



St Albans Cricket Club

ANNUAL REPORT

2025/26

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Notice is hereby given that the

122nd Annual General Meeting

of the St Albans Cricket Club Inc. will be held at The Bealey function room,
263 Bealey Avenue, Christchurch

on

Sunday, 30 August 2026 at 11am

Business:

1. To receive the Minutes of the 2025 Annual General Meeting;
2. To consider and adopt the 2025/26 Annual Report and Accounts;
3. Election of Officers and Management Committee for the 2026/27 season;
4. Notice of Motion

That the club levy the following levels of subscriptions (GST inclusive)
for the 2026/27 season, namely:

- a) *Adult Men:*
\$350 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$300 if paid by
31 October 2026);
- b) *Adult Women:*
\$275 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$225 if paid by
31 October 2026);
- c) *Adult Afternoon Grade:*
\$300 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$275 if paid by
31 October 2026);
- d) *Adult Twenty20:*
\$180 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$160 if paid
by 31 October 2026);

- e) *Full-time Tertiary Students:*
\$275 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$225 if paid by 31 October 2026);
- f) *Secondary School Pupils:*
\$180 to be paid by 30 November 2026 (reducible to \$160 if paid by 31 October 2026);
- g) *Year 1-4 Juniors:*
\$60 to be paid by 30 November 2026;
- h) *Year 5-6 Juniors:*
\$100 to be paid by 30 November 2026;
- i) *Year 7-8 Juniors:*
\$120 to be paid by 30 November 2026;
- j) *Non-playing Member:*
\$75 per year.

5. Notice of Motion

That the club make the necessary changes to the St Albans Cricket Club constitution to make it compliant with the Incorporated Societies Act 2022.

6. General Business.

Members are reminded to resign (in writing) before the date of the AGM, to ensure that no subscription payment is due for the 2026/27 season, in the event of any member deciding not to play or transferring to another club, or moving out of the city.

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2025/26 Officers

Patron:

Mr A G Jamieson

Life Members:

Messrs I D Dempsey, R D J Mather,
A G Jamieson, S J D Cox, L N Serra,
G J Curgenvin, J Z Harris, S A Mason,
G P Flavell and Mrs E W Horne

President:

Mr C R Dry

Chairman:

Mr C R Dry

Men's Club Captain:

Mr W T Southby

Women's Club Captain:

Mr W T Southby

Secretary:

Mr O H Rees

Treasurer:

Mr R J Souness

Junior Convenor:

(vacant)

IT Manager:

Mr D E Pettet

Management Committee:

Messrs A C M Brown, M R Griffin, T E McClean, S J Price

Obituaries

Alisoun Judith Mitchell (nee Malins)

(1938 – July 29, 2025)



It was with sadness that the club learned of the death of Alisoun Mitchell, who passed away at the Diana Isaac Retirement Village aged 89 last July.

Alisoun grew up in Lyttelton, where her grandfather Frank Malins had emigrated to from England, only to die not long after on French fields in World War I aged just 25. Her father (also Frank) moved the young family to Lincoln, and it was there where his cricket-playing no doubt had influence on her future sporting direction.

In 1956, at age 18, she joined the St Albans Women's Cricket Club, based out of Malvern Park at the time. This was at the time St Albans was entering its

second golden era - the first being in the 1940s - with the club regularly entering two (sometimes even three!) senior XIs and winning the Sullivan Cup (as the major women's club trophy was known back then) as many as nine times in her 15 seasons, including an astonishing six times in a row in her final six playing seasons.

A right-hand top-order batter, Alisoun was surrounded by current and future White Ferns such as Phyl Blackler, Ann McKenna, Janice Stead and Vicki Burt. It was her ability to play such a supporting role around star players as well as her expert close-in fielding and leadership abilities that earned her a

first Canterbury cap at the age of 21. During her 29-game first-class (two-day) career over 12 years, she wore the red-and-black alongside as many as 17 of her club team-mates. She captained the side to a Hallyburton Johnstone Shield title in 1963/64, skippered the side again the following season and remained a capable deputy in later seasons before retiring in 1971, winning a further two provincial titles.

She was very well liked by her fellow players and provided plenty of encouragement to younger players finding their way in the game. She would provide game-day lifts, often cramming in far too many team-mates and their cricket gear into her Mini to ensure everyone got to the game.

Alisoun was a talented all-round sportswoman, also representing Canterbury at table tennis and being an active tournament golfer from a young age right through to well after her cricketing days were over. She also enjoyed playing contract bridge later in life.

It was however in administration that she excelled, using the transferable skills from her working life in various government departments. She managed the Canterbury women's side, was president of the Canterbury Women's Cricket Association and a committee member of the SAWCC for many years,

with a particular strength in fundraising. Upon her retirement of the presidency of the CWCA in 1976, she was awarded life membership of the association for her services to the women's game in Canterbury (this was transferred to a CCA life membership when all of the national men's and women's bodies amalgamated in 1992).

It was around this time that the St Albans men's and women's clubs were undertaking an exploratory partnership over the course of a couple of seasons before becoming the first club to fully merge in 1977. As president of the women's club, she was an integral part of making the transition come together. The proof was in the pudding as the section went from strength to strength, sowing the seeds for the third golden St Albans women's cricket era in the 1980s and 1990s. For her contribution, Alisoun became the 13th life member of the St Albans Cricket Club in 1978.

She largely withdrew from involvement in the game after that, with her last St Albans function being the 2005 club centennial gala dinner, a gathering that had as many nine St Albans life members brought together for the first time. Alisoun left a generous bequest to St Albans, for which the club is most grateful and acknowledge her great impact on the game in Canterbury.

President/Chairman's Report

Kia ora koutou,

The 2025/26 season was another important chapter for St Albans Cricket Club. The club is in a stronger position both on and off the field, and whilst our progress is incremental, it is measured and positive. I believe we are moving in the right direction. Thank you to everyone who helped make the season one to remember.

The long, slow goodbye

Our clubrooms have survived another winter and, as we emerge from hibernation, it appears the grand old building may yet see one final summer-fingers crossed. Preparations for life at St Albans Park are under way, although both the club and Christchurch City Council still have considerable work to complete before the move can proceed.

Facilities and our future home

St Albans Park progress

Discussions with Christchurch City Council are continuing. Plans for a multi-use playing surface and cricket practice nets have been considered, with constructive and positive engagement between the parties. The club is now awaiting further planning proposals and confirmation from the Council.

Some storage is already available at St Albans Park. Proposed improvements to the existing buildings should provide the

additional capacity the club will require once it has relocated.

Training at St Andrew's College

We were again fortunate to have access to the excellent cricket facilities at St Andrew's College for preseason and in-season training. Unfortunately, this arrangement is coming to an end, with the 2026/27 season expected to be our last at the College.

We extend our sincere thanks to Mike Johnston and St Andrew's College for their continued generosity and collaboration. Their support has been invaluable and is greatly appreciated by our players, coaches and the wider St Albans cricket community.

Financial update

The club ended the 2025–26 financial year in a strong position, with \$27,515.07 in the bank, up from \$4,948.68 last year. Its loan to Murray Griffin fell from \$15,000 to \$5,000, although \$11,300 remains owing to Christchurch Metro for ground fees, potentially covered by a grant. Pavilion hire generated \$12,343, while grants contributed \$28,500, down from \$48,800. Expenses also declined. The pavilion costs \$10,137 annually to operate, so ending the lease and losing hire income would create a \$2,200 net shortfall. No bar income was earned, and the pavilion's \$21,839 value will likely be written off within two financial years.

Men's Premiership and Club review

Continuing Improvement

The 2025/26 season brought continued growth for both the Premiership and Championship Men's teams. Director of Coaching Blair Franklin and Assistant Coach Ben Rapson provided valuable leadership, structure and consistency.

St Albans' Premiership Men competed strongly across all formats, driven by Matthias Paltridge's 817 runs, Lachie Harper's 616 runs and Canterbury Kings selection, and Ian Souness's 47 wickets. Jack Dry added 35 wickets, while a balanced attack, experienced leadership and emerging talent demonstrated the squad's considerable depth and promising future. Both sides improved as the season progressed and produced strong performances across the different formats.

Premier debutants

Congratulations to Nick Tapper, Harry O'Loughlin and Hanroux Wessels, who each made their Premier debut during the season.

Premiership Men

The team's results included:

- Second place in the Two-Day competition
- Semi-finalists in the One-Day competition
- Fourth place overall in the Christchurch Metro standings

Coaching and support team

- Blair Franklin - Director of Coaching
- Ben Rapson - Assistant Coach
- Alex MacKay - Premier Men's scorer

This was Alex's first season in the scoring role, which he mastered quickly. He was extremely reliable and did a fantastic job. Alex is unfortunately unavailable next season, and the search for his replacement has begun. Thank you, Alex, for your excellent contribution.

Club review

The club showed strong on-field health in 2025/26, fielding nine men's teams plus the Division 2 women's Diamonds, with depth spanning premiership, championship, masters and Cavaliers cricket. The club secured four grade wins. Highlights included the Championship Sabres' T20 title and the Cavaliers Fozzies' Section 1 championship, while the Chin Swingers reached the Section 2 final. The Division 2 Buccaneers made their one-day final before availability problems forced a late withdrawal, highlighting an area requiring rebuilding. The Diamonds were outstanding, winning 12 of 16 matches and finishing second overall. The Masters BBBBs won 10 completed games, including seven of their last nine, while the new 67ers made a competitive debut. Lachie Harper earned Canterbury Kings selection and Andrew Brown's all-round season secured Club Player of the Year, reinforcing the club's quality, depth and future potential.

Trophy cabinet additions

- Sabres - winners of the Men's Championship T20 Nathan Astle Series
- Fozzies - winners of the Cavaliers T20 Section 1 Minor Championship
- 67ers - winners of the Cavaliers T20 Section Black Major Championship
- Lancaster Park/St Albans Premier Women - winners of the Premier 50-over competition

Representative Honors

Congratulations to the following members on their representative selections:

- Lachie Harper - Canterbury Kings T20 and One-Day
- Craig Gibb - New Zealand Over 55s and Over 60s; Canterbury B Over 50s
- Bert Horner - New Zealand Over 55s; North Island Over 50s; Canterbury A Over 50s
- Scott Mason - New Zealand Over 55s; South Island Over 50s; Canterbury A Over 50s
- Mark Hampton - New Zealand Over 55s
- Ben Rapson - New Zealand Over 40s
- Ian Souness - Canterbury A
- Harry O'Loughlin - Canterbury Under 19s
- Hawke Cup - Toby Clement, Jed McKerrow, Ben Davenport, Hanroux Wessels and William Southby
- Pierre Flavell - Canterbury B Over 50s

Special Acknowledgements

The club celebrated three former St Albans players: Natalie Cox retired after 14 years and 183 Canterbury appearances; Lea Tahuu ended her White Ferns career with more than 100 matches in each format; and Amy Satterthwaite became Canterbury Magicians coach. We wish you all the best for your future endeavours.

Club life and sponsor support

St Albans Cricket Club is delighted to confirm the renewal of our partnership with New Zealand Venue Co for the 2026/27 season.

Their continued support helps the club meet the significant costs of providing cricket to our members and keeping subscriptions as affordable as possible.

Without sponsorship income, the alternative is substantially higher subscriptions. We therefore ask all players, supporters, friends and families to prioritize NZ Venue Co establishments when choosing where to eat, drink, socialize or hold a function.

Participating Christchurch venues include Bealey Quarter, Carlton Bar, Casa Publica, Fat Eddie's, Original Sin, The Bog, The Halswell and The Kong. Members receive a 10% discount on fully priced food and beverages, earn reward points and access exclusive app offers. Importantly, every eligible purchase made through the app is tracked and helps support St Albans Cricket Club.

St Albans Cricket Club is delighted to announce our new partnership with Sporting Edge for the 2026/27 season.

Sporting Edge has also generously offered all St Albans Cricket Club players an ongoing 15% discount. We strongly encourage members to support this partnership by purchasing their sporting equipment from Sporting Edge at 514 Wairakei Road, Burnside.

We sincerely thank Sporting Edge for its generous support and look forward to a successful partnership.

Boock-Sharp Trophy function

A very enjoyable after match was held at the Burnside Clubrooms in January following the Premier Men's match against Burnside at their home ground. The event marked the Boock-Sharp Trophy fixture and was a fitting celebration of club camaraderie and tradition.

Special thanks to:

- Stephen Boock for attending and supporting the event
- Peter Hay, Burnside's President/Chairman
- The Premiership and Championship teams from both clubs

The evening was a genuine success, and we look forward to hosting Burnside for the return fixture next season.

Christmas and season's end

The club also held a BYO Christmas function and a delayed but well-attended end-of-season prizegiving at the pavilion. Although the licensed bar remained closed, members celebrated responsibly and in good humour.

Our sincere thanks go to:

- Duane Pettet for his tireless work compiling statistics, completing updates and presenting awards-an ongoing contribution of enormous value to the club.

Committee and governance

Committee changes

Owen Rees has stepped down from the Committee. We sincerely thank Owen for the time, energy and commitment he has given to the club. We are grateful to Murray Griffin for agreeing to take on the role of Secretary.

Sam Price has also advised that he will not continue in his committee role for the coming season. We thank Sam for his contribution and the valuable support he provided during his time on the Committee.

Zane Phillips stood down in October, while two of our newer members, Alex Brown and Thomas McClean, were absent half the year due to playing or travelling overseas.

Committee attendance and service

The Committee met on 13 occasions during the year. Recorded attendance and years of service were as follows:

		Meetings	Years
President/Chairman:	Conrad Dry	13	1
Secretary:	Owen Rees	5	3
Treasurer:	Rob Souness	8	1
Club Captain:	Will Southby	10	7
IT Manager:	Duane Pettet	11	23
Committee:	Murray Griffin	12	21
	Zane Phillips	3	1
	Alex Brown	5	2
	Sam Price	11	2
	Thomas McClean	5	2

Acknowledgements

On behalf of St Albans Cricket Club, I extend my sincere thanks to the many individuals and organisations whose support made the season possible, both on and off the field.

Christchurch Metropolitan Cricket Association

A special thank you to Mike Harvey, Tim Murdoch and the entire team at the Christchurch Metropolitan Cricket Association. Your ongoing assistance and support for the club is greatly appreciated.

Gaming trust support

We are extremely grateful to the gaming trusts whose financial contributions helped meet a wide range of operating and development costs. Their support had a direct and meaningful impact across every level of the club.

Funding received during the year included:

- New Zealand Community Trust (NZCT) - coaching support, specifically for Blair Franklin
- Kiwi Gaming Foundation - preseason training support
- Pub Charity - cricket balls and coaching support, specifically for Ben Rapson
- The Lion Foundation - funding towards CMCA pitch fees for the 2025/26 season

The Committee is committed to maintaining and strengthening these important relationships in the seasons ahead.

Live-streaming sponsors

Our thanks also go to our live-streaming partners, whose support enabled key matches to be covered and promoted throughout the season:

- Australian Venue Co
- RC Restructuring
- Harcourts Vision
- Anderson & Hill

Their backing increased the club's visibility and strengthened the connection between our players, families, alumni and supporters.

Closing

Community sport is the lifeblood of many social circles. It fosters camaraderie, passion, resilience, achievement, friendship and lifelong memories. St Albans Cricket Club is one

of these great institutions. The challenges facing the club remain significant, but I am grateful for-and heartened by-the strength of character, loyalty and commitment our members continue to show. As with every season, the club faced challenges and rose to meet them. I have no doubt that, as a community, we will continue to come together, overcome the challenges ahead and secure a strong and successful future for St Albans Cricket Club.

Ngā mihi,
Con Dry



2025/26 St Albans Club Player of the Year Andrew Brown

Men's Club Captain's Report

The 2025/26 season was another enjoyable and rewarding one for the Men's Section, with nine teams representing St Albans Cricket Club across CMCA competitions. While success is often measured by premierships and finals appearances, the season was equally defined by the commitment, sportsmanship and enjoyment shown by players throughout the club.

We had one new team in the men's section this year with the 67ers joining in the Cavaliers grade. Made up of a few players that had previously played for the club, it was great to welcome them into the fold and they played some good cricket all year which you can read more about below.

Overall, the club recorded four grade wins and a number of other high finishes. It was pleasing to see players from every grade contributing to the club, with several younger players continuing their development while experienced members provided valuable leadership both on and off the field.

Across all teams there were many excellent individual performances, but equally important was the contribution of players who supported their teammates, filled gaps when required, helped younger players develop and contributed to the strong club environment we continue to build.

