Elsternwick Cricket Club



One Hundred and Twentieth Annual Report And Financial Statement

Season 2020 - 2021

Elsternwick Cricket Club Inc.

Founded: 1901

Affiliated: Victorian Sub-District Cricket Association South East Cricket Association

> **Patron:** Cameron White

President: John Dunnachie

Vice Presidents: David Long Ray Street

Secretary: Bryan Hammer

Treasurer: Greg Sinclair

Assistant Secretary: David Halligan

Committee:Andrew ChisholmCameron ChristiansenKay CrowleyMark DunstanBradley MarksPaul Whitehead

Delegates To VSDCA: John Dunnachie Bryan Hammer

> **Coach:** Ben Cavey

Club Captains

First ElevenCameron ChristiansenSecond ElevenBradley MarksThird ElevenBen CaveyFourth ElevenBryan Hammer

It is with pleasure that I present this year's President's Report for the Elsternwick Cricket Club.

Overview

I finished last year's report, written in July, saying COVID was with us and that we did not know what season 2020/21 would bring. It certainly had the biggest impact to cricket since the last World War. The actual season started on 21 November some 7 weeks after the normal first week in October. There was no physical preseason and a compulsory practice game prior to the actual season to trial COVID protocols was the first game played.

Preseason consisted of Zoom meetings and players doing their own or group physical sessions via Zoom. Ben Cavey who was appointed club coach did an amazing job engaging with all the players and running preseason sessions working with the players on both planning for the season ahead and working on the club's KPIs.

Each club had to appoint a COVID officer and we were extremely fortunate to have Ang Portelli take on the role. Ang did an amazing job throughout the season organising our COVID polices, setting up our check ins and monitoring the rules and regulations that changed multiple times during the season. His role became the most important at the club and was done with great professionalism. Ang was also responsible for the COVID monitoring for both the juniors and the JG Craig team. He was recognised at presentation night with the BN Todd award for his contribution to the club during the season.

Playing

The season was one of a rebuild for the club with recruiting being incredibly challenging due to COVID. It gave some players exposure in grades above where they have regularly played.

As mentioned above, Ben Cavey did a great job as club coach. His planning and structuring of training sessions was fantastic and made for an enjoyable season for all players. He was ably assisted by John Watkins and Mark Quinn who gave up their time again this year to coach the players. Both are fantastic to have around the club educating players. Their knowledge and communication skills make them two of the best coaches in the VSDCA.

Due to the season starting in November all grades played one day games for the season, including finals. The 1^{st} XI finished 10^{th} in a very tough competition, the 2^{nd} XI 12^{th} , the 3^{rd} XI 8^{th} and the 4^{th} XI 10^{th} .

The top batting performances during the season were headed by Stephen Daniels who made 102 against Mount Waverley in the 2nd XI. Andrew Chisholm made scores of 98 and 62 and had a great season, making 330 runs from 8 innings. Cam Christensen made scores of 81no, 59no and 49no, compiling 394 runs at an average of 49.3. Ben Cavey with 73 and the everconsistent Bryan Hammer also had good seasons with the bat in the lower grades.

The best bowling figures for the year went to Steve Jackson with 5/15 in the 2^{nd} XI who guided the side to a great win over Endeavour Hills. Owen Harrison did well with 5/18 in the 3^{rd} XI and Ben Cooper took 5/23 to lead the 1^{st} XI to a fantastic win over Balwyn.

Juniors

The club now has a broad junior program with Junior and Master Blaster introductory programs, Rookies, U12, U14 and U16 teams in the SECA competition and the representative standard JG Craig U15 carnival team.

The junior section was very well run by Michael McPhee who ensured that the programs were well organised and that all participants enjoyed their cricket season. Michael was well supported by Kay Crowley and a Junior Committee comprising Angelo Portelli, Naylor Dray and Bryan Hammer. The Junior Committee and all the team coaches and managers must be thanked for helping nurture the future of our club.

Our JG Craig team was coached by Will Smith who was well supported by Team Manager Ang Portelli. While the team was not overly successful, all players benefitted from their involvement in the program and the chance to play on some of the best VSDCA grounds.

The club ran successful Junior Blasters and Master Blasters programs. The Blasters programs were administered by Bryan Hammer, who also coached the Master Blasters. The Junior Blasters were coached by Tom Foley who was supported by Henry Bennett and several other senior players throughout the season.

Volunteers

The club is very fortunate to have a core group of volunteers that commit each week to help make the club run successfully. Thanks go to Col Shimell our 1st X1 and JG Craig Scorer, John Christiansen our Net Captain, Danny Smith our Chairman of Selectors and David Long and Paul Whitehead our Club Umpires.

External Parties

The external parties that provide support in the operations of the Club are thanked: -

Cricket Victoria, the Victorian Sun District Cricket Association and the South East Cricket Association provide the competitions in which we participate.

The Victorian Amateur Football Association, the VAFA Umpires Association, Old Melburnians Football Club and the Elsternwick Amateur Football Club with whom we share our facilities. We would like to thank them for the support that they give us.

The Bayside City Council and their contractors Citywide provide superior grounds and pavilions.

The partners and families of players who support the club throughout the year at social functions and games.

Past players support the club through the Wickas and attendance at social functions and games. The Wickas is very well run by Col Shimell who is supported by Ray Street and Mark Dunstan.

Finance / Compliance

The club remains in a strong financial position thanks to the work of Greg Sinclair as Treasurer. A full report on the club's finances is included in this report.

Mark Dunstan took on the role of Compliance Officer, assuming responsibility for ensuring the committee runs properly, as well as liquor licensing and other regulatory issues. Andrew Chisholm served as Child Safety Officer and Angelo Portelli as Covid Officer.

Sponsors

I would like to pass on our thanks to our sponsors, East Malvern Bendigo Bank (Major Sponsor), Goat House, Mintec and Bakers Delight Elwood for their continued support.

Administration

Thanks go to Bryan Hammer who in his role as Secretary continues to run the club successfully. The club would not survive without the fantastic contribution from Bryan, this year again made the role even more time consuming with Covid. Thanks also to the rest of the committee for their work during the season in their various roles as mentioned elsewhere in this report.

Social

Due to Covid the club was only able to have a limited social calendar for the year, with restrictions in place for most of the year around numbers permitted indoors.

The only social functions held during the season were the Christmas BBQ and our annual Bayley House game in conjunction with our end of season BBQ. Both these events were very

well attended by players and their partners. Thanks must go to Kay Crowley for her work in organising both events and to the others that helped to make them both very enjoyable nights.

We were fortunate to be able to hold our annual Quiz Night after the season, thanks to both the VAFA and OMFC for permission to use the main social rooms to hold this event. Thanks to Kay, Cam and the other players and volunteers that helped in the lead up and on the night.

We were fortunate to be able to hold our Presentation Night in between lock downs at the Deck in Brighton. This was fantastic night, one of the most successful and best organised evenings we have had. It was very well attended by the players and their partners. I would like to congratulate all award winners on the night.

Facilities

The club would like to acknowledge Bayside Council and its contractor Citywide for their job in maintaining both Oval 1 and the HTO. Thanks also to David Halligan for his continued work around club in both liaising with the Council and attending to all matters relating to facilities.

Matthew Harrison as curator did a great job on both the main and back grounds, producing great wickets. Unfortunately, due to other commitments Matt wasn't able to do the full season on both ovals. The HTO was prepared by the master grounds man David Halligan for the second half of the season. David, who has not played for several seasons, still spends countless hours each week maintaining and organising the facilities and equipment. He should be thanked by all at the club for the time he commits. Mark Dunstan and Ray Street are thanked for the extra rolling of our wickets they did to finish them off for Saturday games.

Congratulations

Congratulations to those clubs throughout the association that achieved success and to all award winners both within our club and to others from opposition teams.

A special mention to Lachlan Baker for winning both the Colin Fraser Club Champion award for best player in the 1st XI and the Wickas award for the best player at the club. Tom Foley was rewarded for a strong season with the Arthur Scott U21 Player of the Year award.

Cam Christensen was also recognised for two great milestones during the year, Cam played his 200th game in the 1st XI and passed 5,000 runs in the 1st XI. Cam has been an amazing player, coach and mentor to the younger players at the club and his contribution sees him as one of the greats of ECC.

Next Year and Beyond

As we head into mid-July, Melbourne is going through lockdown number 5, we can only hope that season 2021/22 is back to be a normal season but only time will tell.

The club is working hard on recruiting, and everything is looking very positive.

The committee will continue to work to provide the best possible facilities for all at ECC to enjoy and to be a club that welcomes all players of all abilities to the game of cricket.

Finally, I would also like thank Kerry and Zoe for their support in allowing me the time to do my role as President.

John Dunnachie President



The 2020/21 season presented some significant challenges both on and off the field due to the impact of the Covid 19 pandemic. Despite this, I am pleased to report that the club has managed to produce a Surplus of \$5,542 (2019/20 \$24,554). This Surplus is even more meritorious as it is after paying for new covers and our share of the cabinetry in the No 1 Oval clubrooms.

The impact of the shortened season was significant on our player subscription revenues; however, this was offset by a complementary reduction in costs (curation, cricket equipment, preseason training and hire of facilities). The biggest impact was the restrictions on social activity which led to the cancellation of both our traditional Season Launch and Christmas Party, which in prior years have been our most significant fundraisers. Fortunately, we were still able to hold the other two staple social events in the Wickas Dinner and the Trivia Night.

The new system of ordering player clothing was both more efficient and cost effective for the Club.

In a year where revenue was hard to come by, we were particularly grateful for the continued support of our major sponsor Bank of Bendigo East Malvern branch, and the funding provided by the Victorian government and Cricket Australia, which was secured through the significant efforts of Andrew Chisholm in applying for several grants.

Juniors

The uncertain and late start to the season unfortunately resulted in a decrease in player numbers, however this was complemented with a similar decrease in costs.

The Junior Club is in a rebuilding stage with fewer players in the older grades, however numbers at the U12 level and in particular Blasters in the last 2 years, give us confidence that numbers will soon be much healthier.

Wickas / Past Players

As mentioned above, the Wickas were able to hold their annual dinner in a gap between lockdowns and also a couple of Wickas days on the Hill. Their contribution to the Club actually increased on the previous year to \$2,818.

Thanks as always to Col Shimell, Ray Street and Mark Dunstan for their commitment and efforts in achieving this result. The Club is grateful to have such strong support from this group.

Sponsors

I would like to thank all of the sponsors of the club for their support this year.

Looking Forward

The Club is preparing for the 2021/22 season with significant energy and optimism for improved results both on and off the field. The objectives are ambitious, and the Committee will need the broad support of all club members and supporters, in particular to achieve the financial goals. However, the last few years have shown the spirit and capacity of this club, and I am confident this will continue and allow us to meet all challenges and achieve these ambitions.

Greg Sinclair Treasurer

Statement by Members of the Committee.

We, John Don Dunnachie and Gregory Charles Sinclair, being members of the Committee of the Elsternwick Cricket Club Inc., certify that: -

The statements attached to this certificate give a true and fair view of the financial performance and position of the association during and at the end of the financial year of the association ending on 30 June 2021.

