

Ormond Cricket Club Incorporated  
Incorporation No. A00186342

# **ANNUAL REPORT**

## **2022/23**



### AFFILIATIONS

**Victorian Sub-District Cricket Association**

**South East Cricket Association**



To be presented to the Members at the Annual General Meeting  
on Friday July 21, 2023

## **NOTICE**

The Seventy-Sixth Annual General Meeting of the Ormond Cricket Club Inc. will be held on Friday 21st July 2023, commencing at 7pm at the Function Room at the Marine Hotel in Brighton .

Nominations for the election of the Office Bearers must be forwarded to the Secretary by 5pm on the 14th July 2023, duly signed by the Proposer and Seconder and endorsed by the Nominee.

## **BUSINESS**

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting held on 22nd July 2022.
2. Presentation of the Annual Report.
3. Adoption of the Statement of Income and Expenditure.
4. Election of Office Bearers.
5. General Business.

## LIFE MEMBERS

• E.E. Gunn †	• G.V. Corbett †	• H. Ladson †	• W. Park †
• W. Dynon †	• W.A.L. Rowse †	• L. Sykes †	• E.J. Barwick †
• G. Macpherson †	• Mrs. I. Rowse †	• L.G. Laver †	• K. Donald †
• J.L. Robertson †	• R.J. Zimmer †	• G. Lees	• R.W. Chapman †
• C.P. Hyland †	• D.L. Chisholm †	• J.G. Craig	• L.M. Patterson
• E.J. Plant †	• A.W. Doble †	• C.A. Rogers †	• K. Saddington †
• I.W. Shields	• M.V. Carracher	• Mrs. B. Craig †	• J. Craig (Snr) †
• R. Somerville	• Mrs. L.J. Patterson	• P.J.E. Scott †	• G. Cowen
• R. Oaten	• M. Williams	• G Wilcox	• I Hewett
• R Simon	• K Greenway	• M Pedersen †	• S Ambler †
• A Gough	• P Parton	• T Forrest	• G Zimmer
• M. Cousins	• R. Singleton	• L. Mulcahy	• B Ambler
• Mrs F. Oaten	• S. Clark	• P. Camm	• A. Chisholm

## **OFFICE BEARERS 2022/2023**

### **PATRON**

John Craig

### **PRESIDENT**

Will Robertshaw

### **TREASURER**

Liam Mulcahy

### **SECRETARY**

Mathew Cousins

### **GENERAL COMMITTEE**

Brian Ambler, John Craig, Tanja Curtis,  
Pat Camm, Chris Roach, Darren Seymour, Ian Shields

### **JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR**

Pat Camm

### **J. G. CRAIG SHIELD TEAM COACH**

Miles Sellenger

### **E.E. GUNN RESERVE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATIVE**

John Craig

### **GROUND MANAGEMENT**

John Craig

### **DELEGATES**

VSDCA: Mathew Cousins and Murray Ring  
SECA: Pat Camm

### **HONORARY AUDITOR**

R.J. Everett

## CLUB HISTORY

At the completion of the 2022/23 season Ormond Cricket Club has played in over 960 games in the Victorian Sub District Cricket Association (VSDCA) and is in its 114th year as a cricket club.

Formed in 1903 Ormond's first three matches were played against Caulfield Grammar, Melbourne Sports Depot and Prahran Bohemians. The first captain was F A Looker and the initial president was most likely E Burman and the first season was played in the Brighton Moorabbin CA which soon merged to become the Brighton and District Cricket Association.



In total the club has won 29 senior premierships and 34 junior flags, overall 63. The first premiership was in 1908/09 when a new Christ Church minister C H Raymond who was completing his training arrived and went on to make 3 centuries in that season including 144 in the Grand Final. Just as importantly it was said his cricketering prowess improved church attendances.

Hard times fell on the club in 1912 when the lack of players and a ground meant the club disbanded early in the season. With WW1 imminent the club was like many others, not in a position to reform.

Immediately after the war, in 1919 Ormond was back playing in the Brighton and District CA. Three important events occurred in the next decade. Following a community petition for a recreational ground in 1921, plans were drawn up in 1923 for Ormond Park and Ormond CC was playing there by the mid twenties. Within a year or two the cricket club made representation to Caulfield Council for a pavilion and this was accepted as the club took responsibility for its construction. Ormond joined the Frankston Glenhuntly CA during this period and a new club soon to become fierce rivals, Ormond Park CC emanating from the Uniting Church emerged to play on the adjoining ground.

At the beginning of the 1930s Ormond again moved competitions as it joined the Caulfield and Districts CA where its senior teams played for the next 17 years. The club enjoyed premiership success during the WW2 period. A famous name appeared among the playing list in the early thirties, Ernest Gunn who by the end of the decade was already a leading club figure and for the following twenty five years lead the club as president until his retirement in 1970. Gunn also played a leading role with the Ormond Football Club and was a two term Caulfield Council mayor and in 1964 Ormond Park was renamed E E Gunn Reserve in recognition of his contribution.

It was Gunn who along with other key figures who recognised that Ormond and Ormond Park should not be diluting the local cricketering talent and with the introduction of turf cricket a possibility merging the clubs would benefit all parties. The name would remain Ormond CC, Gunn would be the new president and the new entity would take the blue and gold colours of Ormond Park.

Ormond enjoyed immediate success in the Victorian Junior Cricket Association (now VTCA) winning two 1st eleven premierships in 1947/48 and 1948/49. In 1949 the club joined the VSDCA where it has played for the next 71 years. Gradually, as more turf wickets were laid at Gunn Reserve all senior sides moved from the CDCA to play in VSDCA and VJCA turf competitions. After initial struggles, two VSDCA premierships were secured in the late fifties before the club's golden decade when it won six Championships from 1965/66 until 1974/75 with club legends Colin Hyland, John Craig and Ted Plant a part of all six victories (also Mike Patterson And Alan Doble who both played in five). Not unsurprisingly the club had a very strong junior platform and secured many junior successes during this time.

There have been lean periods and it was 40 years before the club's latest 1st XI premiership was won in 2014/15. For a period in the 1980s junior teams diminished to an alarmingly low level and little club success followed. Currently, Ormond CC is enjoying a strong period of growth with the first XI team appearing in finals for 7 of the past 10 seasons and the junior program servicing more than a dozen teams along with pre competition development.

## ORMOND CRICKET CLUB 'FAMILY GAMES' TOTALS

The following is a list of games by families for the Ormond Cricket Club. It must be stressed that these game tallies are based on available club records. This would affect the totals of some families whose individual contributions began prior to records being kept or where scorebooks/annual reports for some early seasons have been lost. Eg...George Scott began playing for Ormond around 1942/43, however our club records only record his 1st XI games from 1949 and do not include his games in other teams until 1953.

- **680 games**.....the **ROBERTSON** family ...John 307 and sons Andrew 178, James 120 and David 75.
- **649 games**..... the **ZIMMER** family....Jack 338 along with sons Ian 93 and Glenn 218.
- **585 games**....the **CHISHOLM** family....Don 238 games along with sons Andrew 159,John 25, Rod 157 and grandson Robert 6.
- **569 games**.....the **PATTERSON** family.....Michael 355 along with sons Brad 124 and Cameron 90.
- **559 games**.....the **SCOTT** family....George 112, sons Peter 305 and Phil 10 and grandson\* Cameron 122. There was also a Geoff Scott who played 10 games (included in total) whose status needs to be clarified.

Other families with totals in excess of 400 family games include:

The Plant family (451- Ted 441 and son Greg 10)

The Shields family (436 Ian 336 and son Greg 100) and

The Ambler family (418-Bruce 107, sons Brian 174, Steve 132 and grandson Tristan 5).

Pre WW2, notable families who began a very long association with Ormond were the Chapman, Rowse, Christian & Hallows families.

### THE OATENS

Since Garry Oaten began in the Ormond Under 14 C team in 1974/75 and Michael played in the Hatch team in January 1975 there has been only 2006/07 season when the Oaten name has not appeared on Ormond team sheets. If an Oaten plays in this upcoming season and season 2024/25 it will bring up 50 years of playing involvement.



### **BROTHERS**

\*Russel Oaten and son Ben

\*Michael Oaten and sons Mathew, Tim and Nick

\*Garry Oaten

### **OCC GAMES**

*Russell	(1975/76-2022/23)	555	( 484 senior, 5 T20 and 66 junior U14 & U16)
*Ben	(2013/14- 2022/23)	142	(84 senior,2 T20 and 56 junior-U12,14,16 &18)
*Michael	(1974/75 -1992/93)	130	(91 senior,3 VSDCA Knock Out, and 36 junior-U14,16 & Hatch/Craig)
*Mathew	(2001/02- 2002/03)	18	(18 junior U12)
*Tim	(2014/15)	5	(5 Hatch/Craig)
*Nick	(2010/11 -2022/23)	176	(149 senior, 13 T20 and 14 junior U16 & Hatch/Craig)
*Garry	(1974/75- 1981/82)	55	(19 senior & 36 junior-U14 &16)

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## ORMOND CRICKET CLUB 'FAMILY GAMES' TOTALS (CONTINUED)

**TOTAL CLUB GAMES (1974/75-2022/23) 1081**

**1<sup>ST</sup> XI GAMES & SENIOR/JUNIOR GAMES**

1<sup>ST</sup> GAMES: Russell 241, Michael 32 & Nick 101 = 374

SENIOR & JUNIOR GAMES: Senior =827 Junior =231

T20 OR VSDCA KNOCK OUT GAMES: 23

**End of 2022/23 season**



## JOHN CRAIG – ELEVATED TO VSDCA LEGEND

At the Hatch Presentation Dinner on May 17 at the MCG, VSDCA Patron, Mr. Jack Sheehan announced that John Craig (Ormond) was to be elevated to a 'Legend' of the VSDCA.

John's contribution to the Victorian Sub-District Cricket Association spans some 65 years and includes:

- 339 1st XI games for Ormond
- 8,963 runs @ 27.4 (5 x 100's and 44 x 50's)
- Ormond Delegate to the VSDCA for 33 years
- VSDCA Vice-President for 12 years
- VSDCA Executive Chairman for 5 years
- VSDCA Selector for 22 years
- Served on numerous Association & Cricket Victoria Sub-Committees
- Life Member of Ormond Cricket Club, VSDCA & Cricket Victoria
- VSDCA 200 Game Club Member
- Inaugural inductee into the VSDCA 'Hall of Fame'



On behalf of everyone at the Ormond Cricket Club, congratulations to John on becoming a VSDCA Legend.





## SECRETARY'S REPORT 2022/23

### To the Members, Players and Supporters of the Ormond Cricket Club

I submit for your approval at the 76th Annual General Meeting of the Ormond Cricket Club, the Annual Report and Statement of Income and Expenditure for season 2022-2023.

After two and half years of experiencing shortened seasons due to COVID, the club was very eager to get back to a full season of experiencing two day/one day red ball/white ball cricket. Well, that eagerness turned into a nightmare of 'oh no here we go again!!' The wettest September/October for several years wiped all chance of play in October and threatened to continue into early November and the real possibility of a third season in a row of one day cricket just to get a full fifteen round season completed.

Thankfully the weather gods finally shined on us and due to a major fixture change by the VSDCA to the first half of the season, the club only missed out on playing Round 1 with all rounds up to the Christmas break being reverted to one day games with a makeup round held on a Sunday to finally returning to two-day red ball cricket for the first time in nearly 3 years in early January.

Again, during the off season, the club lost senior players, including Cormac Hassett who moved overseas and Rory Freeman not being available until after the Christmas break, but welcomed back Ben Robinson from the UK who was joined by fellow countryman Max Shenton, Marcus Allen from Oakleigh Cricket Club, Nigel Hunt from Premier Cricket Club Prahran and early in the season a surprise comeback to the club by Zac Sleeman from Premier Cricket Club Richmond Tigers.

In late October, the club was finally able to hold the latest edition of the Hall of Fame & Life Members Function that was held over from last season due to COVID restrictions. The club inducted two new Life Members being Pat Camm and Andrew Chisholm, with four current Life Members elevated into the club's Hall of Fame being Geoff Cowen, Lloyd Laver, Ian Shields and Russell Oaten. All would agree that those inducted are very worthy recipients and have made significant contributors to the history of the club. The function was a success with a great turnout of family members for those honoured as well as a host of current and past players also being present.

Unfortunately season 2022-2023 will go down as a season of two halves. The first half of the season seeing all six senior sides at the Christmas break a realistic chance to all be playing finals. The second half of the season and come finals time, only the 1st and 4th XI's were able to make it, with both sides going out in the first week.

The 1st XI, again lead by Ben Speake had a great start to the season winning seven of their nine games before Christmas, losing only to finalists St. Bernard's and the washout Round 1 against Coburg. Unfortunately, after Christmas, the 1sts only managed to win two of their remaining six games and finished the season in 5th position with 9 wins, 5 losses and a draw with five of those losses coming in their last four games against finalists Kew, Caulfield, Brighton and Elsternwick, before embarrassingly going out in the first week to Caulfield.

The 2nd XI, lead this season by President Will Robertshaw had a frustrating season by winning and losing several close games including the second last game against Brighton, resulting in the lads' missing finals by percentage in 7th position, with 8 wins, 2 draws and 5 losses.

As mentioned in last year's Annual Report the VSDCA introduced a divisional format for the 3rd and 4th XI competition in season 2021-2022, based on a review of the past performances of the VSDCA clubs in both grades over the last couple of seasons. As a result of our disappointing performances from last season, the 3rds and 4ths were relegated this season to Division 2.

The 3rd XI was led again by Cam Ferstl who also had a frustrating season by losing several winnable games resulting in eventually missing finals by two games and percentage by finishing in 6th position with 5 wins, 3 draws and 6 losses.