I would like to acknowledge the efforts of all captains, coaches, managers, selectors, scorers, volunteers, committee members and supporters who contributed throughout the season. The time and effort provided behind the scenes allows our players to focus on enjoying their cricket and representing St Albans with pride.

Premiership Men

The Premiership Men again represented St Albans with pride in Christchurch's top-grade competition throughout the 2025/26 season. The team competed strongly across all formats, with contributions from a large number of players and many memorable performances throughout the year.

The batting group was a major strength, led by Matthias Paltridge and Lachie Harper. Matthias produced an outstanding season, finishing as the side's leading run scorer with 817 runs, including a superb 141 against Riccarton and three further half-centuries. Lachie was equally impressive, scoring 616 runs at an average of 41.07, including an unbeaten 121 against Riccarton and an unbeaten 102 against East Christchurch Shirley during the T20 competition which culminated in his selection for the Canterbury Kings in the Super Smash.

With the ball, Ian Souness again led from the front, taking 47 wickets at an outstanding average of 14.89. Ian

produced several match-winning performances throughout the season, including figures of 5/22 and 5/12 against East Christchurch Shirley, as well as consistent contributions across all formats.

Jack Dry was another outstanding performer with the ball, taking 35 wickets, including a five-wicket haul against East Christchurch Shirley. Robert McClean, Ethan Burns, Chris Ellison, Lachie Harper and Nick Tapper all made important contributions, providing the team with a balanced and varied bowling attack.

Beyond individual performances, the continued development of the squad was particularly pleasing. The combination of experienced players providing leadership and younger players gaining further exposure at Premiership level provides a strong foundation for the future.

I would like to thank all players, coaches and support staff involved with the Premiership team for their commitment throughout the season. The effort required to compete at this level is significant, and the dedication shown by the group was a credit to St Albans Cricket Club.

Championship Men (Sabres)

The Championship Sabres continued to build on the strong foundations established in recent seasons, producing another successful campaign and demonstrating the depth and

strength of the St Albans senior playing group.

The Sabres enjoyed a competitive season across all formats, with a number of excellent team performances and many players contributing at important times throughout the year. The side showed great resilience across the two-day competition, with the ability to perform in challenging situations and find ways to compete against strong opposition.

A highlight of the season was the team's success in the Twenty20 competition, where the Sabres displayed excellent teamwork and composure throughout the campaign. The side produced a number of strong performances before securing the T20 title, capped off by a thrilling final victory over Riccarton. In the final, Riccarton posted 105/7, before St Albans chased down the total with four wickets in hand, led by a composed innings from Thomas Flavell (48) and valuable support from captain Boston Fielding (29). This was a fantastic achievement and a reward for the consistency and commitment shown by the group throughout the season.

With the bat, Ben Rapson was a standout performer, finishing as the leading run scorer for the Sabres with 437 runs at an excellent average of 33.62. Rapson provided consistency throughout the season and played several important innings under pressure. Thomas Flavell also made valuable contributions, including a season-best 74, while Boston Fielding

continued his strong form with 411 runs and two half-centuries. Will Melhuish, Toby Clemett and Paddy Cochran also provided important runs throughout the season, helping build competitive totals across all formats.

The bowling attack was a major strength of the Sabres. Ollie Mather was a key contributor, taking 41 wickets across the season and providing consistent control and pressure through long spells, and deservedly awarded team player of the season. Sam Kearns produced an outstanding season with the ball, taking 22 wickets at an exceptional average of 9.55, including a superb 7/40 against Halswell. Robert McClean and Chris Ellison also played significant roles, combining for many important breakthroughs throughout the year.

The Sabres showed excellent depth throughout the season, with players stepping up when opportunities arose and contributing across batting, bowling and fielding. The mix of experienced players and emerging talent continues to be one of the club's greatest strengths, providing a strong pathway between grades and ensuring a competitive environment across the senior teams.

Congratulations to the entire Sabres squad on a fantastic season, particularly on securing the Twenty20 championship. The team's commitment, camaraderie and ability to perform under pressure were excellent examples of what St Albans cricket represents.

Division 2 Buccaneers

The Buccaneers had a promising start to the 2025/26 season, showing plenty of competitiveness across the one-day competition. The team recorded several strong performances early in the season, including convincing wins against Halswell Raiders, Lancaster Park Lions, Marist-Harewood Everest Warriors, Sumner Red Wolves and Riccarton.

The side was well served by a number of strong individual performances throughout the season. Owen Rees was the leading run scorer, finishing with 361 runs at an average of 36.10, including two half-centuries and a season-best 75. James McKegg was another important contributor with 209 runs at 23.22, including two half-centuries, while Bert Horner provided valuable middle-order stability with 130 runs at an average of 21.67. Laurie Atkinson made a strong impact when available, scoring 84 runs at an average of 42.00, including an unbeaten 64, while Gus Quirk produced an outstanding individual innings with a century against Halswell Lankan Lions.

With the ball, David Armitt led the attack superbly, taking 16 wickets at an outstanding average of 3.56, including best figures of 6/12. Solomon Harcombe also made a significant contribution, claiming 10 wickets at 6.20 with a season-best 6/18, while James McKegg added 21 wickets at an average of 11.67. Zane Phillips provided consistent support throughout the

season, finishing with 33 wickets, including two five-wicket hauls, and best figures of 6/15.

The Buccaneers progressed through to the one-day final after a strong round-robin campaign, however unfortunately fell just short against Riccarton in a closely fought match. As the season progressed, player availability became increasingly challenging, and the team was ultimately forced to withdraw from the grade towards the end of the season.

While the conclusion to the season was disappointing the focus will now be on rebuilding player availability and consistency to ensure the Buccaneers can return stronger in the near future. Having 3 or 4 morning grade sides is crucial to maintaining a strong club.

Division 2 Superkings

The 2025/26 season was the second year for the Division 2 Superkings, and while the team showed plenty of promise and produced some excellent individual performances, consistency proved difficult at times throughout the season.

The Superkings started the season strongly, recording wins against Heathcote, Hornby Hawks, Marist-Harewood, Southern Districts, Lancaster Park Gold and Sumner Red Wolves. The team also produced some impressive batting displays, including a strong chase against Marist-Harewood where they reached 182/7, and a high-

scoring win over Lancaster Park Gold where they posted 237/9.

The side was led with the bat by Karanbir Singh, who had an outstanding season scoring 469 runs at an average of 29.31, including three half-centuries and a season-high 95. Jay Sran was another consistent contributor, finishing with 412 runs at 22.89, including a valuable 77 against Halswell Raiders and a number of important middle-order contributions. Harpinder Singh also had a strong season with 332 runs at 22.13, while providing valuable all-round impact with the ball.

With the ball, the Superkings were well served by their bowling group. Jaswinder Singh was a standout performer, taking 36 wickets at an average of 14.50, including two five-wicket bags and best figures of 5/7 against Southern Districts. Harpinder Singh contributed 25 wickets at 23.64, including a five-wicket haul against Riccarton, while Kulwinder Singh took 22 wickets at an excellent average of 12.45, highlighted by a best of 4/12. Gagan Bhaskar also made a significant contribution with 19 wickets, including a season-best 5/14 against Hornby.

As the Superkings move on from St Albans for the 2026/27 season, the club would like to sincerely thank all players and supporters involved for their contribution over the past two seasons. The commitment, enthusiasm and positive attitude shown by the group has been appreciated, and we wish

everyone involved all the very best for the future.

Masters Men BBBBs

The Masters Men BBBBs enjoyed another successful season in 2025/26, producing a strong campaign built around consistent performances, great team spirit, and valuable contributions from across the squad.

The side recorded 10 wins from their completed matches and finished the season strongly, winning seven of their final nine completed games. After a challenging start to the season, the team continued to improve as the year progressed, showing the depth and experience that has become a feature of this group.

With the bat, the team was led by a number of outstanding performers. Murray Griffin was a consistent presence at the top of the order, leading the run-scoring with 473 runs, including four half-centuries. Craig Gibb also had an excellent season, contributing 374 runs at an average of 37.40, highlighted by three half-centuries and a superb unbeaten 96. Brad Hill was particularly impressive, averaging 66.60 for the season and producing a memorable unbeaten 114, while Robert Horner and Dean Iggo provided valuable middle-order contributions when the team needed them most.

The bowling attack was a major strength throughout the season, led by Scott Mason, who produced a remarkable campaign with 32 wickets at an average

of just 10.84. His standout performance came against Sydenham Hospital, where he claimed extraordinary figures of 7 wickets for 6 runs. Brad Smith continued to provide excellent support with 16 wickets, while Brad Hill, Murray Griffin and Craig Gibb all made important contributions with the ball.

There were many highlights throughout the season, including dominant batting displays against Ohoka Originals and Ohoka RFL, successful run chases, and excellent bowling performances to defend smaller totals. The team's ability to perform in different match situations showed the experience and resilience within the group.

A big thank you goes to everyone involved with the BBBBs this season. The commitment, camaraderie and willingness of players to contribute both on and off the field continue to make this team an important part of the St Albans Cricket Club family. Congratulations to all players on a very successful season, and we look forward to building on this performance next year.

Cavaliers Chin Swingers

The Cavaliers Chin Swingers enjoyed another strong season in the Twenty20 competition, providing an excellent opportunity for players of all ages and abilities to enjoy competitive cricket in a relaxed but committed environment. The team continued to embrace the Cavaliers philosophy of participation, camaraderie and enjoyment, while still

producing some impressive performances throughout the season.

The Chin Swingers started the season well, recording a default victory in their opening fixture before narrowly defeating the Cavaliers Fozzies in a high-scoring St Albans derby, chasing down a total of 213. The side showed its batting depth throughout the season, regularly posting large totals, including impressive scores of 239/4 against East Christchurch Shirley East Side Cricket Collective, 260/2 against Halswell Placeme, and 214/3 against Hornby.

Batting was a major strength throughout the campaign, with Andrew Brown leading the way with an outstanding season. Andrew scored 625 runs at an average of 104.17, including four half-centuries, while also making a significant contribution with the ball, taking 29 wickets at an average of 14.52. Peter Fernando was another standout performer, scoring 490 runs at an average of 44.55, including two half-centuries, and adding 20 wickets with his all-round contributions. Other notable batting performances came from Thomas Wilson (296 runs at 37.00), Edward Woodham (184 runs at 46.00), Matt Kyle (287 runs at 31.89) and Phil Sing (211 runs at 26.38).

With the ball, the Chin Swingers were led again by Andrew Brown and Peter Fernando, while Edward Woodham also made a strong impact with 12 wickets, including an excellent spell of 4/28. Nathan Sidwell, Phil Sing, Matt Kyle and Dale Wright all played valuable roles

throughout the season, providing important breakthroughs and balance to the side.

The team built momentum as the season progressed, finishing strongly with a run of impressive victories and qualifying for the Section 2 final. Although the final against East Christchurch Shirley Punjabi Kings did not go the way of the Chin Swingers, reaching the final was a great achievement and reflected the quality and consistency shown throughout the season.

A huge thank you goes to all players who represented the Chin Swingers throughout the year. The team once again demonstrated the strength of the Cavaliers programme, bringing together experienced players, new faces and social cricketers while maintaining the competitive spirit that makes St Albans such a great club.

Cavaliers Fozzies

The Fozzies capped off an outstanding Twenty20 campaign by claiming the Section 1 championship, continuing their reputation as one of the strongest sides within the Cavaliers competition. The team showed excellent consistency throughout the season, combining strong batting performances with a disciplined bowling attack to finish the year with the title.

The Fozzies started the season strongly with a win over East Christchurch Shirley Punjabi Kings, before responding well to an early defeat against the Chin

Swingers with a dominant run of results. Across the season the team recorded numerous convincing victories, including comprehensive wins against Hornby Hawks, Burnside West University, and Riccarton Misfits, highlighting the depth and quality within the squad.

The batting group was a major strength throughout the season, with several players contributing important performances at key times. Kade Atkinson led from the front with 351 runs at an average of 50.14, including three half-centuries and a season-high 67 not out. Chris Bird was another standout performer, scoring 312 runs at an impressive average of 78.00, while David Cattermole (290 runs at 58.00), Nick Yardley (303 runs), Steve McLeod (204 runs), and Shanan Stewart (267 runs) all made valuable contributions throughout the campaign. Hugo Langridge also played an important role, scoring 171 runs at an average of 57.00, including a crucial unbeaten 61.

With the ball, the Fozzies were led by a well-balanced attack. Louis Bertie was outstanding, taking 26 wickets at an average of 13.62, including a best performance of 3/17. Daniel Grinter and Hugo Langridge both claimed 14 wickets each, while Steve McLeod (12 wickets) and Shanan Stewart (11 wickets) provided regular breakthroughs throughout the season. The bowling group consistently created pressure and played a significant role in restricting opposition totals.

The season culminated in a convincing victory over Halswell Blazers in the final at Hagley Corner. After restricting Halswell to 96/7, the Fozzies chased down the target comfortably, reaching 140/2 with Shanan Stewart (42*), Chris Bird (40*), and Kade Atkinson (31*) guiding the team home. This was a fitting reward for a team that had shown consistency, depth, and a strong team culture throughout the season.

Congratulations to captain, players, and supporters of the Cavaliers Fozzies on a well-deserved championship season. Their success was built on strong contributions across the entire squad and was another excellent example of the depth and camaraderie within the St Albans Cavaliers programme.

Cavaliers Scorpions

The Cavaliers Scorpions had a competitive season in the 2025/26 Twenty20 competition, showing good improvement and strong team spirit to build on last year's inaugural season. The team recorded several impressive victories, including wins against Halswell Hittahz, New Brighton Battlers, The Buffaloes, Parklands Patriots, and East Christchurch Shirley Spartan Old Boys.

The Scorpions were led strongly with the bat by Matt Coxon, who was one of the standout performers of the Cavaliers programme throughout the season. Matt scored 604 runs at an average of 50.33, including three half-centuries and a season-high score of 75. His consistent contributions provided the

foundation of many strong team totals. Imesh Jayakody also had a productive season with 333 runs, while Kevin Keane (226 runs), Kasun Dananjaya (268 runs), and Dilum Arachchige (172 runs) all played important roles in the batting order.

The bowling attack was highlighted by strong performances from Kasun Dananjaya, who claimed 19 wickets at an average of 17.11, including an excellent spell of 4/10. Dilum Arachchige also made a significant impact with 11 wickets, including best figures of 3/10, while Kevin Keane (14 wickets) and Writik Neupane (11 wickets) provided valuable support throughout the campaign. The bowling group consistently created opportunities and helped the team remain competitive in a number of close matches.

Although the Scorpions narrowly missed out on a higher finals position, they finished the season strongly with a convincing victory in the 7th place playoff against the Southern Seagulls.

Batting first, the Scorpions posted an impressive 170/5, led by Matt Coxon (46), Imesh Jayakody (38), Kevin Keane (25*), and Supun Fernando (24*). The bowlers then defended the total successfully, restricting Southern Districts to 160/7, with Kevin Keane (2/14) and Mahesh Bandara (2/22) leading the attack.

The Scorpions should be proud of the way they continued to develop throughout the season. With a blend of

experienced players and new contributors, the team showed excellent commitment and provided another strong addition to the Cavaliers Twenty20 structure. Congratulations to all players involved for their efforts and contribution to the St Albans club.

Cavaliers 67ers

The 67ers had a strong and competitive 2025/26 Twenty20 campaign in their first season with the club. The batting group was led by a number of consistent contributors throughout the season. Jack Belcher was outstanding with the bat, finishing as the team's leading run scorer with 304 runs at an average of 76.00, including three half-centuries and a season-high 55 not out. Will Gooch was another standout performer, scoring 365 runs at an average of 52.14, including two half-centuries and several match-winning innings at the top of the order. Harry Greenwood provided valuable middle-order runs with 319 runs at an average of 39.88, including a season-best 63 not out, while also contributing strongly with the ball.

Joshua Erasmus had a consistent season, scoring 217 runs at an average of 43.40 and playing several important finishing roles with the bat. Liam Alexander was another reliable contributor, adding 272 runs at an average of 38.86 and providing excellent support throughout the campaign. Samuel Belcher and Tom Clarke also made significant contributions, combining important batting performances with valuable bowling

roles. Tom was particularly influential with the ball, taking 16 wickets at an average of 16.69, including an excellent 4-13 spell.

At the bowling crease, Will Gooch led the way with 13 wickets at an impressive economy rate of 5.14, including a remarkable 3-3 spell. Harry Greenwood also claimed 13 wickets at an average of 14.08, while Jack Belcher produced an excellent all-round season with 11 wickets at an average of 17.55 to complement his batting performances. Jake Cummings contributed 11 wickets, often providing important breakthroughs, while Zachariah Landon-Lane and Caleb Manson also played key roles with the ball.