John Dunnachie President

25/07/2021 Date

Greg Sinclair Treasurer

25/07/2021 Date



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	2020/21	2019/20
Income		
Prizemoney	\$0	\$1,000
Country Week	\$0	\$550
Senior Subscriptions	\$14,885	\$16,175
Junior Subscriptions	\$15,384	\$21,169
JG Craig Subscriptions	\$2,700	\$2,500
Junior and Master Blaster Subscriptions	\$2,275	\$2,035
Sponsorships and Donations	\$12,831	\$24,813
Social & Fundraising Activities	\$15,774	\$43,361
Merchandise Sales	\$2,161	\$5,277
Bar/Food sales	\$13,027	\$14,798
Other income	\$250	\$1,300
Total Income	\$79,287	\$132,978
Expenses		
Affiliation Fees	\$1,780	\$2,349
Light & Power	\$1,635	\$1,097
Petty Cash & Postage	\$0	\$0
Bank Charges	\$592	\$805
Admin Expenses	\$0	\$000 \$0
Fines	\$ 9 0	\$240
Insurance	\$0	\$375
Ground & Pavilion Rental	\$7,267	\$9,171
Curation	\$8,250	\$11,100
Curation Equipment	\$9,577 \$8,720	\$7,097
Coaching	\$8,720	\$6,040
Professional Player	\$0 \$0	\$8,548
Indoor Practice	\$0	\$2,806
Country Week	\$0	\$661
Cricket Balls	\$7,544	\$8,786
Other Cricket equipment	\$333	\$2,516
Junior & Master Blasters	\$69	\$369
JG Craig	\$2,065	\$3,343
Social & Fundraising	\$8,116	\$19,636
Trophies	\$1,236	\$855
Merchandise	\$6,105	\$10,214
Bar/Food	\$7,582	\$10,430
Sundry	\$2,785	\$1,986
Total Expenses	\$73,745	\$108,424
Net Income	\$5,542	\$24,554
Less Non Cash Expenses		
Bad Debts		\$4,300
Writedown of Fixed Assets		\$18,731
Understatement of 2018/19 Creditors		
Understatement of 2018/19 Creditors		\$1,716 \$24,747
Net Profit/Loss	\$5,542	-\$193
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John Dunnachie		Greg Sinclair

John Dunnachie President

Greg Sinclair Treasurer

Finance - Statement of Financial Position

As at	30 June 2021	30 June 2020
Current Assets		
Cash	\$12,376	\$6,834
Inventories	\$3,500	\$3,500
Receivables	\$0	\$0
Total	\$15,876	\$10,334
Non-Current Assets		
Property, Plant & Equipment	\$26,000	\$26,000
Total	\$26,000	\$26,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$41,876	\$36,334
Current Liabilities		
Creditors	\$0	\$0
Total	\$0	\$0
Non-Current Liabilities		
Borrowings	\$0	\$0
Total	\$0	\$0
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$0	\$0
NET ASSETS	\$41,876	\$36,334
MEMBERS FUNDS		
Retained Profits	\$41,876	\$36,334
TOTAL MEMBERS FUNDS	\$41,876	\$36,334

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John Dunnachie President

Greg Sinclair Treasurer



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As at	30 June 2021	30 June 2020
Cash at Bank		
Senior	\$3,897	\$4,209
Wickas	\$4,151	\$1,420
Poker	\$545	\$0
Juniors	\$2,702	\$395
Cash at Hand	\$1,080	\$810
Total	\$12,376	\$6,834
Inventories Merchandise (estimate)		
Senior	\$1,500	\$1,500
Junior	\$1,500	\$1,500
Bar	\$500	\$500
Total	\$3,500	\$3,500
Property, Plant & Equipment		
Equipment	\$20,000	\$20,000
Furniture & Fittings	\$6,000	\$6,000
Total	\$26,000	\$26,000

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John Dunnachie President

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Thomas Amarasekara JPM Benjamin Archibald JPM Lachlan Baker SPM Denis Banks LM/WM Lachlan Bell JPM Lex Blythman WM Timothy Bourke SPM Seb Braun JPM Angus Burridge JPM Angus Cashion-Elliott JPM Benjamin Cavey SPM Labib Chowdhury SPM James Collins SPM Nigel Couzens SPM Tiernan Crowley SPM Thomas Dawson JPM Wesley Dray JPM John Dunnachie ^{LM/WM} James Earp SPM Daniel Edwards SPM Max Flavell JPM Felix Fraser JPM Max Giannopoulos JPM Joshua Gorman SPM Kip Griffin JPM Malcolm Gurr WM James Hall WM Tristan Harland ^{JPM} Darren Harvey LM/WM Sam Henderson JPM Christopher Hogan WM Patrick Homberg SPM Oliver Iliomanis JPM Henry James JPM James Jess JPM John Keating JPM Charlie Kett JPM Raj Kuver JPM Harry Larner JPM Peter Lewinsky LM/WM Karen Long LM Bradley Marks SPM Charlie McLean JPM Thomas McPherson JPM Archer Morris JPM Alex Naidoo JPM Alex Nolan JPM Bob Palmer WM Slok Patel JPM Jesse Pengelly JPM Angelo Portelli WM/SPM

Current Members (cont)

Noah Portelli JPM	Judd Power ^{JPM}	Levi Power ^{JPM}
Tanish Prabhu JPM	Oliver Prysten JPM	Charlie Purbrick JPM
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Ian Ramsay WM	Huxley Reed ^{JPM}	Riley Rosengarten JPM
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Tommy Sanderson JPM	Arthur Scott LM/WM	Tim Shellcot LM/WM
Caleb Shen ^{JPM}	Fletcher Sherren JPM	Colin Shimell LM/WM
Henry Sims JPM	Mitchell Sims JPM	Callum Sinclair SPM
Greg Sinclair LM	Anderson Smith JPM	Ben Smith JPM
Daniel Smith LM/WM	William Smith SPM	Ava Spiker ^{JPM}
Daniel Stephens JPM	George Stooke ^{JPM}	Elroy Stranger JPM
Ray Street LM/WM	Oscar Streeter ^{JPM}	Darrell Swindells WM
Asher Szperling JPM	Phil Temple ^{WM}	Xavier Tingiri JPM
Andrew Tosky SPM	Hughie Toward ^{JPM}	Joshua Travers JPM
Matthew Travers JPM	Jack Trembath JPM	Joseph Turmine SPM
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Dash von Carate ^{JPM}	Oscar Waldron JPM	Sam Walker JPM
John Watkin WM	Willis Webb ^{JPM}	Cameron White PM
Paul Whitehead ^{HM}	Luke Williams SPM	Nicholas Winter WM
Charlie Wolf ^{JPM}	Toby Youdale JPM	Zoe Youdale JPM
Peter Zaparas ^{JPM}		

Deceased Life Members

S J Bannister, N C Blundell, C Brooks, L L Chapman, P W Coombs, A, Coppin, T P Dakin, C S Fraser, A E French, R Greenfield, R E Hunt, G A Jeffries, N S Johnston, W A Johnston, A S Lambert, C D Lloyd, W T Long, A A Lord, A J McDonald, H H Moulton, N J Newson, B Nugent, V Schneider, H C Soden, B N Todd.

Membership Summary

<u>Category</u>		<u>Number</u>
PM	Patron Member	1
LM	Life Member	24
SPM	Senior Playing Member	47
JPM	Junior Playing Member	127
WM	Wickas Member	38
SM	Social Member	0
HM	Honorary Member	2
(DL)	(Deceased Life Member)	(25)
Total		217

Notes: -

A person may hold more than one class of membership therefore the total number of members may not equal the sum of the number of members in each membership class.

An investigation of past annual reports has revealed 3 deceased life members that had not been recognised in recent annual reports.

Season 2020/21 was obviously challenging for the playing group, but also presented a number of issues in getting the facilities at Elsternwick in tip top shape and ready for play. There were delays with the usual wicket table renovations and it became a rush to get some things in place to ensure wickets were well grassed for round 1.

The condition of both grounds and wickets this season was very pleasing and whilst the club had limited usage of the No.1 pavilion due to restrictions, the Holmes-Todd Oval pavilion and kitchen was, to use a well-worn Elsternwick phrase, "fantastic".

Outside of Saturday cricket for ECC, the ground(s) were also used by Veteran's Cricket Victoria and for the JG Craig Shield tournament. The club was invited by the VSDCA to host the JG Craig U15 Grand Final which was won by the Ormond CC. The club also hosted the annual Elsternwick vs Bayley House Bushrangers match to close out the season.

Grounds

Both ovals were both in top shape all summer for both training and playing. The Santa-ana couch surface, coupled with a good drainage base, provides a great outfield surface.

Wickets

When asked what the primary purpose of the club is, there can be many answers, however the underlying activity that brings everyone together is to play cricket, and of course, players want to play on the best ground and wicket surfaces possible.

In a testing, shortened season with all games played being one-dayers, the wicket preparation was somewhat different to what it had been in previous seasons. Having no football season was a godsend (apologies to OMFC and EAFC) and after a couple of false starts both wicket tables had mini-renovations in October.

The upshot of the season start being pushed back to well into November meant there was actually good grass coverage on both wickets for Round 1. Players should not expect this next summer when the traditional short window between footy and cricket returns!



No. 1 Oval Wicket Renovation Oct 2021

The weather conditions throughout the summer were very mild and a little wetter than normal which helped maintain quite good grass coverage across both wickets for the majority of the season.

It is testament to ECC curator, Matt Harrison, that the pitch ratings for the No.1 Oval improved again on previous seasons, despite the grass cover on the wicket being predominantly cool season rye grass. The club finished equal 3^{rd} in the South-East group Turf Pitch Awards and ~8th overall out of 27 wickets in the VSDCA which was a great result. There were even a few perfect scores of 10 achieved.

Although the Holmes-Todd Oval wicket is not counted in the Turf Pitch Awards, feedback from players was very positive and scores from the umpires on the wicket were consistently top rate. The club has been fortunate that this wicket has retained a near 100% coverage of couch which, with some coordinated effort, results in fast bouncy wickets. The 2021 football season will be the first full football season since the ground and wicket were renovated approximately 2.5 years ago and it will be interesting to see how the table holds up.

Thank you again to Matt Harrison our curator for his efforts not only in preparing wickets, but also for the way in which he shared and built knowledge within the club. Matt drove improvements in all facets of the wicket preparation and equipment requirements.

Also a thank you to Mark Dunstan and Ray Street who gave up plenty of time for wicket rolling every Saturday morning and provided support for extra mid-week rolling. Those voluntary efforts really helped provide top quality playing surfaces at Elsternwick this season.

Council Interface

Due to the disrupted off-season and even during the season, almost all contact with our Bayside Council interfaces were conducted "virtually". The amount of contact, both through the phone, email and via Customer Service can feel exhausting at times, covering all matter of issues relating to grounds, pavilions, access, maintenance etc. Thank you very much to the club's primary interfaces, Ebony, Miles, Sara and the Bayside Customer Service and Maintenance Teams and the team from Citywide for supporting the club throughout the season.

The club will continue to work with Council over the off-season with several further improvement initiatives on the table for discussion.

Equipment

The club made a few purchases of equipment to support its overall objective of playing in the best possible conditions. The equipment will hold the club in good stead for coming seasons and included: -

- A mega 30 x 25 m cover which covers the entire square for No.1 Oval. No excuses for any washouts on the No.1 Oval.
- Single cover 30 x 3.5m to aid in wicket preparation.
- Fiberglass wicket marking frame.

On top of the major items there are a myriad of recurring operational items that need to be purchased to support maintenance and repair of mechanical equipment and curating materials such as fertiliser, seed, irrigation equipment, etc.

Summary

While another season is done and dusted, there remains plenty of work to keep the Facilities machine running leading into next season with various mechanical upgrades to be progressed over the off-season.

Thank you to President John Dunnachie and the Committee for their enormous amount of behind the scenes work which often goes unheralded. Also thank you to the members, past and present, supporters, partners and sponsors who contributed to get the club through this very different season, enabling the club to continue to build into the future.

David Halligan Facilities Sub-Committee

Welcome

As with so much of the year that was 2020 our pre-season preparation was virtually nonexistent with everyone holed up in the Victorian lockdown. The season got off to a late start and games were confined to one-day fixtures which was not ideal but at least a full season's cricket was played. The lockdown and associated restrictions also put a downer on returning players with the loss of Jonny Charles and Fred McMillan who could not enter Australia from overseas, Matt Shimell's relocation, Mitch Spong's return to Tasmania and Luke Gorman's repatriation to the West. Notwithstanding the above 65 players represented Elsternwick in senior cricket, an exact replica of last year's numbers. 11 players only made their senior debut which is the lowest for several years but this, no doubt, was Covid affected also. The lower number of players required to fill the teams was indicative a more committed group that made themselves available for the majority of games with 59 players playing at least three games.