## SECRETARY'S REPORT 2022/23 (Continued)

The 4th XI was this year led by junior parent and former Prahran Cricket Club player, Matt Dutton who did a fantastic job in managing a young team of talented juniors, rising the team up the ladder and into finals by finishing in 3rd position with 7 wins, 2 draws and 4 losses. As mentioned, the boys went out in the first week against Noble Park.

This season, the club made the decision to transfer the 5th XI (later renamed the President's XI) out of the SECA Saturday One Day competition and thus aligning all six senior sides playing turf cricket by entering as the club's No.2 team in the Cricket Southern Bayside (CSB) Sunday One Day competition competing in Division 2. This gave several of our junior players playing senior cricket additional opportunities to gain valuable turf cricket experience. The team did not have a regular captain, but managed to win 6 games, 5 draws and 6 losses and finished in 7th position.

And finally, the 6th XI led gain by Hitesh Sojitra and Chetan Dar again represented the club as our No.1 team in the CSB Sunday One Day competition in Division 1 but were unable to go back-to-back and finished in 6th position with 4 wins, 8 losses and 5 draws.

The JG Craig Under 15 representative side, yet again had another successful competition led by second year Coach Miles Sellenger and assisted by former Coach Michael Cove. Unfortunately, rain intervened against us causing the team to lose their final round game against Elsternwick and the quarter-final against Croydon ending in a draw when we were in sight of victory. This meant Croydon advanced due to being the higher placed team.

In late February, the club hosted the inaugural Col Hyland Cup between Ormond and Prahran Cricket Clubs in honour of Col who is a Life Member of both clubs. The game will be an annual T20 match with both clubs rotating the hosting of the game. Once again, a great turn out of current and past players of the club were in attendance.

As the season ended, it was announced that Coach Murray Ring would be stepping down as Coach, along with the retirement of James Wild and 1st XI Captain Ben Speake departing the club. As we go into the off-season the club has advertised the coaching position with the appointment of the new coach to be announced soon.

On behalf of everyone at the club I would like to thank Murray, James and Ben for their tremendous service, commitment, and dedication to the club, especially their passion and leadership in making our club a well-respected club on the field within the VSDCA, with the club in the last four years finishing in the top half of the VSDCA Club Championship, the top five in the VSDCA Spirit of Cricket and 1st XI back-to-back Grand Final and finals appearances.

The club also had success at the annual Hatch Medal dinner, with talented junior player Harish Salawathura finishing equal winner of the Daryl Thiele medal for the best player in the 4th XI South/East Division 2 competition and Club Patron and VSDCA Hall of Fame member John Craig being elevated to Legend Status.

Once again, our fantastic junior program led by Junior Coordinator Pat Camm and President Will Robertshaw had another successful season with our Under 16A's and Under 12B's making semi-finals, the Under 14A's and Under 14B's making the Grand Finals with our Under 12A's and Under 14C's winning Premierships.

The highlights across the club's senior and junior XIs for the season will be covered in more detail in the team season results as well as the captains and managers' reports. I would also like to thank those also responsible for making season 2022-2023 happen:

- Pat Camm and Tanja Curtis for all your fantastic work in the especially important roles of Junior Coordinator and Management of the Woolworths Blast program. The huge amount of work you both do in the off-season to get the entire junior program underway with registrations and finalising team numbers, Managers, Coaches and Coordinators before the season commences is again extraordinary.
- Treasurer Liam Mulcahy, for continuing to do an excellent job in the especially vital role of controlling the club's financial status.

## SECRETARY'S REPORT 2022/23 (Continued)

- Miles Sellenger in your second year of coaching the Under 15 Craig team. Once again you did another excellent job in getting the boys to the finals again.
- Indy Strauch for all your fantastic work again as the 1st XI Team Scorer and Manager. Also, special mention goes to Indy's dad Brendan for assisting during the early part of the season in operating the scoreboard at 1st XI games whilst Club Patron John Craig was absent.
- Phil Arnold for all your fantastic work you do with the Under 12 sides in developing them to play better and higher cricket.
- Geoff Cowen our Club historian for his excellent work in restoring and updating the club records and his fantastic job as nets captain at senior training on Tuesday and Thursday nights.
- Club Patron John Craig for his excellent work in getting the scoreboard functioning and keeping it up to date at all home games and for attending to those "little things" that need to be done around the club. For those that do not know, Craigy has had to deal with health issues over the past 12 months, so your dedication is appreciated but I think you will all agree that Craigy it is time to handover the keys to the roller!!!
- Russell Oaten, whom the club can always count on when things need to be done.
- Bar Manager Chris Roach, for taking on the role and keeping the fridges well stocked and the drinks cold.
- Mick Cahalane for his support of the club in his duties as Club Umpire for the 3rd and 4th XI's.
- All members of the Executive Committee.

Congratulations to all Captains of our senior and junior XI's who led their sides throughout the season and to our batting, bowling, and fielding award winners.

A very big thank you again to all the great supporters of our club, especially those ever reliable in, Franny Oaten, Colin Geldart, Darren Seymour, Michael Cove, Steve Wild, Steve & Caroline Robertshaw, Matt Wood, Paul Sellenger, James Robertshaw, Andrew Gough, and the Past Players Group, who all do important and valuable behind-the-scenes work for the club.

Thanks to all the magnificent sponsors of the Ormond Cricket Club, being, Buxton Real Estate, Omegapharm, Bendigo Community Bank Murrumbeena, The Marine Hotel, The Door Store, Cricket HQ, Melbourne Finance & Equity Group and of course The Servedy/Bar Royale Glenhuntly and Bentleigh Social.

The Ormond Cricket Club again recognises and thanks the valuable support shown by Phil O'Meara, Ken Hilton and the entire VSDCA Executive as well as VSDCA sponsors Kookaburra, Bendigo Bank East Malvern, Memorabilia Warehouse, ICON, Club Connect, Fleximate and Melbourne Stars for their valuable support of VSDCA cricket.

The Ormond Cricket Club is also grateful to the support shown by Emily Beventyre, Andrew Barton, and the Parks & Recreation team at City of Glen Eira to allow us to play and use the excellent facilities available to us at EE Gunn Reserve.

Finally, I would like to thank our President Will Robertshaw. After two fantastic and energetic years as President, Will announced to the club at Senior Presentation Night that he would be stepping down as President.

I said it last year and I am going to say it again. Will's un-waiving passion, commitment, and dedication towards the club, for someone of his age, to be leading a successful and long standing VSDCA club and especially during the past

## SECRETARY'S REPORT 2022/23 (Continued)

two years of uncertainty has been utterly amazing. Unfortunately, that unwavering passion, commitment, and dedication to the club that Will has given, does not translate into a full-time paid job and help pay a mortgage.

During Will's tenure as President, the club has seen considerable progress both on and off the field. On field results through the senior and junior sections with all teams performing well throughout the season, highlighted with several excellent individual performances, several excellent team results, and off field success with an increase in the number of members and supporters of the club.

Will, well done on a fantastic job. I have really enjoyed collaborating with you as Secretary and hopefully you will continue your commitment and dedication to the club, by staying on the committee.

As we head towards season 2023-2024, the club will again face several challenges not only operationally, with the appointment of a new Coach and President, but financially as we rein in our spending due to overcommitting on several projects such as providing our juniors with quality coaching and club equipment and infrastructure.

The club will still be in a stable position financially, but we will have to capitalize on every opportunity available by holding fundraising activities, club functions and obtaining/retaining major club sponsorships as possible.

We will also see a major change at our senior and junior Associations level with the introduction of the new Cricket Australia PlayHQ administration program that will replace the outdated MyCricket system. There will be a number of training sessions held over the offseason and it is extremely important that we get as many appropriate club members attending and trained on the new system as possible, so we are ready to go when the season commences for all senior and junior teams.

Therefore, to continue all the magnificent work and dedication that we have done over the past several years, we will all need to work together to achieve and maintain our goal of being a great Community Club as a place to play and enjoy cricket.

### **MATHEW COUSINS—CLUB SECRETARY**

*#Game on*

*#Home of the Monders*

Three Ormond identities received the Cricket Victoria 50 Year Service Volunteer Recognition Award at a luncheon at the MCG during the Australia vs South Africa test match at the MCG on December 28. Ian Shields and Geoff Cowen would be well known to the Ormond community. Coincidentally they are now both now Life Members of the Victorian Sub District Cricket Umpires Association.

The other recipient was Wayne Stokes who spent two seasons with Ormond in 1983 and 1984/85. Wayne played 1st XI cricket as a batsman and still today holds the club record 2nd XI opening partnership of 200 with John Craig against Moorabbin. He later played 26 seasons with Caulfield and also the Victorian Police Cricket Club and has represented Victoria and Australia in Over 60s cricket.



## PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2022/23

Dear Members and Supporters,

As we look back on the past year, it is evident that we have achieved remarkable success, both on and off the field. Our club's vibrant spirit and strong camaraderie continue to shine, making us a tightly-knit community of cricket enthusiasts.

The 2022/2023 season for the Ormond Cricket Club was one that began with some unusual challenges. We experienced a weird start as three consecutive practice games were washed out due to inclement weather, leaving the players eager to finally get out on the field. Unfortunately, the weather woes continued as the entire month of October saw all matches washed out, making it a frustrating period for both players, parents and fans. Despite the weather setbacks, the enthusiasm and dedication of our players remained unwavering. The club witnessed an impressive turnout at training sessions, with numbers peaking at close to 100 players at times before Christmas. This wealth of talent and commitment provided the selection committee with an excellent headache in choosing the best team for each match.

One of the highlights of the season was the remarkable success of our junior players. Ormond Cricket Club has always been committed to nurturing young talent, and this season was no exception. Our junior cricketers continued to flourish, and many of them got opportunities to play senior cricket, showcasing the club's dedication to developing young talent and providing them with a pathway to higher levels of the game. The success of our programs played a crucial role in the development of our players. The "Prez's Pairs" program laid the foundation during the off-season, ensuring that players were well-prepared for the challenges of the season. The "Craig" program received high praise for its organisation and professionalism, creating an elite sporting environment that allowed our aspiring cricketers to thrive.

A notable addition to our programs was the introduction of "Senior Seekers," aimed at fast-tracking juniors who were eager to play senior cricket. This initiative proved to be fruitful, as several juniors made an impact in senior matches, showing the strength of our player development strategies. Our Woolworths program, skilfully run by Tanja Curtis and Alex Chrisopoulos, provided our youngest Monarchs with the best possible start in cricket. The program's success laid the foundation for future growth and ensured that our club continues to be a hub for nurturing talent from a young age.

Moving on to our senior teams, there were mixed fortunes in their performances. The 1st XI demonstrated commendable consistency throughout the season but unfortunately ran out of steam in the end, falling short in the quarter final after previously losing back-to-back grand finals. The 2nd XI, though talented, underperformed and missed out on a finals spot, which was disappointing for all involved. The 3rd XI also faced inconsistency issues, leading to a challenging and disappointing season based on the talent within that group. However, the 4th XI stood out as a shining example of teamwork and dedication, led by the exceptional efforts of our clubman of the year, Matt Dutton.

A significant mention goes out to our hardworking committee, whose efforts behind the scenes ensured the smooth running of the club throughout the season. Special thanks to Matt and India for consistently scoring every week, as their dedication was invaluable. Geoff, our net manager, deserves appreciation for maintaining training at a top-notch standard.

While success on the field is paramount, we also cherish the moments we share as a close-knit family off the pitch. Rusty's Thursday night dinners have become an integral part of our club's culture, fostering a sense of togetherness and providing a space for teammates to bond and forge lifelong friendships. These gatherings not only strengthen our unity but also serve as a testament to the values we hold dear as a cricketing community. Furthermore, the social aspect of the Ormond Cricket Club continues to flourish with our gatherings at the Bentleigh Social and Marine Hotel. These evenings of friendship have further deepened the bonds between players, supporters, and sponsors, contributing to the positive and inclusive environment that defines our club.

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2022/23 (Continued)

As we reflect on the impact of individuals within the club, it is impossible to overlook the contributions of James Wild, Murray Ring, and Ben Speake. James, who served as our captain for many seasons, has been an exceptional leader both on and off the field. His cricketing prowess and remarkable skills have been instrumental in shaping the success of our club. As he moves forward to new endeavours, his legacy of resilience and unwavering dedication to the Ormond Cricket Club will endure. Murray Ring, our coach, has been a role model for our young group. His ability to lead by example has inspired numerous players to improve their skills and embrace the values of hard work and sportsmanship. Murray's commitment to the development of all players will undoubtedly have a lasting impact on the future of our club. Ben Speake, has been a force to be reckoned with. His ability to turn matches in our favour with his captaincy and batting has been nothing short of awe-inspiring. His dedication to put others before himself to shape our younger cricketers into better players and people is a legacy he has instilled into the club forever. All three players will continue their cricketing careers in the VTCA, and we wish them the absolute best.

As the President of the Ormond Cricket Club, it is with mixed emotions that I announce my resignation from this esteemed position. Serving as your President has been a privilege, and I will cherish the memories of our accomplishments together. However, I believe it is time to pass the baton to fresh leadership, who will bring new ideas and perspectives to lead the club into the future. While stepping down from the role of President, I want to express my eagerness to continue being part of this wonderful club as a senior player. The Ormond Cricket Club is my home, and I am passionate about contributing to the team's success both on and off the field. As a senior player, I hope to continue supporting and mentoring our young talents, helping them grow into fine cricketers and exemplary individuals.

In conclusion, the Ormond Cricket Club's journey through 2023 has been one filled with achievements, camaraderie, and growth. We owe our triumphs to the dedication and hard work of our players, the support of our members and sponsors, and the strong sense of community that binds us all together. As we look to the future, let us keep the Ormond Cricket Club's spirit alive and continue building on the legacy left by our esteemed players and leaders.

Thank you for your unwavering support, and I look forward to standing side by side with you as we continue our cricketing journey.