A highlight of the season was the balance within the squad, with contributions coming from throughout the team. Congratulations to all players involved for their commitment, effort and contribution throughout the season. We look forward to the 67ers becoming a key part of the club, combining competitiveness, team spirit and a strong foundation for future seasons.

Individual Achievements

Congratulations to all players who received club awards or achieved significant milestones throughout the season. Individual achievements are a reflection of the strength of the club as a whole, with players pushing themselves to improve and contribute to their teams.

Particular congratulations go to Lachie Harper on making his Canterbury Men's debut in the Super Smash, a fantastic achievement and recognition of his continued development and performances at club level.

Congratulations also to Andrew Brown, who was awarded overall Club Player of the Year following an outstanding season across both batting and bowling, including a remarkable campaign for the Cavaliers Chin Swingers.

A number of other players also achieved significant milestones, including centuries, five-wicket hauls, representative selections and personal best performances. These achievements are a credit to the players involved and the support provided by their teammates and coaches.

Pre-season Training

Keep an eye out for pre-season training dates or chat to your captain for details.

Thanks

Finally, a successful season is only possible through the efforts of many people behind the scenes. On behalf of the Men's Section, I would like to sincerely thank our coaches, captains, managers, scorers, selectors, committee members, volunteers, sponsors and supporters for their continued commitment to the club. Your time and effort are greatly appreciated.

Finally, thank you to every player who represented St Albans Cricket Club this

season. Your commitment, sportsmanship and pride in wearing the club colours continue to make St Albans a club that people enjoy being part of.

While there is always room for improvement, the progress made

throughout the season gives us every reason to look forward to 2026/27 with confidence. Congratulations to everyone on another successful year, and best wishes for the coming season.

William Southby

Women's Club Captain's Report

The 2025/26 season was my first as women's club captain alongside my role as men's club captain so there was a lot of learning to be had. We only had one team in the women's side, the Div2 Diamonds. We also contributed one player to the Div 1 Roar Lancaster Park/St Albans combined side with a number of other players in that team and the Lancaster Park premier women's team being former St Albans players.

The Diamonds had a great season, winning 12 from their 16 games to finish second overall on the ladder. They were led with the bat by Madison Webb, Tayla Marshall and Mahi Gill, each scoring over 150 runs for the season. With the ball the main wicket takers were Elle Read, Madison Webb and Mahi Gill, each taking over 15. A special mention to Elle Read who took 6-15 against NB Queen Bees in December. A big thank you to Kieran for looking after the girls and Lancaster Park for the continued efforts in the combined teams.

The club would also like to acknowledge a few former members of the St Albans premier women's side:

Natalie Cox who played 136 Premier games for St Albans, retired from the Canterbury Magician's side this season after an incredible 14 years and 183 games for Canterbury.

Lea Tahuu announced her retirement from ODI cricket in March, followed by T20I in June, playing her last game for the White Ferns in their final group match against England. Bowing out alongside Sophie Devine and Suzie Bates after over 100 matches in each format for New Zealand. As a club we are incredibly proud of what you have achieved on the world stage Lea. Congratulations on a fantastic international career.

Amy Satterthwaite has continued her transition from legendary player to coach with the recent announcement that she has been appointed as the Canterbury Magician's new coach.

William Southby

St Albans Award Winners, 2025/26

Most Ducks Cup:

Alex Brown - 5 ducks

Most Sixes Crown:

Lachie Harper - 30 sixes

Most Economical Twenty20/One-day Bowling Figures:

4 overs: Jed McKerrow - 4-2-3-4

8 overs: Scott Mason - 8-2-19-3

9 overs: Zane Phillips - 9-4-11-4

10 overs: Ian Souness - 10-5-11-2

Most Runs Scored Off An Over (by a batsman):

Kade Atkinson - 28 runs

Most Runs Conceded Off An Over (by a bowler):

Peter Fernando and Abe MacDougall - 26 runs

Best All-rounders:

Men (morning): Lachie Harper - 616 runs & 18 wickets

Men (afternoon): Andrew Brown Brown - 625 runs & 29 wickets

Women: Madison Webb - 197 runs & 19 wickets

Keeper: Tom Flavell - 658 runs & 18 dismissals

Rod McCurdy Award

(for faux pas, cricketing misdemeanours, peccadilloes and violations of cricketing etiquette, skill and social acceptability):

Brad Smith

Personality of the Year:

Bert Horner

Noel Love Memorial Trophy

(for the older St Albans member who shows outstanding enthusiasm, dedication, camaraderie and social interaction, both on and off the field):

Kevin Keane

Supporters of the Year:

Chris & Julie Brown

Peers Cup

(club member contributing most on and off the field):

Conrad Dry

Zin Harris Memorial Cup

(young male player of the year):

Ollie Mather

Kim Jamieson Memorial Cup

(young female player of the year):

Elle Read

Most Improved Young Female Player:

Eshika Nair

Twenty20 Batsman of the Year

Andrew Brown - 625 runs

Twenty20 Bowler of the Year

Andrew Brown - 29 wickets

Fielder of the Year Award

(most catches by a non-wicket-keeper):

Matthias Paltridge - 13 catches

Daygo Award

(most afternoon grade wicket-keeping dismissals):

Josh Erasmus - 13 dismissals

Frank O'Brien Memorial Cup

(best batting average, 400+ runs):

Andrew Brown - 104.17 (625 runs)

Cyril Crawford Memorial Cup

(most runs):

Matthias Paltridge - 817 runs

Tom Burtt Memorial Cup

(best bowling average, 25+ wickets):

Scott Mason - 10.84 (32 wickets)

Don Sandman Memorial Cup

(most wickets):

Ian Souness - 47 wickets

Bob Webb Memorial Cup

(most wicket-keeping dismissals):

Tom Flavell - 18 dismissals

Team Players of the Year:

Premiership Men: Lachie Harper

Championship Sabres Men: Ollie Mather

Division 2 Buccaneers Men: Owen Rees

Division 2 Superkings Men: Devesh Thakur

Masters BBBBs Men: Murray Griffin

Cavaliers T20 Chin Swingers Men: Phil Sing

Cavaliers T20 Fozzies Men: Louis Bertie

Cavaliers T20 Scorpions Men: Matt Coxon

Cavaliers T20 67ers Men: Harry Greenwood

Club Player of the Year:

Andrew Brown

Top Individual Performances

Batting:		Grade	Opposition	Date
Matthias Paltridge	141	Premiership Men	v Ricc	14/02/2026
Lachie Harper	121*	Premiership Men	v Ricc	13/12/2025
Brad Hill	114*	Masters Men BBBBs	v Ohoka RFL	14/02/2026
Gus Quirk	105*	Division 2 BUCCANEERS	v Hals Lions	07/02/2026
Lachie Harper	102*	Premiership Men	v ES	29/11/2025

Innings Bowling:		Grade	Opposition	Date
Scott Mason	7-6	Masters Men BBBBs	v Syd Hospital	21/03/2026
Sam Kearns	7-40	Championship SABRES	v Hals Vikings	07/03/2026
David Armitt	6-12	Division 2 BUCCANEERS	v St A Superkings	14/12/2025
Elle Read	6-15	Division 2 DIAMONDS	v NB Queen Bees	13/12/2026
Zane Phillips	6-15	Division 2 BUCCANEERS	v Hals Raiders	11/10/2025
Solomon Harcombe	6-18	Division 2 BUCCANEERS	v St A Superkings	18/10/2025
Scott Mason	6-24	Masters Men BBBBs	v Syd Cardinals	14/03/2026
Robert McClean	6-31	Championship SABRES	v Syd	21/03/2026
Zane Phillips	6-51	Division 2 BUCCANEERS	v Hals Lions	07/02/2026

Match Bowling:		Grade	Opposition	Date
Sam Kearns	11-70	Championship SABRES	v Hals Vikings	07/03/2026
Ian Souness	8-33	Premiership Men	v ES	07/03/2026
Ollie Mather	7-40	Championship SABRES	v MP	18/10/2025
Ian Souness	7-63	Premiership Men	v LP	18/10/2025
Jaswinder Singh	7-82	Division 2 SUPERKINGS	v Hals Lions	07/03/2026
Harpinder Singh	7-96	Division 2 SUPERKINGS	v Ricc	07/02/2026

Hat-tricks:		Grade	Opposition	Date
Brad Smith	4-15	Masters Men BBBBs	v Syd Cardinals	08/11/2025
Kasun Dananjaya	4-10	Cavaliers SCORPIONS	v Buffaloes	08/11/2025

Points Tables

Men's Grades

Premiership Men - Two-Day

Sydenham	119.37
Heathcote	99.61
Burnside West University	83.70
St Albans	83.45
Old Boys Collegians	69.45
Lancaster Park	61.90
East Christchurch Shirley	52.67
Riccarton	36.01

Premiership Men - One-Day

Burnside West University	63
St Albans	53
Sydenham	48
Old Boys Collegians	47
East Christchurch Shirley	32
Heathcote	21
Lancaster Park	21
Riccarton	10

Semi: BWU beat OBC

Semi: Syd beat St A

Final: BWU beat Syd

Premiership Men - Twenty20

Burnside West University	25
Heathcote	25
Sydenham	25
Old Boys Collegians	20
St Albans	18
Lancaster Park	13
East Christchurch Shirley	10
Riccarton	5

Semi: BWU v OBC - abandoned

Semi: Syd beat Heath

Final: Syd beat BWU

Championship Men - Two-Day

Burnside West University	111.66
Halswell Vikings	94.38
St Albans Sabres	92.46
Company Old Boys Collegians	84.30
Sydenham	65.51
Riccarton	64.07
Merivale-Papanui	46.04
Heathcote	40.13

Championship Men - One-Day

Burnside West University	58
Halswell Vikings	53
Heathcote	46
Merivale-Papanui	42
Riccarton	37
Old Boys Collegians	26
St Albans Sabres	15
Sydenham	15

Semi: BWU beat MP

Semi: Heath beat Hals Vikings

Final: BWU beat Heath

Championship Men - Twenty20

Halswell Vikings	30
Heathcote	25
Riccarton	20
St Albans Sabres	20
Burnside West University	20
Merivale-Papanui	10
Old Boys Collegians	10
Sydenham	5

Semi: St A Sabres beat Hals Vikings

Semi: Ricc beat Heath

Final: St A Sabres beat Ricc

Division 2 Men - Two-Day S1	
Marist-Harewood Mavericks	79.13
Riccarton	76.35
St Albans Superkings	56.21
Halswell Lankan Lions	54.17
Lancaster Park Lions	32.60
St Albans Buccaneers	5.11

Division 2 Men - Two-Day S2	
Hornby Hawks	89.68
Lancaster Park Gold	68.78
Halswell Raiders	56.54
Sumner Red Wolves	50.25
Marist-Harewood Everest Warriors	49.76
Southern Districts	20.74

Division 2 Men - One-Day	
St Albans Buccaneers	93
Riccarton	91
Halswell Lankan Lions	79
St Albans Superkings	69
Marist-Harewood Mavericks	65
Lancaster Park Lions	59
Halswell Raiders	52
Sumner Red Wolves	47
Hornby Hawks	46
Lancaster Park Gold	37
Marist-Harewood Everest Warriors	32
Southern Districts	25
Heathcote	5

Semi: St A Buccaneers beat St A Superkings

Semi: Ricc beat Hals Lankan Lions

Final: Ricc beat St A Buccaneers

Masters Men	
Sumner	49
Old Boys Collegians	49
Burnside West University Foxes	49
Burnside West University Robbie's	44
New Brighton	44
Marist-Harewood Strikers	34
St Albans BBBBs	34
Ohoka RFL	29
Sydenham Cardinals	29
Sydenham Hospital	29
Merivale-Papanui	29
Heathcote/Lancaster Park P Rats	24
Ohoka Originals	24

Division 2 Men - Twenty20 S1	
Lancaster Park Gold	19
Lancaster Park Lions	14
Sumner Red Wolves	14
St Albans Superkings	14
Riccarton	9
Southern Districts	9

Division 2 Men - Twenty20 S2	
Hornby Hawks	19
Halswell Lankan Lions	19
Halswell Raiders	14
Marist-Harewood Mavericks	14
St Albans Buccaneers	9
Marist-Harewood Everest Warriors	9

Semi: LP Gold beat Hals Lankan Lions

Semi: LP Lions beat Horn Hawks

Final: LP Gold beat LP Lions

Masters Men - Top 6	
Burnside West University Robbie's	30
Old Boys Collegians	25
Sumner	20
New Brighton	10
Burnside West University Foxes	10
Marist-Harewood Strikers	10

Semi: NB beat BWU Robbie's

Semi: OBC beat Sum

Playoff: Mar-Hare Strikers beat BWU Foxes

Final: OBC v NB - abandoned

3rd Place: BWU Robbie's beat Mar-Hare Strikers

5th Place: Sum v BWU Foxes - abandoned

Masters Men - Bottom 7	
St Albans BBBBs	30
Ohoka RFL	25
Heathcote/Lancaster Park P Rats	20
Sydenham Hospital	20
Sydenham Cardinals	18
Merivale-Papanui	15
Ohoka Originals	13

Cavaliers - Section Red	
Summer The Mighty	67
St Albans Fozzies	62
Marist-Harewood Gerihatricks	57
Burnside West University Duck Duck Six	52
Halswell Blazers	50
Riccarton Misfits	47
Number 4 Phoenix	42
Riccarton Hogs	42
St Albans Chin Swingers	42
East Christchurch Shirley Punjabi Kings	35
East Side Collective	32
Hornby Hawks	27
Sydenham Cardinals	27
Merivale-Papanui	22
Halswell PlaceMe	17
Old Boys Collegians Eagles (withdrawn)	-

Cavaliers - Section 1	
St Albans Fozzies	30
Halswell Blazers	25
Sumner The Mighty	25
Number 4 Phoenix	20
Riccarton Hogs	18
Riccarton Misfits	13
Burnside West University Duck Duck Six	10
Marist-Harewood Gerihatricks	0

Final: St A Fozzies beat Hals Blazers

3rd Place: Sum The Mighty beat Number 4 Phoenix

5th Place: Ricc Hogs beat Ricc Misfits

7th Place: BWU Duck Duck Six beat Mar-Hare Gerihatricks

Cavaliers - Section 2	
St Albans Chin Swingers	33
East Christchurch Shirley Punjabi Kings	28
St Albans 67ers	25
Sydenham Cardinals	15
Hornby Hawks	15
Merivale-Papanui	15
East Side Cricket Collective	10
Halswell PlaceMe	0

Final: ES Punjabi Kings beat St A Chin Swingers

3rd Place: St A 67ers beat Syd Cardinals

5th Place: Horn Hawks beat MP

7th Place: ES Cricket Collective beat Hals PlaceMe

Cavaliers - Section Black	
St Albans 67ers	67
Kaiapoi	62
Burnside West University Sticky Wickets	52
Richmond Rhinos	52
Sydenham Gujarat Kings	52
Heathcote Hammers	47
Lancaster Park The Dolphin Guys	47
Marist-Harewood Avesec	47
The Buffalos	37
Number 4 Experience	37
New Brighton Battlers	32
St Albans Scorpions	32
Halswell Hittahz	22
Parklands Patriots	22
Halswell Tigers	17
Southern Seagulls	12
East Christchurch Shirley Black Gold	11
East Christchurch Shirley Spartan Old Boys	6

Cavaliers - Section 3	
Burnside West University Sticky Wickets	30
Marist-Harewood Avesec	25
Sydenham Gujarat Kings	20
Heathcote Hammers	20
Kaiapoi	15
Richmond Rhinos	15
Lancaster Park The Dolphin Guys	10
The Buffalos	5

Final: BWU Sticky Wickets beat Mar-Hare Avesec

3rd Place: Syd Gujarat Kings beat Heath Hammers

5th Place: Rich Rhinos beat Kaiapoi

7th Place: LP The Dolphin Guys beat The Buffalos

Cavaliers - Section 4	
New Brighton Battlers	25
Halswell Tigers	25
Parklands Patriots	20
East Christchurch Shirley Spartan Old Boys	20
East Christchurch Shirley Black Gold	15
Number 4 Experience	15
St Albans Scorpions	10
Southern Seagulls	5
Halswell Hittahz	5

Final: NB Battlers beat Hals Tigers

3rd Place: PKlds Patriots beat ES Spartan Old Boys

5th Place: ES Black Gold beat Number 4 Experience

7th Place: St A Scorpions beat SD Seagulls

Women's Grades

Premier Women - One-Day (50 overs)

Lancaster Park	40
North West	35
Sydenham	21
Old Boys Collegians	18

Final: LP beat NW

Premier Women - One-Day (40 overs)

North West	25
Lancaster Park	20
Sydenham	10
Old Boys Collegians	5

Final: NW beat LP

Premier Women - Twenty20

North West	24
Old Boys Collegians	16
Lancaster Park	14
Sydenham	11

Division 1 Women - Phyl Blackler Series

North West Div 1	59
Old Boys Collegians Blue	59
Lancaster Park/St Albans Roar	43
Sydenham Red	28
Halswell Honey Bees	24
North West Div 1 Development	24
Pleasant Point	23
Old Boys Collegians Gold	19
Sydenham Blue	19
Selwyn Wahine	13

Division 1 Women - Trudy Anderson Series

Old Boys Collegians Blue	25
Old Boys Collegians Gold	23
Lancaster Park/St Albans Roar	20
North West Div 1	20
Sydenham Red	18
Selwyn Wahine	18
North West Div 1 Development	10
Pleasant Point	10
Sydenham Blue	5
Halswell Honey Bees	3

Division 2 Women

Old Boys Collegians Blue	82
St Albans-Lancaster Park Diamonds	66
Sydenham Turner Stars	64
North West Flames	62
Old Boys Collegians Gold	52
Selwyn Wahine	31
South East Otautahi	29
Selwyn Wahine/Halswell	27
New Brighton Queen Bees	26
Rangiora	26

Team Reports

Premiership Men

Played 20, Won 10, Lost 8, Drew 1, Tied 1

Team Player of the Season: Lachie Harper

Team report to come.