The club was pleased to welcome the new players playing multiple games for the club: Jacob Kerr, Robert Larcher, Tom Anderson, Hadyn Chrzanowski, Daniel Turton Vijay Venkat, Neil Smith and Charlie Wolf.

We hope all new players have felt welcome at Elsternwick and have enjoyed their season.

A key feature of this season was the appointment of a new senior coach in Ben Cavey with Cam Christiansen taking a backseat after several years in the post. After only two seasons at ECC Ben has completely ingrained himself into the fabric of the club and is an integral member of the ECC community.

Elsternwick Achievements

Unfortunately, none of ECC's senior men's sides made the season 2020/21 finals. However, the club again rated highly in the VSDCA Spirit of Cricket competition ranking a closely run 3^{rd} place. This award is voted on by the umpires of all XIs each round and is a credit to all players who represented the club throughout the year. The club won the award in 2019/2020, 2018/19 and 2014/15.

As always, there were individuals who had achievements worthy of mention. Chief among these was Club Secretary, 4th XI captain and club stalwart Bryan Hammer, who became the fifth Elsternwick player to achieve the heady heights of 400 games for the club. This is an incredible achievement for the most dedicated of clubmen, who has over 10,000 runs including 11 centuries and more than 50 Andrew "Chis" Chisholm must be fifties. commended on the achievement of 250 games for the club (11 centuries and almost 6,500 runs) and Fraser Brierly, Dan Edwards, Tom Foley, Tim Fonda, Ben Hall and Max Nethercott who all achieved the 50-game milestone in the course of the season.



400 game players John Dunnachie, Bryan Hammer and Mark Dunstan.

Wickas and Past Players

The annual Wickas Dinner was held in the club's Holmes-Todd Pavilion on 10 February 2021. The event was attended by players and supporters who have been and remain involved with the Club over many years (deep into the 3rd decade of the Wickas).

A highlight of the night was the announcement and recognition of the club's Team of the Decade from 2010/11 to 2019/2020. It was great to see a many of the players selected in attendance on the evening. Thanks to the Team of the Decade selection panel headed by David Long. For the record, the team in batting order was: -

Bradley O'Shea Bradley Erasmus Cameron Christiansen (c) Rohan O'Neill Anton Scholtz William Long Adam Fraine Joshua Gorman Callum O'Neill Dallas Jones Darcy O'Connor



Thank you to Colin Shimell, Wayne Howard, Ray Street, Mark Dunstan (MC also for the dinner), Bryan Hammer and David Long. for their efforts in ensuring organization and content for the Wickas group event.

Elsternwick in the Community

Once again, the club hosted and were duly outplayed by the Bayley House Bushrangers under lights on Holmes-Todd Oval. This event remains a highlight for the Bayley House clients, their families and of course the Elsternwick Cricket Club. In recent times the match has been played on the last Saturday night of the season and has become a terrific end of season function, bringing enjoyment to all involved.



Social

As with all sections of the club this year the Social activities were affected by the restrictions put in place by Covid 19. With lockdown still in force there was no opportunity to have a season launch function as access to our pavilions and public gatherings were still prohibited.

As all games were one dayers our fortnightly sit-down selection dinners turned into a weekly Thursday Night Takeaway from the Holmes-Todd Kiosk. Despite the restriction in seating, the weather was kind most Thursdays and whilst our pizza and pie nights were not as appetizing as Robyn and Karen's dinners they were attended with great good humour -a testament to the club pulling together as a unit during unusual times.

The Christmas Party was tentatively organized with restrictions lifting in Victoria but other parts of the country being shut down. Again, the weather Gods smiled on us and we managed to pull together an indoor/outdoor evening that was enjoyed by all who attended.



The annual Trivia Night hosted by Melbourne Trivia was scheduled for 13 February but again lockdown struck and thwarted all the good intentions with mere days' notice. The timing of this lockdown put paid to any opportunity to carry out the event during the normal season and so we had to call upon Old Melburnians and the VAFA who very magnanimously provided us with access to Pavilion 1 in May in order that we could put on this important fundraising event. The event was attended by over 100 members and friends. The closely run competition saw the 2-year reigning champions dethroned by the 1st XI Captain's team thwarting the much vaunted three-peat.

Junior Presentation Night went ahead as planned in late March and was very well attended by the junior club in the Holmes-Todd Pavilion.



Junior award recipients



Henry Bennett, Joe Turmine and Conrad Rzechorzek

Unlike last year, lockdown did not dampen the Senior Presentation Night which was held at The Deck, Brighton in late April. It was the first real opportunity that the club had in the season to feel a truly unencumbered in hosting an event and it was a great success. The achievements of two seasons were acknowledged given the lack of ability to host the event in 2020.



Lenore Todd presents Ang Portelli with the BN Todd Award for his stellar work as Covid officer dealing with the ever-changing tides of regulations faced throughout the season.

The Club Sub-Committee looks forward to a more stable and successful season in 2021/22.

Kay Cowley Club Sub-Committee

C S Fraser Club Champion Award:	Lachlan Baker
B N Todd Volunteer Award:	Angelo Portelli
Wickas Award:	Lachlan Baker
A L J Scott U21 Player of the Year Award:	Thomas Foley
Training Award	Lachlan Baker
Outstanding Batting:	Stephen Daniels
Outstanding Bowling:	Steven Jackson
First Eleven Batting:	Cameron Christiansen
First Eleven Bowling:	Lachlan Baker
Second Eleven Batting:	Stephen Daniels
Second Eleven Bowling:	Thomas Ashman
Third Eleven Batting:	Andrew Chisholm
Third Eleven Bowling:	Owen Harrison
Fourth Eleven Batting:	Bryan Hammer
Fourth Eleven Bowling:	Tiernan Crowley



Cameron Christiansen presenting Colin Fraser Club Champion Shield to Lachlan Baker.

<u>C S Fraser Club Champion Award</u>

Name	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Catch</u>	<u>Stump</u>	<u>R/O</u>	<u>Points</u>
Lachlan Baker	245	12	2		1	465
Cameron Christiansen	394		5		0	444
Ben Cooper	158	13	6		0	398
James Earp	140		12	0	2	280
Callum Sinclair	58	14	0		0	228
Hugh Bennett	17	13	1		1	217
Daniel Edwards	146	1	5		1	216
Joshua Gorman	111		4	1	3	201
Henry Bennett	24	9	3		1	184
Patrick Gorman	72	4	3		3	182
Jacob Kerr	3	8	4		1	163
Luke Williams	99	2	2		0	149
Stephen Daniels	55		0		0	55
William Smith	13		0		0	13
Max Nethercott	8		0		0	8
Timothy Bourke	0		0		0	0
Conrad Rzechorzek			0		0	0

Wickas Trophy (top five)

<u>Name</u>

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Votes</u>
1	Lachlan Baker	23
=2	Andrew Chisholm	14
=2	Steven Jackson	14
=4	Thomas Ashman	12
=4	Ben Cooper	12
=4	Bryan Hammer	12

A L J Scott U21 Player of the Year (top five)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Points</u>
1 Thomas Foley	966
2 Henry Bennett	903
3 Daniel Edwards	744
4 Patrick Homberg	642
5 Luke Williams	622



Arthur Scott with the Arthur Scott U21 Player of the Year Tom Foley

In a season that almost never was, it was a privilege to play cricket. It was an honour to coach at such a great club, with rich history, great blokes and incredible facilities. I wanted to give a summary of the year from the Coach's perspective. Firstly, a big thank you to my fellow coaches, Quinny, Cat and Cam. Thank you to the players for such an enjoyable season.

It was a challenging year for everyone, for businesses, for families, and sporting clubs were no exception. Good old Covid-19, the Coronavirus.

Our pre-season consisted of 3 months of zoom meetings starting in August where we tried to stay connected. We asked people how they were and what we all were doing to stay positive. The players formed club values and expectations. We developed game KPI's largely built on the great work Cam has done over the years, and how we were going to train for them. There was input from all players, notably Tanish, aka thecricketprince.195; where you can follow him on Instagram.

Henry and Will ran some quiz nights which were great fun.

Then late October it was announced we could train.

We had to train in groups of up to 12. We had 34 for the first session, which proved to be one of the smallest number at training for the season. We had different training zones. We had to turn up wearing masks. We had to register our attendance. We couldn't mix groups. We had to keep 100m away from the next group. We had to take our bag of balls with us wherever we went and sanitise at the end of the session. It was pretty intense and took a hell of a lot of organisation. But as we said earlier, it was a privilege to be playing cricket.

Morale was high and the training groups worked. The training intensity was great.

I would like to say a massive thank you and well done to the committee to get us up and running. It was a massive team effort led by the awesome Angelo Portelli, our Covid Officer. Thank you, Ang, for all your efforts.

We had an outdoor pre-season of 2.5 weeks before the season started. This included an intraclub T20 practice game for 36 players and a practice game against Ormond to go through the Covid protocols. The season started Saturday 21 November.

Restrictions relaxed, the groups remained.

To quote Cam when I discussed this with him towards the end of the season, the real highlight has been how many people we have had at training. One night we had 60 players train! We had to have 5 training zones that night. And everyone has been enthusiastic despite some not so great results. Everyone trained hard until the end of the season like we were playing finals; which is a huge pat on the back to everyone and the culture we have achieved. Let's take it through to next year.

We couldn't have any overseas players so the loss of Jonny and Fred was big, but that gave a huge opportunity to younger players to step up. We welcomed new players Jacob Kerr with the Mullet, Tom Anderson "Tando", Daniel "Turts" Turton, Hayden Chrzanowski "The Russian", a 16 year old Robert Larcher who played 4's, 3's then 2's, and several other young players such as Raj Kuver and Charlie Wolf. And the club welcomed back Tim Bourke.

Young players stepped up like Ben Cooper and Henry Bennett who played much of last the year in the 2's and 3's and James Earp from the twos who was averaging 40 in the ones! Tom Ashman was the leading wicket taker not just in the 2^{nd} XI but for the club and Tom Bradshaw has come a long way and bowling superbly in the 3^{rd} XI along with Noah Portelli who is coming along too. Paddy Homberg was another that stepped up. It was great exposure for these younger lads. We believed in them and they came to believe too.

I hope we can take the momentum we built through the in-season training and the success we had during the second half of the season into next year. Go Wicks!

Match Results

<u>Rd</u>	<u>Home Team</u>		<u>Away Team</u>	Venue
1	Elsternwick 101	def by	Noble Park 4/105	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
2	Croydon 7/115	def	Elsternwick 114	Croydon Park
3	Elsternwick 89	def by	Ormond 2/91	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
4	Elsternwick 6/150(cc)	def	Moorabbin 144	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
5	Oakleigh 5/188(cc)	def	Elsternwick 10/135	D.W. Nicoll Reserve
6	Elsternwick 7/147(cc)	def	Bayswater 7/103(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
7	Box Hill 8/187(cc)	def	Elsternwick 9/137(cc)	Box Hill City Oval
8	Elsternwick 7/118(cc)	def by	Brighton 4/189(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
9	Malvern 2/97	def	Elsternwick 4/93(cc)	Malvern Cricket Ground
10	Elsternwick 4/129	def	Endeavr Hills 9/127(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
11	Mt Waverley 7/186	def	Elsternwick 6/185(cc)	Mount Waverley Reserve
12	Elsternwick 9/154(cc)	def	Balwyn 115	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
13	Caulfield 9/159(cc)	def	Elsternwick 4/153(cc)	Caulfield Park Oval 1

It became apparent during the Covid affected off-season that 2020/21 would be a very different year of cricket. Our preparation was severely hampered by the extended lockdown but we made the best of it with online sessions focusing on fitness and developing our trademark/KPIs, expertly led by Lachy Baker (aka Aero Bakes) and Ben Cavey respectively. Finally, after months apart, a short 3-week pre-season ensued for us to get used to check ins, sanitizing balls (much to the disgust of the swing bowlers) and small training groups.

