

Parra again dominated from the start and when rain halted play for the day, we were 1-92 off 17.2 overs and well ahead on DLS. Another win and 5 from 5 as we headed into our next challenge against the only other undefeated team in ND's

Round 6 v Northern Districts – Mark Taylor Oval

Parramatta 8/191 – Ronav 70(108), Benji 33(49)

Lost to

Northern Districts 4/192 off 42.2 overs – Leon 2-28 by 6 wkts

We travelled to Waitara for the top of the table clash against ND's. After a delayed start, Parra lost the toss and were sent in on a less-than-ideal wicket. A superb 70 at the top of the order by Ronav set us up nicely and 2-142, but a hat trick turned the match on its head. Ethan and Benji battled resurrect the innings, but with momentum lost we struggled to 8-191 off our 50 overs.

With ball we started well and were able to have the game in the balance with ND's 4-102. We toiled away but ND's batted very well to manage the chase and pass us 4 down in the 43rd over. ND's were too good on the day but this match did give us the wake-up call we needed leading into the finals,

Round 7 v Bankstown – Merrylands Oval

Bankstown 181 – Gus 5/33

Lost to

Parramatta 3/186 off 44.2 overs – Rey 58*(64), Ronav 50(102), Ethan 31(45) by 7wkts

We returned to Merrylands for our final round game where a win would see us secure a top 2 finish and home ground advantage for the first two finals matches. We took on a very gallant Bankstown squad who took the game to us. Gus with his first 5fa for the club was the pick of the bowlers as we dismissed Bankstown for 181.

Disciplined bowling and smart field settings made us work hard for the win. Rey with 58no, Ronav 50 and Ethan 31 ensured we collected the win and locked down 2nd place on the table.

Quarter Final v UNSW at Merrylands Oval

Match abandoned due to wet weather.

Parra progress to Semi Final – that's why you want home ground advantage for the finals

Semi Final v Mosman at Merrylands Oval

Mosman 118 – Saharsh 4-24, Leon 2-25

Lost to

Parramatta 6-120 off 33.1 overs – Ethan 65*(93) by 4 wkts

A confident Mosman team arrived at Merrylands Oval to battle it out for right to play in this seasons Green Shield grand final. Mosman won the toss and elected to bat getting off to a steady start. An early breakthrough to Kaito opened up an end and the introduction of spin in the form of our left arm ortho Saharsh changed the course of the match. In superb spell of controlled spin bowling, Saharsh finished his spell with 4-24. Ably supported by Leon with 2 wickets. The bowling performance was complemented by our best display in the field for the season. Great catching and all-round ground fielding restricted Mosman to 118.

We made the chase harder than it needed to be losing wickets early which kept Mosman in the match. At 5-59 the game was in the balance. A 56-run partnership between Ethan 65no and Benji guided us to victory. In a match where only one other batsman scored over 20, scoring 65no was a sensational captains knock from Ethan under enormous pressure. We take the win and move onto our 4th straight Green Shield grand final.

Grand Final v Northern Districts at Waitara Oval

Northern Districts 183 all out - Gus 3-29, Leon 3-31, Kaito 2-19)

Defeated

Parramatta 9/182 – Ethan 43*(69), Juhith 40(69), Rey 32(45) by 1 run.

We arrived at Waitara Oval ready to take on ND's in a rematch of last season's GF and seeking revenge for our round 6 loss. For the 4th straight GF, we were unable to win the toss and ND's elected to bat in perfect conditions. It was hot and the pitch was hard and fast. We knew we had to dig in and work hard. As they had done all season, Kaito and Gus led from the front with Gus getting two early breakthroughs. The spinners again went to work and Leon and Saharsh turned the screws with superb spells. A couple of lapses in the field saw ND's gain back some momentum to be 3-132. The return of Kaito to partner the spinners turned the momentum back in our favour and we were able to finish strongly and wrap up ND's innings for 183. Runs on the board is always important in big matches, but given the conditions we were happy to restrict ND's to this total.

Juhith and Ronav got us off to the perfect start putting on 48 for the first wicket and setting a sound platform for the chase. Rey joined Juhith and they both looked comfortable progressing the score to 1-95. However, in the space of 4 overs, the match turned and we found ourselves in precarious position at 5-103 with both Rey (32) and Juhith (40) back in the pavilion. Ethan and Aryan steadied the ship and took the score to 144. Once again quick wickets saw us 7-150 and still a long way off the target score. The bottom half of the order dug in and with Ethan once again battling hard and putting value on his wicket, we slowly chipped away at the total. Runs, dot balls and a wicket here and there saw the match enter the final over with Parra needing 7 runs to win with 1 wicket in hand. Ethan and Saharsh scrambled for each run until it came down to the final ball. Parra needed 3 to win or 2 to tie. Unfortunately we were only able to get a single off the final ball and we went down by 1 run. Ethan 43no again doing everything he could to get us over the line. For the third straight year, we were runners up but this one hurt. It was a game we had in control for 80% of the day and through our own doing, we had let it slip.

Player Comments

Aryan Ambardar

Aryan enjoyed a strong tournament and consistently showed his ability to contribute in important moments. His innings against Gordon was one of the highlights of his season, demonstrating both composure and quality when the team needed it most. Looking ahead, Aryan is expected to play a major role with both bat and ball and has all the attributes of a genuine all-rounder. With an extremely high ceiling and plenty of development still ahead of him, Aryan could be a major reason why this side is lifting the trophy at the end of next season.

Benji Mani

Benji continued to develop into an exciting all-round cricketer and showed he can deliver at this level. His match-saving performance against Manly highlighted both his talent and explosive batting prowess. Benji looks to continue this rise through the grade ranks and establish himself as one of the club's top all-rounders.

Ethan Natkunamanickam (Captain)

Ethan captained the side with maturity and composure well beyond his years. His understanding of the game and ability to read match situations is exceptional and when we needed him to stand up he did. With the captaincy again this season, Ethan looks set to lead from the front both as a player and a leader.

Emmett Parsons

Emmett settled into the squad well and quickly showed his exciting potential. As one of the youngest players, he took on a significant role with the gloves and gained valuable experience at Green Shield level. He was a strong team-first contributor throughout the season, bringing great energy, commitment and a selfless attitude around the group. Although opportunities were limited later in the year, he remained a highly valued team member. With a clear understanding of the standard required, he is well placed to continue improving and develop into a strong top-order batter and wicketkeeper in the coming seasons.

Girish Gangatharan

Girish made an immediate impression in his first season, regularly providing important breakthroughs in the middle overs. He proved to be a key partnership breaker, striking at crucial moments to shift momentum back towards our team. A genuine wicket-taking option, he consistently looked capable of making an impact whenever he came into the attack. As he continues to refine his pace variations and better understand his ideal speeds, he has the skills to become a major threat with the ball.

Gus Loretan

Gus was one of the surprise packets of the season and a selection the club is incredibly proud to have made. As the tournament progressed, his improvement was evident, with every game providing him greater confidence and exposure to the level. He became a constant threat with the new ball, regularly challenging opposition batters and creating opportunities for the team. With a little more luck and support in the field, his impact could have been even greater. We are hoping he is able to eventually make the move down to Sydney to test himself in the Sydney Grade arena.

Jayden Paskaranathan

Jayden's season was inconsistent at times but the glimpses of his talent were impossible to ignore. His innings against Manly highlighted the quality he possesses, while his performances in Grade cricket have demonstrated his ability to compete at a higher level. Once school cricket commitments conclude, Jayden will be looking to continue progressing through the grades and looks to make a significant impact moving forward.

Juhith Rajesidhiraju

Juhith experienced the ups and downs of his first Green Shield campaign at Parramatta, but there were plenty of signs of what's to come. His form in Fifth Grade has shown the quality he possesses and if he can bring that confidence into next seasons tournament he has every chance of being among the competition's leading run scorers.

Kaito Forrest

After making the move across from Penrith, Kaito quickly established himself as a pivotal member of the squad and a genuine leader within the team. He led from the front, making an impact in every game and consistently delivering when the team needed him most. His ability to break partnerships and create pressure made him one of the competition's most influential bowlers. Kaito's development wasn't limited to Green Shield either, with his performances in Fifth Grade playing a significant role in the side's success. With his competitiveness and drive to improve, there is no doubt he has a bright future ahead.

Leon Cooray

Leon once again proved the value of doing the little things well. Whether it was building pressure with the ball, making the right play in the field or putting the team first, he consistently contributed in ways that don't always appear on the scoresheet. Every successful team needs players like Leon, and his reliability was invaluable throughout the season. This has seen him play a major role in the Fourth Grade side and he looks to progress up the grades in future years.

Lucas Karam

Lucas embraced every challenge throughout his first season and continued to improve with each opportunity he was given. Although his chances with the bat were limited, he showed a maturity and composure well beyond his years. He also developed into one of the team's strongest fielding options, which was particularly impressive given his age. Lucas has laid strong foundations in his first season and is a key part of the group moving forward, with a major role to play in the team's success over the next couple of seasons.

Maher Shaun Nosina

Maher's absence throughout the season was a significant loss for the group. His ability to contribute with both bat and ball would have added enormous value to the side, but unfortunately injuries prevented him from taking the field. Despite the setbacks, Maher remained a valued member of the squad and continued to support the team throughout the campaign. As he transitions into grade cricket, he possesses a very high ceiling, and if he can put his injury troubles behind him, there is every reason to believe he can make a major impact in the years ahead.

Reyansh Sharma

Reyansh continued to show why he is regarded as one of the most exciting young batters in the state. His performances in both Green Shield and grade cricket have highlighted just how high his ceiling is. With another year of experience behind him, Reyansh looks ready to take complete control of the competition and establish himself as one of its premier players.

Ronav Aparajit

Ronav's season was a great example of resilience. After a difficult start, he backed his ability, found his rhythm and became one of the team's most dependable performers. A genuine all-rounder, Ronav is expected to play a major role with the ball next campaign and his ability to impact matches in every facet of the game makes him an exciting player to watch.

Saharsh Subramanian

Saharsh provided valuable breakthroughs throughout the tournament and bowled with strong control in key moments. He improved each game, developing into a constant threat with the ball and growing in confidence as the season progressed. His ability to spin the ball away from both left and right-handed batters made him particularly effective and difficult to settle against. He has enormous potential and looks set for an extremely bright future in the game.

Finally.....

A sincere thank you to everyone across the club including our members, men's and women's grade players, the coaches and the Board for your ongoing support throughout the season. A special mention to those who made the journey to Waitara for the Grand Final. Your presence meant a lot to the squad and added to the occasion in a big way. We also extend our thanks to our scorers Glenn Chant and to Jenny Wise for their consistent commitment and support across the tournament, travelling near and far to be there for the team.

To the parents and supporters, thank you for trusting us as coaches to guide the group and for standing by the team through every challenge and moment. The lunches once again set the standard and your dedication to both the players and the club did not go unnoticed.

And lastly, to the playing group, thank you. You are a talented, driven group who embraced the coaching and showed real belief in your abilities. If Grand Finals were decided on talent, we no doubt take the title. Grand Final day taught us a tough lesson that the little things matter in cricket. The areas in the field, discipline with the bat and running between the wickets were exposed by a team that did those little things better than us on the day and that ultimately was the difference. Given all the areas we will improve on, we still lost by only 1 run on the final ball!

On behalf of the coaching team, well done. It is a privilege to be involved in the Green Shield each year, and this season was no exception. To those continuing into the 2026-27 campaign, we now plan to go one better and hold that shield again

Cheers

PDCC Green Shield Coaches

Nick, Luke and PG

INDIVIDUAL PLAYER STATISTICS

Batting

Player Name	M	Inn	Not outs	High Score	Total	Ave	S/R
Sharma, Reyansh	10	9	3	93	337	56.17	103.69
Aparajit, Ronav	10	9	1	70	267	33.38	57.67
Rajesidhiraju, Juhith	10	9	0	70	199	22.11	51.42
Natkunamanickam, Ethan	10	8	3	65	194	38.8	57.23
Ambardar, Aryan	10	6	1	55	121	24.2	68.75
Mani, Benjamin	10	5	0	61	118	23.6	65.56
Paskaranathan, Jayden	10	7	2	40	86	17.2	69.35
Cooray, Leon	10	5	2	18	30	10	44.78
Loretan, Gus	9	2	1	7	7	7	31.82
Forrest, Kaito	10	3	1	4	7	3.5	26.92
Karam, Lucas	10	2	1	7	7	7	63.64
Subramanian, Saharsh	8	1	1	4	4		36.36
Nosina, Maher Shaun	1	0	0	0	0		
Gangatharan, Girish	10	0	0	0	0		
Parsons, Emmett	7	0	0	0	0		

Bowling

Player Name	M	Runs	W	Best	Ave	S/R	Econ
Forrest, Kaito	10	243	17	4-16	14.29	22.94	3.74
Loretan, Gus	9	182	14	5-33	13	20.86	3.74
Cooray, Leon	10	287	14	5-28	20.5	36	3.42
Gangatharan, Girish	10	210	10	3-29	21	28.8	4.38
Subramanian, Saharsh	8	182	7	4-24	26	45.43	3.43
Natkunamanickam, Ethan	10	235	7	3-22	33.57	59.86	3.37
Aparajit, Ronav	10	77	3	2-41	25.67	32	4.81
Ambardar, Aryan	10	24	1	1-7	24	36	4
Rajesidhiraju, Juhith	10	8	0	6	0-8		8
Sharma, Reyansh	10	13	0	6	0-13		13
Mani, Benjamin	10	29	0	48	0-6		3.63

Five Wickets

Leon Cooray **5-28** v Manly @ Merrylands Oval

Gus Loretan **5-33** v Bankstown @ Merrylands Oval

Century Partnerships

136 – 2nd wicket v Randwick Petersham – Ronav Aparjit / Reyansh Sharma

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Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Northern District AWG	7	46	4	1.883	7	0	0	0	0	1146	241.5	948	332
2 Parramatta AWG	7	39	3	1.216	6	1	0	0	0	1205	260.5	962	282.4
3 Mosman AWG	7	38	2	1.123	6	1	0	0	0	1673	328	1343	337.4
4 Campbelltown Camden AWG	7	37	1	0.935	6	1	0	0	0	1495	330.2	1192	332
5 Sutherland AWG	7	31	1	0.812	5	2	0	0	0	1380	321.4	1088	312.5
6 Penrith AWG	7	30	0	-0.424	5	2	0	0	0	1122	305	1322	322.1
7 UNSW AWG	7	27	3	1.199	4	3	0	0	0	1201	272.5	1070	334.1
8 Blacktown AWG	7	26	2	0.527	4	3	0	0	0	1066	282.1	1124	345.5
9 Fairfield-Liverpool AWG	7	24	0	-0.262	4	3	0	0	0	1173	317	1115	281.2
10 Manly Warringah AWG	7	20	2	0.377	3	4	0	0	0	1154	292.5	1117	313.3
11 Eastern Suburbs AWG	7	19	1	-0.601	3	4	0	0	0	970	282.1	1238	306.3
12 Hawkesbury AWG	7	18	0	-0.271	3	4	0	0	0	1178	324.1	1279	327.3
13 Sydney AWG	7	18	0	-0.354	3	4	0	0	0	1161	301.5	1205	286.5
14 Sydney University AWG	7	16	1	-0.644	2	4	0	1	0	984	300	957	243.5
15 Gordon AWG	7	15	0	-0.534	2	4	0	1	0	1279	299.1	1261	262.1
16 Randwick Petersham AWG	7	12	0	-1.52	2	5	0	0	0	956	296.3	1194	251.4
17 Bankstown AWG	7	6	0	-0.239	1	6	0	0	0	1161	315.1	1207	307.4
18 St George AWG	7	6	0	-0.953	1	6	0	0	0	1179	344	1282	292.4
19 UTS North Sydney AWG	7	6	0	-1.159	1	6	0	0	0	1081	349	1248	293.1
20 Western Suburbs AWG	7	6	0	-1.271	1	6	0	0	0	925	329.3	1337	327.5