Yours sincerely,  
Will Robertshaw



Will Robertshaw

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## Proud Sponsors of Ormond Cricket Club

### 2022/23

The Ormond Cricket Club is very fortunate to have 4 major sponsors who have supported our club over many years

#### 10 YEARS+

**Bendigo Bank, Buxton Real Estate and Omegapharm** (Mathew and Kristen Wood)

#### 5 YEARS+

**The Door Store** another one of our major sponsors has been supporting our club for 5 years

Their support during difficult times has been fantastic and a driving force in building our club for season 22/23 to 6 senior teams and 12 junior teams.

In addition to our major sponsors, the club wishes to acknowledge the continued financial support from:-

Brian Ambler	Pat Camm	Colin Geldart
Col Hyland	Phil Parton	Ian Shields
Richard Simon	Ross Singleton	Dixon Automotive
Elegant Media	A Grade Movers	Stewart Insurance



## COACH'S REPORT 2022/23

Season Five, my last in charge and what a journey it's been. Four 1st Eleven Finals appearances, two 1st Eleven Grand Final appearances and all grades reaching the post at least once. I started when the club had four senior teams, and thanks to a mountain of work by the committee, I finish my tenure at the helm of 6 teams, and what a privilege it's been.

# COACHING REPORT

Whilst I wasn't successful in achieving my ultimate goal of a premiership, I can confidently say I left it all on the table. I like to think that Ormond are now looked upon more favourably within not only the Sub-District community, but the wider cricketing community too. One of my proudest achievements was the combination of successes in the 2021 season, where we finished in the Top 5 of the Spirit of Cricket, and Runners Up in the Premiership race, something no other club achieved. We proved that it's possible to be successful on the field, without sacrificing the behaviors and attitudes that make Ormond, an enjoyable place to play cricket. I like to think I played a part in that.

We continued on from the 2021/2022 season, where we benefited from a "Goals" template to aid communication. Whilst these templates provided some structure to the players, the ultimate design and make up of the players intentions were completely self imposed. Targets were often set for overall runs, wickets, averages and strike rates, whilst some players opted for a more situational approach of batting at a certain time of the match or ensuring they were part of meaningful innings and partnerships. Whilst it was encouraged, the positive momentum of the "personal goals" was notable. These were goals that could be achieved outside of cricket, people focused on certain grades at school/university, being better parents/family members or achieving certain targets in their hobbies, such as gaming or fishing. What became increasingly clear was that people were not happy with the way they were moving, feeling or appeared, as the most common personal goal was fitness and weight-related.

Whilst we included fitness into our preseason regime it was not a primary focus, as we found initial motivations written on paper were somewhat different in person, it became clear that this may have been my own view, as the voices I read indicated these goals were written in determined, self-motivational and resilient tones, but the reality was they may have been written in fear of having an empty page, or in a somewhat hopeful tone, without clear conviction.

As is always the case, I'd like to congratulate Miles Sellenger, Michael Cove and all the players who represented Ormond in our successful JG Craig Shield campaign, where we finished Runners Up. I was fortunate enough to attend several matches and was very pleased to see the next generation of Ormond cricketers coming through the system. I understand the hard work and commitment it takes to ensure this program not only happens, but happens successfully, their efforts in representing the club in such fine fashion should not go without praise.

There are quite a few people to thank for their support once again. Firstly, to our President, Will Robertshaw and the Ormond committee - thank you for once again putting your faith in me to lead our club. The work you do behind the scenes will always go unnoticed and without much praise, but our club wouldn't operate at such a high standard without your efforts, that I'm sure of. Once again, I hope I've satisfied your expectations both on and off the field.

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## COACH'S REPORT 2022/23 (Continued)

I was always of the opinion that a coaches reign should last no longer than four years, as ideas require a new spark of enthusiasm to avoid the mundane and monotonous structure that cricket can provide. But a wonderful lesson I've learnt during my time at Ormond is that the game we play is always evolving and it would be foolish to think we can't evolve with it. We all have so much to learn and being curious can open our eyes to a new way of doing things. The prospect of implementing new ways to evolve our club excites me and I'm looking forward to challenging the norms in years to come.

The drills were completed with enthusiasm by some, but were often met with groans and grumbles. Again, I am still unsure whether this was a true indication of how people felt, or if it was the "popular" way to react to fitness sessions.

Without players, our club does not exist, therefore, quite a large portion of my time is dedicated to creating an attractive environment where people are both advancing their cricket and importantly, enjoying themselves. There is not an activity planned that doesn't take these two things into consideration. Trying to find the middle ground here has become increasingly difficult as my coaching career continues, people's attitudes are changing, acceptance isn't automatic and buy-in to certain 'archaic' sporting rules has well and truly withered. No longer do we live in a society where "no-train, no-play" reigns supreme, gone are the days where people would miss weddings, social events and family dinners to ensure they are at cricket practice, matches or social events. As tough as this makes my role, I'm glad this is the case as I believe cricket, especially at our level, shouldn't be an all consuming sport, nor do I want to rule in a totalitarian manner.

This year, we looked to change the local landscape at Ormond by implementing an additional concept, which has been developed by further exploring the wants and needs of those who want more out of their practice. The project was labelled, "Seal Team Ormond", taking obvious inspiration from the Navy Seals Groups, an elite task force that operates within the Navy, famous for their torturous training and disciplines that only a select handful of individuals actually complete.

The point of this group was to adopt a unique training approach, of which the primary focus will be to combine the 'tough' old school facets of cricket and the newly adopted techniques mentioned above without the common repercussions i.e quitting and leaving the club. Players voluntarily signed up to be pushed and tested as much as possible (in a safe environment) in the agreement that they will not quit. This was a major focus in the preseason where fitness and extra work are crucial.

The formation of this group allowed us to better suit each individual's needs. The group made up of two player types, the young up and comers who have aspirations to play at a higher level (Premier Cricket & above) and the middle aged players who played a critical role in our squads success. For those who participated, it was a resounding success.

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Finally, thank you to all the players and supporters who have been apart of this wonderful club over the last five years, my time in the leading role has been one I'll look back on with fondness. I wish the best of luck to the next coach, hopefully they can win the one I couldn't!

**MURRAY RING**  
**SENIOR COACH**



## THANK YOU & GOODBYE

At the end of the 2022/23 season we say goodbye and thank you to some of our leaders who are retiring or moving on to other clubs after having distinguished careers at the club.

*Thank & you! Goodbye*

### JAMES WILD

James Wild's contribution to Ormond over the last decade has been enormous. If there was a best ever Ormond VSDCA team then Wildy would have to warrant serious consideration for his all-round performances.

Starting his senior cricket with Caulfield (7 matches) James went to Premier Club Prahran where he had a fine career. His record at Ormond could best be described as incredible. He only played in the 1st XI and in his 135 matches he scored 4031 runs at an average of 31.99 runs per innings with five centuries and 26 half centuries. The five hundreds is shared with four others as the most centuries by an Ormond batsman. Over half his runs came in boundaries and he is sixth highest run scorer in the history of the club.

Along with Andrew Chisholm, James is the only player to take five wickets and make a century (130) in the same match which he achieved in 2014/15 against Mt Waverley.

One VSDCA batting record James currently holds is with Brendan Barry – a game winning undefeated 7th wicket partnership of 183 against Oakleigh in 2017/18.

As an off spin bowler he took 235 wickets from 1463.5 overs at an average of 18.7 runs per wicket at an economy rate of 3 runs per over. He took five or more wickets on eight occasions and his best individual figures was 8/27 against Kingston Saints. In this match James took 14 wickets plus scored a half century which must rate amongst the best ever single game contributions. He ranks ninth on the list of all time wicket takers at the club.

During his ten seasons with Ormond James won the Club Championship five times, was runner up once and third on two occasions. He is the only player to date to win the Club Championship on three consecutive occasions which he achieved in his first 3 years at the club.

Wildy readily made himself for the midweek T20 matches, his 14 appearances only one game behind his great mate Rod Bird and Nick Oaten.

James was an outstanding club leader. He captained the club for five seasons beginning in 2015/16 and in his final season took over the captaincy in the final third of the season. In season 2017/18 he took on the Captain / Coach role when the club was searching for suitable applicants.

The stand out highlight would have been winning the 2014/15 premiership in a tense struggle with Oakleigh in which James played a prominent role. He also played in two recent Grand Finals along with numerous finals' appearances.





## THANK YOU & GOODBYE (Continued)

### JAMES WILD (CONTINUED)

From a VSDCA perspective, James was in the VSDCA Team of the Year on three occasions including the captaincy honour for season 2017/18 and he participated in VSDCA representative games in three seasons including captaining the side also in 2017/18.

On top of all his cricketing achievements, James was a fantastic club person who invested heavily in all club functions. He had time for everyone at the club, willingly helped younger cricketers at practice and demonstrated leadership in everything he did. His family provided great support, especially his father Steve who attended most of James' matches. In summary, former Prahran player, the (late) legendary Colin Hyland is recognised as the club's all time best all rounder. James' time at Ormond is close to half the number of games that Col played and his performances to that point have been on a similar plane for his time with the Monders.

On behalf of everyone at the club, a huge thank you to James for your massive contribution to the club over the past decade.

### ADAM BULL

Two seasons ago Adam joined Ormond from Premier Cricket's Prahran Cricket Club where he had a distinguished career both as a player and contributor. In his time with Ormond, Adam achieved several 'firsts'. As an opening batsman he made five centuries (against Hoppers Crossing, Preston, Strathmore and two against Port Melbourne). This equals the number of 1<sup>st</sup> XI centuries scored by any Ormond player in the club's time in the VSDCA. His top score was 139 not out against Hoppers Crossing. He also scored six half centuries in his 32 games.



He won the first XI batting average for both 2021/22 and 2022/23 and also claimed two John Robertson Club Championships. In his first season, 2021/22 Adam was selected in the prestigious VSDCA Team of the Year.

This season Adam also became the first player in any senior team to score three centuries in a season.

Adam's impact within the club was significant as both a player but also as a role model for our younger players. We thank Adam for his fantastic contribution to the club.



## THANK YOU & GOODBYE (Continued)

### BEN SPEAKE

Ben Speake spent the past four seasons at Ormond and during that time he cemented himself as one of the very best batsmen in the club's past twenty seasons.

Predominantly an opening batsman as well as wicketkeeper, Ben actually played as a 'guest player' in the T20 Knockout Competition before joining the club in 2019/20 season.

In his 63 1st XI matches, Ben scored two centuries against Moorabbin (137) and this season, 111 against Malvern. In addition, he also made 12 half centuries and won selection in the VSDCA representative team in his first season. He was also included in the VSDCA 2020/21 Team of the Year which was a reward for his outstanding performances.

To emphasise his consistency, Ben took out the Club Championship in his first season and also had a second placing and in 2022/23 a third placing.

Ben was appointed captain in 2020/21 and lead Ormond into two Grand Final appearances. He was a deep thinker about the game and was prepared to make changes to alter the flow of matches.

Away from match days, Ben spent a considerable amount of time at club training providing one to one tuition to a number of the club's players who benefitted from his coaching.



### MURRAY RING

The club farewells Murray, the club coach for the past five seasons. Coming from Williamstown and Altona North Cricket Clubs, Murray has contributed enormously to Ormond both in his coaching role and as a person of integrity. As coach Murray is always welcoming, positive, organised, building relationships and above all he provides clear leadership to the playing group.

Five seasons is a long time to coach a cricket club. In Ormond's time in the VSDCA only Dale Christie and Murray have officially been appointed club coach for five seasons. For Murray, much of that time he was living in Geelong! He also in his first year had to contend with no nets at EE Gunn and later with the dislocation caused by COVID.

Coaching for all is a challenging task as the age group has varied from 12 year olds to the occasional fifty plus age group. There were around one hundred different players used for this season in the first five senior elevens. Murray's focus remained inclusive, recognising player achievements, placing emphasis on players improvement while still having fun at training.

An indication of his commitment can be seen as the recipient of the Ted Plant Most Valuable Club Person Award in his first season 2018/19 and in 2019/20 he received the President's Trophy for his outstanding influence on the club at both senior and junior levels.

During his time as coach, the 1<sup>st</sup> XI played off in two successive Grand Finals, reached the Qualifying finals twice and



## THANK YOU & GOODBYE (Continued)

### MURRAY RING (CONTINUED)

missed out on a final's place by 0.03% ! As a fast medium bowler, Murray played 63 games including 34 in the 1<sup>st</sup> XI. He was prepared to play where the club needed him most. He claimed the 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Bowling Average in 2020/21.

Murray also significantly contributed off the field, most notably organising the annual Reverse Draw for several seasons.

He organised for his friend and former team mate Jacob Smith to take on the role of Chairman of Selectors for recent seasons and he provided a significant sounding board for Murray as well as also becoming a welcome figure within the club. But his greatest support was his fiancée and now wife Geneveive who has been with Murray throughout his journey with Ormond.

All at Ormond thank you Muzz for what you have contributed and achieved.

**Addendum:** In the Ormond juniors, two Ormond players have scored three or more centuries in a season. In 1973/74 Stephen Scorgie in the U16s scored four undefeated hundreds. He went on to play 1st XI cricket. In 1981/82 Ricky Jackson in the U16 A team's last four games which included two finals scored 80 retired, 101, 122 and 110 in the Grand Final. In the two finals he scored 72% of the team's runs. Wicketkeeper batsman Ricky went on to play in the 1st XI and was vice captain following his AFL football career.

## SENIORS REPORT 2022/23

The following is a brief summary of season 2022-23 for each of the senior XIs:-

### FIRST XI REPORT 2022/23

#### SEASON REPORT—

The season started extremely well and we were vying for top spot on the ladder at the Christmas break, however, we fell away in the back end of the season and finished 5th on the ladder with 9 wins, 5 losses and a draw. We were then eliminated by eventual Premiers (Caulfield) in our qualifying final. We weren't far off the mark again this season after successive grand final appearances but we have lost some top end talent and experienced cricketers for next season in Wild, Speake and Bull.