My season didn't get off to a good start, breaking my finger in the second training session and missing the practice match against Ormond and Round 1 against Noble Park. While this was a frustrating set-back personally, it provided newly appointed Vice-Captain Callum Sinclair with a fantastic opportunity to lead the team and others a chance to step up to support him.

Despite a loss in round 1, I was very proud of the way Callum led the team and the camaraderie the group displayed. Jacob Kerr made his 1st XI debut after two impressive preseasons with the club. The 6-wicket loss against Noble Park did not reflect the performance. A number of players made starts, early wickets were taken, and had a couple of difficult chances been taken in the field, it would have made for a very tight run chase. Round 2 saw us head out to Croydon and again show promise before making some crucial mistakes at important moments in a game we perhaps should have won, given Croydon were 7-95 in comparison to our 3-95 at the same stage. Pat Gorman scored an impressive 59 and was clearly the most dominant batsmen in a low scoring affair. Henry Bennett almost bowled us to victory in his 1st XI debut, ending with 1-16 off 5 overs which also included a couple of dropped catches.

Ormond defeated us soundly in round 3 and our season looked to be slipping away when Moorabbin, chasing our total of 150, were well placed at 5-135 with four overs to spare. Up stepped Callum Sinclair for perhaps the spell of the season, 4-4 off 11 balls including the wicket of the dangerous Moorabbin Captain. Along with his partner in crime Ben Cooper, we

restricted Moorabbin to 144. This was great reward for Callum's effort over a number of years, he continues to be one of the hardest working players at the club.

We followed this up with a competitive showing against last year's premiers Oakleigh and then a strong win against Bayswater. Wicket keeper batmen James Earp came back into the side after Josh Gorman's injury and batted exceptionally well to score 44 towards the end of the innings and help us post a competitive total. The bowlers did the rest with our most blue-collar performance of the season. Hugh Bennett was the star taking 4-11 from his 8 overs and was well supported by Callum Sinclair (1-15), Jacob Kerr (1-16) and Lachy Baker (1-10). James continued his good form in the losses to Box Hill (41 no) and Malvern (32 no), which was, aside from the debut of Steve Daniels, the highlight of this period of the season.

Our final four games of the season were much more promising, with a number of players starting to become comfortable at 1st XI level and putting together consistent performances. We defeated Endeavour Hills and Balwyn in this run and took both Mt Waverley and eventual premiers Caulfield to the final over in a 3 wicket loss and 6 run loss respectively. Ben Cooper was the match winner against Balwyn, following up his previous weeks performance of 3 for 24 against Mt Waverley with 5 for 23 and 22 incredibly valuable runs. After playing in the 3rd XI final last season, Ben developed into one of the 1st XI's most valuable players in 2020/21, bowling the bulk of his overs with an older ball, into the wind, scoring the third highest aggregate runs and consistently demonstrating his outstanding fielding prowess.

I would like to congratulate Lachlan Baker on his second Club Champion award and Wickas Award. Lachy was one of our most consistent performers, to the extent that he was awarded votes in all bar one of the 13 games. Beyond his run and wicket aggregates, what stood out most to me was his bowling economy rate of 3.15. Often Lachy was thrown the ball in the back end of innings, sometimes with batsmen well set, and he always made an impact, whether it be through taking a wicket or bowling a number of dot balls to put pressure back on the opposition. He was incredibly supportive of his teammates, worked as hard as anyone to prepare himself for the season and thoroughly deserved all the accolades and rewards that he received on presentation night.

<u>Ladder</u>

							Wkts	Runs	Wkts	Runs		
	<u>Club</u>	<u>W2</u>	<u>W1</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>L1</u>	<u>L2</u>	Lost	<u>For</u>	<u>Tkn</u>	Agst	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Oakleigh	0	11	1	1	0	68	1743	109	1263	69	2.21
2	Caulfield	0	11	1	1	0	71	1944	104	1729	69	1.65
3	Malvern	0	11	0	2	0	71	1952	102	1836	66	1.53
4	Brighton	0	10	1	2	0	66	2124	105	1883	63	1.79
5	Ormond	0	8	0	5	0	94	1844	107	1543	48	1.36
6	Box Hill	0	7	0	6	0	100	1975	99	1832	42	1.07
7	Mt Waverley	0	6	0	7	0	99	1942	96	1984	36	0.95
8	Noble Park	0	6	0	7	0	99	2004	88	2159	36	0.83
9	Croydon	0	5	0	8	0	103	1842	83	1976	30	0.75
10	Elsternwick	0	4	0	9	0	96	1705	84	1806	24	0.83
11	Bayswater	0	3	1	9	0	99	1965	101	2074	21	0.97
12	Balwyn	0	3	0	10	0	115	1686	92	1828	18	0.74
13	Moorabbin	0	2	0	11	0	115	1469	90	1989	12	0.58
14	Endeavour Hills	0	2	0	11	0	119	1703	55	1996	12	0.39



Stephen Daniels vs Moorabbin (T20)

I would like to thank a number of people for their support of the 1st XI this season. John Dunnachie and the wider committee did an incredible job in difficult circumstances getting us organised to play cricket, in particular Ang Portelli in the unenviable role as Covid Officer! Ben Cavey was an outstanding appointment as coach and despite all the challenges that Covid presented, he led the coaching panel and players exceptionally well. Matt Harrison, David Halligan and Ray Street presented us with excellent facilities every week that were a pleasure on which to play. The indomitable Colin Shimell also had to adapt as scorer and, as always, did it with aplomb. I would also like to thank Callum for his support and leadership this season and all the players for giving their absolute all every week.

This will be my final 1st XI report. It has been a great honour to lead the 1st XI and I am very excited to hand the reins over to LJ and support him and the team to achieve sustained success.

Cameron Christiansen 1st XI Captain

Batting Averages

Name	<u>Games</u>	Inn	<u>NO</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>HS</u>	<u>100's</u>	<u>50's</u>
Cameron Christiansen	12	12	4	394	49.3	81 no	0	2
Lachlan Baker	13	13	1	245	20.4	34	0	0
Ben Cooper	13	12	1	158	14.4	24	0	0
Daniel Edwards	12	12	0	146	12.2	28	0	0
James Earp	10	9	4	140	28.0	44 no	0	0
Joshua Gorman	6	6	1	111	22.2	47 no	0	0
Luke Williams	9	9	0	99	11.0	18	0	0
Patrick Gorman	7	6	0	72	12.0	59	0	1
Callum Sinclair	13	10	2	58	7.3	15	0	0
Stephen Daniels	5	5	0	55	11.0	28	0	0
Henry Bennett	11	5	2	24	8.0	18	0	0
Hugh Bennett	13	8	4	17	4.3	5 no	0	0
William Smith	3	3	0	13	4.3	11	0	0
Max Nethercott	1	1	0	8	8.0	8	0	0
Jacob Kerr	13	5	2	3	1.0	2 no	0	0
Timothy Bourke	1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Conrad Rzechorzek	1	0					0	0

Notable Batting Performances

<u>Name</u>	Opponent	<u>Score</u>
Cameron Christiansen	Mount Waverley	81 no
Cameron Christiansen	Endeavour Hills	59 no
Patrick Gorman	Croydon	59

Partnerships

<u>Wkt</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>	Opponent
1^{st}	64	Lachlan Baker	&	Stephen Daniels	Balwyn
2^{nd}	32	Lachlan Baker	&	Cameron Christiansen	Bayswater
3^{rd}	52	Cameron Christiansen	&	Daniel Edwards	Oakleigh
4 th	52	Cameron Christiansen	&	Daniel Edwards	Moorabbin
5^{th}	98*	Cameron Christiansen	&	Joshua Gorman	Endeavour Hills
6 th	57	Cameron Christiansen	&	James Earp	Bayswater
7 th	31	Ben Cooper	&	Callum Sinclair	Brighton
/	31	Ben Cooper	&	Callum Sinclair	Balwyn
8^{th}	22	James Earp	&	Hugh Bennett	Box Hill
9 th	37	James Earp	&	Henry Bennett	Box Hill
10^{th}	2*	Jacob Kerr	&	Henry Bennett	Balwyn

Bowling Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Overs</u>	<u>Mdns</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	Best	<u>5WI 10</u>	WM
Lachlan Baker	62.0	5	12	195	16.3	3/27	0	0
Callum Sinclair	75.4	9	14	307	21.9	4/12	0	0
Hugh Bennett	85.0	15	13	298	22.9	4/11	0	0
Ben Cooper	74.5	6	13	304	23.4	5/23	1	0
Henry Bennett	56.0	1	9	271	30.1	2/25	0	0
Jacob Kerr	70.0	11	8	256	32.0	3/36	0	0
Patrick Gorman	24.5	2	4	129	32.3	2/33	0	0
Luke Williams	2.2	0	2	11	5.5	2/11	0	0
Daniel Edwards	4.0	0	1	11	11.0	1/11	0	0

Notable Bowling Performances

<u>Name</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	Wkts
Ben Cooper	Balwyn	5/23
Hugh Bennett	Bayswater	4/11
Callum Sinclair	Moorabbin	4/12
Callum Sinclair	Caulfield	4/32
Ben Cooper	Mount Waverley	3/24
Lachlan Baker	Mount Waverley	3/27
Jacob Kerr	Box Hill	3/36

Fielding

<u>Name</u>	Catches	<u>Stumpings</u>
James Earp	12	0
Ben Cooper	6	
Cameron Christiansen	5	
Daniel Edwards	5	
Joshua Gorman	4	1
Jacob Kerr	4	



Jacob Kerr vs Moorabbin (T20)

Match Results

<u>Rd</u>	<u>Home Team</u>		<u>Away Team</u>	Venue
1	Noble Park 7/177(cc)	def	Elsternwick130	Pat Wright Senior Oval
2	Elsternwick 10/119	def by	Croydon 7/180(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
3	Ormond 197	def	Elsternwick 5/71	E.E Gunn Reserve Oval 1
4	Moorabbin 8/128	def by	Elsternwick 7/199(cc)	Moorleigh Village Reserve
5	Elsternwick 70	def by	Oakleigh 4/170(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
6	Bayswater 6/210(cc)	def	Elsternwick7/139(cc)	Bayswater Oval
7	Elsternwick 159	def by	Box Hill 6/160	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
8	Brighton 0/122	def	Elsternwick 8/119(cc)	Brighton Beach Oval
9	Elsternwick 98	def by	Malvern 8/99	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
10	Endeavour Hills 101	def by	Elsternwick 123	Sydney Pargeter Reserve
11	Elsternwick 2/168	def	Mt Waverley 7/166(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
12	Balwyn 9/131	def by	Elsternwick8/148(cc)	Gordon Barnard Res Oval 1
13	Elsternwick 6/104(cc)	def by	Caulfield 6/201(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1

<u>Ladder</u>

							Wkts	Runs	Wkts	Runs		
	<u>Club</u>	<u>W2</u>	<u>W1</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>L1</u>	<u>L2</u>	Lost	<u>For</u>	<u>Tkn</u>	Agst	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Oakleigh	0	11	0	2	0	65	1747	119	1239	66	2.58
2	Brighton	0	11	0	2	0	62	1923	101	1773	66	1.77
3	Bayswater	0	11	0	2	0	79	2004	77	1755	66	1.11
4	Croydon	0	10	0	3	0	78	2049	108	1538	60	1.84
5	Ormond	0	9	0	4	0	79	2013	90	1697	54	1.35
6	Malvern	0	8	0	5	0	80	1712	103	1644	48	1.34
7	Caulfield	0	6	0	7	0	103	1864	92	1951	36	0.85
8	Noble Park	0	5	0	8	0	105	1806	80	1880	30	0.73
9	Box Hill	0	4	0	9	0	90	1636	83	1723	24	0.88
10	Mt Waverley	0	4	0	9	0	101	2053	78	2080	24	0.76
11	Balwyn	0	4	0	9	0	90	1691	81	2051	24	0.74
12	Elsternwick	0	4	0	9	0	103	1647	82	1832	24	0.72
13	Endeavour Hills	0	3	0	10	0	105	1661	94	1841	18	0.81
14	Moorabbin	0	1	0	12	0	113	1468	58	2131	6	0.35