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Rajesidhiraju, Juhith	10	9	22.11	199	0	70	0	0	8	6	0--8		3	0	0
Natkunamanickam, Ethan	10	8	38.8	194	3	65	7	3	235	419	3--22	33.57	7	0	0
Ambardar, Aryan	10	6	24.2	121	1	55	1	1	24	36	1--7	24	2	0	0
Mani, Benjamin	10	5	23.6	118	0	61	0	1	29	48	0--6		2	0	0
Paskaranathan, Jayden	10	7	17.2	86	2	40	0	0	0	0	--		0	9	5
Cooray, Leon	10	5	10	30	2	18	14	1	287	504	5--28	20.5	6	0	0
Loretan, Gus	9	2	7	7	1	7	14	6	182	292	5--33	13	0	0	0
Forrest, Kaito	10	3	3.5	7	1	4	17	3	243	390	4--16	14.29	2	0	0
Karam, Lucas	10	2	7	7	1	7	0	0	0	0	--		4	0	0
Subramanian, Saharsh	8	1		4	1	4	7	5	182	318	4--24	26	0	0	0
Nosina, Maher Shaun	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0
Gangatharan, Girish	10	0		0	0	0	10	1	210	288	3--29	21	1	0	0
Parsons, Emmett	7	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--		0	2	0



PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET CLUB A.W. GREEN SHIELD - NSW PREMIER CRICKET GRAND FINALISTS - 2025 / 2026



Back Row: Paul Giumelli (Manager & Board Member), Glenn Chant (Scorer), Luke Dempsey (Coach), Maher Shaun Nosina, Juhith Rajesidhiraju, Saharsh Subramanian, Reyansh Sharma, Kaito Forrest, Lucas Karam, Gus Loretan, Ronav Aparajit, Jenny David (Scorer), Nick Bertus (Head Coach), Greg Monaghan (Chair)

Front Row: Benjamin Mani, Jayden Paskaranathan, Leon Cooray, Ethan Natkunamanickam (Captain), Aryan Ambardar, Emmett Parsons, Girish Gangatharan



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CRICKET NSW PREMIER CRICKET

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NSW Womens Premier Cricket

Rank	Team	CC PTS
1	Gordon	902.0
2	Sydney	858.5
3	Parramatta	778.0
4	Bankstown	656.0
5	Manly Warringah	631.5
6	Sydney University	621.0
7	St George-Sutherland	589.5
8	Greater Hunter Coast	434.5
9	Campbelltown Camden	428.0
10	Penrith	420.5
11	UTS North Sydney	392.0
12	Northern District	371.0
13	Blacktown	168.0
14	Southern Swans	123.0

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Congratulations Kate Pelle and Grace Pooley



**On your selection in the NSW Premier Cricket
1st Grade Women's Team of The Year 2025/26**





Helen Falzon Award 2025/2026



Congratulations Paige Bradley

10 Years of Volunteering Service Award 2025/2026



Congratulations Jamie Purcell



Women's Club Person 2025/2026



Congratulations Suresh Madala

Women's Volunteer Of The Year 2025/2026



Congratulations Nicole Knox



Parramatta Medalist 2025/2026



Congratulations Kaya Kumar

Women's Player Of The Year 2025/2026



Congratulations Kate Pelle



Parramatta Womens Grade Cricket Club – Major Awards

PWGCC Player of the Year Award Winners

Season	Award Winner
2013-2014	Pooja Padwani Taylor Sweeney
2014-2015	Melissa Halton
2015-2016	Hayley Silver Holmes
2016-2017	Kelsey Miller
2017-2018	Elsa Hunter
2018-2019	Kelsey Miller
2019-2020	Kelsey Miller
2020-2021	Kate Pelle
2021-2022	Lucy Wilson
2022-2023	Zoya Thakur
2023-2024	Neha Joshua Lakshmi Rajadurai
2024-2025	Jaaniya Shah
2025-2026	Kate Pelle

PWGCC Parramatta Medalist Award Winners

Season	Award Winner
2019-2020 SNR	Kelsey Miller
2019-2020 JNR	Amisha Mohanaraj
2020-2021	Kate Pelle
2021-2022	Lucy Wilson
2022-2023	Marlie Pathirana
2023-2024	Ava Kyle
2024-2025	Neha Joshua
2025-2026	Kaya Kumar



Congratulations

Kelsey Miller and Sophie Vaughan



10 years Service for Parramatta

Achievements

147	<i>Matches</i>
4807	<i>Runs Scored</i>
237	<i>Highest Score</i>
82	<i>Wickets Taken</i>
3.07	<i>Economy Rate</i>
3-4	<i>Best Bowling</i>
43	<i>Catches</i>
4	<i>Runouts</i>

Achievements

153	<i>Matches</i>
1501	<i>Runs Scored</i>
100	<i>Highest Score</i>
103	<i>Wickets Taken</i>
3.39	<i>Economy Rate</i>
6-26	<i>Best Bowling</i>
46	<i>Catches</i>
14	<i>Runouts</i>



Congratulations to our Women's **Representative Honours 2025/2026**



Jade Allen

- NSW Second XI



Stella Campbell

- Sydney Thunder Spring Challenge
- NSW Second XI



Claire Moore

- NSW Breakers
- Sydney Sixers Spring Challenge
- NSW Second XI



Kate Pelle

- Sydney Sixers Spring Challenge
- NSW Second XI



Grace Pooley

- U22's Australian Indoor Captain
- U22's NSW Indoor Team
- U16's NSW Indoor Coach



Lucy Wilson

- CNSW Metro U19's Team



Nicole Knox

- CNSW Veterans Team



Shiloh Julien

- U19's Australian Team
- U19's NSW Metro Team



Jaaniya Shah

- U19's NSW CCCS Team
- U19's NSW All Schools Team



Neha Joshua

- CNSW Metro U19's Team
- CNSW Metro U16's



Neha Joshua

- CNSW Metro U16's Team



Congratulations to our Women's Representative Honours 2025/2026



Aishleen Gir

- CNSW U15's Academy
- CNSW State Challenge
- U15's Sydney West



Kaya Kumar

- CNSW U15's Academy
- CNSW State Challenge
- U15's /U 19's CIS Schools Team
- NSW U15's / U19's All Schools



Kyra Prajapati

- CNSW U15's Academy
- CNSW State Challenge
- U15's CCCS Team
- NSW U15's All Schools Team



Kamakshi Sheoran

- CNSW U15's Academy
- CNSW State Challenge
- NSW U15's CIS Team



Lucy Culnane

- NSW U15's and U19's CCCS Team



Varshaa Elango

- NSW U19's CHS Team
- U16's NSW Indoor Team



Michelle Pham

- NSW U15's CCCS Team



Holly Smith

- NSW U15's CCCS Team



Aaradhya Rana

- NSW U14's Indoor



Ella Michael

- NSW U14's Indoor

PARRAMATTA WOMENS PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Let me begin by thanking the Parramatta Players for representing the club with pride throughout the season, both on and off the field.

Cricket has a unique way of teaching lessons that extend far beyond the game itself—discipline, persistence, resilience, and teamwork. These are qualities that are well worth celebrating and recognising.

This season delivered a mixed bag of results across our female grades. Third Grade experienced several close matches that narrowly slipped away. Our Brewers faced the challenge of adapting to new methods and playing structures, while First Grade finished just one coin toss away from securing a finals berth.

Our Women's Second Grade side, however, enjoyed a tremendous season, claiming the Premiership Shield alongside the Baby Blues, the PDCA Under-15s.

The club also achieved an encouraging third-place finish in the Club Championship. This result reflects the strength, commitment, and culture being developed within the playing group and demonstrates our ability to take what we learn at training and successfully apply it on the field.

Congratulations to all players selected within the ever-growing Parramatta representation in the Cricket NSW Pathways Program. These achievements continue to reinforce the strength of our development program and the quality of talent being nurtured within our club.

Thank you to our coaching team for their dedication to the female program and their contribution to the ongoing development of our players. Special mention should be made of our recent international representatives.

From humble beginnings in a small valley in Pakistan, Saria Jabeen has recently represented the Pakistan Women's National Team against Zimbabwe and has earned selection in the 2026 Women's T20 World Cup.

Similarly, Darcy Dalwood has been selected in the Irish Super Series, a significant pathway towards national representation for Ireland.

The return of Alex Griffith further strengthened our First Grade squad, while new international recruit Chloe Skelton proved to be a tremendous addition to the club. Both players contributed greatly on the field, but perhaps more importantly, formed lifelong friendships with our players, families, and supporters.

The facilities available to our club are greatly appreciated. We extend our sincere thanks to Parramatta and Cumberland Councils, the NSW Government Development and Property teams, and the many individuals who work tirelessly behind the scenes each week to provide facilities that are second to none.

The Parramatta Cricket Club is the oldest continuously operating cricket club in New South Wales, with a rich and significant historical connection to Parramatta Park. While the club experienced something of a nomadic existence during its formative years, the Parramatta Park Committee ultimately granted the club a permanent home, with the first match played at Old Kings Oval in March 1863.

However, this remarkable 170-year connection is now under threat.

In simple terms, Greater Sydney Parklands continues to pursue a substantial increase in fees, from \$20,000 to \$80,000 per annum. Such an increase is simply unsustainable and raises serious questions about how value is being measured and whether community contribution is truly being recognised.

The work undertaken by the Parramatta District Cricket Club extends far beyond the game of cricket. The club provides a safe and inclusive environment for young people, mentors and supports personal development, and offers a positive outlet from many of the pressures modern society places upon young minds.

These opportunities exist because of the dedicated volunteers who generously contribute their time, energy, and commitment to the community.

How do you place a monetary value on that contribution?

It is difficult to understand how government departments can overlook the immense social benefits that organisations such as ours provide.

Government should remain "of the people, by the people, and for the people." While discussions and meetings continue, the time may soon come when we, as a club, need to raise our collective voice. Through our players, members, families, friends, sponsors, and business partners, we must utilise social media platforms and broader media channels—both digital and print—to increase awareness throughout Parramatta and the wider community.

Together, we must preserve the historic connection between Parramatta Cricket Club and Old Kings Oval and maintain the status quo that has served our community for generations.

Many hands make light work. The contributions of our coaches, managers, executive team, scorers, sponsors, volunteers, and parents who work tirelessly behind the scenes week after week should never go unnoticed.

A very special thank you must go to Debbie Pooley. So many people owe so much to the countless hours Debbie has devoted to this club, consistently going above and beyond the call of duty. Debbie's commitment, alongside that of the Parramatta Board, has been instrumental in the continued success and operation of our club.

Another special mention goes to our newly formed Sponsorship Team—Diane and Daniel Pelle, Ian and Robyn Wilson—together with the Parramatta Executive. Their efforts in securing additional financial support have directly benefited our players by enhancing access to facilities, resources, and opportunities throughout the season.

Please take the opportunity to view the statistics, photographs, and reports contained within the following pages. They highlight the many milestones, individual achievements, and team successes that have made this season one to remember.

Congratulations to all award recipients and to every player who proudly represented the Parramatta Cricket Club this season.

Bring on 2026/27.

Scott Reibelt

1st Grade Coach's Report

A change of format this season saw the **T20 competition** played ahead of the 50 over games.

We welcomed Stella Campbell into the side from Northern Districts and Chloe Skeleton from Somerset joined us for the season.

Alex Griffiths again returned from Somerset after the Christmas break to join the side for the rest of the season.

Some outstanding performances by the players through the T20 competition helped us make the semi finals, unfortunately going down to Sydney.

Round 1 of the T20's we got the win against Penrith. Shiloh hitting 42 off 31 and Lucy 40* off 33 got us to 4-158 in our batting innings. Jaaniya with 3-25 including 2 wickets and a runout in the final over saw us get the win in the final over.

Round 2 against Bankstown at Raby saw one the best bowling performances of the season with Grace taking 6-13 off 4 overs, keeping Bankstown to a total of 119. 54* off 43 by Claire got us over the line in the 18th over for win number two.

Our first loss was to Campbelltown Camden in the **third round** in the doubleheader at Raby. Claire again scoring another 52 off 51 and Zoe 29* off 28, couldn't secure us the victory.

At Manly for **Round 4**, Shiloh lead the bowlers with 3-18 off 4, helping to keep Manly to 81. Shiloh then with the bat helped get the win with 38 off 32 in just 13 overs.

Round 5 a doubleheader against Sydney and St George Sutherland at Hurstville. Going down to Sydney in the first game, our bowlers struggled to take wickets, with Sydney getting 2-154. Unfortunately our batters found it just as hard to get runs. Zoe being the exception, hitting 34* off 26.

After the loss to Sydney earlier in the day, the team stood up in what was a strong win against last season's premiers, St George Sutherland. Kate scoring 73* off 62 saw us get to 4-140 in our batting innings. The bowlers then went to work to hold the opposition to 4-105, lead by Stella with 2-15 off 4.

Round 6 was a bye.

In **round 7** we faced Gordon. Bowling first, Gordon were able to get to 7-150. Claire taking 3 and Stella 2 wickets. Zoe (42 off 42) and Lucy (47 off 38) put up a fight, but unable to get the win, going down by one run in the final over.

Against Northern Districts in **round 8** saw a memorable innings from Kate. Northern Districts putting up a big total of 2-160, Kate hit an incredible 101* off just 59 balls in a partnership with Lucy who hit 36 off 29 to get us the win in the 18th over.

Round 9 saw us come up against Sydney Uni. Batting first, everyone contributed to get us to a total of 8-123. Sydney Uni were able to chase down this total in the 19th over. Claire taking 3 wickets was the stand out bowler.

Round 10 was again another bye.

Onto the **Semi Final** against Sydney at Hurstville. Sydney winning the toss, chose to bat first and put up a total of 8-138. Claire again taking 3 wickets and Lucy returning to bowling again after injury, taking 2. Again Sydney tied us down and made it hard to score runs, Claire hitting 59* off 56 put up a fight, but unable to get us across the line, we finally went down, scoring 108 in the chase.

The start of the **50 over games** saw us come up against Gordon in **round 1**. Gordon putting up a good total of 7-271, it was going to be a tough chase. Stella took 4 wickets in her first 50 over game for Parramatta. Everyone contributed with bat, Chloe scoring 62*, couldn't help us get across the line, falling 5 runs short of the win in the final over.

Round 2 against Sydney, we win the toss and sent them in. Sydney amassed a big total of 7-284, Grace taking 3 wickets off her 10 overs. Kate with 82 and Lucy with 92 put us within reach, but unfortunately unable to get the runs, we suffered our second loss.

The **third round** was against Sydney Uni. Batting first, Kate (54) and Sophie (68) got us to 175, being bowled out in the 48th over. Our bowlers then took the task, Claire taking 4, Grace 2 and an excellent spell from Jorja going wicket less but just 27 off her 10 overs, wasn't enough to secure us the victory. Sydney Uni passing our score in the 49th over.

After 3 losses on the trot, we needed a big win in **round 4** against Northern Districts and we got it, rolling them for just 45 in 17.3 overs. Grace with 4-14, Alex 3-13 and Lucy 2-9 made short work of the opposition. Kate with 33 helped get us the double points bonus win in just 11 overs.

Round 5 against Bankstown was abandoned due to rain.

Bowling first against Manly in **round 6** at Merrylands, Manly put up a solid total of 6-233. In the run chase, all our batters again contributed, but it was Jade with a captains knock of 46* in a partnership with Chloe with 32* that gave us a much needed win in the final over.

A dominant team performance in **round 7** against Campbelltown Camden saw us get our third win. Bowling them out for just 133 in the 37th over, all our bowlers chipped in, Grace taking 3 and Jade with 2 wickets. Kate again made batting look easy with 63 off 63 with Shiloh also batting well with 39* off 32, passing the total in just 20.2 overs for a bonus point win.

In a rain affected match against St George Sutherland, the game was reduced to a 17 over a side match. After sitting around for most of the day, we decided to bowl first. Alex with 2 wickets helped hold them to 4-79. Winning again in the final over thanks to another good innings from Jade (18* off 16). Kate also again in the runs with 26.

A disappointing loss in **round 9** against Bankstown saw us stay in the middle of the table. Despite Chloe's impressive 5-25, Bankstown ended their innings on 233. Claire took the fight to the opposition with a wonderful 101*, but unfortunately we were unable to score enough runs to reach the total, being bowled out for 190.

Round 10 was our best team performance of the season against Gordon. Batting first, our opening partnership put on 128 before the fall of the first wicket. Kate with 59 and Zoe with 53. The rest of the batters again contributing to push our total to 9-221. Gordon never looked in the game as our bowlers went to work. Chloe taking her second 5fa in consecutive games with 5-32, backed up by some outstanding fielding, rolled Gordon for just 139.

The **final round** of the regular season saw us just outside the top four. Needing a bonus point win to secure a semi-final berth, the bowlers turned it on against Penrith. All our bowlers bowled economically as the wickets fell consistently, we held Penrith to just 119 runs in 44 overs. Zoe scoring a great 56* and Claire with 29 made short work of the chase, getting the runs in 24 overs to get the bonus point and push us into the top four.