Adam Bull's 3 centuries were a highlight as was Ben Speake's 111 against Malver. With the ball, veterans Rod Bird (28 wickets) and James Wild (22 wickets) were our leading wicket takers.

This season we again unearthed some great junior talent including Senin Seymour who made 77\* against Moorabbin and 50 against Elsternwick. He also chimed in with key wickets with his leg spin in the final against Caulfield.

#### Victorian Sub-District Cricket Association - North/South 1st XI

RANK	TEAM	P	W2	W1	D	L1	L2	WKTS LOST	RUNS FOR	WKTS TAKEN	RUNS AGST	POINTS	%
1	Kew	15	0	13	1	1	0	85	2962	149	2292	81	2.2654
2	Caulfield	15	1	9	3	2	0	79	2380	124	2178	73	1.7152
3	St Bernard's OC	15	0	11	1	3	0	89	2540	121	2091	69	1.6515
4	Brighton	15	2	7	2	4	0	98	2295	138	2096	68	1.5419
5	Ormond	15	0	9	1	5	0	121	2740	125	2487	57	1.1381
6	Elsternwick	15	0	9	1	5	0	109	2547	123	2621	57	1.0966
7	Brunswick	15	0	8	2	5	0	101	2346	120	2235	54	1.2471
8	Oakleigh	15	0	8	2	5	0	99	2162	103	2042	54	1.1015
9	Moorabbin	15	0	7	2	6	0	107	2200	100	2333	48	0.8813
10	Plenty Valley	15	0	5	2	8	0	100	2689	108	2581	36	1.1252
11	Coburg	15	0	5	2	8	0	125	2716	101	2845	36	0.7714
12	Malvern	15	0	4	3	8	0	103	2535	98	2578	33	0.9356
13	Preston	15	0	4	1	10	0	136	2708	100	2695	27	0.7388
14	Strathmore	15	0	2	2	10	1	126	2253	115	2603	18	0.7900
15	Port Melbourne	15	0	1	2	12	0	132	1994	79	2878	12	0.4147
16	Ivanhoe	15	0	1	1	11	2	170	2065	69	2537	9	0.3304

<b>Batting</b>	<b>Inns:</b>	<b>Not Outs</b>	<b>HS:</b>	<b>Runs:</b>	<b>Ave:</b>
A Bull	14	2	116*	545	45.42
B Speake	15	1	111	380	27.14

#### **Best Partnerships:**

- 160 A Bull/T Buchanan v Port Melbourne, Round 2
- 113 A Bull/J Wild v Caulfield, Round 13
- 100 A Bull/B Speake v Malvern, Round 8

## FIRST XI REPORT 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

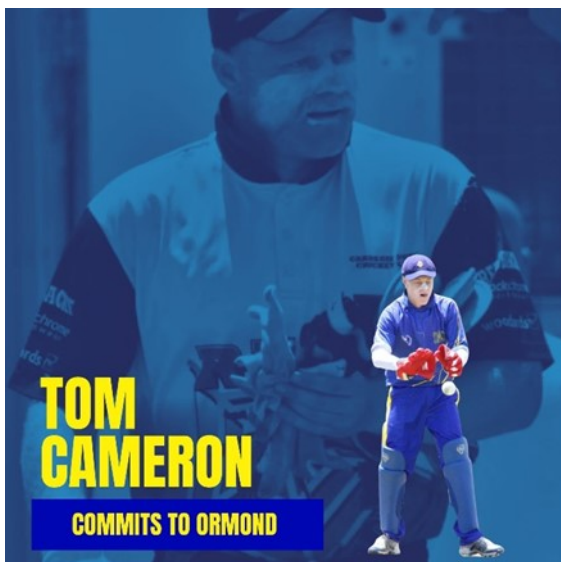
116*	A Bull v Port Melbourne, Round 2
111	B Speake v Malvern, Round 8
103	A Bull v Preston, Round 3
100	J Wild v Oakleigh, Round 5
100*	A Bull v Strathmore, Round 6
83	B Speake v Plenty Valley, Round 9
77*	S Seymour v Moorabbin, Round 11
75*	T Buchanan v Port Melbourne, Round 2
69	J Wild v Caulfield, Round 13
67	A Bull v Malvern, Round 8
61	B Robinson v Moorabbin, Round 11
60	A Bull v Caulfield, Round 13
59	J Wild v Malvern, Round 8
50	S Seymour v Elsternwick, Round 15
50	B Speake v Elsternwick, Round 15

<b>Bowling</b>	<b><u>Overs:</u></b>	<b><u>Maidens:</u></b>	<b><u>Wkts:</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Average</u></b>
R Bird	159.1	28	29	502	17.31
J Wild	132.3	22	22	396	18.00

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

7/46	R Bird v Moorabbin, Round 11
5/4	N Hunt v Oakleigh, Round 5
4/29	N Oaten v Ivanhoe, Round 10
4/30	T Buchanan v Preston, Round 3
4/65	J Wild v Brighton, Round 14

Our team will look very different next season with the retirements of veteran stars in James Wild and Adam Bull and the departure of this year's club captain, Ben Speake. However, we have recruited some quality players including former juniors Bailey Moon who played Premier first XI cricket at Prahran last year and Sam Kindlen as coach replacing Murray Ring who made a massive contribution to the club in his 5 year term. Also returning to the club is keeper/batsman Tom Cameron.





# FIRST XI REPORT 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

## Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 VSDCA:NorthVSouth1stXI

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM		AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	15 Apr 23	Ormond		drew Coburg	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
2	5 Nov 22	Port Melbourne 137 FI Khushi 60 RC McDonald 34 S Seymour 3/20 JS Wild 2/2 T Buchanan 2/18	def	Ormond by 4/247(cc) AG Bull 116* T Buchanan 75* WA Sheh 2/30	Port Melbourne Cricket Ground
3	12 Nov 22	Preston 147 I Liyanage 73 MP Stretton 27 T Buchanan 4/30 R Bird 3/14	def	Ormond by 9/231(cc) AG Bull 103 JS Wild 31 JE Bartholomeusz 27 N Manoharan 3/48 M Murphy 2/35 KP Walsh 2/35	Preston City Oval
4	19 Nov 22	Ormond 168 JE Bartholomeusz 34 L Cameron 3/31 HO Robertson 2/17 D Bonavia 2/51	def	Brunswick 112 M Stables 32 T Buchanan 2/17 B Barry 2/21 N Oaten 2/24 N Hunt 2/32	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
5	20 Nov 22	Ormond 9/241(cc) JS Wild 100 B Speake 41 S Seymour 39 BR Pearson 3/39	def	Oakleigh 46 N Hunt 5/4 R Bird 3/16 JS Wild 2/10	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
6	26 Nov 22	Strathmore 7/175(cc) O Phillips 56 J Condon 32 N Sabatino 30* S Seymour 2/19 T Buchanan 2/22 R Bird 2/32	def	Ormond by 206 AG Bull 100* B Barry 32 D Scott 3/30 DA Highgate 3/33 L Bassi 2/21	Lebanon Reserve (The Syd McGain Oval)
7	3 Dec 22	Ormond 10/146 JS Wild 40 L Davis 3/36 N Perera 2/14 C Browne 2/24	def	St. Bernard's OC by 5/225(cc) C Spinella 65* D O'Connell 44 T Kassis 37	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
8	10 Dec 22	Ormond 7/287(cc) B Speake 111 AG Bull 67 JS Wild 59 M J McKenna 3/60 M Beer 2/38	def	Malvern 256 TB Rickarby 124 MJ McKenna 37 JS Wild 3/29 R Bird 2/48 T Buchanan 2/56	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
9	17 Dec 22	Plenty Valley 9/181(cc) N Sharma 39 H Cullen 31 Y Sharma 30 M Rogneda 25 R Bird 3/21 B Barry 3/35 T Buchanan 2/35	def	Ormond by 8/212(cc) B Speake 83 JE Bartholomeusz 30 SD Black 3/31 L Caldera 2/23	Yarrambat War Memorial Park
10	7 Jan 23	Ivanhoe 74 A Pannell 32 N Oaten 4/29 JS Wild 3/13 MW Ring 3/19	def	Ormond by 5/78(cc) A Pannell 4/20	Ivanhoe Park
11	14 Jan 23 21 Jan 23	Moorabbin 144 VK Wijeratne 39 L Ashen 35 R J Livera 31 R Bird 7/46	def	Ormond by 9/282(cc) S Seymour 77* B Robinson 61 B Barry 49 T Buchanan 39 JE Bartholomeusz 35 R Rajeshbabu 3/32 R J Livera 2/50	Moorleigh Community Village Reserve
12	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Ormond 140 N Oaten 37 OD Birts 6/31 W Sist 2/23 JM Cooke 2/30	def	Kew by 9/251(cc) AF Chalkley 85 D Wildsmith 80 MW Ring 2/38 R Bird 2/43 JS Wild 2/84	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
13	11 Feb 23 12 Feb 23	Caulfield 339 D Tantis-Hall 113 DM Forbes 78 O Hayes 31 JP Small 29 S Seymour 3/66 R Bird 3/69 JE Bartholomeusz 2/26 JS Wild 2/29	def	Ormond by 205 JS Wild 69 AG Bull 60 JE Bartholomeusz 37 A King 3/33 J Thorne 3/42 O Hayes 2/36	Caulfield Park (Oval 1)
14	18 Feb 23 25 Feb 23	Ormond 122 B Speake 29 PE Cassidy 5/52 GS Parker 2/22	def	Brighton by 224 JT Rutter 65 B Murphy 35 A Martin 29* JS Wild 4/65 MW Ring 2/15 N Oaten 2/54	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
15	4 Mar 23	Ormond 175 S Seymour 50 B Speake 50 JE Bartholomeusz 32 DD Opanayaka 4/24 K Sineth 3/32	def	Elsternwick by 5/176 CK Christiansen 67* LJ Edwards 39 N Hunt 2/27 MW Ring 2/42	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
GF	11 Mar 23 12 Mar 23	Caulfield 242 D Tantis-Hall 66 JG Corby 54 JP Small 43 J Aikins 35 S Seymour 2/20 MW Ring 2/41 R Bird 2/50 JS Wild 2/77	def	Ormond by 55 O Hayes 5/6 A King 3/20 L Graf 2/20	Caulfield Park (Oval 1)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## SECOND XI REPORT 2022/23

### SEASON REPORT:-

As the captain of the Ormond Cricket Club 2nd XI, I am thrilled to present this season report that showcases our growth as a dominant side and the incredible mateship that bonded our team. Throughout the season, we aimed to maintain the highest standards of professionalism while fostering a tight-knit social environment. Despite some challenges, our team displayed outstanding performances both with bat and ball, and we look forward to building upon this success in the future.

The Ormond Cricket Club 2nd XI experienced significant growth this season, establishing ourselves as a force to be reckoned with in our league. Our consistent performances on the field were a testament to the hard work and dedication of each player. Off the field, the strong bonds of friendship and camaraderie created an amazing social atmosphere, further solidifying our team's identity.

James Robertshaw was instrumental in our team's success with the bat. His incredible form saw him amass 287 runs at an impressive average of 41 which enable him to earn a 1<sup>st</sup> XI game later in the season. His consistency and skill with the bat were unmatched, inspiring the entire team to multiple victories. Zac Sleeman's return from Premier Cricket proved invaluable for our team. His experience and knowledge of the game were exemplary, and he generously shared his expertise with all the players. His mentorship had a profound impact on our development as cricketers and will undoubtedly shape our careers positively. Little did we know he could influence games with both bat and ball!

Emergence of Kane Gleeson. At just 16 years old, Kane Gleeson displayed immense potential and talent beyond his years. His performances hinted at bigger and better things on the horizon. As a team, we were thrilled to witness his growth and look forward to supporting his journey. Ben Oaten and Ollie Corbett may not have had the season they desired with the bat, but their growth as cricketers was evident throughout the season. Both boys were athletic and dynamic in the field, a real point of difference in the competition. Their dedication and hard work promise a bright future, and it's only a matter of time before they achieve the success they deserve.

The authority in bowling department was profound. The strength of our bowling attack was one of the key factors in our success this season. Our bowlers displayed remarkable consistency and dominance, troubling the opposition consistently. This collective effort contributed significantly to our victories. Max Shenton, who joined us from the Nottingham Premier League team Collingham, was a vital asset to the team. His impressive tally of 21 wickets at an average of 13 was exceptional and played a crucial role in our achievements. Likewise, Oscar's enthusiasm and left-arm orthodox spin bowling earned him 16 wickets at an average of 17, making it a fantastic year for him as well. For someone who has played little senior cricket, Oscar's rise from the 5<sup>th</sup> XI to bowling against premier 1<sup>st</sup> XI cricketers has been awesome to watch.

Marcus Allen's decision to join us from a rival club proved fruitful for both parties. With a batting average of 25 and 16 wickets at 18, Marcus proved his mettle and contributed significantly to our team's successes. Murray Rings showcased his bowling prowess with 14 wickets, adding to the strength and depth of our bowling attack. His consistent performances were commendable. He was rightfully awarded a 1<sup>st</sup> position where he went on to be our most influential bowler. As for myself, Will Robertshaw, I had a delightful season with the ball, picking up 15 wickets at an impressive average of 9. It appears my passion for cricket extends beyond captaining the team, and it reflects in my performances on the field as well.

I'd like to thank everyone who helped out throughout the season. Special mention to Craig Allen for his ongoing support no matter where we played. It was brilliant to welcome both Craig and Marcus into our club. Another special mention goes to our incredible manager and scorer, Mat Cousins. A superstar of our club, Mat's work ethic is unrivalled.