Championship Sabres

Played 20, Won 9, Lost 8, Drew 2, No Result 1

Twenty20 Competition Winners

Team Player of the Season: Ollie Mather

The Sabres squad had been through a lot of change over the past few seasons and while this season there was a few new faces, there was a familiarity with a lot of the previous season's players returning. This included a couple of the players who were part of the Mud cup victory in preseason and a win against Sydenham making for a promising season. The side was largely led by Thomas McClean for the season, and I took over for parts of the season when Tom got the call up to prems.

Two-Day Competition:

First game of the season, we started with Two Dayers. We played OBC at home on Hagley 5. The first week was washed out, so both captains decided to declare first innings and then play for

outright points in the second innings. St. Albans won the toss and elected to bowl. We ended up bowling them out for 80, with Charlie Croy being the pick of the bowlers, taking 5 for 19 off 7. And then we set about our run chase with Ben Davenport scoring 33 and Sam Kearns scoring 30 to easily win by 6 wickets. So, standout for the match, was Charlie Croy.

Second game of the season was played at Hagley 5 against Merivale-Papanui. They won the toss and chose to bowl. We ended up scoring 218 all out, with Boston Fielding being the top scorer with 71, Tom Flavell scoring 40, and Om Alva scoring 34. Then Merivale went in, and they really struggled. Ollie Mather spearheading the attack, taking 4 for 19 off 14 overs, and Sam Kearns chipped in with 3 for 29 off 14. That gave us a lead of 100. And then we opted to put Merivale back into bat by enforcing the follow-on, and they really struggled. Had two guys score 27 and 25, and they limped to 135 all out, which meant we needed 36 to win in the second innings. Ollie Mather taking 3 for 21 off 12, Rob McClean chipping in with 2 for 35, James Church chipped in with 2 for 18, and Charlie Croy chipped in with 2 for 30. In the second innings, we only needed 36, we chased it down with no worries, only losing 3 wickets, and we won the game by 7 wickets.

The third game of the season was versus Heathcote on the Nursery. We ended up

winning the toss and choosing to bat. Tom Flavell starred at the top of the order with 74 and was supported by Om Alva with 28. But at one stage, we were 7/111. And then Charlie Croy came into bat and put on a really solid 43 not out off 83 balls, which ended up saving our innings and getting us up to 192. Heathcote then came into bat, had three guys in their order score 25, 31, and 38 respectively. But with some good bowling from Rob McClean, taking 3/47, and Charlie Croy taking 2/22, we managed to bowl them out for 162. That gave us a lead of 30, which we then set about putting on a good total, with Paddy Cochran scoring 62 off 65 opening the batting, and he was well supported by Toby Clemett at 3, scoring 68 off 54. Om Alva and Laurie Atkinson put on a good partnership, with Om scoring 26 and Laurie scoring 19, to give us a second innings total of 225, which meant Heathcote needed 256 to win. They batted well to start their second innings, with John Garry scoring 49, Charles Grey scoring 54, and then another young fella in the middle order, Ryan Samson scoring 31. They looked on track to chase the total down on a very good wicket. But then I gave the ball to Chris Ellison, who bowled an unbelievable spell, taking 4/53 on a batter-friendly pitch, and was supported by Boston Fielding taking 2/36, which ended up halting their chase to the point where they started to struggle at 7/176. And then they were 8/201, and then they ended up batting out the day and not trying to chase. And with a couple of unlucky chances that we didn't take, we

could have won the game. But they finished 212 for eight, which means we ended up winning first innings and not quite getting the outright that we wanted.

The fourth two-dayer of the season was played at Riccarton Domain versus Riccarton. This was a game where we really put our foot on the throat the entire game and probably played the best cricket we played all season in this match. We won the toss and elected to bowl first, and it really worked out for us being that only one of their batsmen, Zach Bishop, scoring 24, no one else in their team scored over 7.

And that was because of the opening spell by Ollie Mather and Rogan Ross, with Ollie taking 2/5 off 9 overs, and Rogan taking 2/14 off 8. Ollie and Rogan really didn't give them much to score off, and they really struggled trying to get the ball off the block. Then Chris Ellison was given the ball, and like he did the previous week, came on, bowled unbelievably well, ended up taking 4/10 off 9 overs. We ended up bowling them out for 59 off 35 overs, and then we set about putting on a good total in our first innings.

We ended up putting on 190/8 declared and that was due to Paddy Cochran scoring 23 opening the batting, Tom Flavell batted well at 3, scoring 22, Toby Clemett was the pick of the batsmen, scoring 46. Ben Rapson batted well, scoring 39 and then Boston Fielding came in late, scoring a quick 34, to give us a lead of 131. In Riccarton's second

innings, it was much of the same from the first innings. Only one player in the team scoring anything decent, which was Josh Vergeest, he scored 35 not out. But apart from him, no one else really offered much. And they were bowled out for 103, meaning we won by an innings and 28 runs. And again, the pick of the bowlers was between Rogan Ross and Ollie Mather. Ollie took 3/20 off 11, Rogan took 4/22 off 9. They bowled an opening spell of 18 overs together, and Riccarton struggled again. Really big win to end the first half of our two-day campaign before we moved into the T20s.

Twenty20 Competition:

We then moved into the T20 campaign, where we played Burnside, first game, on Hagley 5. Burnside won the toss and chose to bowl on a bowler-friendly wicket. Ben Rapsin, opening the batting, scoring 40 off 41, anchored the innings. Boston Fielding, batting three, scored 31 off 25 to keep the innings going, to us having a bit of a mini-collapse. We went from being 63/2 to being 94/7. And then with little bits and pieces from guys like Laurie Atkinson scoring 13, a couple of sort of small scores to help, and with 11 extras, we ended up scoring 122, which on that wicket was quite good. Then Burnside went into bat, and they started off very well. They were 69/5, looking comfortable. Callum Hill scored 24, Alex McDuff 17, Archie Smith 21, and there were a couple of smaller scores in support and the wickets were shared around. Rob McClean 2/13, Ollie Mather

2/21, Boston Fielding, probably the pick of the bowlers, 2/16 off 4, and Ben Rapson took 2/35 off 4. We slowly pegged them back with some tight bowling and a couple of key wickets for them to be 90/6, to then be all out for 114, for us to get our first win of the 2020 campaign.

The second game of the T20s, which was the second game of the day, we played Halswell on Hagley 4. We won the toss and elected to bowl first, and we started off well, having Halswell's key batsman, Hardeep Singh, out caught behind on 15, for him to not be given out by his teammate, and he ended up making 78, which put them in a really good position with a couple of their players in support, Gagan Kahlon scored 48, and there were a couple of scores in the teens, which ended up pushing them up to 188/5 off their 20 overs. We were quite poor in the field. There was some quite good bowling by some, and there was some poor bowling by others. Ollie Mather being the standout. He took 3/26 off 4, bowled really, really well. Rogan Ross chipped in with 1/42, and Boston chipped in with 1/28. We then set about our chase, and our chase never really got off the ground. We sort of struggled to force the pace a little bit. Paddy Cochran and Oshada Samarakoon started us off opening the batting, scoring 13 and 15 respectively. And then Om Alva came in and hit 23. And then Will Melhuish ended up scoring 27 which gave us some hope, but when he went out, we fizzled out. And that was about as good

as it got for us, and we really struggled. We couldn't really get them away, losing wickets at key times, and that hurt us. So after our 20 overs, we finished 121/7. They didn't really have one standout bowler. They all sort of chipped in with a wicket or two, and nobody going for over 18 off their overs. So, it was an easy win for Halswell, and a game for us to forget.

Our third game of the campaign was on a Thursday night, away to Sydenham at Sydenham Park, on a very poor deck. We lost the toss, got put into bat, and it wasn't that great. Three players scored in double figures. Paddy Cochran opening the batting, getting 16. Harry Croy batting five, getting 19. And top scorer for the match was Boston Fielding scoring 24. And that was about as good as it got. We ended up batting the full 20 overs and were 108/8. And then we were quite confident going into our bowling because we had Jed McKerrow come down from the Premis to play for us. And with him having the new ball, he bowled an unbelievable spell, taking 4/3 off 4 overs. Including one maiden. And then Chris Ellison as he does, take 3/8 off 3.3, and we kept Sydenham to 40 all out in 13 overs. So that was quite a comprehensive win. Man of the match definitely was Jed McKerrow.

Our fourth game of the campaign was on a Saturday against OBC at Elmwood 2. We won the toss, opted to bat first on a very, very flat wicket with very short boundaries straight, and it proved to be a good decision, with Ben Davenport

exploding at the start, scoring 49 off 26 balls. He was supported by Sam Kearns with 18 off 16. Ben Rapson came in at 6, scoring 28 not out off 22 balls. And then Will Melhuish, batting 7, played probably one of the best T20 innings I've possibly ever seen, scored 66 not out off 30 balls, with some unbelievable shots, which ended up taking us up to 198/5 off our 20. We were 105/5 and then ended on 198/ thanks to Ben and Wills partnership. So, Ben and Will put on 93 for the sixth wicket, which ended up being unbelievable in the context of the game. So, then we went into bowl. We started off well. The pick of our bowlers was Laurie Atkinson who took 2/34. Ben Rapson took 2/45. Sam Kearns 1/29. OBC had one player batting 3 score 61 off 39 balls, and another player scoring 28 off 24, which was really threatening. They were looking on track to chase it down. But then the spell from Laurie Atkinson at a crucial part of the innings was what turned the game in our favour. He stepped up, took some crucial wickets, and we ended up holding on for the win. After their 20 overs, they were 174/8. So, we ended up getting the win by 24 runs, but it was a lot closer than what the scorecard suggests. But another win.

Our next match, which was the same day in the afternoon, had us travelling to Merivale Papanui, Edgar McIntosh Park, on a very hot day and on a very good wicket. Merivale won the toss and chose to bat. And they had a couple of guys score a couple of 20s, a 20, a 21, and a 25. A couple of smaller scores, 17 and

18. But they didn't really go about their innings in an aggressive fashion. They sort of just tried to build an innings as opposed to go at the bowling. We did have some good bowling, which again for them was hard to get away. Chris Ellison 1/19 off 4. Boston Fielding 1/21 off 4. But the standout with the ball was Ben Rapson, 3/13 off 3, which really halted their momentum. And they made 126/7 off their 20 overs. We went in and went about our chase, which was spearheaded by Om Alva, scoring 44 off 36 balls with 3 massive 6's. And then Will Melhuish again, continuing from his early form in the morning, scoring 28 not out off 20 balls, which allowed us to chase down their total, six down in the 17th over. So that was a very good win. Their bowlers never really troubled our batsmen. Some were expensive. Some really struggled to hit their areas, which Om and Will capitalized on. And it was an easy win in the end.

Our sixth match in the campaign was against Heathcote on Hagley 4, which ended up being quite a poor showing from us. Heathcote won the toss, chose to bat, and started off well with Caleb Donaldson opening the batting, scoring 58 off 55. He was the mainstay of their innings. There was one batsman who sort of contributed a wee bit. He scored 18. Was a little bit of a tough pitch to bat on, offered a lot to the spinners, and they ended up 120/8 off their 20 overs. The wickets were shared around. Ollie, 2, Rogan 2, Boston 1, Chris 1, Om 1. But no one was really expensive, and we kept them to 120, which we thought was

easy enough to chase. So, then we went into bat, and it never really got off the ground. Three players in double figures. Boston 11, Will 10, and Rogan Ross batting 9, top scored with 18. Their bowlers again bowled very well, a lot of spin, very hard to get away, and we struggled to be all out for 82 in 18 overs. Certainly, a game to forget. It was a very poor showing from us.

We then went into the last match of the round robin of the T20s, and that was versus Riccarton on Hagley 5. We won the toss, opted to bat first on what looked like a good pitch, but turned out not to be. Three players scoring in double figures. Paddy Cochran 12, Chris Ellison 11 not out. And the top scorer in our innings was Boston Fielding, scoring 23 off 29. We really struggled to get partnerships going. We struggled to get some consistency with the bat, and we really struggled to make 91 in the end, and we were all out in the last over. So, a really poor showing. Again, the wicket wasn't great, so we felt like we were in with a chance. None of their bowlers really stood out, they just shared some wickets around. But we thought with our bowling attack, we could win the game. But that turned out not to be the case. One of their openers scoring 23, he set the tone. We got a couple of quick wickets, but their 4 and 5 came in and scored 34 not out and 30 not out. Our bowling wasn't even poor, we just didn't score enough runs. Ollie took 3/19 off 4. Rogan 1/26 off 4. Boston 0/17 off 4. Chris, Ellison, 0/12 off 3. Om, 0/14 off 2. So, no one really expensive, but just

couldn't break that partnership that ended up being the reason why we lost quite convincingly.

So, we ended up fourth on the table after the seven round-robin games. We ended up having to travel to Halswell, being they finished top of the table, to play them in the semi-final. But that ended up becoming rain-affected, the block was wet and needed time to dry. So, we were delayed for about an hour or so, which meant the game went down to 12 overs each side. So, we ended up getting on. Halswell won the toss, elected to bowl, which worked out well for us because the pitch wasn't that bad. We ended up 99/3 after our 12 overs, which was anchored by Boston Fielding, scoring 32 not out off 26. And Will Melhuish again, he's been excellent in the T20s. He scored 49 off 34 at a strike rate of 144 with some big sixes and some crucial boundaries that pushed us up to 99, which we felt was a really good score. So, we were up and about for when we went out to bowl. And again, their main player, Hardeep Singh, he's the main wicket, he started off very well. But then we ended up getting him out for 23 off 15, so that was huge. A big wicket, which Chris Ellison again, he took, just exceptional bowling from him, really smart. We really tightened up on him and ended up getting him out at a crucial moment. And then we felt like we were in the driver's seat. And again, Gagan Kahlon, who scored 48 against us in the round-robin game, he scored 21 and looked like getting away from us until Rogan

Ross come on to bowl, he bowled really well and got that wicket. So outside of Hardeep and Gagan, everybody else got low scores. But the pick of the bowlers had to be Chris Ellison, 3/17 off 3. Really important spell of bowling from him. I thought he was good. Ollie was exceptional, 2 overs, 2/8. Rogan, 1/18 off 3. A really good bowling effort. We managed to bowl them out for 86 and win the semifinal and then move on to the final.

So, we moved on to the final versus Riccarton at Riccarton Domain. The pitch was very bowler-friendly, so I won the toss and opted to bowl first, which ended up being a very good decision because they never really got started and they struggled. They were 3/1, 25/2, 28/3, 34/4, 40/5, and 44/6 at one stage. So, we really had our foot on the throat. Some excellent bowling. Rogan Ross, he took 3/15 off 4. He opened the bowling with Ollie Mather. Ollie took 1/17. And then I brought myself on, and I took 1/16. We really tightened up, bowled very tight lines, bowled very, very full and they struggled to get us away. They had one Josh Suzana get 41. He really tried to up the rate until Charlie Croy ended up getting him out. Sam Doig for them got 27 not out and they really struggled overall. They batted their 20 overs, and they were 105/7. So, we felt like we could chase that down pretty easily. We have a long batting lineup. We've got a very good batting line up, even our bowlers can bat, so we felt like we were in control of the game. So, then I opened up with Tom Flavell, and Tom

really set the pace of our innings. He came out, he scored 48 off 35. I scored 29 off 34, just in support of Tom, because he was hitting anything in his zone. He was using the crease well, he was moving well, playing shots all around the park. And he really set the tone early. We didn't lose our first wicket, which was Tom, until we were on 71, and we were only chasing 105. So that really set the tone. And then I just stayed in, a couple came in and got a couple of low scores. Ben Rapson came in and got 13 not out off eight balls. And then I ended up getting out one run before victory. And we ended up chasing their score down four down and winning the match and the T20 competition. Player of the Match for the final was Boston Fielding. So overall, excellent campaign. I think it's hard to pick just one guy. We played well as a team, and then that showed across the whole competition by us winning.