Just like in the T20 competition, we met Sydney in the semi-final. On another wet Sunday, we made our way to Drummoyne oval. Winning the toss, we sent Sydney in hoping our bowlers could make early inroads. Unfortunately that wasn't to be and Sydney ended their innings on 5-253. In a rain affected run chase, our batters fought valiantly to try and get ahead of the DLS total, but the pressure of a semi-final and the push to reach the run rate required saw us lose wickets. The rain came after the 22nd over and the game was delayed. Despite our best efforts to get back on, the ground was not fit for play and the game was called. Sydney coming away with the victory.

All in all, a reasonably successful season that saw us make the **semi-finals** in both competitions. Looking to go one better next season and hopefully bring home some silverware.

Well done to Kate, Grace and Chloe who all featured in the top 10 of the stats sheet for the season. Kate finished 1st in the run scoring with 674 @ 42.13, Grace finishing 1st on the bowling ladder with 26 wickets @ 14.04 and Chloe third with 16 wickets @ 18.63.

A huge thanks to Deb for her amazing work as team manager, without her work during the week and on the weekends, none of the success would be possible. Also a big thanks to Ian for all of his hard work helping on game day to make sure the girls are ready to perform at their best.

To all the volunteers on game day, again a huge thanks.

Thank you to all the girls that played, for another enjoyable season.

Looking forward to next year and another great season – Andrew Clark

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1st Grade Captain's Report

Firstly, I'd like to extend a huge thank you to everyone who works behind the scenes all year. Your efforts often go unnoticed, but they play a massive part in making this club what it is. From the volunteers to our committee members, the work you put in makes a world of difference, and I truly appreciate all of you. The club wouldn't run as smoothly without you, and your dedication doesn't go unnoticed.

This season has been a journey. We've had our ups and downs, but overall, I'm incredibly proud of the effort and commitment shown by each one of you. Our results on the field may not always reflect the hard work we put in. Throughout the year, we had many players in and out of the team, but every time we took the field, we worked as a unit. Whether it was a regular starter or someone filling in, the effort and energy remained consistent, and that's what I truly appreciate about this group. Every match, every session, we showed up for each other.

Now, turning to our results...

T20 Competition:

We finished 4th in the T20 competition, which was a great achievement, especially considering the hard work and determination we put in. We played some amazing cricket to get ourselves to finals day, and although we fell just short of making it to the final, the journey itself was full of highlights. As we will see with the awards tonight. We've learned so much this year, and it's clear that we're improving year after year. I can't wait to see where we end up next season this team has a lot of potential.

50-Over Competition:

In the 50-over competition, we faced a bit of bad luck with the weather in our final game, which could've been the one to take us to the final. However, I'm incredibly proud of how we went about our business before that. Winning with bonus points in the earlier games showed just how much we wanted to make it to the final. The fight and spirit we showed throughout the competition were amazing. We ended up finishing 3rd, but I can say with confidence that we gave everything we had, and I couldn't have asked for more from the team.

A Special Thanks:

I'd also like to give a massive thanks to Jade for stepping up and leading the team when I was away. Jade took on the role without hesitation and did an absolutely amazing job! A big thank you to Clarky and Ian, you guys have been incredible, always showing up, believing in this group, and wanting the best for us. Your support and presence are invaluable, and I can't tell you how much it means to know we have such a strong backbone behind the team. Deb, you are just amazing! You manage everything so efficiently and always keep me on my toes, especially with the captain's reports. But that's exactly why you're so good at managing this team. You're always on top of everything. Thank you so much for all the work you do, it doesn't go unnoticed, and it's much appreciated.

Lastly, to my team, thank you for an incredible year! I really had so much fun playing with everyone and I hope it was as fun for you all. I've loved every minute of it, and I'm so proud of what we've accomplished together. Hopefully bigger and better next year.

Claire Moore

1st Grade Captain

WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE LIMITED OVERS – RUTH PREDEY CUP

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

☒ Show advanced ladder

ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Gordon W1	11	52	7	0.529	7	3	0	1	0	0	1571	362.3	1582	415.5
2 Sydney W1	11	50	5	0.587	7	3	0	1	0	0	1710	411.5	1473	413.1
3 Parramatta W1	11	46	7	1.002	6	4	0	1	0	0	1738	371.2	1714	466
4 Campbelltown Camden W1	11	46	7	0.717	6	4	0	1	0	0	1790	411.1	1437	395.1
5 Sydney University W1	11	46	4	0.64	6	3	0	2	0	0	1455	343.5	1348	375.2
6 Bankstown W1	11	43	4	0.089	6	4	0	1	0	0	1558	417	1495	410
7 Northern District W1	11	30	3	-0.545	4	6	0	1	0	0	1376	429.2	1492	397.5
8 Manly Warringah W1	11	21	0	-0.779	3	7	0	1	0	0	1652	472.5	1951	456.3
9 Penrith W1	11	19	1	-0.855	2	7	0	2	0	0	1134	355.1	1243	307
10 St George-Sutherland W1	11	15	0	-1.258	2	8	0	1	0	0	1446	426.2	1695	364.3

P: Played PTS: Ladder points BP: Bonus points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results BYE: Byes ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced
RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled

WOMEN'S KINGSGROVE SPORTS T20 CUP

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

T20

☒ Show advanced ladder

T20

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Sydney	9	28.5	4.5	2.268	8	1	0	0	1	1178	159.3	921	180
2 Campbelltown Camden	9	23	2	0.547	7	2	0	0	1	961	164.3	900	170
3 Gordon	9	21	0	0.233	7	2	0	0	2	1067	167.3	1076	175.2
4 Parramatta	9	16	1	0.349	5	4	0	0	2	1166	168.2	1174	178.3
5 Sydney University	9	15	0	-0.075	5	4	0	0	1	1169	172.1	1198	174.3
6 Northern District	9	12	0	-0.924	4	5	0	0	3	1155	178.3	1304	176.2
7 Bankstown	9	10	1	-0.42	3	6	0	0	1	1000	167.1	1066	166.3
8 St George-Sutherland	9	9.5	0.5	-0.306	3	6	0	0	2	1078	178.3	1083	170.4
9 Manly Warringah	9	9	0	-0.654	3	6	0	0	2	946	179.3	944	159.2
10 Penrith	9	0	0	-0.824	0	9	0	0	1	948	180	1002	164.3

P: Played PTS: Ladder points BP: Bonus points NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results BYE: Byes RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced RA: Runs Against
OB: Overs Bowled

2025-2026 First Grade Limited Overs Statistics																
Limited Overs	Batting									Bowling						
	Match	Inn	Not Outs	High Score	Total Runs	Average	Catch	St		Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts	Economy	Average	Best Bowling
Jade Allen	10	7	3	46	113	28.25	5			27	-	149	5	5.52	29.8	2-10
Paige Bradley	5	4	2	31	37	15.5	1			11	1	51	-	4.64	-	0-11
Stella Campbell	10	4	1	20	38	12.67	2			48	6	224	8	4.67	28	4-68
Alex Griffiths	9	5	1	14	23	5.75	1			47.5	6	168	10	3.51	16.8	3-10
Neha Joshua	1	1	-	7	7	7	1			5	-	19	-	3.8	-	0-19
Shiloh Julien	9	9	3	39	138	23	4			9	-	40	1	4.44	40	1-16
Isabella Malgioglio	1	1	-	5	5	5	-			7	-	40	-	5.71	-	0-40
Jorja Mizzi	10	1	1	1	1	-	2			40	4	156	3	3.9	52	1-6
Claire Moore	7	7	3	101	191	47.75	3			30	3	133	5	4.43	26.6	4-36
Zoe Murdoch	11	11	1	56	219	21.9	2			11	-	63	-	5.73	-	0-12
Kate Pelle	11	11	-	82	415	37.73	6 WK	5		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grace Pooley	11	4	2	9	13	6.5	3			79	3	341	20	4.32	17.05	4-32
Jaaniya Shah	2	2	-	32	40	20	-			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chloe Skelton	11	7	2	62	141	28.2	5			86.4	6	336	17	3.88	19.76	5-25
Sophie Vaughan	10	5	1	19	40	8	2			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lucy Wilson	11	9	1	92	195	24.38	7			61	11	194	8	3.18	24.25	2-9





PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB FIRST GRADE 2025-2026



Back Row (L-R) Lucy Wilson, Jorja Mizzi, Shiloh Julien, Jade Allen, Kate Pelle, Stella Campbell
Front Row (L-R) Claire Moore (C), Grace Pooley, Alex Griffiths, Chloe Skelton, Zoe Murdoch
Absent (Inset Left): Andrew Clark (Coach) Neha Joshua, Jaaniya Shah, Paige Bradley

2ND GRADE COACHES REPORT

Every season brings new challenges, and the 2025/26 season was no different. However, we entered the campaign still carrying the disappointment of our Grand Final appearance in 2024/25, where we fell short of our ultimate goal.

The traditional T20 opening rounds proved to be a mixed bag, with the team unable to secure any competition points. It was not until the first of the One-Day matches that we recorded our first victory. Unfortunately, the winning feeling was short-lived. Despite posting a strong total of 4/253 against Bankstown, we were unable to defend it, with our opponents passing the target in the final over of the day. A lack of discipline at key moments prevented us from controlling what we could control, overshadowing an outstanding unbeaten century from Sarah (106*).

Round 5 saw a galvanising team performance that, in the coaches' opinion, marked a turning point in our season. It was the beginning of our push towards the finals and was built on a disciplined effort with both ball and in the field. While Round 7 was washed out, the performances in Rounds 6 and 8 continued to build momentum, on the back of Kelsey's 116, concluding prior to the Christmas break with an impressive T20 victory against Greater Hunter, where we posted 3/153. The innings was anchored by a mature and composed 90* from 60 balls in extremely hot and humid conditions, supported by an almost faultless display with the ball and in the field. It was a performance that reinforced our belief that this side had what it takes to go the distance.

The Christmas break did us few favours. A washout followed by a loss interrupted our momentum, but once we rediscovered our game, the team responded with five consecutive victories. That run secured third position and a Semi-Final showdown against Bankstown.

Batting first, the runs were shared throughout the line-up, with valuable contributions from Darcy, Paige, Chaitra, and Vrusti helping us post a competitive total of 201. Highlights included Darcy's powerful six and Vrusti's audacious ramp shot. A committed and disciplined effort in the field saw the DLS result fall in our favour, earning us the right to host a home Grand Final.

After losing the toss in the Grand Final, we found ourselves in the middle and witnessed an explosive opening partnership of 91 before the fall of the first wicket. While wickets then fell at regular intervals, the side battled hard to post a competitive total, with the innings concluding in the 47.3rd over.

The fielding effort that followed was nothing short of outstanding. Early wickets were the reward for an aggressive and relentless display in the field. Catches, stumpings, run-outs, and bowled dismissals were all on the menu. By the 49th over, the Parramatta players had secured the 2nd Grade Shield with an 11-run victory.

This team displayed a remarkable level of maturity throughout the final series. Zoe's leadership kept the players focused on every ball, while Marlie's ability to carry the weight of crucial moments and manage the contest like a game of chess was simply untouchable.

In closing, Suresh and I would like to thank every player for taking us on such a memorable journey. At times it was frustrating, but the experiences, friendships, and bonds we have built together will remain with us for many years to come.

I truly believe that the perfect cricket match is unachievable , however , the perfect team is achievable , and I think we saw it on grand final day

Thank you.

Suresh Madala & Scott Reibelt



2nd Grade Captain's Report- Season 2025/2026

The 2025/2026 season will forever be remembered as one of the most rewarding and unforgettable years for our team. What we achieved together this season went far beyond simply winning games, it was about growth, resilience, unity, and the incredible bond we built as a team.

At the beginning of the season, we set ourselves a goal to improve in every area of the game and to compete with pride every single time we stepped onto the field. Through hard work, determination, and commitment, we were able to accomplish something truly special by winning the Grand Final and finishing the season as premiers. It was a moment that reflected every early morning, every training session, every challenge we faced, and every sacrifice made throughout the year.

What made this team so special was that it was built on far more than just skill. While talent certainly played a part in our success, the true strength of this team came from our trust in one another, our support for each other during difficult moments, and the culture we created together. Every player contributed in their own way, and every individual embraced their role for the benefit of the team.

Throughout the season, our growth was clear for everyone to see. Our batting developed tremendously, with players becoming more confident, composed, and consistent at the crease. We learned how to build partnerships, handle pressure situations, and play selfless cricket when the team needed it most.

Our bowling attack also improved remarkably over the course of the year. The discipline, control, and teamwork shown by our bowlers became one of the biggest strengths of our side. Time and time again, we were able to fight our way back into games through determination and persistence.

In the field, the improvement was outstanding. The effort, communication, and energy displayed by every player lifted our standards to another level. Matches are often won by the small moments, and our commitment in the field played a huge role in our success throughout the season.

One of the things I am most proud of is the way this team handled adversity. Every season comes with challenges, setbacks, and pressure, but our team never stopped believing in one another. We stayed united through every high and low, and that resilience ultimately defined who we became.

I would like to sincerely thank our coaches, managers for everything they have done for us this season. Your dedication, patience, knowledge, and constant belief in the team pushed us to become better players and better people. The time and effort you invested behind the scenes often goes unnoticed, but it never went unappreciated. Your leadership played a massive role in helping us achieve what we did this year.

Finally, I want to thank every single player in this team. One of the most special things about this season was that our success never came down to just one individual. I honestly could not recognise a single player above the rest, because every member of this team contributed in meaningful ways throughout the year. Every game, every training session, and every moment on the field was built on collective effort, commitment, and teamwork. Each player gave 100% for the team every time they stepped onto the field. Whether it was scoring

important runs, taking wickets, saving boundaries in the field, supporting teammates from the sidelines, or lifting the energy of the group during difficult moments, every contribution mattered. That selflessness and dedication is what made this team truly special and ultimately led us to success

It has been an honour to captain such an amazing group of women. The friendships, memories, and achievements we shared this season are something I will never forget. Winning the Grand Final against Sydney was an incredible achievement. This season was not just about lifting a trophy, it was about building a family, creating lifelong memories, and proving what can be achieved when a group of people work together with trust, passion, and heart.

Thank you to everyone who was part of our 2025/2026 journey. It is a season we can all be incredibly proud of.

Marlie Pathirana.