Despite the frustrations of not being able to play in September and October due to rain, we remained resilient and determined to make the most of the opportunities we did get. Playing on wet wickets in challenging conditions showcased our eagerness to compete and exemplified our love for the game. I am incredibly proud of our



## SECOND XI REPORT 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

achievements as the captain of the Ormond Cricket Club 2nd XI. The bond we share as a team, coupled with our professional approach to the game, has made this season one to remember. As we look forward to the future, I am confident that we are on the cusp of achieving great success in the finals. Our growth as a dominant side, both on and off the field, has laid the foundation for future triumphs. Together, we will continue to work hard, support one another, and strive for excellence, ensuring that our legacy in the world of cricket remains enduring.

<b>Games :</b>	<b>Won:</b>	<b>Lost:</b>	<b>Draw:</b>	<b>Position:</b>
15	8	5	2	7th

### **Batting:**

	<b><u>Inns:</u></b>	<b><u>NO:</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Ave:</u></b>
J Robertshaw	10	3	71*	287	41.00
K Gleeson	8	2	78*	202	33.67

### **Best Partnerships:**

80 O Corbett/B Oaten v Preston, Round 3

### **Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):**

118\* Z Sleeman v Strathmore, Round 6  
 78\* K Gleeson v Malvern, Round 8  
 71\* J Robertshaw v Moorabbin, Round 11  
 52 J Robertshaw v Ivanhoe, Round 10  
 51 T Purcell v Moorabbin, Round 11

For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### **Bowling:**

	<b><u>Overs:</u></b>	<b><u>Maidens:</u></b>	<b><u>Wkts:</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Ave:</u></b>
M Shenton	100.2	21	21	281	13.38
Z Sleeman	73.2	13	16	242	15.13

### **Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):**

5/19 M Shenton v Brighton, Round 14  
 5/23 Z Sleeman v St.Bernards, Round 7  
 5/45 Z Sleeman v Moorabbin, Round 11  
 4/15 M Allen v Port Melbourne, Round 2  
 4/20 M Shenton v Elsternwick, Round 15  
 4/21 M Shenton v Ivanhoe, Round 10

## SECOND XI REPORT 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

### Season Results

Season Grade  
2022/2023 VSDCA:North/South 2nd XI

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	15 Apr 23	Coburg	drew Ormond	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
2	5 Nov 22	Ormond <b>2/85(cc)</b> J Robertshaw 30*	Port Melbourne def <b>82</b> A Harindranath 30 MC Allen 4/15 O Fraser 3/14 W Robertshaw 2/7	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
3	12 Nov 22	Ormond <b>6/235(cc)</b> B Oaten 45 O Corbett 43 ZO Sleeman 40 J Robertshaw 37 ALewis 2/33 D Daddona 2/48	Preston def <b>8/163(cc)</b> L Bamford 30* ALewis 25 W Robertshaw 3/13 MW Ring 3/40	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
4	19 Nov 22	Brunswick <b>3/92</b> S Walshe 43* MW Ring 2/13	def Ormond <b>89</b> NM West 4/19 E Jaffe 4/26	A.G Gillon Oval
5	20 Nov 22	Oakleigh <b>4/103</b> RW Howes 41 JR Ritchie 30 W Robertshaw 2/16	def Ormond <b>101</b> DJ Vesel 28* DT Shaw 3/13 MA Stamps 3/13 AL Howes 2/19	D.W. Nicoll Reserve (Warralee Park Oakleigh)
6	26 Nov 22	Ormond <b>9/204</b> ZO Sleeman 118* MC Allen 29 IG Dukic 3/32 E Galpaya 2/49	def Strathmore <b>9/203(cc)</b> D Gregory 76 J Merzel 45 MC Allen 3/39 MW Ring 2/21	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
7	3 Dec 22	St. Bernard's OC <b>6/84</b> K Kanchan 30 ZO Sleeman 5/23	def Ormond <b>80</b> TJ Winchester 4/25 JE Lowrie 2/18	St Bernards College (Murphy Oval)
8	10 Dec 22	Malvern <b>10/106</b> JS Lynch 31 MW Ring 3/11 O Fraser 2/19 M Shenton 2/19	def Ormond by <b>157</b> KS Gleeson 78* L Appu 5/34 A Appu 2/22	Malvern Cricket Ground
9	17 Dec 22	Ormond <b>92</b> H Kumarage 3/35 E Dioresa 2/19	def Plenty Valley by <b>8/94</b> R Raman 42 MW Ring 3/17 L Collopy 2/6 M Shenton 2/9	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
10	7 Jan 23	Ormond <b>7/193(cc)</b> J Robertshaw 52 MC Allen 41* KS Gleeson 30 S Ahilaeswaran 2/27 R Badwal 2/48	def Ivanhoe <b>132</b> P.A. Holden 34 M Shenton 4/21 C Wood 2/31	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
11	14 Jan 23 21 Jan 23	Ormond <b>6/209</b> J Robertshaw 71* T Purcell 51 ZO Sleeman 46 CC Landers 3/42 C Drayton 2/57	def Moorabbin <b>207</b> DV Chauhan 53 S Nadadur 51 C Drayton 36 Z Bates 32 ZO Sleeman 5/45 O Fraser 2/38	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
12	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Kew <b>7/214</b> J Stewart 43 M Dahlsen 37 L Adams 31 TC Arthur 27 W Robertshaw 2/4 O Fraser 2/58	drew Ormond	Victoria Park (Kew) (North Oval)
13	11 Feb 23 12 Feb 23	Ormond <b>212</b> J Robertshaw 47 ZO Sleeman 41 KS Gleeson 34 MC Allen 25 JG Corby 3/33 J Campbell 2/10 K Weelson 2/35 and <b>1/40</b>	def Caulfield <b>155</b> D Anderson 98 O Fraser 3/20 MC Allen 2/23 M Shenton 2/40 ZO Sleeman 2/41	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
14	18 Feb 23 25 Feb 23	Brighton <b>139</b> C Caslake 72 M Shenton 5/19 W Robertshaw 2/19	def Ormond <b>10/137</b> KS Gleeson 33 R Singh 27 J Gates 4/25 TJ Goldsmith 2/20 CH Tsismelis 2/24	Brighton Beach Oval
15	4 Mar 23	Elsternwick <b>97</b> M Shenton 4/20 O Fraser 2/9 B Barry 2/14	def Ormond by <b>5/98</b> B Barry 41 HR Bennett 3/24	Elsternwick Park (Oval #1)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

# THIRD XI REPORT 2022/23

## SEASON REPORT— TO BE UPDATED

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 VSDCA:South/East 3rd XI Division 2

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	15 Apr 23	Ormond	drew Box Hill	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
2	5 Nov 22	Moorabbin <b>102</b> R Maitani 48 B Costa 3/28 SE Bailey 2/4 AP Jobling 2/5	def Ormond by <b>3/103</b> N Edwards 41* B Plumb 27 LB Ludowyke 2/11	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #3 - South East)
3	12 Nov 22	Ormond <b>177</b> L Collopy 32 DJ Christie 3/15 TW Davis 2/6 J Saidi 2/18 T Kelley 2/34	def Noble Park by <b>7/178</b> R Buttar 92* L Jobling 2/16 SM Heenan 2/42	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
4	19 Nov 22	Ormond	drew Croydon <b>1/48</b>	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
5	26 Nov 22	Donvale <b>9/116</b> H Aravindan 26* A Christopoulos 2/21	def Ormond by <b>9/208(cc)</b> N Edwards 56 J Plumb 55 SE Bailey 38* F Ali 4/41 S Singh 2/36	Donvale Reserve (Oval #2)
6	3 Dec 22	Ormond <b>8/200(cc)</b> KS Gleeson 62 B Plumb 50 T J Bradshaw 4/37 V Vijay 2/47	def Elsternwick by <b>7/241(cc)</b> ZA Peddersen 60 P Hibberd 39 WJ Naughton 35 PW Homberg 30 L Jobling 3/19	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
7	10 Dec 22	Port Melbourne <b>4/198(cc)</b> D Johnson 83 E Williams 50 V Delaney 26	def Ormond <b>8/191</b> L Collopy 45 C Wood 38 C Ferstl 34 A Craig 3/34 O Baker 2/32	J.L.Murphy Reserve (Woodruff Oval)
8	17 Dec 22	Noble Park <b>8/230</b> A Stefan 75 A Newton 37 Y Patel 32 M Keogh 3/39 SM Heenan 2/28 DJ Vesel 2/34	def Ormond <b>4/226(cc)</b> J Rogers 48 M Wiseman 45* DJ Vesel 43 C Ferstl 41 Y Patel 3/49	Warner Reserve (Springvale)
9	7 Jan 23	Box Hill <b>150</b> S Morris 34 B King 27 SE Bailey 4/27 SM Heenan 2/9	def Ormond by <b>177</b> SE Bailey 54 LB Bremner 27 J Bethune 4/37 TM Reed 2/22	Springfield Park (West Oval)
10	14 Jan 23 21 Jan 23	Croydon <b>1/94(dec)</b> T Murphy 54 N Bell 32* and <b>6/144</b> N Sanderson 73* N Bell 30 S Akrol 25 L Collopy 6/39	def Ormond <b>70</b> T Stait 28 L Walker 3/17 G Singh 3/22 R Williams 2/12 and <b>8/209(dec)</b> T Stait 94 B Plumb 54 G Singh 5/46	Fred Geale Oval
11	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Ormond <b>174</b> DN Kromlidis 45 C Ferstl 34 H Aravindan 3/19 MG Wright 2/37	drew Donvale <b>3/54</b> AP Jobling 2/24	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
12	11 Feb 23	Ormond <b>2/102</b> C Ferstl 39* V Rao 29*	def Moorabbin <b>98</b> R Thompson 39* M Keogh 4/26 V Rao 2/20	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
13	18 Feb 23 25 Feb 23	Elsternwick <b>2/256(cc)</b> MF Nethercott 115 AR Chisholm 103*	def Ormond <b>163</b> A Christopoulos 42 J Rogers 27 SR Jackson 5/36 U Vaishya 3/51	Elsternwick Park (Oval #2)
14	4 Mar 23	Ormond <b>8/184</b> V Rao 45 C Ferstl 42 T Dunne 4/31 S Sethia 2/31	def Port Melbourne <b>180</b> MW Fuller 58 S Sethia 34 V Rao 3/37 AP Jobling 2/4	E.E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## FOURTH XI REPORT 2022/23

### SEASON REPORT

A record of Won 7, Lost 4 and 2 Abandoned games during the Home and Away season represents a campaign of significant promise in the 4<sup>th</sup> XI, where the nucleus of the team was comprised of young players from our junior sides. Many of these players were as young as 13 / 14 years old and making their first steps into regular senior cricket. As a group, this team performed consistently and beyond expectation throughout the season.

Finishing third on the ladder and playing in a losing semi-final against an experienced Noble Park team will play no small part in accelerating the development of many of the young players involved with this team.

For many it was their first experience of playing 2-day cricket following a diet of white ball cricket over the previous couple of seasons and as a group we played some terrific cricket during the home and away matches, thoroughly deserving our place in the semi-finals.

As was the case for the majority of the season the players put in an outstanding display with the ball and in the field during the first day against Noble Park and confidence was high heading into day 2. However, we unfortunately just couldn't quite get the job done with the bat on the second day. When faced with some experienced bowling, exercising good control our ability to rotate strike and keep the score ticking over as the innings progressed proved to be our downfall as the pressure built. We will be stronger for this experience and back contending in these finals matches again next year.

Whilst several of our players made significant contributions throughout the year, some of the individual highlights were:

#### **Harish Salwathura:**

217 Runs - Often at the top of the order and making 'tough' runs.

21 Wickets - A taker of key wickets and able to change the game during a spell of bowling in both red and white ball cricket.

#### **Nick Riley**

153 Runs – Key runs in the middle order with a positive approach.

21 Wickets - Led the attack in both formats, taking wickets at both ends of the innings.

#### **Jeff Plumb**

125 Runs at an Average of 62.5 – As a senior player Jeff added maturity to our batting at the top of the order towards the 'business end' of the season, educating and supporting the young players around him. Jeff's 49no against Elsternwick will live long in the memory as we grasped victory from the jaws of defeat!

#### **James Dutton**

16 Wickets – A consistent performer throughout the season, often giving the team 'control' through the middle overs.

#### **Leo Gelfand**

As Wicket Keeper Leo grew in stature through the season and became an integral part of the team behind the stumps.

Being a young team the importance of being able to draw upon some more senior people over the year was vital, both on and off the field. The contributions of Chris Roach, Warren Oaten, Jeff Plumb and Nick Riley should not go overlooked in this regard. The philosophy of the club to trust and persevere with a predominantly young group focused on development is a terrific initiative and shows a great degree of trust and confidence in the young cohort of players at Ormond CC.

As captain, it was great to see players grow both individually and collectively whilst embracing the values of being part of a team which was the foundation on how we played our cricket. Additionally, the off-field support received from the

## FOURTH XI REPORT 2022/23

club helped ease my transition into the role early in the season and the work that goes into getting 4 teams onto the field on a Saturday does not go unnoticed. Thank you in particular to Will Robertshaw and Murray Ring in supporting not only this team, but the entire club during the course of the year.

My thanks and appreciation to all involved on the 4<sup>th</sup> XI journey in 2022/23 and hope to see you back in 2023/24.