Partnerships

<u>Wkt</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>	Opponent
1^{st}	86	Stephen Daniels	&	Conrad Rzechorzek	Moorabbin
2^{nd}	38	Conrad Rzechorzek	&	Joseph Turmine	Brighton
3 rd	83*	Stephen Daniels	&	Timothy Bourke	Mount Waverley
4 th	38	Patrick Gorman	&	Joshua Gorman	Malvern
5 th	55	Timothy Bourke	&	Robert Larcher	Endeavour Hills
6 th	33*	Patrick Homberg	&	Steven Jackson	Ormond
7 th	46	Joshua Gorman	&	Steven Jackson	Moorabbin
8 th	29*	Steven Jackson	&	Thomas Foley	Moorabbin
9 th	41	Henry Bennett	&	Thomas Foley	Noble Park
10^{th}	17	Thomas Ashman	&	Tom Anderson	Box Hill

Batting Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Inn</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>HS</u>	<u>100's</u>	<u>50's</u>
Stephen Daniels	6	6	1	221	44.2	102 no	1	1
Timothy Bourke	10	10	1	157	17.4	47	0	0
Conrad Rzechorzek	10	10	0	142	14.2	31	0	0
Steven Jackson	13	12	4	99	12.4	28	0	0
Patrick Homberg	8	7	3	84	21.0	31 no	0	0
Joseph Turmine	6	6	0	84	14.0	52	0	1
Thomas Foley	13	10	4	72	12.0	19	0	0
Bradley Marks	9	7	0	66	9.4	18	0	0
Joshua Gorman	2	2	0	61	30.5	37	0	0
Max Nethercott	5	5	0	61	12.2	26	0	0
Robert Larcher	5	4	1	60	20.0	25 no	0	0
Patrick Gorman	3	3	0	59	19.7	35	0	0
Tom Anderson	9	5	0	51	10.2	17	0	0
James Earp	2	2	0	45	22.5	27	0	0
Fraser Brierly	9	8	1	43	6.1	13 no	0	0
Benjamin Hall	5	5	0	38	7.6	16	0	0
Thomas Ashman	12	6	3	28	9.3	14	0	0
Henry Bennett	1	1	1	24		24 no	0	0
Daniel Turton	4	4	0	23	5.8	11	0	0
Luke Williams	2	2	0	22	11.0	16	0	0
Cooper Davies	1	1	0	2	2.0	2	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	1	1	1	1		1 no	0	0
Thomas Bradshaw	1	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	0
Jackson Hall	8	4	0	1	0.3	1	0	0
Venkat Vijay	5	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Tiernan Crowley	1	0					0	0
Owen Harrison	1	0					0	0
Noah Portelli	1	0					0	0

Notable Batting Performances

<u>Name</u>	Opponent	Score
Stephen Daniels	Mount Waverley	102 no
Stephen Daniels	Moorabbin	52
Joseph Turmine	Box Hill	52

Bowling Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Overs</u>	<u>Mdns</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>Best</u>	<u>5WI</u>	<u>10WM</u>
Thomas Ashman	79.2	9	16	296	18.5	4/41	0	0
Steven Jackson	76.0	8	13	300	23.1	5/15	1	0
Thomas Foley	91.3	3	15	420	28.0	3/32	0	0
Tom Anderson	49.0	5	7	211	30.1	4/31	0	0
Stephen Daniels	23.0	2	6	106	17.7	3/28	0	0
Jackson Hall	43.0	7	6	169	28.2	1/12	0	0
Patrick Homberg	25.0	5	5	92	18.4	2/14	0	0
Henry Bennett	8.0	2	3	19	6.3	3/19	0	0
Patrick Gorman	14.3	1	3	63	21.0	2/30	0	0
Owen Harrison	6.0	1	2	37	18.5	2/37	0	0
Thomas Bradshaw	8.0	0	2	45	22.5	2/45	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	4.0	1	1	22	22.0	1/22	0	0
Venkat Vijay	31.0	4	1	131	131.0	1/19	0	0
Noah Portelli	7.0	0	0	41			0	0
Tiernan Crowley	4.0	0	0	30			0	0
Robert Larcher	1.0	0	0	11			0	0

Notable Bowling Performances

<u>Name</u>	Opponent	<u>Wkts</u>
Steven Jackson	Endeavour Hills	5/15
Tom Anderson	Moorabbin	4/31
Thomas Ashman	Ormond	4/41
Thomas Ashman	Malvern	3/15
Henry Bennett	Noble Park	3/19
Stephen Daniels	Ormond	3/28
Thomas Foley	Malvern	3/32
Thomas Foley	Mount Waverley	3/40

Fielding

<u>Name</u>	Catches	<u>Stumpings</u>
Fraser Brierly	8	0
Thomas Foley	5	
Timothy Bourke	4	
Bradley Marks	4	

Match Results

<u>Rd</u>	Home Team		Away Team	Venue
1	Elsternwick 6/162(cc)	def	Noble Park 82	Holmes-Todd Oval
2	Croydon 84	def by	Elsternwick 4/89(cc)	Fred Geale Oval
3	Elsternwick 9/142(cc)	def by	Ormond 9/143	Holmes-Todd Oval
4	Elsternwick 146	def by	Moorabbin 177	Holmes-Todd Oval
5	Oakleigh 6/137(cc)	def	Elsternwick 8/75(cc)	W.A. Scammell Reserve
6	Elsternwick 6/174(cc)	def	Bayswater 9/153	Holmes-Todd Oval
7	Box Hill	drew	Elsternwick	Springfield Park
8	Elsternwick 2/102	def	Brighton 101	Holmes-Todd Oval
9	Malvern	drew	Elsternwick	T.H. King Oval
10	Elsternwick 5/194	def by	Endeav Hills 4/201(cc)	Holmes-Todd Oval
11	Mt Waverley 5/139	def	Elsternwick7/138(cc)	Pinewood Reserve
12	Elsternwick 9/162(cc)	def	Balwyn 7/158(cc)	Holmes-Todd Oval
13	Caulfield 134	def	Elsternwick 122	Caulfield Park Oval 2

My first season as captain of the 3rd XI was an "almost was" season. The side just missed out on finals, finishing 8th. This was a fair reflection of the side's performance over the season. We lost to every team above us and beat every team below us. We had some close games and had we won those close games; it would have been a different season.

As a result of the Covid reduced season, all matches were played as 40 over one day games with a red ball but in whites. We were all happy to be playing and the enthusiasm was sky high. It was a privilege to be playing cricket and a privilege to be playing with such a great bunch and such great facilities.

There was competition for places, and it was great to see some great young talent come through as well as welcome some new faces. The old faces did their job too. Notable performances are listed below but I can honestly say that everyone that played in the 3^{rd} XI did something special in at least one game, whether it was with the bat, the ball or in the field, so I am not going to individualise here. We were a team and played as a team.

It was a pleasure to play with and captain such a great set of lads and see so many grow as cricketers and people.

I wish all teams a successful season 2021/22. Go Wicks!

Ben Cavey 3rd XI Captain

<u>Ladder</u>

							Wkts	Runs	Wkts	Runs		
	<u>Club</u>	<u>W2</u>	<u>W1</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>L1</u>	<u>L2</u>	Lost	<u>For</u>	<u>Tkn</u>	<u>Agst</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Oakleigh	0	9	1	3	0	70	1451	103	1265	57	1.69
2	Mt Waverley	0	9	1	3	0	82	1843	98	1598	57	1.38
3	Moorabbin	0	9	1	3	0	97	1889	92	1915	57	0.94
4	Ormond	0	8	2	3	0	92	1463	94	1367	54	1.09
5	Malvern	0	7	2	4	0	68	1727	89	1613	48	1.40
6	Caulfield	0	6	1	6	0	86	1680	86	1648	39	1.02
7	Endeavour Hills	0	6	1	6	0	87	1728	71	1679	39	0.84
8	Elsternwick	0	5	2	6	0	76	1506	90	1509	36	1.18
9	Croydon	0	5	2	6	0	67	1480	72	1514	36	1.05
10	Brighton	0	4	2	7	0	82	1675	73	1686	30	0.88
11	Bayswater	0	4	1	8	0	96	1704	73	1580	27	0.82
12	Box Hill	0	3	2	8	0	82	1678	65	1751	24	0.76
13	Balwyn	0	3	1	9	0	90	1466	81	1789	21	0.74
14	Noble Park	0	3	1	9	0	103	1366	91	1742	21	0.69

Partnerships

<u>Wkt</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>	Opponent
1^{st}	122	Andrew Chisholm	&	Benjamin Hall	Balwyn
2^{nd}	53	Benjamin Hall	&	Robert Larcher	Brighton
3 rd	47	Benjamin Cavey	&	Cooper Davies	Mount Waverley
4 th	116	Benjamin Cavey	&	Nigel Couzens	Bayswater
5 th	48	Noah Portelli	&	Andrew Chisholm	Ormond
6 th	18*	Andrew Chisholm	&	Nigel Couzens	Endeavour Hills
7 th	19	Andrew Chisholm	&	Thomas Bradshaw	Oakleigh
8^{th}	28	Noah Portelli	&	Hayden Chrzanowski	Moorabbin
9 th	18*	Andrew Chisholm	&	James Collins	Oakleigh
10^{th}	6	Noah Portelli	&	Thomas Bradshaw	Moorabbin

Batting Averages

Name	Games	<u>Inn</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>HS</u>	<u>100's</u>	<u>50's</u>
Andrew Chisholm	10	8	2	331	55.2	98 no	0	3
Benjamin Cavey	11	10	3	208	29.7	73 no	0	2
Benjamin Hall	7	7	1	163	27.2	50 no	0	1
Joseph Turmine	7	7	0	82	11.7	20	0	0
Patrick Homberg	2	2	0	75	37.5	39	0	0
Nigel Couzens	11	8	3	75	15.0	47	0	0
Robert Larcher	6	5	1	59	14.8	38	0	0
Noah Portelli	7	7	1	56	9.3	16	0	0
Fraser Brierly	4	4	0	51	12.8	20	0	0
Samuel Groves	2	2	0	48	24.0	24	0	0
Hayden Chrzanowski	10	7	1	43	7.2	20	0	0
Daniel Turton	5	5	0	30	6.0	14	0	0
Cooper Davies	2	2	0	29	14.5	19	0	0
Jack Johnston	4	3	1	27	13.5	13	0	0
William Long	1	1	0	20	20.0	20	0	0
Thomas Ashman	1	1	1	11		11 no	0	0
George Johnston	4	3	1	10	5.0	10 no	0	0
Thomas Bradshaw	10	5	1	10	2.5	7	0	0
James Collins	1	1	1	9		9 no	0	0
Raj Kuver	3	2	0	8	4.0	8	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	4	2	1	5	5.0	4 no	0	0
Tom Anderson	2	1	0	3	3.0	3	0	0
Owen Harrison	8	2	1	2	2.0	1 no	0	0
Jackson Hall	1	1	1	1		1 no	0	0
Tiernan Crowley	1	0					0	0
Daniel Smith	1	0					0	0
Neal Smith	2	0					0	0
Venkat Vijay	2	0					0	0

Notable Batting Performances

Opponent	<u>Score</u>
Endeavour Hills	98 no
Bayswater	73 no
Balwyn	62
Caulfield	51
Brighton	50 no
Mount Waverley	50
	Endeavour Hills Bayswater Balwyn Caulfield Brighton