Captain-Parramatta Women's Second Grade



WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

Overall

Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Gordon W2	18	83	11	1.529	1.208	13	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	2127	503.1	109	1722	570.3	135
2 Bankstown W2	18	76	10	1.309	0.934	12	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	2476	549.3	106	2283	639.1	128
3 Parramatta W2	18	73.5	7.5	1.397	1.1	12	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	2287	476.1	86	2055	555	108
4 Sydney W2	18	67	10	1.362	0.746	11	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	2021	510	107	1968	611.5	142
5 Greater Hunter Coast W2	18	61	7	1.012	0.48	11	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	2350	572	132	2269	625.3	129
6 UTS North Sydney W2	18	47	5	0.91	-0.015	8	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	2083	599.2	122	2194	628.3	117
7 St George-Sutherland W2	18	44	2	0.997	-0.279	8	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	2068	590.2	111	2055	543.2	110
8 Manly Warringah W2	18	44	2	0.818	-0.405	7	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	2172	607.5	128	2176	546.5	105
9 Sydney University W2	18	36.5	3.5	0.693	-0.883	6	9	0	3	0	0	0	0	1583	514.3	116	1732	437.2	88
10 Penrith W2	18	36	3	0.923	-0.365	6	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	1997	531.5	100	2010	487.5	93
11 Campbelltown Camden W2	18	18.5	0.5	0.679	-1.458	2	13	1	2	0	0	0	0	1632	574.5	120	2100	488.4	105
12 Northern District W2	18	17	2	0.756	-1.162	2	15	0	1	0	0	0	0	2133	617	143	2365	512	120

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WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

Show advanced ladder

ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Gordon W2	12	70	10	1.318	9	1	0	2	0	0	1505	385.3	1165	450.3
2 Bankstown W2	12	66	9	0.969	9	2	0	1	0	0	1824	442.3	1655	525
3 Parramatta W2	12	61	7	1.173	8	2	0	2	0	0	1503	358.1	1315	435
4 Sydney W2	12	53	8	0.562	7	4	0	1	0	0	1364	395.2	1422	493.5
5 Greater Hunter Coast W2	12	45	6	0.433	6	5	0	1	0	0	1722	467.4	1642	505.3
6 Manly Warringah W2	12	38	2	-0.268	5	5	1	1	0	0	1603	487.5	1567	440.5
7 UTS North Sydney W2	12	37	4	-0.103	5	6	0	1	0	0	1456	480.5	1614	515.2
8 St George-Sutherland W2	12	35	2	-0.216	5	6	0	1	0	0	1513	480.2	1478	439
9 Penrith W2	12	26	2	-0.442	3	7	0	2	0	0	1367	424.2	1401	382.2
10 Sydney University W2	12	23	2	-0.958	2	7	0	3	0	0	1001	409.3	1080	317.2
11 Northern District W2	12	17	2	-1.111	2	9	0	1	0	0	1507	497	1630	393.2
12 Campbelltown Camden W2	12	15	0	-1.465	1	8	1	2	0	0	1210	460.1	1606	392.1

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WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

T20

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T20

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Greater Hunter Coast W2	6	16	1	0.794	5	1	0	0	0	0	628	104.2	627	120
2 Sydney W2	6	14	2	1.152	4	2	0	0	0	0	657	113.4	546	118
3 Sydney University W2	6	13.5	1.5	0.109	4	2	0	0	0	0	582	105	652	120
4 Gordon W2	6	13	1	0.644	4	2	0	0	0	0	622	117.4	557	120
5 Parramatta W2	6	12.5	0.5	0.477	4	2	0	0	0	0	784	118	740	120
6 Bankstown W2	6	10	1	0.592	3	3	0	0	0	0	652	107	628	114.1
7 UTS North Sydney W2	6	10	1	0.165	3	3	0	0	0	0	627	118.3	580	113.1
8 Penrith W2	6	10	1	0.087	3	3	0	0	0	0	630	107.3	609	105.3
9 St George-Sutherland W2	6	9	0	-0.484	3	3	0	0	0	0	555	110	577	104.2
10 Manly Warringah W2	6	6	0	-1.003	2	4	0	0	0	0	569	120	609	106
11 Campbelltown Camden W2	6	3.5	0.5	-1.438	1	5	0	0	0	0	422	114.4	494	96.3
12 Northern District W2	6	0	0	-0.977	0	6	0	0	0	0	626	120	735	118.4

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2025-2026 Second Grade Limited Overs Statistics															
Limited Overs	Batting								Bowling						
	Match	Inn	Not Outs	High Score	Total Runs	Average	Catch	St	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts	Economy	Average	Best Bowling
Georgia Aldridge	7	1	-	2	2	2	1		20	-	101	2	5.05	50.5	1-11
Sarah Bawcombe	11	9	1	106	299	37.38	5		20	2	56	7	2.8	8	6-8
Paige Bradley	8	6	2	47	99	16.5	1		25	4	83	3	3.32	27.67	2-14
Darcey Dalwood	14	8	3	15	47	9.4	1		52	4	200	9	3.85	22.22	2-17
Zoe Dawkins	13	7	2	16	29	5.8	1		17.4	-	98	3	5.55	32.67	2-13
Aishleen Gir	7	5	2	30	38	12.67	5		6	6	19	1	3.17	19	1-7
Neha Joshua	5	4	-	27	36	9	-		16	-	71	3	4.44	23.67	1-13
Maithri Karthikayan	14	5	1	6	8	2	5		62.1	9	236	15	3.8	15.73	4-8
Chaitra Madala	14	8	3	39	82	16.4	11WK	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aarini Mazumdar	3	-	-	-	-	-	-		2	-	15	2	7.5	7.5	2-15
Kingkini Mazumdar	2	1	1	2	2	-	-		5	1	17	1	3.4	17	1-17
Kelsey Miller	14	12	1	116	339	30.82	5		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jorja Mizzi	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		7	3	6	1	0.85	6	1-6
Marlie Pathirana	14	11	1	37	169	16.9	8		48	5	153	8	3.19	19.13	2-16
Lakshmi Rajadurai	2	2	-	47	90	45	-		7	-	37	-	5.28	-	0-37
Jaaniya Shah	15	13	1	68	373	31.08	3		93	16	206	17	2.22	12.12	3-17
Vrusti Valani	14	7	3	25	50	12.5	4		74	7	259	13	3.5	19.92	6-44

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2025-2026 Second Grade T20 Statistics															
T20	Batting								Bowling						
	Match	Inn	Not Outs	High Score	Total Runs	Average	Catch	St	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts	Economy	Average	Best Bowling
Georgia Aldridge	2	1	1	13	13	-	-		2	-	14	-	7	-	0-6
Sarah Bawcombe	5	5	-	38	96	19.2	-		5	-	29	1	5.8	29	1-13
Paige Bradley	3	3	2	28	33	33	1		7	1	34	2	4.86	17	1-3
Darcey Dalwood	6	2	1	10	14	14	-		20	-	144	7	7.2	20.57	4-29
Zoe Dawkins	4	2	-	2	2	1	1		9	-	67	1	7.44	67	1-9
Varshaa Elango	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		2	-	13	-	7.5	-	0-13
Zara Floody	2	1	-	0	0	0	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aishleen Gir	4	3	-	42	45	15	-		3	-	20	-	10	-	0-6
Neha Joshua	1	1	-	31	31	31	-		3	-	17	1	5.66	17	1-17
Maithri Karthikayan	6	1	1	9	9	-	1		17	-	113	2	6.65	56.5	1-7
Chaitra Madala	7	2	1	13	15	15	4 WK	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aarini Mazumdar	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		2	-	15	2	7.5	7.5	2-15
Kingkini Mazumdar	2	1	1	9	9	-	1		7	-	27	1	3.86	27	1-16
Kelsey Miller	6	6	1	76	197	39.4	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiona Patel	4	1	1	0	0	-	-		4	1	18	1	4.5	18	1-5
Marlie Pathirana	7	6	2	26	77	19.25	2		15	1	66	3	4.4	22	1-5
Jaaniya Shah	3	3	1	90	140	70	1		9	1	49	3	5.44	16.33	3-13
Vrusti Valani	6	2	-	4	4	2	-		19	1	120	4	6.32	30	2-12
Sophie Vaughan	1	1	-	2	2	2	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-





PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB SECOND GRADE PREMIERS - 2025 / 2026



Back Row (L-R): Scott Reibelt (Coach), Kelsey Miller, Darcey Dalwood, Marlie Pathirana (c), Sarah Bawcombe, Vrusti Valani, Maithri Karthikayan, Neha Joshua, Vanessa Dawkins (Manager), Suresh Madala (Coach)
Bottom Row (L-R): Zoe Dawkins, Jaaniya Shah, Paige Bradley, Chaitra Madala, Georgia Aldridge
Insets—Aishleen Gir, Kingkini Mazumdar, Aarini Mazumdar, Lakshmi Rajadurai

Parramatta Women's Third Grade – Captain's Report

Sydney Premier Cricket Season 2025/2026

It has once again been a privilege to lead the Parramatta Women's Third Grade side throughout the 2025/2026 Sydney Premier Cricket season. This year was a story of resilience, growth, and determination, as we navigated early momentum, a challenging mid-season patch, and a strong, united finish that reflected the character of this group.

Season Overview

We began the season with confidence and intent, securing early wins and demonstrating the progress made during preseason. A flurry of narrow losses followed, matches where we were competitive throughout but couldn't quite close out key moments. While these results were frustrating, they ultimately strengthened our resolve. The group remained positive, committed to improvement, and focused on playing for one another.

That perseverance paid off. In the final rounds, everything clicked. Our batting partnerships grew in maturity, our bowlers executed with discipline, and our fielding intensity lifted to its highest standard of the season. The way the team came together in the back end of the competition was a testament to our culture and belief.

Individual Highlights

- Zali had an outstanding season with the bat, finishing 9th overall in the competition with 262 runs at an average of 26.2. Her ability to anchor innings, absorb pressure, and accelerate when needed was central to our late-season surge.
- Ayati continued to develop as a reliable and intelligent bowler, finishing 12th overall with 13 wickets at an excellent average of 12.77. Her consistency in the middle overs and ability to break partnerships were crucial in tight matches.
- As our all-rounder, Georgie contributed across all facets, but her fielding was exceptional. She finished the season with 7 catches, placing her among the strongest fielders in the grade. Her energy, anticipation, and commitment set the standard for the group.
- Gina had a brilliant return season, stepping confidently into the wicketkeeping role and providing stability with the bat in the middle order. Her presence added composure and reliability to the team.
- Our Brewer players made an immediate impact stepping into senior cricket. Their energy, skill, and willingness to learn strengthened the squad and highlighted the depth of talent emerging through the club.

Team Development

Our bowling unit continued to grow in confidence, with seamers and spinners working in partnership to build pressure. Batting depth improved significantly, with players taking ownership of their roles and showing greater intent at the crease. Fielding, often the difference in close games, became a genuine strength, especially in the final rounds where our communication and intensity were outstanding.

Leadership and Team Culture

A special thank you to Zali and Niharika for their leadership throughout the season. Their commitment to running warmups, supporting training sessions, and stepping up when I was unavailable ensured the team remained organised, focused, and connected

Acknowledgements

This season would not have been possible without the support of our parents and volunteers. A particular thank you to Richard Welsh, who stepped up to take on the manager's role. His organisation, communication, and willingness to help at every turn made a significant difference to the smooth running of our season.

To the wider Parramatta Cricket Club community, thank you for your ongoing support of women's cricket and for fostering an environment where our players can grow and thrive.

Looking Ahead

This squad has enormous potential. The way we finished the season shows what we are capable of when we trust our processes and back each other. With continued focus on batting consistency, disciplined bowling partnerships, and maintaining our high fielding standards, I am confident we will build on this momentum in 2026/2027.

It has been a privilege to lead this group of talented, hardworking, and supportive players. I am incredibly proud of what we achieved together and excited for what lies ahead.

Nicole Knox

Captain (Parramatta Women's Third Grade)



WOMEN'S THIRD GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

Overall

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OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 St George-Sutherland W3	16	70.5	9	1.282	0.616	12	3	0	1	1	0	0	4	1350	365.4	81	1326	431.1	102
2 Manly Warringah W3	15	68	8.5	1.826	1.236	11	3	0	1	2	0	0	4	1397	307.4	57	1275	385.5	95
3 UTS North Sydney W3	16	52.5	6	0.873	-0.106	9	6	0	1	1	0	0	4	1732	403.3	91	1591	361.4	73
4 Sydney W3	16	51	7	1.487	0.717	10	6	0	0	1	0	0	-3	2198	472.4	93	1923	489	121
5 Parramatta W3	15	43.5	6	0.852	-0.011	5	9	0	1	2	0	0	0	1770	421.3	92	1761	418.1	78
6 Gordon W3	15	41	6.5	1.075	0.034	6	8	0	1	2	0	0	-3	1761	452.2	93	1620	419.5	92
7 Sydney University W3	15	11.5	0	0.331	-2.229	1	13	0	1	2	0	0	-2	1307	452.2	110	1901	371.2	53

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WOMEN'S THIRD GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

One Day

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ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 St George-Sutherland W3	10	53	7	0.493	8	2	0	0	0	4	980	289.5	964	333.5
2 Manly Warringah W3	9	51	7	1.273	7	2	0	0	1	4	919	227.4	800	289.3
3 Parramatta W3	9	40	6	0.191	5	4	0	0	1	0	1287	321.3	1268	332.4
4 UTS North Sydney W3	10	39	5	0.036	6	4	0	0	0	4	1213	316.2	1011	266.1
5 Sydney W3	10	32	5	0.578	5	5	0	0	0	-3	1612	368.4	1415	373
6 Gordon W3	9	31	6	0.182	4	5	0	0	1	-3	1382	360	1242	339.4
7 Sydney University W3	9	8	0	-2.317	1	8	0	0	1	-2	902	352.2	1477	302.5

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WOMEN'S THIRD GRADE

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

T20

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T20

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Sydney W3	6	19	2	1.255	5	1	0	0	1	0	586	104	508	116
2 St George-Sutherland W3	6	17.5	2	1.159	4	1	0	1	1	0	370	75.5	362	97.2
3 Manly Warringah W3	6	17	1.5	1.044	4	1	0	1	1	0	478	80	475	96.2
4 UTS North Sydney W3	6	13.5	1	-0.119	3	2	0	1	1	0	519	87.1	580	95.3
5 Gordon W3	6	10	0.5	-0.61	2	3	0	1	1	0	379	92.2	378	80.1
6 Parramatta W3	6	3.5	0	-0.936	0	5	0	1	1	0	483	100	493	85.3
7 Sydney University W3	6	3.5	0	-2.139	0	5	0	1	1	0	405	100	424	68.3

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2025-2026 Third Grade Limited Overs Statistics																
	Batting									Bowling						
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Georgia Aldridge	1	-	-	-	-	-	-			4	1	15	3	3.75	5	3-15
Umika Bagwe	8	3	-	2	3	1	2			28	3	115	2	4.11	57.5	1-17
Darcey Dalwood	2	2	1	31	52	52	-			13.1	4	34	-	2.63	-	0-16
Aarchi Dhobi	3	2	-	7	7	3.5	1			6	-	31	-	5.17	-	0-7
Varshaa Elango	7	6	2	21	66	11	2			47	11	108	4	2.3	27	1-8
Zara Floody	7	7	3	50*	186	46.5	2			20	2	93	3	4.65	31	1-13
Gina Gill	8	7	-	26	74	10.57	3 WK	2		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niharika Gupta	8	4	2	1	3	1.5	1			33.1	2	165	5	4.97	33	2-11
Kleo Hendry	2	2	-	21	41	20.5	-			7	-	44	2	6.28	14.5	2-44
Ayati Iyer	6	4	-	10	20	5	1			36.1	4	125	13	3.46	9.62	4-18
Nikitha Jagadeesh	3	3	-	43	63	21	-			8	-	29	2	3.63	14.5	2-27
Nicole Knox	6	5	1	50*	83	20.75	2			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zali Lavender	7	7	2	52	215	43	1			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaitra Madala	1	1	-	39	39	39	-			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aarini Mazumdar	2	2	-	46	80	40	-			12	4	28	-	2.33	-	0-1
Kingkini Mazumdar	1	-	-	-	-	-	1			2.2	1	3	1	1.28	3	1-3
Isabella Pace	1	1	-	4	4	4	1			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiona Patel	8	6	4	17	40	20	2			39	5	130	10	3.33	13	5-23
Sri Lakshmi Peddada	3	3	1	32	35	17.5	-			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgie Telfer	5	4	1	21	32	10.67	6			8.2	1	27	1	3.24	13.5	2-14
Isabella Tesoriero	7	2	1	4	7	7	1			20	-	117	4	5.85	29.25	1-10
Alicia Welsh	6	5	-	32	57	11.4	1			28	1	99	7	3.54	14.14	3-33

2025-2026 Third Grade T20 Statistics																
	Batting									Bowling						
T20	Match	Inn	Not Outs	High Score	Total Runs	Average	Catch	St		Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts	Economy	Average	Best Bowling
Umika Bagwe	3	2	1	1	1	1	-			8	-	25	2	3.13	12.5	2-5
Varshaa Elango	4	4	1	29	39	9.75	1			12	-	55	-	4.58	-	0-9
Zara Floody	2	1	-	0	0	0	-			2.4	-	24	-	9.02	-	0-24
Gina Gill	5	3	1	27	37	18.5	1WK	1		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niharika Gupta	2	1	1	1	1	-	-			4	1	20	1	5	20	1-19
Kleo Hendry	1	1	-	15	15	15	1			3	-	29	-	9.67	-	0-29
Ayati Iyer	3	2	1	30*	33	33	1			7	-	41	-	5.86	-	0-8
Nicole Knox	5	4	2	30*	82	41	-			2	-	9	-	4.5	-	0-9
Zali Lavender	5	5	-	18	47	9.4	-			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aarini Mazumdar	4	3	1	18	32	16	-			9	1	45	-	5	-	0-1
Kingkini Mazumdar	5	3	-	28	14	4.67	-			11.3	1	42	1	3.72	42	1-11
Fiona Patel	4	2	-	17	18	9	1			7	1	25	1	3.57	25	1-6
Georgie Telfer	5	4	-	17	30	7.5	1			11	-	63	1	5.73	63	1-11
Isabella Tesoriero	6	5	3	9	32	16	-			8.2	-	76	-	9.12	-	0-2
Alicia Welsh	5	3	-	9	10	3.33	-			11	1	57	4	5.18	14.25	4-10



PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB THIRD GRADE 2025 / 2026



Back Row (L-R): Umika Bagwe, Alicia Welsh, Ayati Iyer, Zara Floody, Nicole Knox, Gina Gill
Front Row (L-R) Varshaa Elango, Fiona Patel, Zali Lavender, Niharika Gupta, Georgie Telfer
Inset Top to bottom (L-R): Kingkini Mazumdar, Aarini Mazumdar, Lavanya Chopra, Nikitha Jagadeesh, Isabella Tesoriero

PARRAMATTA WOMENS GRADE CRICKET CLUB

BREWERS U18 SEASON'S REPORT 2025/26

Coach: Raj Panchal

Assistant Coaches: Yanni Marathocabitis, Kabir Rana & Amrinder Gill

Manager: Christina Van Domburg

Captain: Kleo Hendry

The 2025/26 Brewers season was one of growth, learning and development across the cricketing journeys of our young girls. While the final ladder position was not where we wanted to be, this season should not be remembered only by wins and losses. It should be remembered as a season where our players stepped out of their comfort zones, challenged themselves, and continued to grow as cricketers and young people.