**MATT DUTTON**

**4TH XI CAPTAIN 2022/23**

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 VSDCA: South/East 4th XI Division 2

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	15 Apr 23	Box Hill	drew Ormond	Springfield Park (West Oval)
2	5 Nov 22	Ormond 5/227(cc) N Yin 40* J Plumb 38 KS Gleeson 34 F Wakabayashi 30 S Sochacki 2/34	def Moorabbin 70 J Dutton 3/27 J Nimorakiotakis 2/12 F Wakabayashi 2/18	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
3	12 Nov 22	Noble Park 5/128 O Stefan 55* A Stefan 40 A Arbaitman 2/18 J Dutton 2/21	def Ormond 9/126(cc) N Riley 29* KP Singh 2/15 A Javed 2/22	Wamer Reserve (Springvale)
4	19 Nov 22	Croydon 8/121 A Smith 39 M Dutton 2/16 N Riley 2/18	def Ormond 9/120(cc) M Dutton 31* JJ Ford 4/13 R Gahalain 3/19 A Smith 2/24	Fred Geale Oval
5	26 Nov 22	Ormond 8/152 CJ Skinner 32 J George 4/22 RI Gates 2/38	def Donvale 9/151(cc) K Balamanage 41 N Riley 3/18	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
6	3 Dec 22	Elsternwick 122 H Lynch 56 H Salwathura 4/25 CJ Skinner 3/22	def Ormond by 3/123 N Riley 36 CJ Skinner 33* N Puri 29	Elsternwick Park (Oval #1)
7	10 Dec 22	Ormond 3/138(cc) B Costa 34 J Rogers 29 P O'Malley 26*	def Port Melbourne 9/137(cc) M Kazim 41 M Rana 25 H Salwathura 3/14 N Riley 2/42	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
8	17 Dec 22	Ormond 6/166 H Salwathura 53 KP Singh 3/39 C Dobson 2/29	def Noble Park 4/165(cc) S Hurley 42 N Ranaraja 33 C Dobson 29 KP Singh 28*	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
9	12 Feb 23	BYE	Ormond	
10	7 Jan 23	Ormond	v BYE	
11	14 Jan 23 21 Jan 23	Ormond 6/1 M Georgiades 25 P Colosimo 3/5 JJ Ford 2/12 C Staggard 2/14 N Critchley 2/23	def Croydon 198 PA Critchley 107 NW McKenzie 25 J Dutton 3/20 by F Walsh 2/17 M Dutton 2/45 and 2/117 NW McKenzie 54	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
12	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Donvale 4/108(cc) NJ Ascenzo 35	drew Ormond 4/118 H Salwathura 37 E Sellyn 32*	Donvale Reserve (Oval #2)
13	11 Feb 23	Moorabbin 52 H Salwathura 3/7 E Sellyn 3/12 A Arbaitman 2/7 N Riley 2/22	def Ormond by 0/53 P O'Malley 34*	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #3 - South East)
14	18 Feb 23 25 Feb 23	Ormond 131 J Plumb 49* H Salwathura 41 TG Fonda 4/44 ML Quinn 3/47 HM Walsh 2/6	def Elsternwick 116 SR Davey 29 N Riley 4/12 E Sellyn 2/16 H Salwathura 2/32 and 4/93 BT Hammer 34	E E Gunn Reserve (Oval #2 - East)
15	4 Mar 23	Port Melbourne 5/181 M Rana 32 T Hayatt 28* J Jogde 27 J Dutton 2/31	def Ormond 6/177(cc) J Singleton 52 S Takkar 2/26	J.L Murphy Reserve (Woodruff Oval)
QF	11 Mar 23 12 Mar 23	Noble Park 151 A Borovac 27 A Javed 25 CJ Skinner 3/24 H Salwathura 3/24 J Dutton 2/20	def Ormond 10/115 H Salwathura 26 N Riley 25 A Abeyasinghe Mudalige Don 4/14 T Muhammad 4/40	Noble Park Reserve (Pat Wright Senior Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.



## FIFTH XI REPORT 2022/23

### SOUTHERN BAYSIDE ONE DAY GREEN (SUN)

#### SEASON REPORT– TO BE UPDATED

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 Cricket SB:Cricket Southern Bayside One Day GREEN Div(Sun)

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	16 Oct 22	Parkdale United	drew Ormond S1	Jack Meade Reserve
2	23 Oct 22	Port Melbourne 5 <b>9/113(cc)</b> V Delaney 53* C Sewell 29 CW Der 3/11 DP Darji 2/15 A Vekariya 2/18	def Ormond S1 <b>5/115</b> S Kshirsagar 40* N Grover 28 J Elson 3/32	J.L. Murphy Reserve (Woodruff Oval)
3	30 Oct 22	Ormond S1	drew Emmanuel Sth Oakleigh	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
4	6 Nov 22	Richmond CC 5	drew Ormond S1	Central Reserve (Central Reserve South)
5	13 Nov 22	Ormond S1	def by Parkdale United	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
6	20 Nov 22	South Caulfield S1	drew Ormond S1	Princes Park (Caulfield) (Oval #4)
7	27 Nov 22	Ormond S1 <b>5/80</b> AJ Shah 34* K Patel 2/12	def by Clayton District S1 <b>79</b> A Venugopal 5/12 A Prajapati 2/23	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
8	4 Dec 22	Ormond S1 <b>7/176</b> N Grover 50* AJ Shah 33 M Bhagat 33 GS Brar 2/24 BJ Ford 2/25	def by Parkdale United <b>6/174(cc)</b> LJ Wilkins 39 BJ Ford 37 A Symons 37* B Soni 2/21 N Grover 2/37	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
9	11 Dec 22	Ormond S1 <b>3/130</b> N Grover 50* A Venugopal 34* G Sundaramurthy 2/20	def by Emmanuel Sth Oakleigh <b>8/195(cc)</b> P Chisholm 50* J Singh 46 P Woodward 41 A Prajapati 3/43 A Venugopal 2/43	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
10	18 Dec 22	Ormond S1 <b>76</b> J Patel 28 M Curtis 3/24 T Nixon-Smith 2/1 R Johnson 2/16	def by Hampton S1 <b>4/173(cc)</b> D Hewitt 50* P Bowden 41 R Rae 29* S Zeb 2/24	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
11	15 Jan 23	Elsternwick 5 <b>5/138(cc)</b> DP Flavell 51* A Prajapati 2/24 S Montacka Karunakara 2/24	def Ormond S1 <b>5/141</b> M Bhagat 37* N Grover 27 T J Smith 2/12	Elsternwick Park (Oval #1)
12	22 Jan 23	Mentone S1 <b>133</b> R Hodgetts 34 CL Cartwright 25 S Mehta 3/15 A Venugopal 2/20 N Grover 2/23	def Ormond S1 <b>144</b> AJ Shah 29 A Hooper-Duffy 2/20 L Wilkins 2/20 O Donat 2/26	Mentone Reserve (Hogben/Meckiff Oval)
13	29 Jan 23	Ormond S1 <b>7/185(cc)</b> D Hirpara 49 B Soni 40 M Bhagat 29 J Patel 26 J Elson 3/17	def Port Melbourne 5 <b>10/164</b> O Barker 47 A Vrani 25 DP Darji 3/21 H Sojitra 3/23	E.E. Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
14	5 Feb 23	South Caulfield S1 <b>93</b> A Hankin 28 A Prajapati 3/15 A Vekariya 2/18	def by Ormond S1 <b>8/234(cc)</b> M Bhagat 50* A Vekariya 50* AJ Shah 32 H Sojitra 31 R Weil 2/26 A Hankin 2/35	Princes Park (Caulfield) (Oval #4)
15	12 Feb 23	Hampton S1 <b>111</b> D Garlick 38 CW Der 3/10 A Vekariya 3/16 N Grover 2/16	def Ormond S1 <b>8/115</b> AJ Shah 49 T Nixon-Smith 3/25	Boss James Reserve
16	19 Feb 23	Clayton District S1 <b>113</b> M Shaik 36 M Kumar 28 A Venugopal 3/21 CW Der 3/30 A Prajapati 2/4	def Ormond S1 <b>6/114</b> R Gupta 2/18	Jack Meade Reserve
17	26 Feb 23	Ormond S1	drew South Caulfield S1	McKinnon Reserve (Main Oval - Turf)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.



## SIXTH XI REPORT 2022/23

### SOUTHERN BAYSIDE ONE DAY BLUE (SUN)

#### SEASON REPORT– TO BE UPDATED

#### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 C ricket SB:C ricket Southern Bayside One Day BLU E DIV (Sun)

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	16 Oct 22	Ormond S2	drew Mackie	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
2	23 Oct 22	Ormond S2 5/101 N Yin 34 L Gelfand 28 AJ Abbott 3/16	South Caulfield S2 def 100 N Kaushik 34 O Fraser 4/23 H Salwathura 2/9 A.Arbaitman 2/15 P O'Malley 2/18	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
3	30 Oct 22	Clayton District S2	drew Ormond S2	Namatjira Park
4	6 Nov 22	Ormond S2	drew Old Mentonians	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
5	13 Nov 22	Cheltenham	drew Ormond S2	Cheltenham Reserve (Jack Barker Oval)
6	20 Nov 22	Old Mentonians	drew Ormond S2	Mentone Grammar Keysborough Playing Fields (Oval 1)
7	27 Nov 22	Mentone S2 4/122 E HONAN 47*	def Ormond S2 7/119(cc) O Lalor 2/2 N Schittler 2/11 L Kinsella 2/23	Mentone Reserve (Hogben/Meckiff Oval)
8	4 Dec 22	Hampton S2 9/154(cc) S Thom 47 B Pickett 38 E Shields 4/14 AP Jobling 2/25	def Ormond S2 by 6/168(cc) DN Kromlidis 50* J Rogers 34 JR Birt 2/13	Castlefield Reserve (Main oval - turf wicket)
9	11 Dec 22	Chelsea 1/45 C Appleford 4/26 DJ Vesel 2/15 A.Arbaitman 2/18	def Ormond S2 by 2/84 B Plumb 32*	Chelsea Recreation Reserve
10	18 Dec 22	Mackie 7/160 J Bridges 28* CV L'Huillier 25 M Finkelstein 2/15	def Ormond S2 8/159(cc) P Voskoboynik 46* H Collopy 28 B Park 2/33	McKinnon Reserve (Oval 2 - Turf (South))
11	15 Jan 23	Ormond S2 8/138(cc) N Edwards 43 C Roach 31 LC Meister 2/20	def Bentleigh by 9/163(cc) LC Meister 51* M Foot 44 AP Jobling 6/23	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
12	22 Jan 23	Ormond S2 3/153 N Edwards 50* A Christopoulos 38 A Bennett 2/26	Beaumaris def 9/151(cc) M Bond 50* J Bell 25 E Shields 2/19 AP Jobling 2/20 J Nimorakiotakis 2/23	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
13	29 Jan 23	Bentleigh 2/186(cc) N Green 50* LC Meister 43* S Levy 42 S Collett 30*	def Ormond S2 6/182(cc) J Plumb 50* B Plumb 43 S Saarinsen 2/29 LC Meister 2/30	Bentleigh Recreation Reserve (Main oval)
14	5 Feb 23	Ormond S2 6/195(cc) R Kalra 53* N Edwards 52* P Voskoboynik 31 AP Jobling 29* M Smith 2/29	def Bonbeach 169 HH Butt 41 H Harrington 36 M Smith 30 N Edwards 2/9 P Sharma 2/16 AP Jobling 2/27	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
15	12 Feb 23	Beaumaris 5/95	def Ormond S2 9/89(cc) AP Jobling 36* W Mutton 3/10 LJ Trantino 2/12 A Bennett 2/19	Beaumaris Reserve
16	19 Feb 23	Ormond S2 4/173 O Bolt 53* L Bolt 33 C Wood 27	def Chelsea 9/171(cc) MD Arambewala 53* N Kasapis 47 M Wood 4/18 S Bolt 4/19	E.E Gunn Reserve (Main Oval)
17	26 Feb 23	Mentone S2 7/167 N Schittler 50* M Cross 38* E Shields 2/8	def Ormond S2 6/162(cc) AP Jobling 50* L Jobling 35 DJ Vesel 32 N Schittler 3/15	Mentone Reserve (Hogben/Meckiff Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## OCC SEASON STATS 2022/23

### First XI Results:

**Captain:** Ben SPEAKE

<b>Games:</b>	<b>Won:</b>	<b>Lost:</b>	<b>Draw:</b>	<b>Position:</b>
16	9	6	1	5th

### Batting:

	<u>Inns:</u>	<u>NO:</u>	<u>HS:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
A Bull	14	2	116*	545	45.42
B Speake	15	1	111	380	27.14

### Best Partnerships:

160 A Bull/T Buchanan v Port Melbourne, Round 2  
 113 A Bull/J Wild v Caulfield, Round 13  
 100 A Bull/B Speake v Malvern, Round 8

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

116\* A Bull v Port Melbourne, Round 2  
 111 B Speake v Malvern, Round 8  
 103 A Bull v Preston, Round 3  
 100 J Wild v Oakleigh, Round 5  
 100\* A Bull v Strathmore, Round 6  
 83 B Speake v Plenty Valley, Round 9  
 77\* S Seymour v Moorabbin, Round 11  
 75\* T Buchanan v Port Melbourne, Round 2  
 69 J Wild v Caulfield, Round 13  
 67 A Bull v Malvern, Round 8  
 61 B Robinson v Moorabbin, Round 11  
 60 A Bull v Caulfield, Round 13  
 59 J Wild v Malvern, Round 8  
 50 S Seymour v Elsternwick, Round 15  
 50 B Speake v Elsternwick, Round 15

For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Bowling:

	<u>Overs:</u>	<u>Maidens:</u>	<u>Wkts:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
R Bird	159.1	28	29	502	17.31
J Wild	132.3	22	22	396	18.00

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

7/46 R Bird v Moorabbin, Round 11  
 5/4 N Hunt v Oakleigh, Round 5  
 4/29 N Oaten v Ivanhoe, Round 10

## OCC SEASON STATS 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

4/30 T Buchanan v Preston, Round 3

4/65 J Wild v Brighton, Round 14

For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Second XI Results:

**Captain:** Will ROBERTSHAW

<u>Games:</u>	<u>Won:</u>	<u>Lost:</u>	<u>Draw:</u>	<u>Position:</u>
15	8	5	2	7th

### Batting:

	<u>Inns:</u>	<u>NO:</u>	<u>HS:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
J Robertshaw	10	3	71*	287	41.00
K Gleeson	8	2	78*	202	33.67