Bowling Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Overs</u>	<u>Mdns</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>Best</u>	<u>5WI</u>	<u>10WM</u>
Owen Harrison	50.5	5	12	177	14.8	5/18	1	0
Thomas Bradshaw	52.0	8	10	176	17.6	3/17	0	0
Hayden Chrzanowski	60.1	5	10	249	24.9	3/25	0	0
Benjamin Cavey	41.2	5	8	145	18.1	4/24	0	0
Nigel Couzens	32.4	8	7	103	14.7	2/13	0	0
Jack Johnston	32.0	3	7	120	17.1	3/20	0	0
Noah Portelli	16.3	2	5	70	14.0	3/5	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	11.0	0	4	81	20.3	2/41	0	0
Robert Larcher	13.0	2	3	49	16.3	2/12	0	0
Tom Anderson	13.0	2	2	36	18.0	2/12	0	0
Neal Smith	13.0	1	2	42	21.0	1/8	0	0
George Johnston	28.0	5	2	89	44.5	1/14	0	0
Thomas Ashman	6.0	2	2	12	6.0	2/12	0	0
Jackson Hall	8.0	2	2	17	8.5	2/17	0	0
Tiernan Crowley	8.0	3	1	18	18.0	1/18	0	0
Venkat Vijay	10.0	1	1	23	23.0	1/12	0	0
Samuel Groves	11.3	1	1	41	41.0	1/9	0	0
James Collins	3.0	1	0	13			0	0
Andrew Chisholm	1.2	1	0	3			0	0
Raj Kuver	1.0	0	0	13			0	0

Notable Bowling Performances

<u>Name</u>	Opponent	<u>Wkts</u>
Owen Harrison	Noble Park	5/18
Benjamin Cavey	Brighton	4/24
Noah Portelli	Croydon	3/5
Owen Harrison	Brighton	3/13
Thomas Bradshaw	Croydon	3/17
Jack Johnston	Mount Waverley	3/20
Hayden Chrzanowski	Ormond	3/25
Hayden Chrzanowski	Noble Park	3/26

Fielding

Name	Catches	<u>Stumpings</u>
Benjamin Hall	12	1
Fraser Brierly	7	
Hayden Chrzanowski	5	
Nigel Couzens	5	
Benjamin Cavey	4	

<u>Rd</u> Home Team	<u>Away Team</u>	Venue
1 Noble Park 8/143(cc)	def by Elsternwick 6/157(cc)	Warner Reserve
2 Elsternwick 3/153	def Croydon 6/149(cc)	Holmes-Todd Oval
3 Ormond 189	def Elsternwick 4/111	E.E Gunn Reserve Oval 2
4 Moorabbin 8/139(cc)	def by Elsternwick 6/145(cc)	E.E Gunn Reserve Oval 3
5 Elsternwick 5/109(cc)	def by Oakleigh 4/201(cc)	Holmes-Todd Oval
6 Bayswater 7/176(cc)	def Elsternwick 8/115(cc)	Bayswater Park
7 Elsternwick 3/151(cc)	def by Box Hill 3/152	Holmes-Todd Oval
8 Brighton 3/137	def Elsternwick 9/133(cc)	Dendy Park Oval 3
9 Elsternwick	drew Malvern	Holmes-Todd Oval
10 Endeavour Hills 2/76	def Elsternwick 75	Sydney Pargeter Reserve
11 Elsternwick 4/139(cc)	def by Mt Waverley 4/143	Holmes-Todd Oval
12 Balwyn 8/111(cc)	def by Elsternwick 6/114(cc	Gordon Barnard Res Oval 2
13 Elsternwick 8/134	def by Caulfield 9/191(cc)	Holmes-Todd Oval

Match Results

It was a season like no other at for the 4th XI in 2020/21. A late start to the season due to Covid restrictions meant that the side played 35 over one day games with a red ball and white clothing for the whole season. The side was fortunate to have Angelo Portelli, the club Covid Officer in the side to ensure that protocols were followed to an acceptable degree. Just managing players at drinks breaks and preventing them going into the rooms was a challenge in itself. Communal afternoon tea and drinks quickly became a distant memory.

A major problem for the side, particularly as the season progressed, was that it was quite unbalanced. The side lacked batters and consequently was heavy with bowlers. It was very difficult to give everyone a go with the ball when there were 8 or 9 bowlers selected and only 35 overs to allocate. Second spells were a rarity. Consequently, players were required to sacrifice aspects of their game so that everyone got a chance to participate in some manner. Young Charlie Wolf was a case in point, who, despite being more than worth a bowl, only got 3 overs in his 6 matches.

The side was probably at its strongest early in the season, and this showed in the early results. The 4th XI had a good win over Noble Park first up, with Sam Groves securing the win with a hat-trick that no one initially realized had occurred. Sam certainly didn't get any support from the captain with the field for his hat-trick ball.

This was followed with a win against Croydon in the second round with Sam Groves proving that he was playing below his level scoring a well-made, albeit hardly chanceless 53. It was the last the 4th XI would see of Sam for the season.

A comprehensive loss to Ormond followed, according to Duckworth-Lewis, though we never did see the calculation. A win next up against Moorabbin in the captain's 400th game was very gratifying. It came on the back of a fine 57 from Charlie Wolf who batted at 4 in the six games he played. Charlie played in our JG Craig side in 2019/20 and 2020/21 and it was unusual to see a player of his age and size strike the ball through the field as well as he did during the year. It was unfortunate that we didn't see Charlie more in the season due to school cricket commitments. He is a player to watch.

At this stage the 4th XI was 3 wins from 4 matches and trying not to think too far ahead with more difficult opponents to come. A string of losses to Oakleigh, Bayswater, Box Hill, and Brighton quickly brought the side back down to earth. A bad loss away to Endeavour Hills when we had several fill-in players put an end to any finals hopes for the side. Why is it that we are always short for away matches at Endeavour Hills?

The last three games saw some good performances from the side's younger players. Noah Portelli and Tiernan Crowley put on an unbeaten 53 run partnership against Mount Waverley and proved they are beyond 4th XI. Tim Fonda mesmerized the Balwyn top order with a fine spell of left arm swing bowling. Tim had perfect rhythm and hooped the ball back to the right handers getting three of the "plumbest" LBWs you would ever hope to see. He completed the rout of the top order with his variation ball pushed across the right hander to emphasize his mastery of his craft and the Balwyn batters.



In the final match of the season against Caulfield James Collins and Tadgh Crowley smashed a 67 run partnership for the 7th wicket. Despite never being in the hunt for the win, the boys added some respectability to an otherwise mediocre batting performance. Hopefully the boys will take some confidence from this effort. James never rates his batting but hopefully now realizes that he can have an impact. Tadgh should understand that his technique is quite sound and with some work he can turn himself into a handy allrounder.

As stated previously batting depth was a problem for the side and it was disappointing that the top three run scorers are all well past 50 years of age. Greater depth in the club will hopefully see some better credentialled batters playing in the 4th XI next season.

The Covid enforced change to the structure of training meant that players spent more time practicing their fielding in structured activities than ever before. Unfortunately, this was not reflected on field with the 4th XI as a whole performing this important facet of the game extremely poorly. In one late season game, on the manicured surrounds of the Holmes-Todd Oval, the side managed 9 fielding errors in the first 12 balls of the match (including failing to return the ball to the bowler without it hitting the ground). It took the captain to call a halt to the match to address this with the team to see an improvement in the fielding. The lapses in fielding are typically mental and players need to take personal pride and responsibility for their performance in this area. Poor fielding has and continues to cost the side wins each season. Improved match day performance will only come with an improved attitude at training.

The bowling certainly lacked penetration at times, and it was difficult for bowlers to build pressure in what were typically very short spells. It was good to see some of the more senior players at the club come back to the 4th XI and perform well. It is hoped that bowling figures will be helped significantly by an improved fielding effort next season.

The season cannot run without the efforts of people both on and off the park. On behalf of the 4^{th} XI, I would like to thank: -

- Matt Harrison, David Halligan, Ray Street and Mark Dunstan who prepared excellent wickets.
- > David Long and Paul Whitehead, our club umpires.
- Danny Smith our Chairmen of Selectors.
- > John Dunnachie for his help organizing the side and setting fields.

Last seasons report concluded with the comment that one of the key aims of the 4th XI was to ensure everyone got a fair go to participate and show their skills. In a difficult season, I hope all the 4th XI players enjoyed their cricket and are keen to continue in the next.

Bryan Hammer 4th XI Captain

Ladder

							Wkts	Runs	Wkts	Runs		
	<u>Club</u>	<u>W2</u>	<u>W1</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>L1</u>	<u>L2</u>	Lost	<u>For</u>	<u>Tkn</u>	Agst	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Brighton	0	9	1	3	0	59	1473	98	1302	57	1.88
2	Malvern	0	9	1	3	0	61	1773	86	1573	57	1.59
3	Box Hill	0	9	1	3	0	76	1847	81	1778	57	1.11
4	Oakleigh	0	8	2	3	0	63	1429	87	1189	54	1.66
5	Endeavour Hills	0	6	4	3	0	67	1172	81	1236	48	1.15
6	Caulfield	0	7	2	4	0	92	1683	89	1504	48	1.08
7	Bayswater	0	7	1	5	0	87	1745	86	1378	45	1.25
8	Ormond	0	6	2	5	0	95	1637	94	1362	42	1.19
9	Mt Waverley	0	5	2	6	0	82	1367	76	1491	36	0.85
10	Elsternwick	0	4	1	8	0	72	1536	72	1807	27	0.85
11	Noble Park	0	3	2	8	0	88	1365	74	1752	24	0.66
12	Croydon	0	3	1	9	0	80	1584	61	1757	21	0.69
13	Moorabbin	0	2	2	9	0	98	1302	59	1373	18	0.57
14	Balwyn	0	1	2	10	0	95	1101	71	1512	12	0.54

Partnerships

<u>Wkt</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Name		<u>Name</u>	Opponent
1^{st}	96	Bryan Hammer	&	Samuel Groves	Croydon
2^{nd}	50	John Dunnachie	&	Noah Portelli	Mount Waverley
3 rd	82	John Dunnachie	&	Charlie Wolf	Ormond
4 th	87	Charlie Wolf	&	Mark Dunstan	Moorabbin
5^{th}	53*	Noah Portelli	&	Tiernan Crowley	Mount Waverley
6 th	20*	Jeremy Emrose	&	Tiernan Crowley	Oakleigh
7 th	67	James Collins	&	Tadhg Crowley	Caulfield
8 th	17	Thomas Smith	&	James Peters	Brighton
9 th	15	Alec Abbott	&	Labib Chowdhury	Endeavour Hills
10^{th}	13*	Thomas Smith	&	Tanish Prabhu	Brighton

Batting Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Games</u>	Inn	<u>NO</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>HS</u>	<u>100's</u>	<u>50's</u>
Bryan Hammer	12	12	0	332	27.7	75	0	1
John Dunnachie	11	11	1	209	20.9	57	0	2
Mark Dunstan	12	11	4	121	17.3	29	0	0
Charlie Wolf	6	6	0	116	19.3	57	0	1
Samuel Groves	2	2	0	81	40.5	53	0	1
Noah Portelli	2	2	2	57		37 no	0	0
James Collins	2	2	1	51	51.0	41 no	0	0
Tadhg Crowley	9	4	2	43	21.5	26	0	0
Tiernan Crowley	5	2	1	37	37.0	34 no	0	0
Thomas Smith	1	1	1	34		34 no	0	0
Tyler Emrose	3	3	0	33	11.0	27	0	0
Timothy Fonda	12	6	0	29	4.8	7	0	0
Andrew Tosky	4	4	1	19	6.3	10	0	0
Jeremy Emrose	7	6	3	19	6.3	5 no	0	0
Raj Kuver	5	4	1	16	5.3	12 no	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	5	3	2	14	14.0	10 no	0	0
Thomas Sargent	1	1	0	9	9.0	9	0	0
James Peters	1	1	0	8	8.0	8	0	0
Robert Larcher	1	1	0	8	8.0	8	0	0
Steven Teloniatis	6	2	0	3	1.5	2	0	0
Angelo Portelli	9	3	1	2	1.0	1 no	0	0
Tanish Prabhu	4	1	1	2		2 no	0	0
Neal Smith	4	2	1	1	1.0	1	0	0
Alec Abbott	7	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Lenny Pinnegar	1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Luca Reid	1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Jackson Hall	3	0					0	0
Daniel Smith	1	0					0	0
Venkat Vijay	1	0					0	0