One-Day Competition:

So, after that good T20 campaign, we moved on to the One-Dayers. And the first one-dayer was versus Burnside at Burnside 2, the last Saturday before Christmas. So, we were looking to finish the first half of the season off really strong with a good win there. But unfortunately, due to rain, the game didn't really progress very far. We batted for 30 overs. We were 127/5. And it rained quite heavily. The covers leaked, and the game eventually got called off. But in our innings, the standout for us opening the batting was Ben Rapson. He

was 56 not out off 80 balls. So, it was a shame that it rained, because he was batting well, never looked like going out, and I felt like he was on to score a century. But not to be, so that game was abandoned.

So, the first game back after Christmas was played on the Nursery versus Halswell. On a really good deck, Halswell won the toss and chose to bat. And they started off well, losing their first wicket at 43. Then they were 90/2, and they just really pressed on from there, just building partnerships. A few of their guys, three of them, got 30s. One of them got 21. And they made their way to 218 all out in the 49th over, with Rob McClean taking 3/36, and Laurie Atkinson bowling well, taking 2/37. We felt like on that pitch, 218 was below par, we felt that it was a 280, 290 wicket. So, we felt like we could chase that down no problems. And we started off poorly, we lost Paddy in the first over for 0. So, we were 1/0. But in came Toby Clemett, and he scored an outstanding 96 off 120 balls, and he was the anchor for the innings. He set the tone. They really struggled to bowl to him. Everything was coming out of the middle of his bat. And we felt like at 133/3, we had this game sewn up until I got out. And then unfortunately, we lost another couple of wickets. And then we ended up losing Toby at 172/6. But we still had a couple of guys left who could bring us home, Laurie Atkinson in particular, who's very good down in that 7-8 spot, to really solidify that lower order. Until he was given out LBW for 20,

and we never recovered. We ended up being bowled out in the 48th over for 197, and losing what was a very winnable game. So, we were quite down about that, because we felt like we should have won that.

And then we were due to play Sydenham the following week, and then OBC the week after that, but due to the amount of rain we had over that two-week period, both games were abandoned, and neither of them were played. So, no results in both of those.

So, the fifth round was versus Merivale-Papanui, and that was away at Edgar MacIntosh Park. It was quite a hot day and on a good-looking deck, I won the toss and chose to bat. But we didn't start off well. We lost Paddy, we lost Gus Quirk, and then we lost Harry Croy in the space of 12 runs. So, we were 12/3. And then Ben Rapson opening the batting, and myself batting 5, we put on a 68-run partnership until Ben got out LBW for 46. He batted really, really well. We sort of took our time, just trying to rebuild, so there were a few overs that were maidens and twos and ones and so forth until we got ourselves in. And then I stayed in and anchored the innings, and everyone batted around me. So going from 12/3, we got up to 80/4. But then we lost two quick wickets. We lost Will and Laurie for not many. So, we were 88/6, and we were really struggling until Charlie Croy came in. Then he and I put on 107 for the seventh wicket, with Charlie getting 33. He was absolutely excellent in supporting me and we

pulled ourselves out of the mess. And then Om Alva came in and he hit 21 not out off 6 balls. And we managed to make our way up to 202 when I got out for 93. We felt, from the position we were in, to where we ended up after the 50 overs, on 222, we thought it was a good recovery. I felt it was a bit short in runs but we could defend it. The pick of their bowlers was Harsh Visavadya. He took 4/22 off 10. He bowled really, really well. And we sort of felt like we could bowl well and win this game, because we have a good bowling attack. So, we moved on to the Merivale innings, and they started off well building partnerships. And I think that's what sort of set them apart from us, because they were 31/1, then 47/2, then 52/3, then 118/4, then 189/5 and 193/6 chasing. But we felt we were in the game the whole way. And as it got closer to the end, we still felt like if we could get their main batsmen out, which was their captain Harry Meehan, we could snatch the game. But unfortunately, we couldn't. And he made an excellent 85 not out. And they managed to win in the very last over with two balls to spare. So that was another one that got away from us that we let get away from us. A couple of important catches and a couple of overs where we sort of lost the game. I took 3/34 myself. Om Alva bowled excellent. He came on and had figures of 1/27 off 10. But that spell was crucial because it sort of kept us in the game. Had he gone for more, we would have lost a lot earlier. But again, relying on others to do the work for you is not going to get you wins. And unfortunately,

we lost again. And with the two washed-out days, the loss to Halswell, and the abandoned game against Burnside before Christmas, we hadn't won a game, and we couldn't make the semifinals from there. So not a great result.

The sixth game of the one-day campaign, which proved to be the second to last for us, was against Heathcote at the Nursery ground. On a very good pitch, we won the toss and chose to bat first. And we didn't take our opportunity to start well. We were 25/1, then we were 25/2, and then we were 28/3. So, not a great start. But Toby Clemett, batting 4, he anchored us there at the start. He ended up getting 46 off 60, which was huge in the context of the innings, because then Will Melhuish came in, and he batted well, and he ended up making 40. So, going from 28/3, we ended up being 159/6 when Will ended up going out. So, we recovered well. But then after Toby went, that brought Paddy Cochran in, and he, at 7, ended up getting 68 not out off 72 balls. So, he anchored the tail end of that innings, and we ended up getting ourselves to 238/9 off our 50. So, we were pleased with that considering we were 28/3. But we knew we had some work to do because Heathcote have a good batting lineup, which ended up showing through because they ended up chasing down our 238 in the 45th over, and were only 4 down. So, it was a very one-sided affair. Rob McClean took all 4 wickets. He took 4/35 off 10. And again, bowlers were a bit expensive. We

could never really break through.

Charles Gray and John Garry opened the batting, and they were 43/1 when Charles Gray went out. He got 25. And then when John Garry went out, they were 133/2. So, we were up against it straight away. Will Hocquard got 74 not out in the end batting 3, Jack O'Rourke came in and got 27, so he was out when the score was at 193. And then we got a wicket straight away, a first baller, so thought we could snatch an unlikely victory! But then another guy came in, he ended up getting 33 not out and they ended up chasing our score down quite easily. So, the one-day campaign, again, more misery. We couldn't no matter what we did, get wickets. We had John Garry out LBW in the first over, but he was given not out by his son. And that really changed the innings. Not that that's the reason we lost, but he ended up with 73. And we couldn't really recover from that and lost quite convincingly in the end. So, another poor result.

So that brings us to the last One-Dayer of the campaign, which was against Riccarton at the Nursery. We had quite a few changes for that game, so not the normal team. We had quite a few fill-in players. But we ended up winning the toss and choosing to bowl, which going by the scorecard was a poor decision, because Riccarton ended up with 259 off their 50 overs. So, a stark contrast from the Two-Day game against them and the T20 final. They had one of their openers, James Hoskin, get 73. Couple of guys in the middle, Ben Piesocki 25,

Isaac Bazley, 36. Jack Fitzgerald 48 not out off 45 balls. Some of our bowlers were a bit expensive, but Om Alva was the highest wicket-taker, taking 3/38. Ollie Mather, 2/40. And from speaking to the lads, it was quite a good wicket, which brings us to our innings, chasing, and it didn't go to plan. We were bowled out in the end for 189. So, a 70-run loss. But the bright sparks at the top of the order were both Om Alva and Ben Rapson. Om scoring 34, Ben scoring 54. And then Will Melhuish in the middle, batting 5, he scored 33. But outside of him, no one else really contributed much. An opening stand of 77, and then being 97/2 was a good start, but then 97/3 straight away hurts you. And then in the space of 59 runs, losing six wickets will cost you any game normally. You're not going to win games like that. So, the last game, a comprehensive loss again, which meant the St. Albans Sabres didn't win one game in the One-Dayers after playing so well in the Two-Dayers and the T20's. But again, hard to be consistent with a lot of changes, a few guys away, a few players going up to play Premis, etc. So, another tough loss and a very poor one-day campaign.

Season Summary:

So, in summary, had a really good start to the season. The Two-Dayers were definitely our format. We just played really, really well throughout that whole first month. And then we moved into the T20s where, again, we played really, really well. We had four wins from five.

And then losing the last two round-robin games of the T20s, stung a little bit. But we still made semifinals and managed to win the semifinal and the final. So, the T20s were certainly a highlight, being, we won it. The Two-Dayers had, we not forfeited against Burnside, I felt we could have won that. We were excellent in that as well! The One-Day campaign is one to forget. Certainly, something that we're not going to dwell on, but certainly room for improvement for the upcoming season. So really proud of the guys, especially the ones who committed every week. And proud of the guys who came in when they were called upon and did their part for the team. And then in terms of standouts for me, Ollie Mather was the player of the year with his bowling. He really set the tone all season. Chris Ellison, another one of the bowlers that really stepped up. So, they were the two bowlers that are my pick. We lost Rogan halfway through the season as he moved up to Auckland. I felt had we kept him longer, we certainly would have done well in the One-Dayers and won the entire grade. The batsmen, I thought Paddy Cochran come a long way from previous seasons. I think the responsibility of him opening the batting, which he wanted to do, really helped him. So, I'm hoping he can continue that next season. Toby Clemett, he played a few premier cricket games as well as playing champs. So, he was probably the pick of the batsmen. Will Melhuish was there as well with a few key performances. A few outstanding individual performances. Sam Kearns with the ball

against Halswell, his 11 wickets for the match. Toby 96 against Halswell. Boston 93 against Merivale. Multiple performances from Ollie and Chris with the ball. A good season overall considering what we had and how the season unfolded. But finishing third overall. Third in the two-dayers. Winning the T20s and second to last in the One-Dayers was how the season unfolded and overall a good season. So hopefully for season 2026-27, we can look at winning all three formats because we're certainly talented enough to do so.

Boston Fielding

Division 2 Buccaneers

Played 19, Won 9, Lost 10

Team Player of the Season: Owen Rees

Team report to come.

Division 2 Superkings

Played 18, Won 9, Lost 9, Drew 1

Team Player of the Season: Devesh Thakur

Team report to come.

Masters BBBBs

Played 15, Won 9, Lost 6

Team Player of the Season: Murray Griffin

It was a disjointed 2025/26 season for the Moon Under Water BBBBs Masters team. A combination of weather

cancellations, holiday weekends and two byes made it difficult to build any momentum. We were poised mid-table in the New Year but just missed the top six in our 13-team competition on net run rate and were consigned to Division 2. After losing the first game, we finally got into gear and won the last five matches of the season to finish top of the table.

Team awards

Player of the Year. Murray Griffin (Muzza) had an outstanding season and was the clear choice for the overall award. He ignored all the aches and pains to play every game, often opening the batting and the bowling. He was our leading run scorer with 473 runs, including four half-centuries, and chipped in with several valuable spells including 10 wickets.

Batting. Brad Hill (Mantis) had another strong season with the bat, adding solidity at number four and topping the batting averages, including an unbeaten 114 - our only century of the season. After two previous consecutive seasons as Player of the Year he had to watch father figure and fellow left-handed all-rounder Muzza take the top accolade.

Bowling. Scott Mason (Potty) took another massive haul of 32 wickets, including four five-wicket bags and best figures of 7-6. For perspective, the next highest wicket tally was Eagle with 16.

All-rounder. Craig Gibb (Gibby), our NZ Over-60s World Cup winning captain,

had another productive club season. He had the second highest aggregate of runs, with a highest score of 96 not out, and came on to bowl at crucial times to slow the opposition scoring rate when required.

Carthorse Award. New recruit Lance Truman took a strong grasp on this award early in the season and refused to yield. As the only member of the squad under 40, expectations were high, but Lance demonstrated that he had all the physical attributes required to fit seamlessly into Masters cricket as injuries restricted him to four appearances for the season. A sigh of relief could be heard from many other teammates when this award was announced.

Harbour Bridge. Overall fielding standards continue to fluctuate between barely competent to deeply concerning. This season's Harbour Bridge award goes to Aman Singh. He displayed considerable enthusiasm, chasing everything in the field as fast as he could, and he effected an outstanding run-out along with a memorable celebration. However, there was regular concern for his safety whenever the ball went in his direction, including each time it was lobbed to him on its return to the bowler.

Most Ducks. After a one-year interruption, normal service has resumed. James Alabaster (Jimmy) reclaimed the large rubber duck, an award he has now won a remarkable four times in five years.

Mr Grumpy. There was strong competition, as there should be in any cricket side containing this many elderly men, but this year's award went to Brad Smith (Eagle). Vice-captaincy duties during the season may have contributed to an increased appreciation of just how irritating his teammates can be. Whatever the cause, Eagle displayed the consistency required to take the title.

Moon Ball. The opportunity for a new award presented itself this season, named partly in acknowledgement of our sponsor, and awarded to the bowler who suffered the most at the hands of an opposition batter. For posterity it is important that the origin of this award is clearly documented.

A mix-up between gear manager Daygo and the captain resulted in two new balls making their way onto the field at the start of an innings. The spare was eventually handed to our only sideline supporter that day, who was asked to put it safely on the sideline. To save embarrassment that former club bar manager will remain anonymous, but he interpreted this instruction by placing the ball on ice in the chilly bin. The ball was recovered for the following week's game and given to Muzza for the first delivery of the innings. It was slightly short of a length, and the Sumner opener leant back and smashed it over a large shelter belt, across the road, over another line of trees and into a neighbouring paddock. After an extensive search it was assumed lost

forever. Fortunately, keeper Azza resumed the search after the game and somehow found it. The famous ball, having spent one Saturday refrigerated and the next in orbit, has now been mounted as a permanent trophy. Inaugural Moon Ball Award - Muzza.

Cox's Cockup. There was only one serious contender this year. Eagle arrived at Ohoka as captain for the day, won the toss and chose to bowl. Preparing to lead from the front and open the attack, he began putting on his gear and discovered that he had brought only one boot. This presented a tactical problem not covered in most captaincy manuals. Eagle was forced to drive home for the missing item and did not return until approximately halfway through the opposition innings, leaving the team to implement his carefully prepared bowling plans without the captain and opening bowler. It was a commanding piece of leadership and a worthy addition to the long history of this award.

BBBB's "Best Bloke Beyond the Boundary" Award. Muzza as one of the constants throughout a disrupted season. In addition to making himself available every week, he was always first to volunteer with the chilly bin, scoreboard or any of the other complex logistical requirements involved in getting a Masters cricket side onto the field. He was also our only representative on the club's committee, who have been tasked with guiding the club through a difficult transition. A big

thank you to Muzza and the committee for enabling us to keep playing the game we love!

Mark Hampton

Cavaliers Chin Swingers

Played 19, Won 12, Lost 6, Tied 1

Team Player of the Season: Phil Sing

The organising of this season was a bit grim. The confirmed number of full-time players was probably at an all-time low, with only Andrew Brown, Peter Fernando, Matt Kyle, Sam Price, Phil Sing and Eddy Woodham signing up for that commitment. The side did have seven half season players as well as a handful of fill ins that would only be available for one or two games to draw from to make up the team on any given Saturday afternoon.

After being defaulted to first up we had an early derby match with the Fozzie's at the Polo Grounds on the pitch with possibly the smallest boundaries on the park. Our matches are generally high scoring affairs around 160-170, but this one was higher again with both teams scoring over 200 runs apiece. We batted first and post 219/6 with Andrew (45*), Matt (46) setting up the innings but the talk of the day was new addition Vaughan Robinson's 45 off just 13 balls. The Fozzie's took us close as the with some great top order batting and required 6 off the final ball of the match to draw the game. Fortunately for us Eddy bowled an absolute peach to take the final wicket with the Fozzie's

finishing all out for 213 on the final ball of the game. It was also the first and only time of the season using the live scoring as many of the other teams in the grade just couldn't be bothered.

What followed this good start to the season was five losses, two wins and two cancellations to round out the first half of the season heading into the Christmas break. The first aid kit also made three appearances in this time as injuries mounted both for us and the opposition. Some of the losses were a poor display from us and others were narrow defeats which could have been avoided if we had played with a full team. One game in particular was disappointing as we started the game with eight players then, while keeping to Peter, Grant Hambly broke and dislocated his finger, in what was the most gruesome injury the team has seen during its history, leaving us with seven to finish the game. Even so, we fell just 25 runs short chasing 199 for victory.