This year, our squad was supported by a coaching group that brought different strengths, experiences and styles to training and game day. Yanni, Amrinder, Kabir and I all had different ways of coaching, but every part of our approach was focused on the same outcome: supporting the girls' development and helping them build towards their future in cricket.

Across the season, there were many moments that showed how close this group was to taking the next step. When we won, we won well. When we lost, we often had our hands on the game and unfortunately let those opportunities slip away. That was the most frustrating part of the season, but also the most exciting, because it showed that we were never far away. The challenge for this group now is consistency, learning how to stay in the contest together for longer, and understanding how to win the key moments as a team.

Every week, our girls showed professionalism in their approach to game day. They arrived on time, prepared together with purpose and were mentally ready to compete. That level of commitment was pleasing to see and is something the group should be proud of. However, when pressure increased in matches, too often only one player stood up at a time. As a team, we did not consistently respond to pressure together. That is an important lesson and an area of growth for the players as they continue their cricketing journeys. We win games with all 12 players, not 1.

A special moment from the season was breaking my "Manly curse" and defeating Manly at home. That win is one I will never forget. The girls wanted that result badly, and in many ways, they wanted it even more than I did. The effort, belief and fight shown in that match reflected what this group was capable of when they played with confidence and togetherness.

I would like to thank our captain, Kleo Hendry, for the way she led the team across the season. Captaining at such a young age comes with many challenges, but Kleo showed resilience, strength and maturity well beyond her years. Despite the results not always going our way, she should be incredibly proud of how she carried herself, supported her teammates and represented the team. Her leadership was inspirational, and she continued to show why she is such an important part of this group.

I would also like to sincerely thank Christina Van Domburg, our Team Manager. Tina is not only a cricket mum and our team manager, but also my biggest support throughout the season. Her organisation, communication and care for the players helped keep the team

running smoothly every week. The work of a team manager often goes unseen, but it is deeply valued and appreciated.

To the parents, thank you for the support you gave your daughters, Tina and the coaching team across the season. Your commitment to your daughters' cricketing journeys, whether through scoring, transport, support at games or simply being there each week, made a huge difference. Thanks to parents like ours, we love what we do.

On behalf of the Brewers, I would also like to thank Scott, Deb and the broader Parramatta Womens Grade Cricket Club coaching team for their support across the season. Congratulations to the club on the outstanding success of the 2nd Grade Championship and a strong 1st Grade season. Those achievements made the club proud and provided our Brewers players with something to aspire towards. The success of the senior grades is a clear reminder of the pathway available to our young players if they continue to work hard, stay committed and keep developing.

Although this season had its challenges, there is a lot for this group to take forward. The talent is there, the care is there, and the desire to improve is there. The next step is learning how to bring it together more consistently as a team.

Thank you to every player for your effort, attitude and commitment throughout the season. Sundays were genuinely the best part of my week, and watching the growth of this group has been something special.

Enjoy the break, freshen up and come back ready, because next season is not just about competing. It is about getting ourselves back to where we belong.

Raj Panchal

Coach



2025/2026 Season - Brewer Shield Captain's Report

ROUND 1

Round 1 was a strong way to open the season for the girls at Merrylands Oval, edging Penrith by just 3 runs in a tense low-scoring T20 contest. Kamakshi anchored the innings superbly with an unbeaten 40, showing patience and composure under pressure, while Georgia (17*) provided an important late push to help Parramatta reach 98. The bowlers and fielders then produced a disciplined performance in the second innings, holding their nerve in a thrilling finish to defend the total and secure a confidence-boosting win to begin the campaign.

ROUND 2

The second T20 of the season proved to be a challenging outing against Blacktown at Joe McAleer Oval, but there were still positives to take from the match. Kaya Kumar delivered a standout innings of 83 from just 56 balls, playing with confidence and intent as she carried the batting effort and kept Parramatta competitive throughout the innings. Despite her brilliant knock helping Parra post 7/118, Blacktown's strong batting line-up managed to chase the target down without loss.

ROUND 3

Round 3 at The Green was a hard-fought One Day clash that turned into a grind for both sides in difficult batting conditions. Parramatta battled their way to 107, led by a determined 45 from Georgia who fought hard to keep the innings together. With the ball, Varshaa and Kamakshi bowled excellent spells and claimed 2 key wickets each, helping Parramatta stay in the contest right until the closing stages. Although St George-Sutherland eventually chased the target down, the side showed plenty of resilience and competitiveness throughout the match.

ROUND 4

Round 4 produced one of Parramatta's best performances of the season, with the side pulling off a tight comeback victory in a high-pressure chase. After Northern District posted 161, Parramatta responded confidently with Kaya Kumar leading the way through a match-defining 57 that set the tone for the innings. Aishleen provided strong support with 38, while important contributions from Georgia and Kamakshi helped keep the scoreboard moving during the chase. Parramatta showed great composure under pressure to reach the target in 29 overs and secure an impressive 3-wicket win.

ROUND 5

Round 5 at The Green was a difficult loss against Southern Swans, where Parramatta were set 195 and despite Kamakshi Sheoran's strong 52 and a solid contribution from Aarini (20), the team fell for 132; Kaya stood out with the ball taking 3 wickets, while Kingkini and Aarini Mazumdar supported well with a wicket each in a disciplined but ultimately unsuccessful bowling effort.

ROUND 6 - Match abandoned due to rain.

ROUND 7

Round 7 at The Green was one of the highlights of the season, with Parramatta defending 155 in a thriller to beat Manly Warringah by 5 runs, led by an outstanding 75 from Kaya Kumar including powerful boundary hitting and useful contributions from the lower order, while the bowling unit excelled under pressure, especially Georgia, Varshaa and Fiona with 2 wickets each to close out a memorable win.

ROUND 8

Round 8 saw Parramatta deliver another dominant performance, defeating Bankstown by 72 runs after posting 5/124 from 20 overs at Grahame Thomas Oval. Kaya led the innings brilliantly with a composed 55 featuring six boundaries and two sixes, while valuable late contributions from the twins Aarini and Kingkini helped Parramatta build a competitive total. The side then backed it up with an exceptional bowling and fielding display, with 3 wickets to Varshaa and 2 to Kingkini, restricting Bankstown to just 52 in 15.3 overs to secure a convincing all-round victory.

ROUND 9

The Brewer girls continued their strong form with a composed 6-wicket victory over Gordon at Beauchamp Oval. The bowling attack set the tone early, with Varshaa Elango and Kaya Kumar both claiming 2 wickets each while Kamakshi and Aarini also contributed to restrict Gordon to 6/93 from 20 overs. Parramatta's chase was controlled and confident, highlighted by an unbeaten 38 from Zara Floody, before Kleo sealed the win in style with a boundary to finish the match at 4/95 in 18.5 overs.

ROUND 10

Round 10 delivered another thrilling result for Parramatta, edging past Northern District by just 2 runs in a tense contest at Old Kings Oval. Aishleen top scored with a composed 30, while Kamakshi added an important 22 and Aarini remained unbeaten at the end to help Parramatta post 6/95 from 20 overs. The side then produced a disciplined bowling and fielding performance to defend the total, with Varshaa and Kingkini both taking 2 wickets each. Sharp fielding also proved crucial, including an important late run out from Kleo, as Parramatta held their nerve to secure another memorable win.

ROUND 11

Round 11 was a hard-fought contest in scorching conditions, with Parramatta narrowly falling to Greater Hunter Coast by 4 wickets heading into the Christmas break. Strong contributions with the bat from Kaya (45), Zara (33 retired not out) and Aishleen (25 not out) helped Parramatta post a competitive 4/122 from 20 overs. Parramatta then made the perfect start in the second innings, with Kyra striking twice in the opening over with sharp catches from both Heidi and Kleo to immediately put GHC under pressure and set the tone in the field. Despite the disappointing result, Parramatta showed plenty of determination throughout the match and looked to return refreshed and ready for a strong second half of the season after the break.

ROUND 12

Round 12 saw the Brewer girls face a tough challenge against Sydney University at Old Kings Oval. Parramatta impressed in the field, with Kaya producing a standout performance

to claim 5 wickets and help restrict USYD to 196 from 50 overs. Aarini also contributed with 2 wickets, while the side backed up the bowlers well in the field. In reply, Kaya led the way with 32, while Kamakshi (26) and Zara (15) helped keep the innings steady through the early stages. Despite a determined effort throughout the chase, Parramatta were eventually dismissed for 129.

ROUND 13

Round 13 was played in challenging rain-affected conditions at Bon Andrews Park, with Parramatta falling to UTS North Sydney by 27 runs. The girls fought hard in the field, with Aarini leading the way with 3 wickets while Kamakshi also bowled an excellent spell to help restrict UTS to 5/134 from 23 overs. In reply, Kaya top scored with an aggressive 23 from 17 balls, while Aishleen (22) and Vaishnavi (16) kept Parramatta in the contest through the middle overs. Despite the side's efforts, Parramatta finished on 5/107 in the shortened chase.

ROUND 14

Round 14 saw the Parra girls take on Bankstown at The Green, where Parramatta were bowled out for 93 after a tough batting innings in wet conditions. Kleo top-scored with a patient 19, while Lucy (16) and Varshaa (10) provided support as the side looked to build a defendable total. With the ball, Parramatta produced a strong effort but were unable to defend the target, as Bankstown chased down 4/94 in 24.2 overs. Kaya led the attack with 2 wickets, while Kriti was the standout performer with a brilliant double-wicket spell, but despite some key breakthroughs and tight spells from Varshaa and Kingkini, Bankstown reached the total with wickets in hand.

ROUND 15

Round 15 marked the final game of the season for Parramatta Brewer Shield girls, falling just short in a 1-wicket loss to Sydney in a tense finish at The Green. Parramatta posted 113 from 47.2 overs in a battling innings, with Vaishnavi anchoring the side superbly with 49, while Aarini (21*) held the lower order together and key contributions from Sri helped push the total past 110. With the ball, Parramatta produced a brilliant fightback, led by Aarini's outstanding 5-wicket haul and a strong supporting spell from Varshaa, as they constantly kept pressure on Sydney throughout the chase. Despite wickets falling regularly, Sydney managed to scrape home at 9/114 in 45.3 overs in a nail-biting finish.

A season defined by tight contests and resilience ends here, with Parramatta showing growth, fight, and plenty to build on going forward.

A special thank you to all of our Parra girls, coaching staff, managers, parent helpers, development players and everyone else who contributed to making our season run smoothly!

Kleo Hendry
Captain

BREWER SHIELD (U18)

MATCHES STANDINGS STATS

Ladder

Overall

☒ Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	BP	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB
1 Greater Hunter Coast Brewer	15	63.5	12.5	1.63	1.537	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2044	443.4	79	1666	542.5
2 Penrith Brewer	15	60.5	9.5	1.361	0.595	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1756	474.5	88	1480	477
3 Manly Warringah Brewer	15	56.5	8.5	1.445	1.209	10	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1803	450	93	1341	479.2
4 Blacktown Brewer	15	56	8	1.336	0.248	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1628	441.3	75	1803	524.2
5 St George-Sutherland Brewer	15	50	5	1.488	0.645	9	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1793	475.5	83	1480	474
6 Sydney University Brewer	15	49	7	1.282	0.71	9	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1781	456.1	92	1661	520
7 Gordon Brewer	15	41	8	1.263	0.56	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1607	475.1	94	1448	513.1
8 Southern Swans	15	41	5	0.821	0.054	7	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	1433	427.3	85	1293	392.1
9 UTS North Sydney Brewer	15	33	3	0.88	-0.393	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1804	514.4	99	1883	483
10 Sydney Brewer	15	32	2	0.694	-0.749	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	1489	481.3	98	1729	450
11 Northern District Brewer	15	31	4	0.778	-0.916	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	1416	427.2	83	1841	435.1
12 Parramatta Brewer Shield	15	29	2	0.844	-0.286	6	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	1650	470.3	104	1729	455.5
13 Bankstown Brewer	15	29	4	0.926	-0.403	6	8	0	0	0	1	0	-8	1485	490.5	100	1603	467.3
14 Campbelltown Camden Brewer	15	3	0	0.213	-3.925	0	14	0	1	0	0	0	0	1042	474.4	113	1774	289.5

P: Played PTS: Ladder points BP: Bonus points Q: Quotient NRR: Net Run Rate W: Won L: Lost TIE: Ties N/R: No Results BYE: Eyes FORF: Forfeits DISQ: Disqualifications
 ADJ: Adjustments RF: Runs For OF: Overs Faced WL: Wickets Lost RA: Runs Against OB: Overs Bowled WT: Wickets Taken



BREWER SHIELD (U18)

MATCHES

STANDINGS

STATS

Ladder

One Day

Show advanced ladder

ONE DAY

Team	P	PTS	BP	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Greater Hunter Coast Brewer	9	54	12	1.922	7	2	0	0	0	0	1436	330.1	1069	440.3
2 Penrith Brewer	9	50	8	0.727	7	2	0	0	0	0	1241	365.1	982	367.4
3 Blacktown Brewer	9	43	7	0.246	6	3	0	0	0	0	1090	337	1222	409
4 Manly Warringah Brewer	9	40	7	1.042	5	3	0	1	0	0	1096	330.2	818	359.3
5 Gordon Brewer	9	38	8	0.74	5	4	0	0	0	0	1042	357.5	873	402
6 St George-Sutherland Brewer	9	37	4	0.737	5	3	0	1	0	0	1210	365.2	922	358.1
7 Bankstown Brewer	9	33	3	-0.33	5	4	0	0	0	0	1112	405.4	1141	371.3
8 Sydney University Brewer	9	32	5	0.634	4	4	0	1	0	0	1262	358.2	1155	400
9 Northern District Brewer	9	28	4	-0.986	3	4	0	2	0	0	883	307.3	1268	328.4
10 Southern Swans	9	27	3	0.105	3	4	0	2	0	0	1002	341	847	299
11 Sydney Brewer	9	23	2	-0.941	3	5	0	1	0	0	850	361.4	1101	334.3
12 UTS North Sydney Brewer	9	19	1	-0.786	3	6	0	0	0	0	1170	412.3	1315	363
13 Parramatta Brewer Shield	9	16	1	-0.562	2	6	0	1	0	0	998	351.4	1154	339.2
14 Campbelltown Camden Brewer	9	3	0	-3.846	0	8	0	1	0	0	638	354.4	1163	206

P: Played

PTS: Ladder points

BP: Bonus points

NRR: Net Run Rate

W: Won

L: Lost

TIE: Ties

N/R: No Results

BYE: Byes

ADJ: Adjustments

RF: Runs For

OF: Overs Faced

RA: Runs Against

OB: Overs Bowled

BREWER SHIELD (U18)

MATCHES

STANDINGS

STATS

Ladder

T20

Show advanced ladder

T20

Team	P	PTS	BP	NR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	ADJ	RF	OF	RA	OB
1 Sydney University Brewer	6	17	2	1.088	5	1	0	0	0	0	519	97.5	506	120
2 Manly Warringah Brewer	6	16.5	1.5	1.543	5	1	0	0	0	0	707	119.4	523	119.5
3 UTS North Sydney Brewer	6	14	2	1.472	4	2	0	0	0	0	634	102.1	568	120
4 Southern Swans	6	14	2	0.195	4	2	0	0	0	0	431	86.3	446	93.1
5 Parramatta Brewer Shield	6	13	1	0.551	4	2	0	0	0	0	652	118.5	575	116.3
6 St George-Sutherland Brewer	6	13	1	0.458	4	2	0	0	0	0	583	110.3	558	115.5
7 Blacktown Brewer	6	13	1	0.11	4	2	0	0	0	0	538	104.3	581	115.2
8 Penrith Brewer	6	10.5	1.5	0.141	3	3	0	0	0	0	515	109.4	498	109.2
9 Greater Hunter Coast Brewer	6	9.5	0.5	-0.477	3	3	0	0	0	0	608	113.3	597	102.2
10 Sydney Brewer	6	9	0	-0.104	3	3	0	0	0	0	639	119.5	628	115.3
11 Gordon Brewer	6	3	0	-0.357	1	5	0	0	0	0	565	117.2	575	111.1
12 Northern District Brewer	6	3	0	-0.932	1	5	0	0	0	0	533	119.5	573	106.3
13 Campbelltown Camden Brewer	6	0	0	-3.921	0	6	0	0	0	0	404	120	611	83.5
14 Bankstown Brewer	6	-4	1	-0.432	1	4	0	0	0	-8	373	85.1	462	96