Notable Batting Performances

<u>Name</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Score</u>
Bryan Hammer	Noble Park	75
John Dunnachie	Box Hill	57
Charlie Wolf	Moorabbin	57
Samuel Groves	Croydon	53
John Dunnachie	Ormond	52

Bowling Averages

Name	<u>Overs</u>	<u>Mdns</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	Best	<u>5WI</u>	<u>10WM</u>
Tiernan Crowley	30.0	2	9	113	12.6	4/31	0	0
Timothy Fonda	62.0	8	8	271	33.9	4/14	0	0
Steven Teloniatis	30.0	1	5	175	35.0	2/26	0	0
James Collins	11.0	0	5	34	6.8	3/14	0	0
Neal Smith	13.0	3	4	58	14.5	2/23	0	0
Jackson Hall	21.0	3	4	67	16.8	3/20	0	0
Alec Abbott	16.0	0	4	129	32.3	1/24	0	0
Samuel Groves	6.0	1	3	32	10.7	3/20	0	0
Raj Kuver	12.1	0	3	50	16.7	1/14	0	0
Tanish Prabhu	12.4	0	3	69	23.0	1/4	0	0
Tadhg Crowley	39.0	4	3	179	59.7	1/13	0	0
Robert Larcher	5.0	1	2	13	6.5	2/13	0	0
Venkat Vijay	6.0	3	2	14	7.0	2/14	0	0
Mark Dunstan	41.1	6	2	157	78.5	1/14	0	0
Angelo Portelli	27.0	3	2	169	84.5	1/32	0	0
Luca Reid	5.0	1	1	20	20.0	1/20	0	0
Thomas Smith	6.0	0	1	31	31.0	1/31	0	0
Labib Chowdhury	23.0	1	1	89	89.0	1/7	0	0
Noah Portelli	5.0	1	0	16			0	0
James Peters	4.0	0	0	31			0	0
Charlie Wolf	3.0	0	0	29			0	0
Lenny Pinnegar	3.0	0	0	11			0	0

Notable Bowling Performances

<u>Name</u>	Opponent	Wkts
Timothy Fonda	Balwyn	4/14
Tiernan Crowley	Ormond	4/31
James Collins	Bayswater	3/14
Samuel Groves	Noble Park	3/20 (inc hat-trick)
Jackson Hall	Moorabbin	3/20

Fielding

<u>Name</u>	<u>Catches</u>	<u>Stumpings</u>
Bryan Hammer	8	2
Andrew Tosky	4	

<u>Rd</u>	Home Team		Away Team	Venue
1	Ormond 4/159	def	Elsternwick 8/70(cc)	E.E Gunn Reserve Oval 1
2	Elsternwick	v	BYE	
3	Caulfield	drew	Elsternwick	Caulfield Park Oval 1
4	Elsternwick 5/104(cc)	def by	Brighton 6/130(cc)	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
5	Elsternwick 9/113(cc)	def by	Oakleigh 114	Elsternwick Park Oval 1
6	Malvern 5/165(cc)	def	Elsternwick 54	Malvern Cricket Ground
7	Elsternwick 5/150(cc)	def	Moorabbin 10/126	Elsternwick Park Oval 1

Match Results

It was a great pleasure and privilege to manage the 2021 Elsternwick Cricket Club JG Craig Shield squad for the second year in a row, again with great assistance from David Wolf (South Melbourne Districts CC) and in conjunction with coach Will Smith (a former Craig player himself and current 1st XI player at Elsternwick) and Rory Freeman (also a former Craig player and current Premier Cricket player).

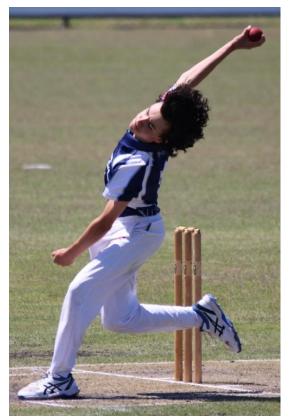
The carnival was once again marred by inclement weather in the early stages which only allowed one Round 1 game to be completed in the whole competition - Elsternwick vs Ormond! This was always going to be a tough encounter for Elsternwick against the Shield favourites. With only three batsmen making into double figures and none taking advantage of their starts, Elsternwick were only able to post a score of 8-70 in the shortened 32 over game. Ormond batsmen took advantage of the improving conditions and were never really troubled posting a score of 4-159 after passing Elsternwick's total early.

After a bye in Round 2 and an abandoned game in Round 3 due to Caulfield's wicket being unplayable, Elsternwick finally got their second match underway against Brighton on the Sunday in Round 4 at home on the No.1 Elsternwick Oval.

A great start by Elsternwick bowling first with Jake Matthews and Noah Portelli taking early wickets and with some tight bowling and two wickets in later stages by Luca Reid, Elsty managed to keep Brighton's score to 6-130. Elsternwick however once again put themselves under pressure with top order wickets falling cheaply. Solid knocks of 41 & 33 from Chris Kellaway and Luke Cannard respectively kept Elsternwick in the hunt through the middle stages but tight bowling by Brighton made sure Elsternwick fell short with 5-104 in the allotted 40 overs.



Will Lourie vs Brighton



Round 5 on the Tuesday shaped up as real opportunity for Elsternwick to post their first win of the competition, playing at home again Oakleigh on Wednesday. against the Elsternwick's bowling stood out again with Oakleigh only posting 114 all out. Our leadership group coming to the fore in the first session with attacking tight bowling from co-Captains Charlie Wolf (2-21) and Noah Portelli (2-11) and Vice-Captain Chis Kellaway (4-16). Finn Wright also bowled a tight line with 1-4 off 8 overs. With pressure on the batting line up already turned up to high, it only got worse when a spate of 4 run outs saw Elsternwick fall to 6-41 in their innings with not a single top order batsman making double figures. A few more cheap wickets saw Elsternwick down at 9-86, but an excellent rear guard action by Noah Portelli and Jake Matthews saw the game come down to the final ball with Elsternwick needing a boundary to win. A seemingly wide ball on the final delivery of the day going past the keeper netted two runs but the wide was not

Noah Portelli vs Brighton

called by the umpire, leaving Elsternwick 1 run short of the target. A very close and exciting end to the game.

Round 6 on the Wednesday saw Elsternwick tested again with a match against the other powerhouse in the southern group of the competition, Malvern, at their home. Very tight attacking bowling from Malvern quicks saw Elsternwick all out for 54 in only 28.3 overs with Luke Cannard (11) and Jake Matthews (18) the two batsmen making double figures. Malvern passed Elsternwick's total easily and early with only 1 wicket down. Some tight bowling by Charlie Wolf (2/17) and Jake Matthews (0/9) managed to keep Malvern on the straight and narrow for short periods but it was not enough to stop them from scoring a sizeable total of 5/165 in their allotted 40 overs.

With no wins so far in the tournament, Elsternwick were back at home for their final game. Batting first, ECC's top order finally switched on with Will Lourie and Liam McCashin putting on a 45 run opening stand and then Liam McCashin again with Chris Kellaway putting on a 53 run 2^{nd} wicket partnership. A late flurry of runs from Ben Lucas and Jake Matthews also helped put up a respectable total of 5-150. A solid but slow start from Moorabbin's openers saw the game in the balance early but some good fielding saw some timely run outs at critical points in the game and overall tight bowling from all bowlers bringing catches in the field also, the best of which from Charlie Wolf with 3-27. Finally – a win and a great way to cap off a couple of weeks of cricket for the boys.

As we said the year before, our carnival was solid at times, with patches of some really good cricket but brought undone with some moments we would like to forget, but hopefully learn from.

A big thanks to parents who helped out during the carnival doing odd jobs and my co-Team Manager David Wolf for not only his help during the tournament but with recruiting several boys outside of our network and helping with training mornings in the cool Sunday mornings in the spring.

Thanks also to Colin Shimell who once again scored our whole carnival – much appreciated by all! A big thanks also to the Elsternwick Cricket Club committee and curator who provided us with the use of our No.1 Oval, club facilities and support throughout our campaign and social events. Fabulous also to have Bryan Hammer and his big lens to take some excellent photos of the boys in action.

And finally, another big thanks to coach Will Smith and assistant coach Rory Freeman who guided the players through the pre-season and the tournament. Go Wicks!

Angelo Portelli JG Craig Manager



Back Row - Will Smith (Head Coach), Luca Reid (Sth Melb Districts), Benjamin Brooks (Bentleigh), Finn Wright (Port Melb), Jake Matthews (East Sandringham), Jackson O'Meara (Le Page Park), Will Blitz (Bentleigh), Luke Cannard (Sth Melb Districts), Rory Freeman (Assistant Coach), Angelo Portelli (Manager). Front Row - Ben Lucas (Port Melb), Chris Kellaway (vc, East Sandringham), Noah Portelli (c, Elsternwick), Charlie Wolf (c, Sth Melb Districts), Will Lourie (East Sandringham), Liam McCashin (Sth Melb Districts).

Ladder

	<u>Club</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Drew</u>	<u>Lost</u>	Wkts <u>Lost</u>	Runs <u>For</u>	Wkts <u>Tkn</u>	Runs <u>Agst</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Ormond	6	1	0	31	1093	47	504	39	3.29
2	Malvern	4	1	1	32	681	44	498	27	1.88
3	Brighton	3	2	2	25	776	29	671	24	1.34
4	Oakleigh	2	2	3	37	549	36	780	18	0.68
5	Caulfield	1	3	3	33	439	15	653	15	0.31
6	Elsternwick	1	2	4	37	491	35	694	12	0.67
7	Moorabbin	1	1	5	53	728	42	957	9	0.60

Batting Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Inn</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>HS</u>	<u>100's</u>	<u>50's</u>
Christopher Kellaway	5	5	0	113	22.6	45	0	0
Liam McCashin	5	5	1	61	15.3	44	0	0
Luke Cannard	5	4	0	51	12.8	33	0	0
Jake Matthews	5	3	2	39	39.0	18	0	0
Noah Portelli	5	3	2	37	37.0	34 no	0	0
Will Lourie	5	4	0	36	9.0	15	0	0

Notable Batting Performances

<u>Player</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	Score
Christopher Kellaway	Moorabbin	45
Liam McCashin	Moorabbin	44
Christopher Kellaway	Brighton	41
Noah Portelli	Oakleigh	34 no
Luke Cannard	Brighton	33

Bowling Averages

<u>Name</u>	<u>Overs</u>	<u>Mdns</u>	<u>Wkts</u>	<u>Runs</u>	Ave	<u>Best</u>	<u>5WI</u>	<u>10WM</u>
Charlie Wolf	37	3	7	105	15.00	3/27	0	0
Christopher Kellaway	22	3	6	82	13.67	4/16	0	0
Ben Lucas	17	0	4	80	20.00	1/10	0	0
Noah Portelli	34.4	8	4	99	24.75	2/11	0	0
Luca Reid	25	2	3	98	32.67	2/13	0	0

Notable Bowling Performances

<u>Player</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Wkts</u>
Christopher Kellaway	Oakleigh	4/16
Charlie Wolf	Moorabbin	3/27
Luca Reid	Brighton	2/13
Noah Portelli	Oakleigh	2/11
Charlie Wolf	Oakleigh	2/21
Charlie Wolf	Malvern	2/17

Cricket Blast Report

Season 2020/21 saw Elsternwick Cricket Club continue to build momentum with its foundation cricket programs. Despite Covid causing some uncertainty when planning the programs, the club was able to run the full 10 week Junior Blaster program to the usual schedule, with 6 sessions before Christmas and 4 sessions in February. The Master Blaster program was slightly reduced in length from previous years but still managed an extensive program.