After the break we scored our largest win of the season (by 171 runs), posting 239/4 against East Side Cricket Collective then bowling them out for 68, and posted our highest total of the season 260/2 against Halswell.

At the end of January, the competition was split into two sections and unfortunately, we just missed out making section 1 due to some ill-timed cancelled weekends, but we were confident that we would have a good shout of taking out section 2. First up we

had a Wednesday night game against East Shirly Punjabi Kings which we recorded a rare draw. Batting second, we needed two off the final ball for the win but after some great running between the wickets, Nathan Sidwell was just short of his crease on the second run.

We went through the rest of the rounds undefeated and ultimately faced the Punjabi Kings in the section final. Even though it was a final we struggled to get a full side and only managed to find the three players that we needed the morning of the game. As with our first meeting the Punjabi Kings batted first and came out swinging. On the small boundaries of Polo Grounds 4A any loose delivery was put away and even though wickets were falling regularly, the score was going up at double digits an over. We bowled them out in the 19th over for 199 and given how we had batted in the second half of the season, we were confident that we could give ourselves a shot at victory. Our run chase got off to a terrible start, losing our top four for a total of 16 runs inside the first three overs, a top four whose combined average this season was 218. After that it was a bit of damage control to make the score look respectable and, for the remaining batters, going out and having a bit of fun. One of our fill-ins did that and scored 58 before he was the final wicket to fall in the 14th over and our chase concluded at 119 all out.

This is the final time I will be writing this season review, as I am handing over the

captaincy of the Chin Swingers to someone else and will taking fill in role for the foreseeable future. It has been a privilege to have captained the team over the past eight seasons and be there for our two title winning seasons. Finding a side each week has not been the easiest over the last couple of seasons as people's lives get busy and their priorities change but I hope that the team will continue on, be competitive and ultimately have fun.

Congratulations to Andrew Brown for winning the St Albans Cricket Club Player of the Year. It is no mean feat winning this award given the rules of our grade limit the potential for big individual scores and wicket taking opportunities. You have done yourself, your family and your team-mates proud by producing this kind of season and the recognition is well deserved.

Finally, thank you to our friends and family that come and support us or make it possible for us to spend the afternoon playing cricket with our mates. We appreciate everything that you do for us.

Andrew Brown: Lifted his game to another level this season with both the bat and ball scoring a team high 626 runs @ 104 and taking 29 wickets @ 14.6 which also led the team.

Peter Fernando: In any other year Peter would have had a team leading season with both bat and ball. Peter scored 490 runs @ 44.5 including a new high score for the Chin Swingers of 85* (which will

be hard to beat) and took 20 wickets @ 20.6. Hopefully the next time Peter has this kind of season he is not overshadowed by Andrew!

Matt Kyle: Matt had a quieter season with the bat and ball than we are used to but was able to contribute when it mattered and ended up taking the gloves a fair few times when we were without one of "specialist" keepers.

Phil Sing: Phil went from strength to strength this season, scoring his maiden 40* about mid-season then adding a second for good measure. Phil also took 17 wickets @ 25.9 for the season, including three in the final where following the last wicket he kicked over the stumps. Phil was our player of the year for his passion and production.

Tom Wilson: Tom played the most games (12) for the Chin Swingers this season than any season before it. He opened the batting and scored 297 runs @ 37.1 and towards the end of the season turned back the clock to don the gloves taking some spectacular grabs behind the stumps.

Eddy Woodham: Eddy had another solid year with bat and ball coming up clutch when the game was on the line on multiple occasions. Eddy scored 188 runs @ 47 and took 12 wickets @ 17.6.

Thanks to the part timers and fill ins for contributing when called on

Sam Price



Cavaliers Fozzies – Section 1 Winners (fourth trophy in six seasons)

Cavaliers Fozzies

Played 18, Won 16, Lost 2

Section 1 Competition Winners

Team Player of the Season: Louis Bertie

Team report to come.

Cavaliers Scorpions

Played 18, Won 7, Lost 11

Team Player of the Season: Matt Coxon

Team report to come.

Cavaliers 67ers

Played 19, Won 17, Lost 2

Section Black Competition Winners

Team Player of the Season: Harry Greenwood

One big night out and a drunken message to a St Albans veteran led to quite an unexpected yet enjoyable first season for the lads. The 2025/26

summer was the first for the 67ers, and what a journey it was.

The artificial pitches at the polo grounds combined with the short boundaries ended up playing to the boys' favour, going undefeated for a record 161 days. The team succeeded largely off the bat with incredible intent, tending to favour the chase – though no stranger to batting first with several 200+ scores put on the board.

As a team that mainly derives from Christ's College alumni, our match-up against the Sticky Wickets (St Andrews Alumni of the same age) drew attention, with a record high 8 supporters in attendance. This match-up was fiercely discussed before the game had even begun. Sticky Wickets lost the toss and were sent into bat (great decision skip). Out strides a prems regular, who was available for some reason, but that did put fear in opening bowler Will Gooch's eyes. Will charged in and took the perfect fast bowlers' wicket, top of off. Will finished the innings with 3/7 (two

wides in here btw, needs to tighten up the line) but the job was not done. Chasing 151 there were scattered contributions across the board, and it came down to the last over. With the 67ers needing 6 off the last 5, Sam Belcher did what every number 7 bat is expected to do, rocked back and blasted the final ball over cover-point for 6 (note that this was his only 6 of the season).

Batting and bowling contributions changed from week-to-week, with the captain Josh Erasmus being firm on a “sharing is caring” vibe. Will Gooch and Tom Clarke were the steady pairing with either ball or bat and as vice-captains provided excellent in-game analysis to the skipper – “f*** mate, come on, seriously there is no world where he should be getting another over”. The brothers Jack and Sam Belcher were regular contributors on both ends as well as in the field. Caleb Manson and Shyam Hari regularly contributed to runs with some excellent stroke play—maybe not so much Shyam’s ‘innovative’ shot selection. Jake Cummings took wickets on a regular basis and Zach Landon-Lane always

surprised with consistent wickets from his “right-arm help yourself”, also providing the best run-out of the season. Liam Alexander leads the charge with an impressive beer-per-over rate and patrolled cow corner waiting to unleash the bullet right arm. Harry Greenwood was awarded MVP for his impressive 321 runs, 14 wickets and incredibly marginal chat.

The season had unfortunately been derailed due to a forfeiture (Electric Avenue), and a tough loss against the Chin Swingers meant that the 67ers had not made the minor final. However, all was not lost, a surprise visit from Duane Pettet in this final game brought good news. The St Albans 67ers were the major competition champions winning the Cavaliers Section Black T20 grade having gone convincingly undefeated.

What turned from a drunken message into a debut season, a victorious one as such. Here’s to more runs, wickets, dropped catches and beers in the 2026/27 season.

Joshua Erasmus



Team Averages

Men's Morning Grades

Premiership 2D Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Alex Brown	7	11	0	56	157	14.27	-	2	4	-
Ethan Burns	4	5	1	33	78	19.50	-	-	2	-
Ed Cochran	6	11	2	45	141	15.67	-	-	3	-
Ben Davenport	3	5	0	20	49	9.80	-	-	3	-
Jack Dry	7	9	2	32	51	7.29	-	-	2	-
Chris Ellison	3	5	3	36	75	37.50	-	-	-	-
Boston Fielding	1	2	0	17	17	8.50	-	-	-	-
Thomas Flavell	5	7	0	23	108	15.43	-	-	6	1
Lachie Harper	6	9	0	70	208	23.11	-	2	4	-
Sam Kearns	3	4	0	23	38	9.50	-	-	3	-
Robert McClean	3	4	3	6*	7	7.00	-	-	-	-
Jed McKerrow	3	1	1	4*	4	-	-	-	1	-
Will Melhuish	3	5	1	57*	164	41.00	-	1	4	-
Gaurav Navalkar	5	8	0	41	128	16.00	-	-	1	-
Matthias Paltridge	7	13	2	82	311	28.27	-	1	4	-
Ben Rapson	3	4	2	42	60	30.00	-	-	-	-
Ian Souness	6	8	0	42	159	19.88	-	-	5	-
Connor Stewart	4	6	1	77*	198	39.60	-	2	7	2
Nick Tapper	3	5	0	9	10	2.00	-	-	2	-

Premiership 2D Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Alex Brown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethan Burns	36	7	149	6	24.83	2-58	-	-	36.0	4.14
Ed Cochran	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Davenport	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jack Dry	87	14	374	19	19.68	5-25	-	1	27.5	4.30
Chris Ellison	60.2	11	218	7	31.14	4-44	1	-	51.7	3.61
Boston Fielding	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thomas Flavell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lachie Harper	36	6	115	6	19.17	2-19	-	-	36.0	3.19
Sam Kearns	20.1	4	60	4	15.00	4-12	1	-	30.3	2.98
Robert McClean	35	7	139	10	13.90	4-57	1	-	21.0	3.97
Jed McKerrow	17	2	70	3	23.33	2-26	-	-	34.0	4.12
Will Melhuish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gaurav Navalkar	15	1	87	1	87.00	1-19	-	-	90.0	5.80
Matthias Paltridge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Rapson	13	0	75	1	75.00	1-43	-	-	78.0	5.77
Ian Souness	128.2	33	384	26	14.77	5-12	1	1	29.6	2.99
Connor Stewart	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Nick Tapper	35	11	105	5	21.00	3-56	-	-	42.0	3.00
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Premiership 1D Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Alex Brown	6	6	1	98*	195	39.00	-	1	3	-
Ethan Burns	3	3	2	7*	18	18.00	-	-	1	-
Toby Clemett	2	2	0	4	4	2.00	-	-	1	-
Ed Cochran	3	2	0	13	13	6.50	-	-	2	-
Jack Dry	6	5	2	32	52	17.33	-	-	6	-
Chris Ellison	4	3	2	15*	29	29.00	-	-	1	-
Boston Fielding	2	2	0	28	32	16.00	-	-	1	-
Thomas Flavell	6	6	0	87	280	46.67	-	1	7	-
Lachie Harper	1	1	0	55	55	55.00	-	1	-	-
Sam Kearns	5	5	2	93*	116	38.67	-	1	2	-
Robert McClean	3	1	1	14*	14	-	-	-	-	-
Jed McKerrow	1	1	1	8*	8	-	-	-	-	-
Will Melhuish	1	1	0	15	15	15.00	-	-	1	-
Gaurav Navalkar	3	3	0	44	66	22.00	-	-	1	-
Harry O'Loughlin	3	3	0	25	40	13.33	-	-	-	-
Matthias Paltridge	6	6	0	141	354	59.00	1	2	7	-
Rogan Ross	1	1	0	2	2	2.00	-	-	-	-
Ian Souness	5	5	1	15	33	8.25	-	-	2	-
Nick Tapper	4	4	0	66	98	24.50	-	1	-	-
Hanroux Wessels	1	1	0	13	13	13.00	-	-	-	-

Premiership 1D Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Alex Brown	1	0	9	0	-	-	-	-	-	9.00
Ethan Burns	22.1	1	109	7	15.57	4-32	1	-	19.0	4.92
Toby Clemett	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ed Cochran	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jack Dry	40.4	2	222	7	31.71	2-29	-	-	34.9	5.46
Chris Ellison	39	1	144	6	24.00	2-30	-	-	39.0	3.69
Boston Fielding	5.4	0	17	1	17.00	1-17	-	-	34.0	3.00
Thomas Flavell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lachie Harper	9	0	50	3	16.67	3-50	-	-	18.0	5.56
Sam Kearns	28.1	0	156	3	52.00	2-54	-	-	56.3	5.54
Robert McClean	14.4	2	68	3	22.67	2-2	-	-	29.3	4.64
Jed McKerrow	5	1	18	1	18.00	1-18	-	-	30.0	3.60
Will Melhuish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gaurav Navalkar	19	0	90	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.74
Harry O'Loughlin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Matthias Paltridge	1.1	0	7	1	7.00	1-7	-	-	7.0	6.00
Rogan Ross	3	1	14	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.67
Ian Souness	46.5	7	154	12	12.83	5-22	-	1	23.4	3.29
Nick Tapper	29	2	109	5	21.80	3-23	-	-	34.8	3.76
Hanroux Wessels	1	0	9	0	-	-	-	-	-	9.00

Premiership T20 Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Alex Brown	7	7	1	12*	33	5.50	-	-	2	-
Toby Clemett	5	4	1	19	24	8.00	-	-	1	1
Ed Cochran	7	7	0	44	118	16.86	-	-	1	-
Ben Davenport	4	2	0	29	33	16.50	-	-	1	-
Jack Dry	7	2	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	1	-
Chris Ellison	2	1	1	6*	6	-	-	-	-	-
Thomas Flavell	5	4	1	22*	64	21.33	-	-	3	1
Lachie Harper	7	7	2	121*	353	70.60	2	1	3	-
Sam Kearns	6	4	1	20*	29	9.67	-	-	1	-
Robert McClean	5	1	1	2*	2	-	-	-	1	-
Jed McKerrow	6	2	1	1*	1	1.00	-	-	1	-
Matthias Paltridge	7	7	1	49*	152	25.33	-	-	2	-
Ben Rapson	1	1	0	21	21	21.00	-	-	-	-
Ian Souness	7	6	2	36*	46	11.50	-	-	1	-
Connor Stewart	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Premiership T20 Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Alex Brown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toby Clemett	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ed Cochran	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Davenport	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jack Dry	26	0	224	9	24.89	3-22	-	-	17.3	8.62
Chris Ellison	3	0	27	0	-	-	-	-	-	9.00
Thomas Flavell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lachie Harper	20.4	0	186	9	20.67	3-25	-	-	13.8	9.00
Sam Kearns	14	0	99	1	99.00	1-30	-	-	84.0	7.07
Robert McClean	17	0	127	4	31.75	2-24	-	-	25.5	7.47
Jed McKerrow	18	0	169	3	56.33	2-23	-	-	36.0	9.39
Matthias Paltridge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Rapson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ian Souness	27.3	0	162	9	18.00	3-20	-	-	18.3	5.89
Connor Stewart	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Champ SABRES Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Om Alva	16	19	2	44	280	16.47	-	-	7	-
Laurie Atkinson	9	8	1	20	71	10.14	-	-	3	-
James Church	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	-	-	-	-
Toby Clemett	11	14	1	96	308	23.69	-	2	4	-
Paddy Cochran	21	22	3	68*	314	16.53	-	2	11	5
Charlie Croy	10	7	2	43*	91	18.20	-	-	-	-
Harry Croy	8	6	1	19	51	10.20	-	-	1	-
Ben Davenport	8	9	0	49	160	17.78	-	-	4	-
Gus Eglinton	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chris Ellison	11	8	3	11*	55	11.00	-	-	3	-
Boston Fielding	19	21	2	93	411	21.63	-	2	5	-
Thomas Flavell	7	8	0	74	206	25.75	-	1	5	-

Solomon Harcombe	2	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	2	-
Robert Horner	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Leo Johnston	2	2	1	1*	1	1.00	-	-	-	-
Sam Kearns	5	7	0	33	114	16.29	-	-	5	-
Ollie Mather	18	13	4	7	34	3.78	-	-	5	-
Robert McClean	10	10	4	29	80	13.33	-	-	1	-
Thomas McClean	2	3	1	44*	58	29.00	-	-	1	-
James McKegg	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	1	-
Alex McKenzie-Rimmer	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	-	-	-	-
Jed McKerrow	4	4	2	9*	16	8.00	-	-	-	-
Will Melhuish	15	16	2	66*	292	20.86	-	1	2	-
Jethro Moran	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taine Morgan	2	2	1	4	5	5.00	-	-	-	-
Zane Phillips	1	1	0	13	13	13.00	-	-	-	-
Gus Quirk	2	2	0	17	17	8.50	-	-	1	-
Hugh Quirk	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Ben Rapson	16	16	3	56*	437	33.62	-	2	8	-
Owen Rees	3	3	0	23	36	12.00	-	-	2	-
George Roberts-Hubers	9	3	0	1	1	0.33	-	-	4	-
Rogan Ross	10	6	2	19*	48	12.00	-	-	4	-
Oshadha Samarakoon	8	7	1	15	31	5.17	-	-	1	-
William Southby	1	1	0	63	63	63.00	-	1	1	-
Oscar Taylor	2	2	1	9	9	9.00	-	-	-	-
Max Topham	1	1	1	3*	3	-	-	-	-	-
Hanroux Wessels	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	-	-	1	-