### Best Partnerships:

80 O Corbett/B Oaten v Preston, Round 3

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

118\* Z Sleeman v Strathmore, Round 6

78\* K Gleeson v Malvern, Round 8

71\* J Robertshaw v Moorabbin, Round 11

52 J Robertshaw v Ivanhoe, Round 10

51 T Purcell v Moorabbin, Round 11

For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Bowling:

	<u>Overs:</u>	<u>Maidens:</u>	<u>Wkts:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
M Shenton	100.2	21	21	281	13.38
Z Sleeman	73.2	13	16	242	15.13

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

5/19 M Shenton v Brighton, Round 14

5/23 Z Sleeman v St.Bernards, Round 7

5/45 Z Sleeman v Moorabbin, Round 11

4/15 M Allen v Port Melbourne, Round 2

4/20 M Shenton v Elsternwick, Round 15

4/21 M Shenton v Ivanhoe, Round 10

For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

## OCC SEASON STATS 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

### Third XI Results:

**Captain:** Cameron FERSTL

<b><u>Games:</u></b>	<b><u>Won:</u></b>	<b><u>Lost:</u></b>	<b><u>Draw:</u></b>	<b><u>Position:</u></b>
14	5	6	3	6th

### Batting:

	<b><u>Inns:</u></b>	<b><u>NO:</u></b>	<b><u>HS:</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Ave:</u></b>
C Ferstl	7	1	42	220	36.67

### Best Partnership:

97 J Plumb/N Edwards v Donvale, Round 5

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

94 T Stait v Croydon, Round 10  
 62 K Gleeson v Elsternwick, Round 6  
 56 N Edwards v Donvale, Round 5  
 55 J Plumb v Donvale, Round 5  
 54 B Plumb v Croydon, Round 10  
 54 S Bailey v Box Hill, Round 9  
 50 B Plumb v Elsternwick, Round 6

**For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website**

### Bowling:

	<b><u>Overs:</u></b>	<b><u>Maidens:</u></b>	<b><u>Wkts:</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Ave:</u></b>
A Jobling	86.3	15	12	307	25.58

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

6/39 L Collopy v Croydon, Round 10  
 4/26 M Keogh v Moorabbin, Round 12  
 4/27 S Bailey v Box Hill, Round 9

**For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website**

## OCC SEASON STATS 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

### Fourth XI Results:

**Captain:** Matt DUTTON

<u>Games:</u>	<u>Won:</u>	<u>Lost:</u>	<u>Draw:</u>	<u>Position:</u>
14	7	5	2	3rd

### Batting:

	<u>Inns:</u>	<u>NO:</u>	<u>HS:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
H Salwathura	10	0	53	217	21.70
P O'Malley	12	3	34*	163	18.11

### Best Partnership:

70 J Plumb/K Gleeson v Moorabbin, Round 2

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

53 H Salwathura v Noble Park, Round 8

52 J Singleton v Port Melbourne, Round 15

For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Bowling:

	<u>Overs:</u>	<u>Maidens:</u>	<u>Wkts:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
H Salwathura	107.1	38	21	304	14.48
N Riley	108.3	23	21	387	18.43

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

4/12 N Riley v Elsternwick, Round 14

4/25 H Salwathura v Elsternwick, Round 6

For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Fifth XI Results:

**Captain:** No set Captain

<u>Games:</u>	<u>Won:</u>	<u>Lost:</u>	<u>Draw:</u>	<u>Position:</u>
17	6	6	5	7th

### Batting:

	<u>Inns:</u>	<u>NO:</u>	<u>HS:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
A Jobling	9	4	50*	181	36.20



## OCC SEASON STATS 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

### Best Partnership:

116 J Plumb/B Plumb v Bently, Round 13  
87 R Kalra/P Voskoboynik v Bonbeach, Round 14

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

53\* O Bolt v Chelsea, Round 16  
53\* R Kalra v Bonbeach, Round 14  
52\* N Edwards v Bonbeach, Round 14  
50\* A Jobling v Mentone S2, Round 17  
50\* J Plumb v Bently, Round 13  
50\* N Edwards v Beaumaris, Round 12  
50\* D Kromlidis v Hampton S2, Round 8

For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Bowling:

	<u>Overs:</u>	<u>Maidens:</u>	<u>Wkts:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
A Jobling	65	9	16	251	15.69

### Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):

6/23 A Jobling v Bently, Round 11  
4/14 E Shields v Hampton S2, Round 8  
4/18 M Wood v Chelsea, Round 16  
4/19 S Bolt v Chelsea, Round 16  
4/23 O Fraser v South Caulfield, Round 2  
4/26 C Appleford v Chelsea, Round 9

For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website

### Sixth XI Results:

Captain: Chetan DER

<u>Games:</u>	<u>Won:</u>	<u>Lost:</u>	<u>Draw:</u>	<u>Position:</u>
17	4	8	5	6th

### Batting:

	<u>Inns:</u>	<u>NO:</u>	<u>HS:</u>	<u>Runs:</u>	<u>Ave:</u>
M Bhagat	10	3	50*	212	30.29
A Shah	9	1	49	213	26.63

### Best Partnership:

75 A Shah/N Grover v Parkdale United, Round 8

### Batting Highlights (50 Runs and over):

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- 50\* N Grover v Parkdale United, Round 8  
 50\* N Grover v Emmanuel/South Oakleigh, Round 9  
 50\* M Bhagat v South Caulfield, Round 14  
 50\* A Vekariya v South Caulfield, Round 14

**For all other batting statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website**

### **Bowling:**

	<b><u>Overs:</u></b>	<b><u>Maidens:</u></b>	<b><u>Wkts:</u></b>	<b><u>Runs:</u></b>	<b><u>Ave:</u></b>
A Prajapati	52	4	16	247	15.44
C Der	52.2	6	12	209	17.42

### **Bowling Highlights (4 Wickets and over):**

5/12 A Venugopal v Clayton District, Round 7

**For all other bowling statistics, please refer to the club's MyCricket website**

## OCC CLUB AWARD WINNERS 2022-23

<b><u>1st XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Adam BULL	14	2	116*	545	45.42
<b><u>1st XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Rod BIRD	159.1	28	29	502	17.31
<b><u>2nd XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
James ROBERTSHAW	10	3	71*	287	41
<b><u>2nd XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Max SHENTON	100.2	21	21	281	13.38
<b><u>3rd XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Cam FERSTL	7	1	42	220	36.67
<b><u>3rd XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Aiden JOBLING	86.3	15	12	307	25.58
<b><u>4th XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Harish SALWATHURA	10	0	53	217	21.7
<b><u>4th XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Harish SALWATHURA	107.1	38	21	304	14.48
<b><u>5th XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Aiden JOBLING	9	4	50*	181	36.2
<b><u>5th XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Aiden JOBLING	65	9	16	251	15.69
<b><u>6th XI Batting:</u></b>	<b><u>I</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>	<b><u>HS</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Mukesh BHAGAT	10	3	50*	212	30.29
<b><u>6th XI Bowling:</u></b>	<b><u>O</u></b>	<b><u>M</u></b>	<b><u>W</u></b>	<b><u>RUNS</u></b>	<b><u>AV</u></b>
Ashish PRAJAPATI	52	4	16	247	15.44

Qualification criteria is as follows:

**Batting** - 7 innings and 150 runs

**Bowling** - 66 overs and 15 wickets

However, with the 5th & 6th XI's being in the CSB Sunday One Day Competition with reduced overs, the bowling criteria is 50 overs and 10 wickets or more or whichever comes first.

### Club Championship:

1.	Adam BULL	679 points
2.	James WILD	646
3.	Ben SPEAKE	642
4.	Aiden JOBLING	599
5.	Zac SLEEMAN	563
6.	Harish SALWATHURA	476
7.	Tom BUCHANAN	458
8.	Rodney BIRD	452
9.	Senin SEYMOUR	434
10.	Nick RILEY	433

## J.G. CRAIG U15 TURF TEAM 2022/23

### SEASON REPORT– TO BE UPDATED

Each year the Victorian Sub-District Cricket Association (VSDCA) runs the J.G. Craig Competition for Under 15 cricket players. It is recognised as the premier Under 15 cricket competition in Victoria and is conducted in January each year. All 28 sub-district clubs enter a team.

The competition was known as the R M Hatch Competition for more than 50 years but in 2014/15 it was re-named the J G Craig Competition after Ormond and VSDCA legend, John Craig. John scored more than 7,000 runs in the VSDCA and was part of 6 premierships at Ormond. As such, the club has a special connection with the competition and the club has enjoyed great success in the competition over recent years having won it in 2007/08, 2016/17, 2017/18 and again in 2020/21. We were also runners up in 2008/09 and semi- finalists in 2005/2006, 2006/2007 and 2013/14. The club was also quarter-finalists in 2010/2011 and 2019/20 seasons.

We have historically fielded a team that is a combination of the best current Ormond junior under 15 players together with juniors from other clubs from all over Victoria.

We started planning for the competition very early and conducted a winter training programme as part of the talent identification process, finalising our squad based on the winter sessions. We then started training again in October with the tournament to go ahead as planned in January. We were very confident that we had assembled a strong team with very good batting and bowling depth.

A special mention to club legends John Craig, Ian Shields, Colin Geldart, Brian Ambler and Russell Oaten who were at the majority of games cheering on the boys. Along with many committee members, we also had long time supporters Simon Poll, Bruce and Russ there at most of the games and many of the previous Craig Shield players from over the past 7 years there to cheer the boys on. It was very much appreciated by all the players and coaches that's for sure.

Well done boys, it was a very special tournament and something I hope you all thoroughly enjoyed.

### ORMOND 2021/22 CRAIG SHIELD SQUAD:

#### MILES SELLENGER (COACH)

<b>Batting Average</b>	TBA
<b>Bowling Average</b>	TBA
<b>Fielding</b>	TBA
<b>Steve Ambler Memorial Award</b>	TBA
<b>Coach's Award</b>	TBA

#### BATTING STATISTICS

Player	Runs	Average	Highest Score
TBA			

#### BOWLING STATISTICS

Player	Overs	Wickets	Average
TBA			

## JUNIOR SECTION REPORT 2022/23



Strong juniors are the foundation of the club's future and again this season the club invested heavily in junior development. The model of paying junior coaches (rather than relying on parents as coaches) provides us with a clear point of difference and it's no coincidence that the vast majority of our junior teams played finals again. Engaging senior players to coach junior teams provides players with better technical foundations and also helps develop future leaders. Of course, it comes at a price and the committee should be congratulated for their vision.

This season the club fielded 12 junior teams in the South East Cricket Association (SECA) including 3 Under 16 teams, 3 Under 14 teams, 3 Under 12 teams and 2 Under 12 Rookie teams. In addition, we also fielded a representative team in the VSDCA Under 15 J G Craig competition plus our usual grass roots programmes, Junior Blasters and Master Blasters.

After two seasons of interruptions due to COVID, it was great to get back to some sort of normality and for the first time in 3 seasons the junior fixtures included some 2 day games. Post pandemic, it was important that we offered every player the opportunity to play team sport and our goal was to make sure players had fun but we also wanted to develop their level of skill. To achieve this, the directive to coaches was to wherever possible, provide participants with game day opportunities to bat and/or bowl every game. The objective was to also deliver technical tuition so players would improve and most importantly, return to play next season.

Success in junior sport can be measured a number of ways but participation should always take priority over premier-ships. Having said that, the on-field performance of our juniors this year was outstanding. The majority of our teams made finals with four teams making it through the grand final - Under 12A grade, Under 14A grade, Under 14B grade and Under 14C grade. Our Under 15 J G Craig team again made finals and our Under 12A grade team completed back to back premierships under the guidance of Phil Arnold. Phil led his 12A team through the season undefeated for the second year in a row which is an incredible achievement. Our Under 14C team under the guidance of 18 year old Ollie Corbett also won the premiership in a dominant display.

Within SECA, Ormond has become a destination club because of our coaching and team success. Special thanks to our President (Will Robertshaw) who ran 'Prez Pairs' sessions over winter to further develop a squad of junior players who were transitioning into the seniors. Our senior 4th XI was full of juniors and they made it through to the grand final against Noble Park.

We also have a healthy Woolworths Blasters Program that runs on Saturday mornings that caters for our 5 to 8 year old cricketers. Club Vice-President Tanja Curtis manages this incredibly important part of the club and with the help of some senior players, our Blasters Program is preparing boys and girls to step up into our Under 12 teams. COVID had a big impact on participation levels in these programmes and we recognise the need to market them and grow the numbers again as they filter into our junior system.

The strength of our junior program is reflected in the fact that a number of junior players also played seniors this season. A number of juniors got a taste of Second XI cricket this season which augers well for the future of the club. In addition, an extraordinary number of junior players were selected to play representative cricket for SECA and ISEC teams in 2021/22.

I would like to thank all our junior coaches and their team managers for their efforts this season in ensuring that the players were taught the skills of the game and most importantly, the spirit of the game. Our coaching group's key objectives were to teach, develop skills, build confidence and ensure the players build a love of the game. The work of our junior coaches and the support of the committee have made us a destination club and our junior program is the envy of other local clubs.

We are a community club run by volunteers and without parents and young senior players stepping into junior coaching roles we simply couldn't function. Coaching juniors is a challenging but very rewarding experience and I believe coaches can impact more young people in a season than the average person does in a lifetime. Special thanks to all the coaches in 2021/22 including:



## JUNIOR SECTION REPORT 2022/23



TEAM	COACH
16A	Will Robertshaw
16B	
16B	Neil Schittler
14A	Ben Oaten
14B	Alex Christopoulos ?
14B Central	Dylan Vesel ?
14C North	Ollie Corbett
12A (Premiers)	Phil Arnold
12B	Tom Purcell
12C Central	Lachie Collopy
12C North	Alex Varelas
Rookies 1 Saturday	
Rookies 2 Sunday	
U15 J G Craig Team	Miles Sellenger & Michael Cove

The committee has been outstanding in their support of the juniors and we continue to work on delivering the objectives outlined in the club's strategic plan that was updated in 2020. In particular, the development of the juniors and their integration with the seniors into 'one club'.