P: Played

PTS: Ladder points

BP: Bonus points

NR: Net Run Rate

W: Won

L: Lost

TIE: Ties

N/R: No Results

BYE: Byes

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OB: Overs Bowled

2025-2026 Brewers T20 and Limited Overs Combined Statistics																
	Batting									Bowling						
T20 and LO Combined	Match	Inn	Not Outs	High Score	Total Runs	Average	Catch	St		Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts	Economy	Average	Best Bowling
Georgia Aldridge	11	11	3	45	118	14.75	4			40.1	2	178	3	4.44	59.3	2-15
Kriti Boury	5	-	-	-	-	-	-			7	1	34	2	4.86	17	2-0
Vaishnavi Chivakala Rajagopal	4	4	-	49	74	18.5	-			2	-	6	-	3	-	0-6
Lucy Culnane	11	4	-	16	25	6.25	2	4		5	-	22	-	4.4	-	0-22
Varshaa Elango	13	7	-	9	15	2.14	9			84	11	232	16	2.76	14.5	3-12
Zara Floody	14	13	2	38	159	14.45	1			3	-	25	-	8.33	-	0-8
Aishleen Gir	8	8	1	38	158	22.57	4			10	2	39	-	3.9	-	0-6
Kleo Hendry	14	12	1	19	34	3.09	5			2	-	14	-	7	-	0-14
Nikitha Jagadeesh	6	3	1	4	8	4	7	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kaya Kumar	13	12	-	83	397	33.08	9			79.2	15	261	20	3.3	13.05	5-26
Aarini Mazumdar	13	11	2	21*	121	13.44	2			58	8	219	16	2.77	13.69	5-13
Kingkini Mazumdar	11	10	1	16	48	5.33	1			67.3	15	179	8	2.66	22.38	2-8
Ella Michael	1	-	-	-	-	-	1			3	1	7	1	2.33	7	1-7
Heidi Nicholls	5	3	-	2*	3	1	3			14	1	56	2	4	28	1-10
Fiona Patel	4	1	-	-	-	-	-			2	-	14	2	7	7	2-14
Sri Lakshmi Suryanashika Peddada	5	3	1	10	14	5	1	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kyra Prajapati	8	5	2	3	9	3	3			29	3	131	6	4.52	21.83	2-16
Kamakshi Sheoran	14	14	2	52	235	19.58	3			35	3	158	7	4.51	22.57	2-17
Zainab Tahir	5	2	-	7	13	6.5	-			6	-	37	1	6.17	37	1-13



PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB U18 BREWERS 2025-2026



Back Row (L-R): Ella Michael, Kamakshi Sheoran, Vaishnavi Chivakala Rajagopal, Sri Peddada, Kingkini Mazumdar, Zara Floody, Varshaa Elango
Kriti Boury, Aarini Mazumdar, Heidi Nicholls

Front Row: Zainab Tahir

Inset (L-R): Kleo Hendry, Lucy Culnane, Georgia Aldridge, Nikitha Jagadeesh, Kaya Kumar, Aishleen Gir, Kyra Prajapati

Season Review 15-2's – Parramatta District Cricket Association (PDCA)

15-2's COACHES REPORT

A changing of the guard saw a number of players move on from the PDCA arena following the 2023/24 and 2024/25 seasons. These squads had enjoyed remarkable success, making Grand Final appearances in both seasons and securing the Minor Premiership in 2024/25.

Although this was very much a developing squad, we still had several experienced players providing leadership while welcoming new talent into the team. The potential was evident from the opening rounds; however, cricket is a great leveller, and the time had come for this group to learn, develop, and understand the skill set, attitude, and commitment required to represent the Parramatta Club.

One of the defining moments came in Round 3 against Greystanes. A depleted side stood tall and almost secured victory in a thrilling one-day encounter. Greystanes escaped with a two-wicket win and only four runs to spare in the final over. While there were no competition points to show for the effort, it marked the beginning of the team's journey towards understanding the game, each other, and themselves.

As the season progressed, there were numerous individual milestones achieved, including five-wicket hauls, half-centuries, centuries, outstanding catches, and excellent fielding performances. These achievements are reflected throughout the season statistics. From a coaching perspective, the most pleasing aspect was seeing each player become increasingly comfortable with their game and develop a greater understanding of their strengths and capabilities. These are encouraging signs, not only for their cricket development but also for building confidence and valuable life skills.

As the season rolled into the semi-finals, PWGCC secured third position and faced Pendle Hill Colts, who were widely considered one of the favourites to reach the Grand Final. In a tense and hard-fought contest, PWGCC successfully defended 163 runs, earning a deserved place in the Grand Final.

The Grand Final would provide the ultimate test for this young group. Electing to bat first in difficult conditions, PWGCC battled hard to post 7/121. However, it was on day two that the players truly demonstrated what they were capable of achieving. Wenty Leagues were dismantled for just 57 runs, with three batsmen dismissed for ducks and no opposition batter reaching double figures.

It was, quite simply, "Game, Set and Match" — one of the finest team performances of the season. The foundation was laid by an exceptional opening spell from Michelle Pham, who claimed 5 wickets for 7 runs from 7 overs, while Kyra Prajapati provided outstanding support with 6 overs for just 8 runs. Their efforts enabled the remaining bowlers to maintain relentless pressure, ultimately securing the Premiership with a 64-run victory.

While the scoreboard records a 64-run win, it does not fully capture the outstanding commitment, teamwork, and determination displayed by PWGCC throughout the match and the season as a whole.

Thank you to all the parents who supported and assisted the team each week. It was a pleasure for Suresh and me to share the journey with this group throughout the season.

To the players — congratulations. You earned every bit of this success through hard work, perseverance, and belief in one another.

We look forward to seeing what 2026/27 has in store.

Suresh Madala / Scott Reibelt

U15 DIVISION 2

MATCHESSTANDINGSSTATS

Ladder

Overall

Show advanced ladder

OVERALL

Team	P	PTS	Q	NRR	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE	FORF	DISQ	ADJ	RF	OF	WL	RA	OB	WT
1 Wenty Leagues Black	12	86.5	1.958	1.23	11	1	0	0	1	0	0	5.5	1897	460	87	1392	481.1	125
2 Pendle Hill Colts U15	11	78	1.786	1.419	9	1	1	0	2	0	0	10	1426	345	66	1294	476.5	107
3 PWGCC U15 Mixed	12	61	1.956	1.136	7	4	0	1	1	0	0	4	1614	388.4	67	1428	473.3	116
4 Greystanes U15 Division 2	12	61	1.112	0.681	7	4	0	1	1	0	0	4	1625	436.2	102	1375	451.5	96
5 Rouse Hill Rams U15/2	11	58	0.682	-0.739	6	5	0	0	2	0	0	16	1503	427	103	1583	371.4	74
6 Wenty Waratahs U15	11	48.5	0.939	-0.084	4	6	1	0	2	0	0	7.5	1641	430.3	101	1643	421.4	95
7 Kings Langley	12	43	0.869	-0.734	4	8	0	0	1	0	0	4	1409	512.1	108	1396	400.3	93
8 Seven Hills	11	27	0.814	-0.36	2	9	0	0	2	0	0	5	1435	401.3	110	1313	333.4	82
9 Wenty Leagues White	12	10	0.274	-2.823	0	11	0	0	1	1	0	1	849	415.3	122	1975	405.5	78

P: Played

PTS: Ladder points

Q: Quotient

NRR: Net Run Rate

W: Won

L: Lost

TIE: Ties

N/R: No Results

BYE: Byes

FORF: Forfeits

DISQ: Disqualifications

ADJ: Adjustments

RF: Runs For

OF: Overs Faced

WL: Wickets Lost

RA: Runs Against

OB: Overs Bowled

WT: Wickets Taken



2025 - 2026 15-2s Statistics - All Formats and Matches														
Player	Matches	Batting					Bowling and Fielding							
		Innings	Average	Aggregate	N. O.	H.S.	Wickets	Maidens	Runs	B.B.	Average	Catches NK	Catches WK	Stump.
Kumar, Kaya	12	11	52.43	367	4	125	21	30	160	4--1	7.62	15	0	0
Gir, Aishleen	14	13	22.82	251	2	102	1	1	44	1--15	44	5	1	0
Chivakala Rajagopal, Vaishnavi	13	13	23.11	208	4	50	13	6	179	4--16	13.77	7	0	0
Sheoran, Kamakshi	14	12	16.18	178	1	39	12	7	204	5--24	17	4	0	0
Kannan, Avni	12	8	23	161	1	38	3	3	65	1--9	21.67	7	0	0
Pham, Michelle	14	9	22.6	113	4	25	18	20	164	5--7	9.11	3	0	0
Culnane, Lucy	14	10	11	88	2	30	0	0	0	0--0		0	9	1
Prajapati, Kyra	11	6	25.5	51	4	20	8	9	147	2--7	18.38	6	0	0
Krishnasamy, IIYLA	14	10	6.6	33	5	15	21	10	175	3--10	8.33	1	0	0
Micheal, Ella	12	7	5	30	1	10	8	9	69	2--1	8.63	2	0	0
Boury, Kriti	12	7	4	24	1	15	13	6	101	3--29	7.77	2	0	0
Tahir, Zainab	14	6	5.67	17	3	6	5	1	132	2--22	26.4	4	0	0
Nicholls, Heidi	9	0		0	0	0	6	4	60	2--0	10	3	0	0
Goraya, Chloe	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	--		0	0	0



PARRAMATTA WOMEN'S GRADE CRICKET CLUB 15-2's PREMIERS — 2025 / 2026



Back Row (L-R): Suresh Madala (Coach) Ella Michael, Kaya Kumar(C), Kriti Boury, Vaishnavi Chivakala Rajagopal, Lucy Culnane, Heidi Nicholls, Zainab Tahir, Scott Reibelt (Coach)

Front Row (L-R): Kyra Prajapati, Michelle Pham, Aishleen Gir, liyla Krishnasamy, Avni Kannan, Kamakshi Sheoran



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Parramatta District Cricket Club – Statistical Items of Interest



[By Tom Wood – Club Historian]

Club Championship Seasons -

1969/70

1973/74

2024/25

2017/18 (Runners-Up)

2022/23 (Runner-Up)

Premiership Seasons and Team Captain –

First Grade	1899/00	Walter D. Loveridge
	1932/33	Marc Bosley
	1964/65	Richie Benaud
	2017/18	Nick Bertus
	2022/23	Nick Bertus
	2024/25	Nick Bertus
1st Grade – (Runners-up)	1894/95	Sydney Walford
	1896/97	Sydney Walford
	1909/10	Leslie Pye
	1952/53	Ronald James
	1953/54	Richie Benaud
	1955/56 (Minor Premiers)	Richie Benaud
	1965/66	Richie Benaud
	1969/70 (Minor Premiers)	Ross Shepherd
	1993/94	Brett Williams

Second Grade	1958/59	Doug Kennedy
	1973/74	Ross Shepherd
	1975/76	Robert Anderson
	1991/92	Allen Turrell
2nd Grade (Minor Premiers)	1969/70	Bert Alderson
	1981/82	John Aitken
	1987/88	Mark Bean
	2018/19 (Grand Finalists)	Luke McNaught

Third Grade	1899/00	Jack Anthony
	1947/48	Alfred Hall
	1959/60	Alan Cramond
	1964/65	Alan Cramond
	1972/73	John Dwyer
	1973/74	John Dwyer
	1991/92	Garry James
	2009/10	Peter Freney
	2022/23	Matthew Giumelli

	2024/25	Matthew Giumelli
3rd Grade (Minor Premiers)	1952/53	Alan Cramond
	2017/18	Jason Coleman

Fourth Grade	1952/53	Alfred Hall
	1973/74	Laurie Stokoe
	1996/97	Bruce Ferguson
4th Grade (Minor Premiers)	2021/22	Yusof Brown
Runners-up	2022/23	Yusof Brown

Fifth Grade	1973/74	Stan Teale
	1989/90	John Aitken
	2004/05	Mark C. Ward
	2024/25	Liam Gillies
5th Grade (Runners-up)	2017/18	Josh Marquez
5th Grade (Runners-up)	2023/24	Liam Gillies
5th Grade (Runners-up)	2025/26	Liam Gillies
Poidevin-Gray Shield	1982/83	Darren Tucker
	2012/13	Nick Bertus
	2016/17	Tim Ward
	2020/21 (Joint - Premiers)	Jacob Workman

A.W. Green Shield	1960/61	Brian Woolmer
	1975/76 (Joint Premiers)	Greg Matthews
	1997/98	Trent Marsh
	2000/01	Ben Crawley
	2007/08	Sean Abbott
	2017/18	Harry King
	2022/23	Nilaathan Kulendran
A.W. Green (Minor Premiers)	2008/09	Nick Bertus
	2009/10	Trent Crittenden

Under 16 State Champions	1997/98	Trent Marsh
	2007/08	Sean Abbott

New South Wales Cricket Association – Encouragement Award Winners

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1st Grade	1973/74	Bruce Neill
1st Grade – Roy Turner Trophy	1990/91	Jaimie Williams
4th Grade	1972/73	Ron Eagar
	1974/75	Cam Stewart
	1975/76	Wally Cornock
5th Grade ‘B’	1973/74	Wally Cornock
	1975/76	Graham Bugg

Leading Run-getters for the Parramatta District Cricket Club in All Grades – (Qualification 4,000 runs)

(Includes SCA Grade & Shire matches – excludes P.G. / A.W.G.)

A. Alderson – 11,016	N. Bertus – 10,437	S. Teale – 10,336	R. Rowe – 10,308	H. Cranney – 9,481
B. Cherry – 8,442	J. Aitken – 8,377	J. O'Donoghue – 8,265	R. Aitken – 8,199	E.L. Waddy – 8,014
B. Abbott – 7,936	L.W. Pye – 7,806	J. Fitzpatrick – 7,773	M.A. Wood – 7,680	J. Dwyer - 6,436
A. Hall – 6,393	L. Forbes – 6,393	T. McMahon – 6,342	R. Benaud – 6,206	Adam Turrell - 6027
D. Kennedy – 6,393	M.A. Ward – 5,690	B. Ferguson – 5,524	K.D. Walters – 5,478	C. Gallagher – 5,438
W. Ewens – 5,437	P. Calvert – 5,436	J. Tenie – 5,391	J.T. Wood – 5,387	R. Shepherd – 5,332
W. Cornock – 5,211	J. Affleck – 5,392	L. Dempsey – 5,237	R. Flindt – 5,109	S. Stone – 5,086
I. Burge – 5,063	M. Godfrey – 5,016	R. Frare – 4,966	R. Mullinger – 4,965	L. Scarborough – 4,924
T.J. Wood – 4,901	A. Cramond – 4,784	G. Cranney – 4,762	I. Paton – 4,499	A. Cranney – 4,480
T. Crittenden – 4,472	Bruce Neill – 4,440	L. Leabeater – 4,432	John Archibald – 4,413	Y. Brown – 4,409
Allen Turrell – 4,377	Stan Thomas – 4,318	J. Deeth – 4,317	B. Bowman – 4,281	C. Leabeater – 4,216
B.W. Farquhar – 4,195	G. Hilton – 4,078	T. Marsh – 4,064	J. Benaud – 4,056	G. Twining – 4,047
G. Cole – 4,035				

Leading P.D.C.C. Wicket-takers in All Grades (qualification 300+ wickets)

R. Aitken - 970	A. Howell - 706	D. Jackson - 694	J. Stone - 675	D. Kennedy - 653
J. Aitken - 626	A. Cramond - 612	W. Lothian - 597	L. Benaud - 594	G. Williams - 540
L.W. Pye - 484	G. Davidson - 468	A. Hall - 433	B. Jackson - 417	W. Cornock - 409
R.C. Coogan - 402	B. Ferguson - 395	R. Benaud - 391	M. Bosley - 388	M.C. Ward - 379
R. Shepherd - 377	M.A. Wood - 371	C. Bayldon - 360	G. Storey - 353	N. Howell - 351
C. Leabeater - 347	E. Fathers - 346	R. Anderson - 335	R. Gallagher - 329	M. Sullivan - 322
S.A. Teale - 314	K. Wall - 308	C. Stefanish - 308	S. Moss - 307	