Champ SABRES Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Om Alva	21	1	89	5	17.80	3-38	-	-	25.2	4.24
Laurie Atkinson	18	0	124	4	31.00	2-34	-	-	27.0	6.89
James Church	16.5	3	34	3	11.33	2-18	-	-	33.7	2.02
Toby Clemett	1	0	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.00
Paddy Cochran	5.3	0	33	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.00
Charlie Croy	49	4	226	12	18.83	5-19	-	1	24.5	4.61
Harry Croy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Davenport	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gus Eglinton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chris Ellison	85.2	10	328	19	17.26	4-10	2	-	26.9	3.84
Boston Fielding	78	12	313	17	18.41	3-34	-	-	27.5	4.01
Thomas Flavell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Harcombe	20	2	61	5	12.20	4-25	1	-	24.0	3.05
Robert Horner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leo Johnston	13	1	60	2	30.00	1-21	-	-	39.0	4.62
Sam Kearns	66.1	10	210	22	9.55	7-40	1	1	18.0	3.17
Ollie Mather	153.4	27	556	41	13.56	4-19	1	-	22.5	3.62
Robert McClean	106.4	17	377	24	15.71	6-31	1	1	26.7	3.53
Thomas McClean	15	5	23	2	11.50	1-9	-	-	45.0	1.53
James McKegg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Alex McKenzie-Rimmer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jed McKerrow	26.5	4	135	5	27.00	4-3	1	-	32.2	5.03
Will Melhuish	1	0	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.00
Jethro Moran	3	0	18	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.00
Taine Morgan	5	1	18	1	18.00	1-5	-	-	30.0	3.60
Zane Phillips	7	1	25	1	25.00	1-25	-	-	42.0	3.57
Gus Quirk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hugh Quirk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ben Rapson	59.3	3	293	17	17.24	3-13	-	-	21.0	4.92
Owen Rees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
George Roberts-Hubers	13	1	90	3	30.00	2-23	-	-	26.0	6.92
Rogan Ross	50	12	215	15	14.33	4-22	1	-	20.0	4.30
Oshadha Samarakoon	0.1	0	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	24.00
William Southby	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oscar Taylor	4	1	29	1	29.00	1-29	-	-	24.0	7.25
Max Topham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hanroux Wessels	6	1	31	1	31.00	1-31	-	-	36.0	5.17

Div 2 BUCCS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Om Alva	1	1	1	64*	64	-	-	1	1	-
Elliot Anderson-Evans	9	3	1	39	78	39.00	-	-	2	-
David Armit	6	3	1	35	60	30.00	-	-	1	-
Laurie Atkinson	6	3	1	64*	84	42.00	-	1	-	-
James Church	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alex Cooper	7	1	0	9	9	9.00	-	-	-	-
Harry Croy	1	1	0	57	57	57.00	-	1	-	-
Rob Culling	2	1	1	10*	10	-	-	-	1	-
Gus Eglinton	3	3	1	25	64	32.00	-	-	-	-
Connor Falloon	1	1	1	2*	2	-	-	-	1	-
Jono Hamilton	14	14	5	36*	162	18.00	-	-	6	-
Blake Hansen	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Jonathan Hanson	2	3	1	8	13	6.50	-	-	2	-
Solomon Harcombe	3	1	0	1	1	1.00	-	-	-	-
Robert Horner	11	9	3	34*	130	21.67	-	-	7	2
Leo Johnston	3	2	0	11	11	5.50	-	-	1	-
Abraham MacDougall	4	2	0	4	4	2.00	-	-	-	-
Jacob MacDougall	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	1	-
James McKegg	15	10	1	60	209	23.22	-	2	12	-
Alex McKenzie-Rimmer	9	9	0	24	66	7.33	-	-	-	-
Tim Mills	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Jethro Moran	8	4	2	7*	18	9.00	-	-	1	-
Taine Morgan	3	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Duane Pettet	14	10	4	45*	110	18.33	-	-	3	-
Zane Phillips	14	8	0	46	67	8.38	-	-	4	-
Gus Quirk	1	1	1	105*	105	-	1	-	-	-
Hugh Quirk	5	2	0	8	16	8.00	-	-	1	-
Owen Rees	13	13	3	75	361	36.10	-	2	6	-

George Roberts-Hubers	8	3	2	14*	15	15.00	-	-	2	-
Rogan Ross	1	1	0	22	22	22.00	-	-	-	-
Will Russell	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oshadha Samarakoon	4	4	0	25	47	11.75	-	-	3	-
Liam Webster	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Div 2 BUCCS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Om Alva	7	1	33	1	33.00	1-33	-	-	42.0	4.71
Elliot Anderson-Evans	20	0	79	6	13.17	3-21	-	-	20.0	3.95
David Armit	25.5	7	57	16	3.56	6-12	1	1	9.7	2.21
Laurie Atkinson	7	5	7	1	7.00	1-7	-	-	42.0	1.00
James Church	5	0	22	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.40
Alex Cooper	28	4	150	10	15.00	4-3	1	-	16.8	5.36
Harry Croy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rob Culling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gus Eglinton	3	0	23	0	-	-	-	-	-	7.67
Connor Falloon	2	0	15	0	-	-	-	-	-	7.50
Jono Hamilton	23	0	129	4	32.25	2-44	-	-	34.5	5.61
Blake Hansen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jonathan Hanson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Harcombe	16.2	0	62	10	6.20	6-18	-	1	9.8	3.80
Robert Horner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leo Johnston	26.3	3	91	4	22.75	2-44	-	-	39.8	3.43
Abraham MacDougall	2	0	30	0	-	-	-	-	-	15.00
Jacob MacDougall	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
James McKegg	65.3	8	245	21	11.67	3-5	-	-	18.7	3.74
Alex McKenzie-Rimmer	5	0	34	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.80
Tim Mills	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jethro Moran	40.5	5	200	13	15.38	3-22	-	-	18.8	4.90
Taine Morgan	14	1	51	3	17.00	2-6	-	-	28.0	3.64
Duane Pettet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zane Phillips	118	24	365	33	11.06	6-15	1	2	21.5	3.09
Gus Quirk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hugh Quirk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Owen Rees	6	1	19	1	19.00	1-9	-	-	36.0	3.17
George Roberts-Hubers	40	1	185	10	18.50	2-16	-	-	24.0	4.63
Rogan Ross	6	1	16	2	8.00	2-16	-	-	18.0	2.67
Will Russell	2	0	18	0	-	-	-	-	-	9.00
Oshadha Samarakoon	24.5	2	124	6	20.67	3-23	-	-	24.8	4.99
Liam Webster	8	1	22	0	-	-	-	-	-	2.75

Div 2 SUPERKINGS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Kamal Atwal	15	13	1	67	249	20.75	-	1	3	-
Shubham Bhardwaj	14	13	0	50	167	12.85	-	1	3	-
Gagan Bhaskar	13	10	4	14*	57	9.50	-	-	5	-
Davinder Gill	4	6	0	69	96	16.00	-	1	1	1
Amrit Singh	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-

Gurpej Singh	13	10	8	6	21	10.50	-	-	-	-
Gursharan Singh	15	15	2	13	62	4.77	-	-	1	-
Harpinder Singh	16	18	3	74	332	22.13	-	2	11	-
Karanbir Singh	16	18	2	95	469	29.31	-	3	7	-
Kulwinder Singh	11	7	0	41	112	16.00	-	-	3	-
Prabh Singh	1	1	0	18	18	18.00	-	-	-	-
Rocky Singh	4	5	1	21	38	9.50	-	-	1	-
Jaswinder Singh (2)	16	16	3	24*	134	10.31	-	-	10	-
Rakesh Singh (2)	1	2	0	9	10	5.00	-	-	-	-
Jay Sran	16	18	0	77	412	22.89	-	1	6	-
Devesh Thakur	16	14	4	34	112	11.20	-	-	5	-

Div2 SUPERKINGS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Kamal Atwal	46.2	1	260	12	21.67	4-38	1	-	23.2	5.61
Shubham Bhardwaj	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gagan Bhaskar	76.2	8	373	19	19.63	5-14	-	1	24.1	4.89
Davinder Gill	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amrit Singh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gurpej Singh	51.2	5	250	9	27.78	3-24	-	-	34.2	4.87
Gursharan Singh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harpinder Singh	143.4	20	591	25	23.64	5-56	1	1	34.5	4.11
Karanbir Singh	19	1	91	4	22.75	2-20	-	-	28.5	4.79
Kulwinder Singh	73.1	11	274	22	12.45	4-12	1	-	20.0	3.74
Prabh Singh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rocky Singh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaswinder Singh (2)	153.2	30	522	36	14.50	5-7	1	2	25.6	3.40
Rakesh Singh (2)	13	1	57	3	19.00	2-45	-	-	26.0	4.38
Jay Sran	44	5	176	9	19.56	3-24	-	-	29.3	4.00
Devesh Thakur	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Men's Afternoon Grades

Chairman's LIONS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Chathuranga Athapaththu	1	1	1	14*	14	-	-	-	-	-
Tom Clarke	1	1	0	39	39	39.00	-	-	-	-
Joshua Erasmus	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	-	-	-	-
Will Gooch	1	1	0	5	5	5.00	-	-	-	-
Harry Greenwood	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Imesh Jayakody	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Kevin Keane	1	1	0	6	6	6.00	-	-	1	-
Leon Kiddie	1	1	0	2	2	2.00	-	-	-	-
James McKegg	1	1	0	7	7	7.00	-	-	-	-
Zane Phillips	1	1	0	2	2	2.00	-	-	-	-
Oshadha Samarakoon	1	1	0	43	43	43.00	-	-	-	-

Chairman's LIONS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
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Chathuranga Athapaththu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tom Clarke	4	1	14	1	14.00	1-14	-	-	24.0	3.50
Joshua Erasmus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Will Gooch	0.2	0	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	3.00
Harry Greenwood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imesh Jayakody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kevin Keane	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leon Kiddie	1	0	9	0	-	-	-	-	-	9.00
James McKegg	6	0	34	0	-	-	-	-	-	5.67
Zane Phillips	8	0	33	5	6.60	5-33	-	1	9.6	4.13
Oshadha Samarakoon	8	1	39	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.88

Masters BBBBs Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
James Alabaster	13	10	3	28	106	15.14	-	-	-	-
Laurie Atkinson	1	1	0	41	41	41.00	-	-	1	-
Richard Carrigan	2	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Graham Curgenvan	10	4	2	1*	2	1.00	-	-	-	-
Connor Falloon	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	-	-	1	-
Pierre Flavell	9	6	3	28*	67	22.33	-	-	3	-
Craig Gibb	11	11	1	96*	374	37.40	-	3	-	-
Murray Griffin	15	14	0	74	473	33.79	-	4	3	-
Mark Hampton	11	9	1	71	240	30.00	-	2	3	-
Brad Hill	11	10	5	114*	333	66.60	1	1	7	-
Robert Horner	4	4	1	61*	139	46.33	-	2	2	2
Dean Iggo	6	5	1	63	156	39.00	-	1	3	1
Robin James	3	3	0	33	43	14.33	-	-	-	-
Aaron Johnstone	2	2	0	16	25	12.50	-	-	2	-
Scott Mason	12	4	1	7	11	3.67	-	-	5	-
Richard Mather	9	7	1	28*	111	18.50	-	-	3	-
Taine Morgan	2	2	0	4	4	2.00	-	-	1	-
Duane Pettet	1	1	0	31	31	31.00	-	-	-	-
Amandeep Singh	11	4	0	1	2	0.50	-	-	-	-
Brad Smith	11	9	3	41*	111	18.50	-	-	1	-
Lance Truman	4	2	2	2*	2	-	-	-	1	-
Marc Wells	1	1	1	0*	0	-	-	-	-	-
Gareth White	13	10	1	29*	88	9.78	-	-	8	-

Masters BBBBs Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
James Alabaster	30	3	157	6	26.17	2-16	-	-	30.0	5.23
Laurie Atkinson	4	0	23	0	-	-	-	-	-	5.75
Richard Carrigan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graham Curgenvan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connor Falloon	4	0	23	1	23.00	1-23	-	-	24.0	5.75
Pierre Flavell	45	5	185	5	37.00	2-36	-	-	54.0	4.11
Craig Gibb	59	5	265	8	33.13	3-32	-	-	44.3	4.49
Murray Griffin	73.2	7	300	11	27.27	2-42	-	-	40.0	4.09
Mark Hampton	0.2	0	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	12.00

Brad Hill	64.1	5	274	12	22.83	4-31	1	-	32.1	4.27
Robert Horner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dean Iggo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robin James	9	0	59	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.56
Aaron Johnstone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scott Mason	88	12	347	32	10.84	7-6	1	4	16.5	3.94
Richard Mather	4	0	34	0	-	-	-	-	-	8.50
Taine Morgan	11	0	65	4	16.25	4-38	1	-	16.5	5.91
Duane Pettet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amandeep Singh	16.3	1	116	2	58.00	1-3	-	-	49.5	7.03
Brad Smith	71.4	4	303	16	18.94	4-15	2	-	26.9	4.23
Lance Truman	19	1	91	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.79
Marc Wells	4	0	11	1	11.00	1-11	-	-	24.0	2.75
Gareth White	5	0	26	1	26.00	1-3	-	-	30.0	5.20

Cavs SWINGERS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Benjamin Anderson	1	1	0	28	28	28.00	-	-	-	-
Andrew Brown	18	18	12	63*	625	104.17	-	4	5	-
Peter Fernando	17	17	6	85*	490	44.55	-	2	-	-
Richard Fernando	1	1	1	4*	4	-	-	-	-	-
Michael Goldsbrough	5	5	2	35*	99	33.00	-	-	1	-
Mario Gray-Hammer	1	1	0	12	12	12.00	-	-	-	-
Grant Hambly	1	1	0	26	26	26.00	-	-	1	-
Cameron Hobbs	8	5	1	15	51	12.75	-	-	-	-
Rahul Kumar (2)	2	1	0	32	32	32.00	-	-	1	-
Matt Kyle	12	12	3	47*	287	31.89	-	-	7	-
Samuel Price	9	8	3	6*	22	4.40	-	-	2	-
Vaughan Robinson	5	4	2	43*	129	64.50	-	-	1	-
Nathan Sidwell	7	5	2	5*	10	3.33	-	-	3	-
Phil Sing	16	12	4	42*	211	26.38	-	-	-	-
Ben Sturman	3	3	0	11	20	6.67	-	-	-	-
Sam Sturman	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thomas Sturman	8	7	3	42*	104	26.00	-	-	2	-
Thomas Wilson	12	12	4	52*	296	37.00	-	1	2	1
Edward Woodham	9	8	4	39*	184	46.00	-	-	1	-
Dale Wright	11	10	3	45*	116	16.57	-	-	2	-

Cavs SWINGERS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Benjamin Anderson	4	0	36	2	18.00	2-36	-	-	12.0	9.00
Andrew Brown	59	1	421	29	14.52	4-16	1	-	12.2	7.14
Peter Fernando	59.1	1	413	20	20.65	3-11	-	-	17.8	6.98
Richard Fernando	3	0	22	1	22.00	1-22	-	-	18.0	7.33
Michael Goldsbrough	4	0	28	1	28.00	1-13	-	-	24.0	7.00
Mario Gray-Hammer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant Hambly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameron Hobbs	18	0	139	6	23.17	2-13	-	-	18.0	7.72
Rahul Kumar (2)	4	0	28	1	28.00	1-28	-	-	24.0	7.00

Matt Kyle	28.2	0	244	9	27.11	3-15	-	-	18.9	8.61
Samuel Price	1	0	13	1	13.00	1-13	-	-	6.0	13.00
Vaughan Robinson	10	0	75	4	18.75	2-2	-	-	15.0	7.50
Nathan Sidwell	10.5	0	110	7	15.71	2-15	-	-	9.3	10.15
Phil Sing	49.2	0	443	17	26.06	3-19	-	-	17.4	8.98
Ben Sturman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sam Sturman	2	0	28	2	14.00	2-28	-	-	6.0	14.00
Thomas Sturman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thomas Wilson	11	0	113	2	56.50	1-28	-	-	33.0	10.27
Edward Woodham	33	0	211	12	17.58	4-28	1	-	16.5	6.39
Dale Wright	12.2	0	88	5	17.60	2-17	-	-	14.8	7.14