The Junior Blasters entry program had 36 kids registered plus a few "guests" participating each week. This was slightly down on last year's record 49 enrolments, but this is understandable given the



uncertainty created by Covid. The Junior Blasters program was coached by Tom Foley, often with help from Henry Bennett or other senior players. Obviously with so many kids running around, the help of parents is essential, and one of the benefits of running a Saturday morning program is that there are usually more parents present and available to assist.



As usual, the program concluded with an oval full of parents vs kids matches and a sausage sizzle. It was gratifying to hear from the parents at the sausage sizzle how happy they and their children are with the Elsternwick program.

Thanks to Tom Foley and his band of volunteers for their work with the program over the season. Thanks also to John Dunnachie, David Long and Colin Shimell for helping out feeding the kids at the final session.







The Master Blasters program increased from one team last season to three teams in 2020/21. This increase in numbers from 7 players to 19 players bodes well for our Rookies and U12 programs in coming years. The new players were a mix of graduates from the ECC Junior Blasters program and some boys new to Elsternwick. With three teams and only one coach, the club relied on the parents to assist with organising the kids, scoring and umpiring matches each week. Thanks to all the parents for their assistance with running the program but in particular to Leith Ramsay and Nathan Sims who took on the bulk of the organizational duties. Thanks also to the Brighton Cricket Club for hosting the program.

Players for the Junior Blaster and Master Blaster programs have been recruited solely through the PlayCricket website and word of mouth with little real promotion from the club. The club needs to keep the numbers rolling through these programs to feed our formal SECA junior cricket programs.

The club has an opportunity to further enhance the Master Blasters program next season by offering a weekly training session for the kids in addition to the Saturday morning matches. In addition, while ECC has had a few girls participate in the Junior Blasters over the years the club is yet to have one graduate to the Master Blasters. The challenge going forward is to encourage female participation in both these programs and create a strong female cricket pathway for the club.





If numbers continue to increase in the Master Blasters then the club may be in a position to push to host a centre at Elsternwick Park in the coming seasons. It would be great for the club to have both Junior Blasters and Master Blasters playing at Elsternwick and utilizing both ovals on a Saturday morning. However, this would also require more people from the club to get involved in the program, which is entirely run by volunteers. There would be a need for a centre co-ordinator, several coaches and perhaps someone to run a canteen and sausage sizzle. An exciting prospect!

Bryan Hammer Blasters Program Co-ordinator

Participation numbers in season 2020/21 were consistent with 2019/20 with us again fielding 7 SECA teams, whilst welcoming 8 new players to the club.

We fielded two teams in the Under 16 age group in Under 16B and Under 16C grades. While both teams were weakened by the loss of key players from the previous season and struggled for wins, several players had excellent seasons. Noah Portelli and Oscar Streeter both had strong seasons for the Under 16B team, with Noah scoring 224 runs @ 28.00, while Oscar took 9 wickets @ 18.89. Prashva Patel had an excellent debut season for Elsternwick for the Under 16C team, finishing the season as top scorer and second-leading wicket-taker, while Rory Upton was leading wicket-taker.

The Under 14B team recovered from a horror start that saw them lose their first 6 games (including 2 by 2 runs or less), winning 4 of their final 5 games to finish mid-table. Will Chilcott (196 runs @ 32.67) and Alexander McPhee (14 wickets @ 8.93) had outstanding seasons with bat and ball respectively, both finishing in the top 5 in the league, while Hugo Archibald topped 100 runs for the season for the 5th consecutive season!

Our U12 sides both played at Under 12D level. The Under 12D1 team, largely comprising second year players, enjoyed a much-improved season, winning 4 of their 11 games. The Under 12D2 team, comprising players technically eligible for either Under 10 or Under 11, had an outstanding season, with a 1 run loss to Elwood preventing them from going through the season unbeaten.

Our 2 Rookies teams both enjoyed successful seasons, with the majority of players from these teams expected to progress to Under 12 level next season.

Junior Committee

The junior committee worked well together organising the program and a big thank you goes to Angelo Portelli (U16 Co-ordinator), Michael McPhee (U14 & Rookies Co-ordinator), Naylor Dray (U12 Co-ordinator), Bryan Hammer (Blasters Co-ordinator) and Kay Crowley (Past President).

Team Managers

ECC is a voluntary organisation and we cannot operate without the support and involvement of the parents of our players. Consequently, I would like to acknowledge the help of this year's team managers whose contribution has been pivotal to getting our teams on the ground each week. A big thankyou to Angelo, Bridget, Mike, Mark, Evan, Naylor, Sarah & Amanda.

Junior Coaching

The coaching available to our juniors showed an excellent improvement this season with a full complement of senior players coaching all our junior sides. Thanks to Tiernan Crowley (Under 16B), Oscar Fraser (Under 16C), Seamus McIlroy (Under 14B), Patrick Homberg (Under 12D1), Eoin O'Mahony (Under 12D2), Bradley Marks (Rookies 1) and Tom Ashman (Rookies 2).

Presentation Night

Thank you also to all those that helped and attended our Junior Presentation Night.

As we had not awarded the Junior Club Champion award for the previous two seasons, we retrospectively awarded this to the following players: -

2018/19 – Hugo Archibald

2019/20 – Tom Amarasekara

As we had not awarded the President's Award for the previous three seasons, we retrospectively awarded this to the following players:

2017/18 – Tiernan Crowley 2018/19 – Seamus McIlroy 2019/20 – Tadgh Crowley

Achievements

Congratulations to Noah Portelli for representing Elsternwick in the VSDCA JG Craig competition.

Congratulations also to the boys listed who won awards in the clubs SECA program for their amazing performances through the season.

Club Awards Junior Club Champion: President's Award:	Alexander McPhee Tanish Prabhu	
U16B Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Noah Portelli Oscar Streeter George Stooke	224 runs @ 28.0 9 wickets @ 18.9
U16C Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Prashva Patel Rory Upton Oliver Prystein	81 runs @ 13.5 7 wickets @ 16.9
U14B Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Will Chilcott Alexander McPhee Harry Larner	196 runs @ 32.7 14 wickets @ 8.9
U12D1 Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Joshua Travers Joshua Travers Jesse Pengelly	83 runs @ 27.7 6 wickets @ 7.8
U12D2 Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Max Flavell Xavier Tingiri Oliver Iliomanis	72 runs @ 24.0 12 wickets @6.0
U12R1 Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Ethan Marks Ethan Marks Harry Dyer	
U12R2 Batting Award: Bowling Award: Manager's Award:	Henry Sims Fletcher Sherren Will Amarasekara	

Mike McPhee Junior President

		Season 2020/21			Career							
<u>Name</u>	<u>Debut</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th 1</u>	<u> Total</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4</u> th	<u>Sun</u> '	<u>Total</u>
Abbott Alec	2017/18				7	7				20		20
Anderson Tom	2020/21		9	2		11		9	2			11
Ashman Thomas	2013/14		12	1		13		12	5	32		49
Baker Lachlan	2006/07	13				13	83	56	25			164
Bennett Henry	2013/14	11	1			12	11	30	23	18		82
Bennett Hugh	2010/11	13				13	42	43	20	13		118
Bourke Timothy	2017/18	1	10			11	14	19				33
Bradshaw Thomas	2019/20		1	10		11		1	10	9		20
Brierly Fraser	2016/17		9	4		13		35	18	3		56
Cavey Benjamin	2019/20			11		11		10	11			21
Chisholm Andrew	1990/91			10		10	137	58	54	8		257
Chowdhury Labib	2019/20		1	4	5	10		1	4	14		19
Christiansen Cameron	1998/99	12				12	199	7	13	7		226
Chrzanowski Hayden	2020/21			10		10			10			10
Collins James	2018/19			1	2	3			1	8		9
Cooper Ben	2009/10	13				13	25	55	25	18	1	124
Couzens Nigel	1999/00			11		11	46	138	31	4		219
Crowley Tadhg	2017/18				9	9			1	22		23
Crowley Tiernan	2016/17		1	1	5	7		7	26	15		48
Daniels Stephen	2019/20	5	6			11	5	8	7	1		21
Davies Cooper	2019/20		1	2		3		6	9			15
Dunnachie John	1986/87				11	11	154	177	34	46		411
Dunstan Mark	1983/84				12	12	132	97	190	13	1	433
Earp James	2003/04	10	2			12	98	26	6	14		144
Edwards Daniel	2011/12	12				12	22	1	7	22		52
Emrose Jeremy	2018/19				7	7				8		8
Emrose Tyler	2017/18				3	3			3	4		7
Foley Thomas	2015/16		13			13	1	26	22	7		56
Fonda Timothy	2015/16				12	12		4	13	42		59
Gorman Joshua	2017/18	6	2			8	37	2				39
Gorman Patrick	2018/19	7	3			10	18	9				27
Groves Samuel	2012/13			2	2	4	54	28	6	2		90
Hall Benjamin	2014/15		5	7		12	2	22	18	17		59
Hall Jackson	2015/16		8	1	3	12		36	11	16		63
Hammer Bryan	1987/88				12	12	5	106	114	183		408
Harrison Owen	2019/20		1	8		9		1	12	2		15
Homberg Patrick	2016/17		8	2		10		10	22	2		34
Jackson Steven	1998/99		13			13	2	73	85	59	2	221
Johnston George	2019/20			4		4		1	14			15
Johnston Jack	2019/20			4		4		3	13			16
Kerr Jacob	2020/21	13				13	13					13
Kuver Raj	2020/21			3	5	8			3	5		8
Larcher Robert	2020/21		5	6	1	12		5	6	1		12
Long William	2004/05			1		1	73	14	21	34	6	148
Marks Bradley	1998/99		9			9	26	116	24	6		172
Nethercott Max	2014/15	1	5			6	3	28	9	10		50
Peters James	2015/16				1	1		4	5	1		10
Pinnegar Lenny	2020/21				1	1				1		1
Portelli Angelo	2018/19				9	9				24		24

Senior Games Played

		<u>Season 2020/21</u>			Career							
<u>Name</u>	<u>Debut</u>	1 st	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th 1</u>	<u>'otal</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>Sun</u>	<u>Total</u>
Portelli Noah	2018/19		1	7	2	10		1	7	23		31
Prabhu Tanish	2018/19				4	4				12		12
Reid Luca	2020/21				1	1				1		1
Rzechorzek Conrad	2009/10	1	10			11	2	48	38	3	4	95
Sargent Thomas	2020/21				1	1				1		1
Sinclair Callum	2009/10	13				13	56	41	37	11	2	147
Smith Daniel	1993/94			1	1	2	111	60	20	40		231
Smith Neal	2020/21			2	4	6			2	4		6
Smith Thomas	2009/10				1	1	20	17	19	18		74
Smith William	2010/11	3				3	36	10	22	29		97
Teloniatis Steven	2018/19				6	6			7	14		21
Tosky Andrew	2018/19				4	4			2	14		16
Turmine Joseph	2019/20		6	7		13		6	16	3		25
Turton Daniel	2020/21		4	5		9		4	5			9
Vijay Venkat	2020/21		5	2	1	8		5	2	1		8
Williams Luke	2019/20	9	2			11	11	10				21
Wolf Charlie	2020/21				6	6				6		6

Games milestones reached this season

<u>1st XI Debut</u>	50 Games	<u>100 Games</u>	<u>200 Games</u>	<u>400 Games</u>
Henry Bennett	Fraser Brierly			Bryan Hammer
Stephen Daniels	Daniel Edwards			
Jacob Kerr	Thomas Foley			
	Timothy Fonda			
	Benjamin Hall			
	Max Nethercott			



Bryan Hammer 400th game - 4th XI vs Moorabbin