P.D.C.C. – Record Batting Partnerships by Grade:

First Grade

Runs	Wicket	Players	Season	Opponents
319*	1st	D. Walters & B. Neill	1972/73	Petersham-Marrickville
333	2 nd	F.A. Iredale & B.W. Farquhar	1895/96	Burwood
253	3rd	B. Cherry & N. Bertus	2017/18	Bankstown
266	4th	L.W. Pye & J.C. Wilson	1901/02	Waverley
246	5th	L. Leabeater & F. Martin	1933/34	Paddington
202*	6th	G. Twining & R. Aitken (Jnr)	1997/98	Sydney University
177	7th	R. Benaud & W. Clifton	1965/66	Bankstown
147	8th	M. Stretton & S. Cassel	2012/13	Wests
151	9th	N. Lockhart & J. Blain	1950/51	Northern Districts
112	10th	K. Griffith-Jones & M. Gordon	2002/03	Northern Districts

Second Grade

Runs	Wicket	Players	Season	Opponents
210	1st	W. Affleck & T. Brar	2018/19	Sydney Uni. (G.F.)
178	2nd	K. Hall & T. Walters	1969/70	Balmain
222	3rd	C. Shrader & H. Roughley	1913/14	Mosman
298	4th	G. Cole & R. Mullinger	1933/34	Manly
257	5th	J. Baker & E. Crossan	1933/34	Northern Districts
136	6th	Robert Eagar & John Aitken	1971/72	Sutherland
173	7th	J. Workman & J. Noorbergen	2022/23	Bankstown
130	8th	G. Aitken & W. Caine	2000/01	Gordon
148	9th	J.M. Ritchie & J. Connors	1922/23	Sydney
148	10th	H.A. G. Cook & K. Willis	1908/09	Gordon

Third Grade

Runs	Wicket	Players	Season	Opponents
190	1st	K. Beck & L. Scarborough	1950/51	Mosman
256	2 nd	K. Gunawardane & J. Wright	2022/23	Bankstown
201	3rd	R. Cornock & C. Gardoll	1974/75	Waverley
206	4th	T. Crittenden & L. Dempsey	2009/10	Penrith
234	5th	Z. Johns & E. Pitt	2019/20	St. George
168	6th	P. Eagar & K. Dolahenty	1933/34	North Sydney
142	7th	A. Kaul & J. Coleman	2019/20	Hawkesbury
152	8th	P. Koen & J. Abbott	1977/78	Waverley
96	9th	A. Cramond & K. Napper	1960/61	Glebe
200*	10th	A. Karam & M. Vithanage	2009/10	Manly (SF)

(N.B. – the 10th wicket partnership is the highest such partnership in any grade in the Sydney Cricket Association's history).

Fourth Grade

Runs	Wicket	Players	Season	Opponents
197	1st	K. Beck & W. Ewens	1948/49	Waverley
197	2 nd	G. Galloway & B. Goulter	1953/54	Gordon
184	3rd	K. Hall & R. Gibson	1965/66	Sydney University
252	4th	T. Lambert & T. Swift	1998/99	North Sydney
211	5th	J. Parker & B. Chandler	2000/01	Randwick
202	6th	Y. Brown & R. Grieve	2023/24	Gordon
122	7th	K. Taylor & T. McMahon	1986/87	Nth. Districts
146	8th	L. Scarborough & P. Osborn	1957/58	Randwick
138	9th	L. Gould & R. Stuart	1958/59	West. Suburbs
98	10th	B. Camarsh & N. Smith	1966/67	West. Suburbs

Fifth Grade

Runs	Wicket	Players	Season	Opponents
224	1st	W. Jarman & J. Mercer	2018/19	Campbelltown
212	2 nd	B. Cherry & A. Lovett	2002/03	Eastern Suburbs
299	3rd	S. Bristow & K. Milne	2008/09	North Sydney
172	4th	K. Ferguson & P. Conroy	1976/77	University of NSW
135	5th	L. Apps & O. Sheekey	2024/25	St. George (GF)
138	6th	C. Stubbs & P. Bugg	1979/80	Northern Districts 'B'
156	7th	S. McKinley & S. Kentwell	2004/05	Manly
146	8th	C. Mathews & J. Greig	2013/14	Campbelltown
57	9th	M. Gessey & T. Bell	1988/89	Petersham
109	10th	V. K. Satia & S. Murray	2012/13	Easts

Record Career Wicket-keeping Dismissals (All Grades) -

Allen Turrell	633 [521 catches / 112 stumpings]
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Most Catches in a Season by a Wicket-keeper	51	Peter Love	3rd Grade	1976/77
Most Stumpings in a Season	17	Harold Webster	1st Grade	1909/10

Parramatta District Cricket Club – Team Records

1. – Highest Batting Average in a Season

First Grade	Doug Walters	104.40	1979/80
Second Grade	Raza Rizwan	126.33	2014/15
Third Grade	Ernie Crossan	108.66	1932/33
Fourth Grade	Ron Eagar	67.60	1961/62
Fifth Grade	Mick Mara	74.00	2007/08
M & S Grade	Sam Stone	63.50	1936/37
City & Suburban Assoc.	Trevor Wholohan	69.50	1954/55
Poidevin- Gray Shield	Greg Storey	165.00	1971/72
A.W. Green Shield	Paul McCreanor	107.33	1979/80

2. – Highest Aggregate in a Season

First Grade - {Belvidere Cup 1st Grade Premier Comp}	Ryan Hackney	961	2022/23
First Grade – {All Formats incl. T20}	Nick Bertus	1,053	2018/19
Second Grade	Jack Anthony	714	1898/99
Third Grade	Kashvi Gunawardane	600	2022/23
Fourth Grade	Sam Stone	795	1938/39
Fifth Grade	Juhith Rajesidhiraju	677	2025/26
M & S Grade	Sam Stone	635	1936/37
City & Suburban Assoc.	Lou Richardson	933	1951/52
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Nick Bertus	515	2013/14
A.W. Green Shield	Trent Marsh	559	1997/98
Most Runs in a Season (All Grades)	Nick Bertus	1,053	2018/19

3. – Highest Individual Score

First Grade	Leslie Walter Pye	244	1898/99	v. Leichhardt
Second Grade	Sid Thomas	222	1910/11	v. Sydney University
Third Grade	Anthony Karam	211*	2009/10	v. Manly (S-F)
Fourth Grade	Sam Stone	175	1938/39	v. Waverley
Fifth Grade	Malcolm Freame	194	1980/81	v. Waverley
M & S Grade	Sam Stone	227	1936/37	v. Randwick
City & Suburban	Lou Richardson	119	1951/52	v. Gordon Vets
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Tim Ward	144	2017/18	v. St. George
A.W. Green Shield	Ben Crawley	173*	2000/01	v. North Sydney

4. – Best Bowling Average in a Season

First Grade	William P. Howell	9.54	1899/00
Second Grade	Jim Stone	8.73	1942/43
Third Grade	Jack M. Ritchie	6.20	1910/11
Fourth Grade	Phil Osborne	5.40	1962/63
Fifth Grade	Geoff Brown	6.62	1972/73
M & S Grade	Fred O'Connor	6.45	1946/47
City & Suburban	Jim Stone	6.02	1949/50
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Merv Black	8.93	1958/59
A.W. Green Shield	Alf Hemsworth	4.34	1948/49

5. – Most Wickets in a Season

First Grade – Belvidere Cup	Rupert C. Coogan	56	1913/14
First Grade – Belvidere Cup	Jack Treanor	56	1957/58
First Grade – all formats	Michael Sullivan	59	2024/25
First grade (World War II one-afternoon matches)	Doug Kennedy	58	1942/43
Second Grade	Arthur Howell	61	1951/52
Second Grade (W.W. II one-afternoon matches)	Jim Stone	65	1943/44
Third Grade	William M. Kennedy	76	1899/00
Fourth Grade	Norm Whitten	63	1966/67
Fifth Grade	Ian Sutcliffe	59	1976/77
M & S Grade	Colin Woods	71	1966/67
City & Suburban	Len Fullerton	50	1968/69
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Mathew Bugg	24	1982/83
A.W. Green Shield	Richie Benaud	40	1946/47
Most Wickets All Grades	Lou Benaud	78	1942/43

6. – Most Catches in a Season (Wicket-keepers)

First Grade	Gavin Ridley	38	1973/74
Second Grade	Darren Cox	34	1996/97
Third Grade	Peter Love	51	1976/77
Fourth Grade	Peter Bugg	26	1976/77
Fifth Grade	Josh Marquez	28	2014/15
M & S Grade	Terry Ryan	17	1967/68
City & Suburban	Lou Richardson	12	1964/65
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Michael Stretton	14	2008/09
A.W. Green Shield	Darren Rudd	18	1988/89

7. – Most Catches in a Season by a Fieldsman

First Grade	Greg Monaghan	21	1981/82
Second Grade	Luke Dempsey	24	2015/16
Third Grade	J.W. Coy	18	1913/14
Third Grade	John Dwyer	18	1971/72
Fourth Grade	Norm Whitten	19	1966/67
Fifth Grade	Rod Mackander	16	2012/13
M & S Grade	K. McDowell	19	1934/35
City & Suburban	Ed Harris	13	1968/69
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Tim Ward	11	2016/17
A.W. Green Shield	Brett Hanshaw	12	1987/88

8. – Highest Run Scoring Aggregates by Grade

First Grade	Harold 'Mudgee' Cranney	9,414
Second Grade	John R. O'Donoghue	5,733
Third Grade	John Dwyer	3,541
Fourth Grade	Norman Whitten	2,254
Fifth Grade	Stanley Teale	2,110
M & S Grade	Bernie Jackson	3,510
City & Suburban Assoc.	Lou Richardson	6,410
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Nicholas Bertus	1,257
A.W. Green Shield	Gregory Matthews	1,024

9. – Most Wickets Aggregate by Grade

First Grade	Robert Aitken	741
Second Grade	Jim Stone	565
Third Grade	A. Cramond	425
Fourth Grade	Norman Whitten	253
Fifth Grade	Graeme Donaldson	166
M & S Grade	Bernie Jackson	397
City & Suburban Assoc.	Edward 'Ted' Hilley	413
Poidevin-Gray Shield	Adam Denmeade	68
A.W. Green Shield	Richie Benaud	99

Individual Player Statistical Items of note

1. – Batsmen who have scored 5,000+ Runs in First Grade for Parramatta

9,414	Harold 'Mudgee' Cranney
9,022	Nick Bertus
8,014	Edgar Lloyd Waddy
7,806	Leslie Walter Pye
7,738	Albert 'Bert' Alderson
7,334	Jack Fitzpatrick
7,194	Raymond Curtis Rowe
7,098	Michael Andrew Wood
5,929	Robert 'Bobby' Aitken
5,721	Richie Benaud
5,478	Kevin Douglas Walters
5,012	Ben Abbott

2. – Bowlers who have captured 300+ wickets in First Grade for Parramatta

741	Robert 'Bobby' Aitken
546	Daniel Jackson
484	Leslie Walter Pye
450	William 'Billy' Lothian
362	Richie Benaud
360	Lou Benaud
337	Rupert C. Coogan
333	Gregory 'Davo' Davidson
332	Michael Andrew Wood
309	Craig Bayldon
307	Marc Bosley

3. – Bowlers who have captured 50 Wickets in a Season

Bowler	1st grade	2 nd grade	3 rd grade	4 th grade	5 th grade	M & S grade	Total	Season
Lou Benaud	32	46	-	-	-	-	78	1942/43
William M. Kennedy	-	-	76	-	-	-	76	1899/00
Arthur Howell	29	41	-	-	-	-	70	1943/44
Jim Stone	5	65	-	-	-	-	70	1943/44
J. W. Coy	-	-	68	-	-	-	68	1913/14
Cecil White	4	44	18	-	-	-	66	1941/42
Jim Stone	7	58	-	-	-	-	65	1933/34
Lester Wilson	-	37	25	-	-	-	62	1942/43
Ron Stewart	-	8	53	-	-	-	61	1935/36
John Dennehy	-	7	48	-	-	6	61	1938/39
Stuart Smith	30	11	18	-	-	-	59	1940/41
Reg Chapman	-	-	1	-	-	58	59	1942/43
Doug Kennedy	58	-	--	-	-	-	58	1942/43
Morrie Sievers	57	-	-	-	-	-	57	1942/43
Marc Bosley	20	37	-	-	-	-	57	1923/24
Rupert C. Coogan	56	-	-	-	-	-	56	1913/14
Fred Lacey	2	54	-	-	-	-	56	1918/19
Richard L. Rowland	-	56	-	-	-	-	56	1923/24
Doug Kennedy	35	20	-	-	-	-	55	1941/42
Peter Bowmer	-	30	25	-	-	-	55	1943/44
Eddie Bolton	-	-	55	-	-	-	55	1923/24
Lou Benaud	54	-	-	-	-	-	54	1947/48
Bernie Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	1941/42
Jim Stone	1	53	-	-	-	-	54	1942/43
Bernie Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	1943/44
Ernie Fathers	-	54	-	-	-	-	54	1921/22
Harry Williams	-	33	-	-	-	21	54	1941/42
Lou Benaud	52	-	-	-	-	-	52	1939/40
Norman Howell	-	-	52	-	-	-	52	1948/49
Eddie Bolton	-	3	48	-	-	-	51	1922/23
Rex Pye	-	-	51	-	-	-	51	1929/30
Reg Chapman	-	-	-	-	-	51	51	1943/44
Jim Stone	-	50	-	-	-	-	50	1944/45
Jim Stone	-	50	-	-	-	-	50	1946/47
Arthur Cranney	-	-	19	-	-	31	50	1926/27
Arthur Howell	-	61	-	-	-	-	61	1951/52
Norman Howell	-	52	-	-	-	-	52	1951/52
Ray Shipton	-	-	54	-	-	-	54	1952/53
Ray Gallagher	-	-	69	-	-	-	69	1956/57
Jack Treanor	56	-	-	-	-	-	56	1957/58
John Benaud	-	-	53	-	-	-	53	1959/60
Ron Mulock	31	25	-	-	-	-	56	1958/59
Jack Treanor	54	-	-	-	-	-	54	1953/54
Jack Treanor	53	-	-	-	-	-	53	1955/56
Phil Osborne	-	-	32	19	-	-	51	1962/63
Geoff Williams	-	-	14	40	-	-	54	1966/67
Gary Pennicuik	-	-	52	-	-	-	52	1966/67
Norman Whitten	-	-	-	63	-	-	63	1966/67
Colin Woods	-	-	-	-	-	71	71	1966/67
Robert Aitken	30	21	-	-	-	-	51	1967/68
Richard Kightley	-	-	-	-	-	63	63	1968/69
Bill Lothian	56	-	-	-	-	-	56	1969/70
Bruce Anstee	-	-	-	-	51	-	51	1971/72
John Affleck	-	-	-	50	-	-	50	1972/73
Michael Haire	-	2	36	13	-	-	51	1973/74

Paul Barker	-	-	-	-	57	-	57	1973/74
Ray Hudswell	-	8	55	-	-	-	63	1976/77
David Molesworth	-	12	43	-	-	-	55	1976/77
Ian Monaghan	-	-	46	4	-	-	50	1976/77
Barry Behan	-	-	-	-	51	-	51	1976/77
Ian Sutcliffe	-	-	-	-	59	-	59	1976/77
Mark Hannigan	-	-	-	27	28	-	55	1981/82
Graeme Donaldson	-	-	-	5	49	-	54	1981/82
Darren Simpson	-	-	-	29	25	-	54	1996/97
Luke McNaught	4	44	5	-	-	-	53	2012/13
Michael Sullivan	59	-	-	-	-	-	59	2024/25

4. – Bowlers who have captured 9 wickets in an Innings

Prior to the introduction of Grade Cricket fast bowler **Percy Maybury** playing for Parramatta in **1883** captured **10/21** against Arundel Cricket Club – in 1884 he produced another outstanding feat claiming **9/81** against the touring **English International team** at Parramatta Oval.