Cavs FOZZIES Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Kade Atkinson	13	13	6	67*	351	50.14	-	3	1	1
Louis Bertie	15	7	4	26	67	22.33	-	-	-	-
Chris Bird	11	11	7	43*	312	78.00	-	-	-	-
Matt Cameron	10	10	0	28	132	13.20	-	-	1	-
David Cattermole	9	9	4	55	290	58.00	-	1	1	-
Aaron Clarke	13	9	3	45*	109	18.17	-	-	-	-
Ryan Coxon	4	3	0	38	46	15.33	-	-	-	-
Jeremy Good	3	2	1	26*	28	28.00	-	-	-	-
Daniel Grinter	16	9	2	28	91	13.00	-	-	-	-
James Kirkpatrick	3	3	0	14	38	12.67	-	-	-	-
Hugo Langridge	12	9	6	61*	171	57.00	-	1	-	-
Chris McIvor	1	1	0	5	5	5.00	-	-	-	-
Steve McLeod	12	9	4	54*	204	40.80	-	1	-	-
Symon Pierce	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
John Stewart	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	-	-	-	-
Shanan Stewart	11	10	3	50*	267	38.14	-	1	1	-
Marcus Stufkens	1	1	0	6	6	6.00	-	-	-	-
Dave Sutherland	2	1	0	8	8	8.00	-	-	-	-
Damian Whiting	4	3	2	3*	4	4.00	-	-	-	-
Nick Yardley	14	14	2	42*	303	25.25	-	-	-	-

Cavs FOZZIES Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Kade Atkinson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louis Bertie	51.3	0	354	26	13.62	3-17	-	-	11.9	6.87
Chris Bird	32	1	208	8	26.00	2-17	-	-	24.0	6.50
Matt Cameron	2	0	9	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.50
David Cattermole	1	0	16	0	-	-	-	-	-	16.00
Aaron Clarke	34	0	270	10	27.00	3-11	-	-	20.4	7.94
Ryan Coxon	10	0	70	3	23.33	3-13	-	-	20.0	7.00
Jeremy Good	8	0	58	2	29.00	2-20	-	-	24.0	7.25
Daniel Grinter	55.4	0	364	14	26.00	3-28	-	-	23.9	6.54
James Kirkpatrick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hugo Langridge	37.1	0	279	14	19.93	3-18	-	-	15.9	7.51
Chris McIvor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Steve McLeod	40.3	0	219	12	18.25	3-15	-	-	20.3	5.41
Symon Pierce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
John Stewart	2	0	9	0	-	-	-	-	-	4.50
Shanan Stewart	31.2	0	199	11	18.09	3-7	-	-	17.1	6.35
Marcus Stufkens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dave Sutherland	8	0	57	2	28.50	2-33	-	-	24.0	7.13
Damian Whiting	15	0	97	7	13.86	3-14	-	-	12.9	6.47
Nick Yardley	2	0	15	0	-	-	-	-	-	7.50

Cavs SCORPIONS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Dilum Arachchige	13	11	2	62	172	19.11	-	1	-	-
Chathuranga Athapaththu	17	14	5	19*	93	10.33	-	-	-	-
Mahesh Bandara	12	11	2	31	91	10.11	-	-	-	-
Matt Coxon	17	17	5	75	604	50.33	-	3	1	-
Kasun Dananjaya	16	16	1	38	268	17.87	-	-	-	-
Supun Fernando	16	15	6	26*	132	14.67	-	-	1	-
Jeremy Friend	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imesh Jayakody	18	18	2	40*	333	20.81	-	-	-	-
Kevin Keane	15	14	3	45*	226	20.55	-	-	-	-
Leon Kiddie	11	7	4	27	40	13.33	-	-	-	-
Writik Neupane	15	10	4	43*	88	14.67	-	-	-	-

Cavs SCORPIONS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Dilum Arachchige	37	0	254	11	23.09	3-10	-	-	20.2	6.86
Chathuranga Athapaththu	50.4	0	371	10	37.10	3-20	-	-	30.4	7.32
Mahesh Bandara	27	0	241	4	60.25	2-22	-	-	40.5	8.93
Matt Coxon	8	0	79	1	79.00	1-32	-	-	48.0	9.88
Kasun Dananjaya	55	1	325	19	17.11	4-10	1	-	17.4	5.91
Supun Fernando	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jeremy Friend	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imesh Jayakody	5	0	67	1	67.00	1-52	-	-	30.0	13.40
Kevin Keane	44	0	292	14	20.86	2-14	-	-	18.9	6.64
Leon Kiddie	29.5	0	261	6	43.50	2-10	-	-	29.8	8.75
Writik Neupane	44	0	336	11	30.55	3-34	-	-	24.0	7.64

Cavs 67ERS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Liam Alexander	15	14	7	39*	272	38.86	-	-	5	-
Jack Belcher	13	10	6	55*	304	76.00	-	3	6	-
Samuel Belcher	14	13	4	51*	253	28.11	-	1	2	-
Tom Clarke	16	11	4	50*	198	28.29	-	1	4	-
Jake Cummings	10	5	1	34	61	15.25	-	-	1	-
Joshua Erasmus	14	11	6	53*	217	43.40	-	1	11	2
Will Gooch	16	12	5	65*	365	52.14	-	2	6	-
Harry Greenwood	14	13	5	63*	319	39.88	-	1	1	-
Shyam Hari	16	14	4	50*	228	22.80	-	1	4	-
Zachariah Landon-Lane	15	12	2	25	60	6.00	-	-	3	-

Caleb Manson	8	6	2	54*	174	43.50	-	2	3	-
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Cavs 67ERS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Liam Alexander	14	0	109	2	54.50	1-5	-	-	42.0	7.79
Jack Belcher	29.2	0	193	11	17.55	2-21	-	-	16.0	6.58
Samuel Belcher	29	0	220	6	36.67	2-12	-	-	29.0	7.59
Tom Clarke	45	1	267	16	16.69	4-13	1	-	16.9	5.93
Jake Cummings	28	0	205	11	18.64	2-12	-	-	15.3	7.32
Joshua Erasmus	1	0	7	0	-	-	-	-	-	7.00
Will Gooch	37.2	0	192	13	14.77	3-3	-	-	17.2	5.14
Harry Greenwood	33	1	183	13	14.08	3-19	-	-	15.2	5.55
Shyam Hari	36	0	286	8	35.75	3-33	-	-	27.0	7.94
Zachariah Landon-Lane	27	0	232	10	23.20	3-30	-	-	16.2	8.59
Caleb Manson	16	0	123	5	24.60	2-32	-	-	19.2	7.69

Women's Grades

Div 2 DIAMONDS Batting	Mat	Inn	NO	HS	Runs	Ave	100	50	Ct	St
Emma Besley	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pippa Bocock	1	1	0	16	16	16.00	-	-	-	-
Violet Creighton	13	10	2	12*	54	6.75	-	-	1	-
Isla Elstob	1	1	1	27*	27	-	-	-	-	-
Jessica Gearry	1	1	1	66*	66	-	-	1	-	-
Gia Gill	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	1	-
Mahi Gill	16	16	7	25*	167	18.56	-	-	4	-
Sian Goodall	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Sylvia Jongerius	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
Keshali Maddumarachchi	14	12	6	16	75	12.50	-	-	1	-
Tayla Marshall	15	14	2	31	197	16.42	-	-	4	-
Eshika Nair	10	9	5	27*	111	27.75	-	-	3	-
Sophia Prince	14	13	2	42*	118	10.73	-	-	3	-
Eden Read	5	1	1	1*	1	-	-	-	1	-
Elle Read	15	13	2	26*	97	8.82	-	-	4	-
Shimani Saudiyal	1	1	0	3	3	3.00	-	-	-	-
Claudia Skinner LP	15	14	7	31*	159	22.71	-	-	7	-
Stephanie Smith	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	-	-	-	-
Madison Webb	16	14	6	26*	197	24.63	-	-	6	-
Lucy Williams	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Div 2 DIAMONDS Bowling	O	M	R	W	Ave	Best	4wi	5wi	SR	Econ
Emma Besley	2	0	22	0	-	-	-	-	-	11.00
Pippa Bocock	3	0	21	1	21.00	1-21	-	-	18.0	7.00
Violet Creighton	31	1	177	12	14.75	5-24	-	1	15.5	5.71
Isla Elstob	2	0	4	2	2.00	2-4	-	-	6.0	2.00
Jessica Gearry	3	0	16	0	-	-	-	-	-	5.33
Gia Gill	1	0	5	0	-	-	-	-	-	5.00
Mahi Gill	50.3	2	194	17	11.41	3-12	-	-	17.8	3.84

Sian Goodall	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sylvia Jongerius	2	0	13	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.50
Keshali Maddumarachchi	2	0	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	2.00
Tayla Marshall	42.1	5	202	14	14.43	2-11	-	-	18.1	4.79
Eshika Nair	32.5	2	114	5	22.80	1-2	-	-	39.4	3.47
Sophia Prince	30	0	182	9	20.22	2-12	-	-	20.0	6.07
Eden Read	12	0	80	0	-	-	-	-	-	6.67
Elle Read	46	2	224	20	11.20	6-15	1	1	13.8	4.87
Shimani Saudiyal	4	0	34	1	34.00	1-34	-	-	24.0	8.50
Claudia Skinner LP	32.5	2	142	7	20.29	4-8	1	-	28.1	4.32
Stephanie Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madison Webb	54.4	8	177	19	9.32	3-6	-	-	17.3	3.24
Lucy Williams	2	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	0.00



Championship Sabres – Twenty20 Nathan Astle Series winners

Treasurer's Report

Background

I started the Treasurer's role in September 2025 after the annual general meeting and therefore part way through the financial year. The President and I didn't gain access to the club's bank accounts until the beginning of July 2026. During this time, we relied on the previous treasurer and president to generate and approve all payments.

Financial Report Commentary

Financially the club finished the year in a strong position. We had \$27,515.07 in the bank which is significantly better than the \$4,948.68 we had last year. During this time, we reduced the loan owed to Murray Griffin from \$15,000 to \$5,000. However, we do owe Christchurch Metro \$11,300 for ground fees, but we have a grant application submitted that if successful will cover this expense.

The president has done a fantastic job in hiring out the pavilion mainly to corporate groups for entertaining during first class and international fixtures. This has raised \$12,343 for the club.

Grants generated \$28,500 for the club. This is down on the \$48,800 generated the previous year. A \$9,600 grant from The Community Trust was coded to Gaming Machines rather than Grants Other. Grants are getting harder to get, as more organisations chase this shrinking pool of money.

Expenses are down on last year and no money is being wasted. It costs us \$10,137 per annum to run the pavilion. Therefore, on termination of our lease the subsequent loss of income received from hiring the pavilion will result in a net shortfall of \$2,200.

In the financial year ending 2025 the club relinquished its bar license. Consequently, we received no income from bar sales during the 2025-26 financial year.

The only other thing to note is the pavilion is worth \$21,839. This is obviously going to have to be written off, probably within the next two financial years. Consequently, net asset value of the club will reduce accordingly.

Rob Souness
Treasurer

Statement of Financial Performance

For the year ended 31 May 2026

2025	INCOME	2026
\$	INCOME FROM BAR TRADING	\$
121	Sales from Bar	0
	Less: Cost of Goods Sold	
411	Opening stock	0
0	Purchases	0
0	Closing stock	0
411	Total Cost of Goods Sold	0
(290)	Surplus from Bar Trading	0
	INCOME FROM CLUB MEMBERS	
14352	Subscriptions	21,101
14352		21,101
	EXTERNAL FUNDRAISING	
15833	Sponsorship	13,313
2500	Grants - CCA / CMCA	1,150
46776	Grants - other	18,981
8107	Donations received	9,740
7628	Pavilion hire	12,343
349	Interest received	4
710	Sundry revenue	8,655
81904		64,186
95966	TOTAL INCOME FOR YEAR	85,288

Statement of Financial Performance

For the year ended 31 May 2026

2025	EXPENSES	2026
\$	PLAYING EXPENSES	\$
19530	Coaching	18,705
2910	Fees and levies	1,392
5460	Ground rentals	9,833
16733	Material costs - gear & balls	19,358
1778	Material costs - clothing	1,523
0	Overseas Player Expenses	0
5517	Practice wickets & preseason training	3,972
<u>51927</u>		<u>54,782</u>
	PAVILION EXPENSES	
0	Cleaning	0
2866	Depreciation on pavilion	2,866
1887	Depreciation on office equipment	402
93	Depreciation on furniture and plant	376
1732	Heat, power and light	2,122
3517	Insurance	3,540
338	Interest & bank fees	74
541	Repairs and maintenance	824
2374	Security expenses	2,419
1236	Telephone	554
<u>14585</u>		<u>13,177</u>
	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	
2671	Accounting and consulting Fees	525
197	Annual Report costs	0
2349	Club socials	85
657	General expenses	1,882
1213	Licences - NV Play and general	1,150
1835	Livestreaming costs	568
76	Postage, stationery & reports	0
2973	Presentation & awards	172
1103	Subscriptions - Xero & EFTPOS	531
649	Website expenses	730
<u>13723</u>		<u>5,643</u>
80235	TOTAL EXPENSES FOR YEAR	73,602
15732	SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FOR YEAR	11,685

These financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements

Statement of Movement in Equity

For the year ended 31 May 2026

2025	ACCUMULATED FUNDS	2026
\$		\$
17227	Balance at beginning of the year	32,959
15732	Surplus (Deficit) for year	11,685
32959	Equity at end of the year	44,644

Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 May 2026

2025		2026
\$		\$
	CURRENT ASSETS	
2344	Westpac - Cheque account	24,911
101	Westpac - 125th Jubilee account	97
2503	Westpac - Online Saver	2,507
0	Westpac - Bonus Saver (1)	0
0	Westpac - Bonus Saver (2)	0
6800	Accounts receivable	700
4090	GST refundable	0
0	Stock on hand - bar supplies	0
11400	Stock on hand - balls	7,663
<u>27239</u>		<u>35,878</u>
	PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	
2368	Nets	2,368
24705	Pavilion (Note 2)	21,839
837	Office equipment (Note 2)	435
3756	Furniture and plant (Note 2)	3,380
<u>31666</u>		<u>28,022</u>
58905	TOTAL ASSETS	63,900
	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
7946	Accounts payable and accruals	13,219
0	GST Payable	1,037
<u>7946</u>		<u>14,256</u>
	NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	
	Loan - M Griffin	5,000
18000	Loan - P Mayell	0
<u>18000</u>		<u>5,000</u>
25946	TOTAL LIABILITIES	19,256
32959	NET ASSETS	44,644

Signed on behalf of Executive Committee

Dated - 30 August 2026

President

Treasurer

Notes to the Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 May 2026

Note 1 - Statement of Accounting Policies

St Albans Cricket Club is a non-profit organisation. The financial statements are general purpose and prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice.

Unless otherwise stated the accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of earnings and financial position on a historical cost basis have been followed.

The entity qualifies for differential reporting because the Club meets the framework for differential reporting as the Club is not publicly accountable and is small. The Club has taken advantage of all differential reporting exemptions.

Changes in accounting policies: There have been no changes in accounting policies which have been applied in basis consistent with those used in previous years.

The following specific accounting policies which materially affect the measurement of financial performance and financial position have been applied.

Accounts receivable are stated at their estimated realistic value. Debts which are considered uncollectable are written off. There is no other provision for doubtful debts.

Stock on hand - bar supplies has been valued at lower of cost or net realisable value.

Stock on hand - balls has been valued at lower of cost or net realisable value.

Equipment on hand has been valued by the committee.

Sponsorship for services rendered to the club are accounted for as revenue and expense at values approximating the cost of the services provided.

Property, Plant and Equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation has been calculated using the rates shown in the Property, Plant and Equipment Schedule (Note 2).

Materials, nets and junior material have not been depreciated as the committee charges all repairs, maintenance and replacements to expenses.

A mortgage security over the pavilion is held by Westpac Banking Corporation. At 31 May 2026 there were no advances drawn against this security (2025 Nil).

Related Party transactions: The Committee are also members of the Club and pay subscriptions on the same basis as other members. Services provided have been supplied on normal commercial terms.

Note 2 - Property, Plant and Equipment

As at 31 May 2025	Opening Book			Rate	Method	Closing Book	
	Cost	Value	Additions			Amount	Value
Pavilion	95,545	24,705	0	3%	CP	2,866	21,839
Office equipment	4,224	837	0	48%	DV	402	435
Furniture and Plant	42,734	3,756	0	10%	DV	376	3,380
	<u>142,503</u>	<u>29,298</u>	<u>0</u>			<u>3,644</u>	<u>25,654</u>

Note 3 - Capital Commitments

There were no capital commitments at balance date (2025 - nil).

Note 4 - Contingent Liabilities

There were no contingent liabilities at balance date (2025 - nil).

Note 5 - Bank Overdraft Facility

In May 2010 the Club obtained a \$5,000 unsecured bank overdraft facility from Westpac.