Grade Cricket

9+ Wickets	Bowler	Opponent	Season	Grade / Team
10/42	Morrie Sievers	Western Suburbs	1943/44	1st
10/43	Scott Philipson	Macquarie Uni.	1984/85	3rd
9/16	Naveen Patil	Blacktown	2023/24	5th
9/23	Mitch Hardy	Fairfield	1997/98	5th
9/30	Merv Black	Petersham	1957/58	3rd
9/37	Ron Stewart	Balmain	1935/36	3rd
9/46	Jack Treanor	Manly	1954/55	1st
9/47	Bruce McManus	Balmain	1939/40	3rd
9/48	Ron James	Manly	1952/53	1st
9/49	Jim Landers	Gordon	1979/80	5th
9/52	Robert Shipton	Balmain (Final)	1952/53	4th
9/54	Doug Kennedy	Balmain	1942/43	1st
9/63	Rupert C. Coogan	Petersham	1913/14	1st
9/67	Morrie Sievers	Gordon	1942/43	1st
9/77	Garth Middleton	Gordon	1997/98	4th
9/82	Jack Treanor	Manly	1957/58	1st
9/88	Keith Wall	Mosman	1951/52	3rd
9/35	Greg Storey	Sutherland	1970/71	P.G.
9/50	Kevin Johns	Western Suburbs	1963/64	A.W.G.

5. – Most Wickets in a match For Parramatta by Grade

Grade	Match Figure	Wickets/ Innings	Bowler	Opponent	Season
First Grade	15/134	6/71 & 9/63	Rupert C. Coogan	Petersham	1913/14
Second Grade	15/137	8/82 & 7/55	Jim Stone	Manly	1933/34
Third Grade	14/66	8/31 & 6/35	J.W. Coy	Newtown	1913/14
Third Grade	14/66	6/24 & 8/42	Edward Crisp	Mosman	1925/26
Fourth Grade	12/27	4/14 & 8/13	Billy Toole	Waverley	1963/64
Fifth Grade	14/40	9/16 & 5/24	Naveen Patil	Blacktown	2023/24
M & S Grade	15/85	8/47 & 7/38	Bernie Jackson	Manly	1932/33
City & Suburban	9/24	1 afternoon games	Carl Eilbeck	Radio Physics	1964/65
Poidevin- Gray Shield	14/48	7/27 & 7/21	Matthew Bugg	Sydney	1982/83
A. W. Green Shield	13/40	5/8 & 8/32	Richie Benaud	Western Suburbs	1946/47

6. – Batsmen who have scored 700+ Runs in a Season {Grade Matches only}

Season	Batsman	1 st grade	2 nd grade	3 rd grade	4 th grade	5 th grade	M & S	Total
1898/99	Jack Anthony	-	714	-	-	-	-	714
1911/12	Harold Cranney	831	-	-	-	-	-	831
1922/23	Frank Buckle	715	121	-	-	-	-	836
1929/30	Len Leabeater	705	-	-	-	-	-	705
1936/36	Jack Fitzpatrick	735	-	-	-	-	-	735
1938/39	Sam Stone	-	-	-	795	-	39	834
1941/42	Jack Fitzpatrick	796	-	-	-	-	-	796
1966/67	John Benaud	835	-	-	-	-	-	835
1969/70	Tom Wood	724	-	-	-	-	-	724
1969/70	Terry Walters	589	283	-	-	-	-	872
1971/72	Doug Walters	710	-	-	-	-	-	710
1974/75	Bruce Neill	810	-	-	-	-	-	810
1982/83	Darren Tucker	776	-	-	-	-	-	776
1993/94	Tim McMahon	604	277	-	-	-	-	881
1995/96	Colin Gallagher	737	-	-	-	-	-	737
1997/98	Tim McMahon	805	-	-	-	-	-	805
1997/98	Robbie Aitken	731	-	-	-	-	-	731
1998/99	Tim McMahon	826	-	-	-	-	-	826
2002/03	Keith Lawrence	123	632	-	-	-	-	755
2007/08	Matt Windred	-	69	369	214	110	-	762
2014/15	Will Affleck	535	294	-	-	-	-	829
2016/17	Nick Bertus	838	-	-	-	-	-	838
2017/18	Tim Ward	745	111	-	-	-	-	856
2017/18	Nick Bertus	827	-	-	-	-	-	827
2017/18	Brenton Cherry	777	-	-	-	-	-	777
2018/19	Nick Bertus	844	-	-	-	-	-	844
2019/20	Tim Ward	717	-	-	-	-	-	717
2022/23	Ryan Hackney	961	-	-	-	-	-	961
2024/25	Ryan Hackney	752	-	-	-	-	-	752

7. – Batsmen to have scored 150+ for Parramatta in Grade matches

Score	Batsman	Grade	Opponent	Season
244	Les Pye	1 st Grade	Leichhardt	1898/99
223	Barclay Farquhar	1 st Grade	Burwood	1895/96
215	Les Pye	1 st Grade	East Sydney	1897/98
215	Nick Bertus	1 st Grade	Western Suburbs	2016/17
214	Len Leabeater	1 st Grade	Paddington	1933/34
206*	Nick Bertus	1 st Grade	Bankstown	2017/18
193	Jason Kelly	1 st Grade	Manly	2006/07
193*	Ryan Hackney	1 st Grade	Sydney University (GF)	2022/23
190*	Doug Walters	1 st Grade	Petersham-Marrickville	1972/73
180	Brenton Cherry	1 st Grade	North Sydney	2015/16
178	Les Pye	1 st Grade	Waverley	1901/02
177	Harold Cranney	1 st Grade	Waverley	1905/06
175*	Len Leabeater	1 st Grade	Petersham	1931/32
173*	John Benaud	1 st Grade	Bankstown	1966/67
172	George Payne	1 st Grade	Sydney	1907/08
170	Doug Walters	1 st Grade	Northern Districts	1964/65

170	Doug Walters	1 st Grade	North Sydney	1964/65
168*	Les Pye	1 st Grade	Middle-Harbour	1906/07
166*	Nick Bertus	1 st Grade	Mosman	2019/20
165*	Les Pye	1 st Grade	Sydney	1904/05
165*	Michael A. Wood	1 st Grade	Eastern Suburbs	2012/13
164	Ben Abbott	1 st Grade	Gordon	2019/20
162	Ernie Crossan	1 st Grade	Randwick	1935/36
161	Andrew Calvert	1 st Grade	Fairfield (GF)	2024/25
160	Richie Benaud	1 st Grade	Gordon	1949/50
160	Darren Tucker	1 st Grade	Mosman	1982/83
160*	Patrick Xie	1 st Grade	North Sydney	2024/25
157	Les Pye	1 st Grade	Glebe	1901/02
156	Barclay Farquhar	1 st Grade	Burwood	1901/02
156	Frank Iredale	1 st Grade	North Sydney	1895/96
154	Harold Cranney	1 st Grade	Waverley	1910/11
154	Bruce Neill	1 st Grade	Randwick	1974/75
153	Barclay Farquhar	1 st Grade	Waverley	1902/03
150*	Les Pye	1 st Grade	North Sydney	1902/03
150	Rev. E.L. Waddy	1 st Grade	Balmain	1908/09
150	Tim Ward	1 st Grade	Mosman	2019/20
222	Sid Thomas	2 nd grade	Paddington	1910/11
206*	Scott Copperfield	2 nd grade	St. George	2019/20
203*	Tim Ward	2 nd grade	North Sydney	2016/17
199	Phil Eagar	2 nd grade	Randwick	1935/36
196	Abishek Talwar	2 nd grade	Blacktown	2018/19
195	Gilbert Cole	2 nd grade	Manly	1933/34
178	Harold Goodwin	2 nd grade	Balmain	1955/56
170	Stan Teale	2 nd grade	Sydney	1965/66
166*	Wally Rothwell	2 nd grade	Marrickville	1921/22
166	Steve Karam	2 nd grade	Randwick-Petersham	2011/12
166	Ben Abbott	2 nd grade	Bankstown	2017/18
164	Harry Renshaw	2 nd grade	Petersham	1922/23
162	Craig Bayldon	2 nd grade	Manly	1997/98
161	Brenton Cherry	2 nd grade	North Sydney	2009/10
158	Jack Baker	2 nd grade	Northern Districts	1933/34
155	Luke Dempsey	2 nd grade	Mosman	2018/19
153	H. A. Cook	2 nd grade	Gordon	1908/09
152*	Zac Johns	2 nd grade	North Sydney	2022/23
151*	Raza Rizwan	2 nd grade	Hawkesbury	2014/15
150	Bruce Mullinger	2 nd grade	Waverley	1935/36
150	Steve Karam	2 nd grade	Sydney	2007/08
150	Jacob Workman	2 nd grade	Bankstown	2022/23
211*	Anthony Karam	3 rd grade	Manly (S-F)	2009/10
180*	Zac Johns	3 rd grade	St. George	2019/20
178*	S. McKean	3 rd grade	Paddington	1922/23
171	Nick Bateup	3 rd grade	Sutherland	2022/23
169	Kashi Gunawardane	3 rd grade	Bankstown	2022/23
159*	Jim Muir	3 rd grade	Glebe	1939/40
156	Robbie Stevens	3 rd grade	Manly (Final)	1973/74
155*	Evan Pitt	3 rd grade	Western Suburbs	2016/17
155	Kashvi Gunawardane	3 rd grade	Blacktown	2024/25
154	Ron Baxter	3 rd grade	Paddington	1933/34
151	Arthur Cranney	3 rd grade	Balmain	1920/21
150	Gabriel Joseph	3 rd grade	Randwick-Petersham	2023/24
175	Sam Stone	4 th grade	Marrickville	1938/39

154	Gavin Hilton	4 th grade	Hawkesbury	1992/93
153	Geoff Newton	4 th grade	Mosman	1968/69
194	Malcolm Freame	5 th grade	Waverley	1980/81
188	Steve Bristow	5 th grade	North Sydney	2008/09
185	Ozair Sheik	5 th grade	St. George	2012/13
176	Ali Rizwan	5 th grade	Western Suburbs	2005/06
175	David Kelley	5 th grade	Waverley	1985/86
168	Vinay K. Satia	5 th grade	Western Suburbs	2012/13
167	Brenton Cherry	5 th grade	Eastern Suburbs	2002/03
161*	Mick Mara	5 th grade	Campbelltown	2007/08
161	Rory Grieve	5 th grade	Eastern Suburbs (QF)	2024/25
152	Abishek Mohanaraj	5 th grade	Mosman	2019/20
150	Joel Mercer	5 th grade	Campbelltown	2018/19
227	Sam Stone	M & S	Randwick	1936/37
210	Sam Stone	M & S	Mosman	1930/31
186	Bernie Jackson	M & S	Lindfield	1932/33
162	V. Bean	M & S	North Sydney	1947/48
160	Ross Eagar	M & S	St. George	1935/36
160	Will Howe	M & S	Ryde	1938/39
157	Sam Stone	M & S	Ryde	1936/37

Parramatta District Cricket Club – Major Awards

Bill Anderson Memorial Trophy – ‘Cricketer of the Year’

<u>Season</u>	<u>Award Winner's Name</u>
1976/77	Ray Hudswell
1977/78	Peter Koen
1978/79	Mark Sargent
1979/80	Doug Walters
1980/81	Michael Haire
1981/82	Geoff Williams
1982/83	Darren Tucker
1983/84	Rodney Tucker
1984/85	Brett Neill
1985/86	Neil Jones
1986/87	Keith Taylor
1987/88	Ken Farley
1988/89	Bruce Ferguson
1989/90	Ian Paton
1990/91	Jaime Williams
1991/92	Stephen Moss
1992/93	Craig Bayldon
1993/94	Tim McMahon
1994/95	Craig Beed
1995/96	Craig Bayldon
1996/97	John Mahoney
1997/98	Craig Bayldon
1998/99	Garry James
1999/00	Brad Williams
2000/01	Robbie Aitken
2001/02	Colin Gallagher
2002/03	Mark Ward
2003/04	Michael A. Wood
2004/05	Clint Simpson

2005/06	Michael A. Wood
2006/07	Michael A. Wood
2007/08	Matthew Windred
2008/09	Anthony Marr
2009/10	Anthony Karam
2010/11	Michael A. Wood
2011/12	Rodney Mackander
2012/13	Daniel Jackson
2013/14	Scott Copperfield
2014/15	Jason Coleman
2015/16	Nick Bertus
2016/17	Nick Bertus
2017/18	Scott Copperfield
2018/19	Nick Bertus
2019/20	Tim Ward
2020/21	Owen Simonsen
2021/22	Michael Ho
2022/23	Ryan Hackney
2023/24	Liam Gillies
2024/25	Michael Sullivan
2025/26	Matthew Giumelli

Cumberland Medal – ‘Players’ Player Award’

<u>Season</u>	<u>Award Winner’s Name</u>
2014/15	Jason Coleman
2015/16	Trent Crittenden & Evan Pitt
2016/17	Ben Martin
2017/18	Harry King
2018/19	Andrew Calvert
2019/20	Abishek Mohanaraj
2020/21	Owen Simonsen
2021/22	Ryan Hackney
2022/23	Ryan Hackney & Hayden Goulstone
2023/24	Michael Sullivan & Blake Noorbergen
2024/25	Michael Sullivan, Santhosh Samuel, Ryan Hackney
2025/26	Athan Maraziotis

Parramatta District Cricket Club – Highest and Lowest Team Scores by Grade

	<u>Parramatta</u>				<u>Opponent</u>			
Grade	High/Low	Score	Opponent	Season	High/Low	Score	Opponent	Season
<u>1st</u>	Highest	9-494	North Sydney	1903/04	Highest	6-636	Paddington	1918/19
	Lowest	22	Sydney University	1912/13	Lowest	25	Paddington	1958/59
<u>2nd</u>	Highest	533	Middle-Harbour	1910/11	Highest	555	North Sydney	1903/04
	Lowest	16	Gordon	1942/43	Lowest	30	Northern Districts	1929/30
<u>3rd</u>	Highest	465	Manly [F]	1973/74	Highest	467	Glebe	1908/09
	Lowest	16	Middle-Harbour	1920/21	Lowest	8	North Sydney	2009/10
<u>4th</u>	Highest	403	Balmain	1939/40	Highest	400	Western Suburbs	1960/61

	Lowest	26	Balmain	1957/58	Lowest	37	University NSW	1973/74
5th	Highest	5-359	Campbelltown	2007/08	Highest	4/514	Bankstown	2010/11
	Lowest	26	Balmain "B"	1983/84	Lowest	28	Northern Districts. Eastern Suburbs	1976/77
						28		2019/20
P.Gs	Highest	343	Balmain	1951/52	Highest	5-365	Marrickville	1946/47
	Lowest	6-19 [decl.]	St. George	1962/63	Lowest	42	Bankstown	1958/59
A.W.G.	Highest	6-336	Gordon	1997/98	Highest	376	Waverley	1976/77
	Lowest	26	Randwick	1948/49	Lowest	16	East. Suburbs	2009/10

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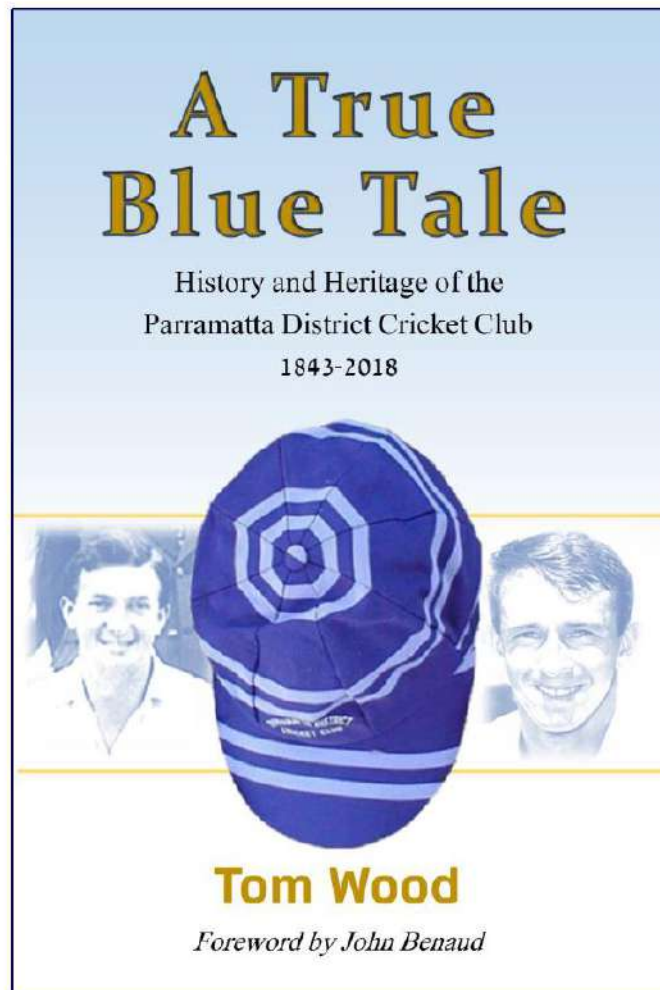
Peter West	2020
Rodney Cherry	2023
Debbie Pooley	2026
Scott Reibelt	2026



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