The healthy numbers in both the under 12's and the Woolworths Blasters programs provide a sense of optimism about what lies ahead but we can't afford to get complacent. I look forward to the new season and I'm expecting it to be full of challenges, progress and triumphs.



**PAT CAMM - JUNIOR COORDINATOR**

## U16A TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

**BATTING AWARD -** RANBIR SINGH (248 RUNS @ 47.33)

**BOWLING AWARD -** MATT FINKELSTEIN (12 WICKETS @ 14.42)

**THE GUNN AWARD -** AIDAN JOBLING

### SEASON REPORT – TO BE UPDATED

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:



### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA Fri 16A

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	7 Oct 22	Le Page Park 1	drew Ormond 1	Le Page Reserve (Oval 1)
2	14 Oct 22 21 Oct 22	Brighton 1 <b>4/97(cc)</b> F Amhold 31* E Sellyn 2/8	def Ormond 1 <b>8/94(cc)</b> LA Sexton 4/21	Brighton - Beach Oval
3	28 Oct 22 4 Nov 22	Ormond 1 <b>6/100(cc)</b> B Plumb 42* J Sotiriadis 3/17	def Le Page Park 1 <b>6/110(cc)</b> AJ Karlsson-Lacy 40* C Brookes by 36 M Finkelstein 3/17	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
4	11 Nov 22 18 Nov 22	Beaumaris 1 <b>7/150(cc)</b> LB McNamara 50* SE Bailey 3/13	def Ormond 1 <b>94</b> B Plumb b 25 LP Caldwell 2/2 Z Hawkins 2/6 LB McNamara 2/7	Beaumaris Reserve
5	25 Nov 22 2 Dec 22	Ormond 1 <b>8/164</b> R Singh 57* SE Bailey 30 B Costa 30 F Teelow 3/25 F Brayshaw 2/13 P Galanopoulos 2/25	def Cluden 1 <b>8/163(cc)</b> A Pascoe 46 TC Paddington 27 M Finkelstein 3/37	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
6	9 Dec 22 16 Dec 22	St Brigid's/St Louis 1 <b>7/155(cc)</b> H Feild 46 CJ Williams 26* R Singh 2/5 C Wood 2/9	def Ormond 1 by <b>6/158</b> C Wood 39* R Singh 35 H Feild 3/24	Browns Reserve
7	20 Jan 23 20 Jan 23	Ormond 1 <b>4/113</b> R Singh 40* R Kalra 33 CJ Williams 2/25	def St Brigid's/St Louis 1 <b>4/110(cc)</b> M McLean 44* H Feild 41* M Finkelstein 2/30	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
8	27 Jan 23 3 Feb 23	Brighton 1	Ormond 1 drew <b>8/186(cc)</b> R Singh 53* B Plumb 51* T Merry 35 LA Sexton 2/17 C Wigney 2/31	Brighton - Beach Oval
9	10 Feb 23 17 Feb 23	Beaumaris 1 <b>119</b> FJ Batty 30 S McLennan 25 M Finkelstein 3/14	def Ormond 1 <b>10/118</b> R Singh 54 LP Caldwell 3/34 D Hodgson 2/13 O Fitt 2/20 FJ Batty 2/22	Beaumaris Reserve
SF	24 Feb 23 3 Mar 23	Beaumaris 1 <b>7/143(cc)</b> J Van Rooyen 50* R Hajdinjak 2/18 T Merry 2/18	def Ormond 1 <b>105</b> T Merry 42 A Harrop 4/11 LP Caldwell 2/22	Beaumaris Reserve

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## U16B CENTRAL TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

**BATTING AWARD -**                    **HARRISON GREIG** (192 RUNS @ 38.40)

**BOWLING AWARD -**                **ANGUS DEAN** (6 WICKETS @ 19.83)

**THE GUNN AWARD -**                **LUKE BARTON**



### SEASON REPORT

We realised very quickly that the decision to play in 16Bs, against the top U16 team from most clubs, was going to make for a very tough season.

In spite of this, the opportunity to play a higher standard meant that when our kids did have some success, that it was celebrated. At times this was not necessarily high scores, but grit and survival, and with a first game on turf for many of the team. This early look at 16Bs should acquit most of them well for season 2023/24.

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

Round	Opponent	W/L	Scores	Performance
1	Parkdale 2	D		Match drawn due to rain
2	Washington Park 1	L	2/103 v 48	H Greig 20, A Dean 1/7
3	Le Page Park 2	L	1/125 v 7/89	W Schlittler 19* E Cockle 1/9
4	Bayside -Kingston Heath 1	L	9/262 v 78	H Greig 44*T Feather 2/44
5	Bentleigh 1	L	8/163 v 3/74	H Greig 21, L Barton 15* G Booth 2/5, A le Mar 2/10
6	Mackie 1	L	6/111 v 3/211	H Greig 52*, A Gulwadi 14
7	Brighton 2	L	5/297 v 141	H Greig 26, O Virlobmier 26, A Schlittler 25 W Schlittler 2/26
8	Le Page Park 2	L	7/87 v 7/114	A Dean 19* A Dean 2/8
9	Brighton 2	L	59 v 3/85	C Sydenham 1/7

**NEIL SCHLITTLER - COACH**

**PETER BARTON - TEAM MANAGER**

## U16B NORTH TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

<b>BATTING AWARD -</b>	<b>NATHAN YIN</b> (158 RUNS @ 31.60)
<b>BOWLING AWARD -</b>	<b>DILLON THERON</b> (11 WICKETS @ 11.91)
<b>THE GUNN AWARD -</b>	<b>EVAN SHIELDS</b>



### SEASON REPORT

This season was my first coaching an under 16 side, and it threw a bit of everything at us but we persevered. We had our ups and downs with the boys ultimately just missing out on a spot in finals. We finished the season 5th on the ladder with 4 wins, 4 losses and one washout, a decent effort considering we were up against many of the club's opposition teams. I was away in Italy for the second half of the season but the team was led brilliantly by both Ben Shields and Simon Huntington.

To reflect on the season solely based on where we finished would be an insult to the improvements and sensational individual and team efforts achieved throughout the season.

I spoke to the boys about looking at our individual matches as building blocks in which we reflect on what we did well and what we could have done better to ensure we aren't repeating the same mistakes. I couldn't have asked for more when we faced Benteigh Uniting for the second time in 4 weeks. They proved too good in round 7, with their experienced batting line up scoring a mammoth 5/246 in their 40 overs. The Mondays didn't go down without a fight, with Mitch Huntington scoring 37 and young gun Priyam Sharma contributing with a crafty 31, but we ultimately fell short by 91 runs.

Come round 9, we were ready for them. Leo Glenane contributed with a rapid 53, as did Nathan Yin with his second 50 of the season. Max Bedford-Brown scored a classy 37, a great reward for a player who worked tirelessly throughout the year and always valued his wicket. Defending 185 off our 40 overs, our man Dillon Theron proved to be the difference with the ball, capturing the crucial wicket of Kane Gleeson for 1 and we were underway. Reduced to 4/63, Benteigh Uniting began to fight back, then Aditya Krishna swooped in to dismiss the swashbuckling Swann for 35 followed by another quick wicket, reduced to 6/143 at that stage, we were back in the game. Our bowlers expertly closed out the game and we emerged victorious by 12 runs, a huge result considering the outcome of the previous encounter.

We were resilient and played the ball not the man, for me the match proved that we had the talents and skills to take it to any team, we just lacked the belief at times. I hope that these boys continue to play positive cricket where they have the belief in themselves and their teammates that they can get the job done. Captain Mitch Huntington lived by this every week, he has maturity beyond his years and excellent leadership qualities. His tactical skills improved immensely and was well supported by both Nathan Yin and Leo Glenane.

#### Batting:

Our batting award was won by Nathan Yin who scored 158 runs at an average of 31.60, scoring his first two 50s in the process! An incredible achievement but did not come as a surprise to me. He practically lived at Cricket HQ over the off season and worked tirelessly on developing the fundamentals to his technique. A personal highlight for me was his 50 not out against South Melbourne - a patient and well-crafted innings when his team needed it most. Now it's time to work on his calling between the wickets.

Other notable shoutouts include Noah Gray who started the season with a bang, scoring 35 in the opening round against Elwood and backing it up with a dominant 29 against Murrumbeena. Aditya Krishna swung them around corners when bowling but also proved more than handy with the bat scoring a gritty 26 against eventual premiers East Sandringham in a much needed partnership with glorified fill in Nate Edwards who also scored his first ever 50.

#### Bowling:

Dillon Theron collected the bowling award, grabbing 11 wickets at an average of 11.91. He was our go to man when we needed a breakthrough - consistently dismissing the oppositions best batsmen. His control improved as the season went on, culminating in his best performance against Benteigh Uniting where he took 4/23 off 5 overs. All this for a boy who told me he thinks he's more of a batter than a bowler!

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In the bowling department, Caelan Appleford was the only spinner in the team and found going tough at times. I admired his ability to come back every week and want to learn and get better at every training session. His '4fa' against Chelsea in his first senior match for the club was just reward for the effort he puts in, and I look forward to seeing his continued improvement next season. Another hard worker was Jake Selby. A last-minute recruit, Jake's batting, bowling and fielding improved greatly. He grabbed a stunner of a catch against Hampton, but ultimately didn't get enough opportunities with the bat. He has the talent and I hope that it all comes together for him next season.

Leo Glenane, our all-round superstar - he batted, bowled and wicket kept and when he wasn't doing all of the above he owned the cover region in the field. Happy to be put in the difficult position of opening the batting, he was always up for a challenge – given the ball when the game was on the line, he was able to keep his calm and execute under pressure on several occasions. Another allrounder, Lewis Squire did a bit of everything this season. He dazzled the Murrumbeena batting and bowling line up, firstly with his stylish 17 off 12 balls including several classic Squire cut shots but also with his deadly outswingers. I hope to see him continue on and play some senior cricket for the Mondays.

### Gunn Award:

Last but definitely not least, our Gunn Award was given to Evan Shields. I'm convinced that his blood type is a rare OCC - you couldn't meet a more passionate and dedicated teammate. His encouragement and positivity is infectious and he is a pleasure to coach. His bowling has gone from strength to strength this season, rewarded with a consistent spot in the club's 5th XI and even played some 4th XI cricket, which I'm sure he'll be a mainstay in next season pushing on to higher honours.

It was a pleasure to coach these boys, the experience was a challenging but rewarding one which I really enjoyed. I wish this group of players all the success in the future!

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

Round	Opponent	W/L	Scores	Performance
1	Brighton Union 1	D		Match washed out on both weeks
2	Elwood 1	L	9/83 v 3/106	N Gray 35 E Shields 3/11
3	Murrumbeena 1	W	2/157 v 8/134	M Huntington 40*, L Glenane 35*, N Gray 29 D Theron 3/19, A Krishna 2/18
4	South Melbourne 1	W	8/137 v 10/130	N Yin 50* N Yin 2/5, E Shields 2/15, L Glenane 2/24
5	East Sandringham 1	L	7/130 v 6/266	N Edwards 50*, A Krishna 26*
6	Hampton 1	L	9/228 v 10/69	A Krishna 3/22, E Shields 3/37
7	Bentleigh Uniting 1	L	5/246 v 10/155	M Huntington 37, P Sharma 31, N Yin 27 M Huntington 2/32
8	Murrumbeena 1	W	10/149 v 5/154	M Huntington 52*, L Glenane 27 L Squire 2/15, D Theron 2/17
9	Bentleigh Uniting 1	W	3/185 v 10/173	L Glenane 53*, N Yin 50*, M Bedford-Brown 37 D Theron 4/23, A Krishna 2/26

**DYLAN VESEL – COACH**

**BEN SHIELDS - TEAM MANAGER**

**MITCHELL HUNTINGTON AND NATHAN YIN – CO-CAPTAINS**

**LEO GLENANE – VICE CAPTAIN**



## U14A TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

**BATTING AWARD -** HARISH SALWATHURA (333 RUNS @ 111)  
**BOWLING AWARD -** SHLOK SHANBHAG (14 WICKETS @ 9.71)  
**THE GUNN AWARD -** MATT ESPOSITO



### SEASON REPORT – TO BE UPDATED

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA F11 14A

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	7 Oct 22	Ormond 1	drew Mackie 1	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
2	14 Oct 22 21 Oct 22	Ormond 1 <b>7/60(cc)</b> R Stratford 2/6 W Saadie 2/7 M Wartman 2/8	def Brighton 1 by <b>7/89(cc)</b>	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
3	28 Oct 22 4 Nov 22	Le Page Park 1 <b>4/103(cc)</b> J O'Brien 42* H Salwathura 2/14	def Ormond 1 by <b>5/114(cc)</b> P O'Malley 43* A Pal 25	Le Page Reserve (Oval 1)
4	11 Nov 22 18 Nov 22	Ormond 1 <b>9/106</b> S Shanbhag 26 H Garside 3/12 J Henderson 3/16	Beaumaris 1 def <b>88</b> J Henderson 30 J Rawlings 26 H Salwathura 2/3 P O'Malley 2/4 A Pal 2/7 S Shanbhag 2/16	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
5	25 Nov 22 2 Dec 22	Bentleigh 1 <b>10/67</b> A Arbaitman 3/12 A Pal 2/1 S Shanbhag 2/13	def Ormond 1 by <b>7/226(cc)</b> H Salwathura 54* S Dutton 52* M Esposito 40 P O'Malley 30	Victory Park (Bentleigh) (Oval 1)
6	9 Dec 22 16 Dec 22	Ormond 1 <b>9/171(cc)</b> H Salwathura 46* B DCosta 36 W Wang 4/Ward 2/6 H Power 2/14	def Hampton 1 <b>150</b> K Elliott 48 T Clarkson 25 S Dutton 4/21	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
7	13 Jan 23 20 Jan 23	South Melbourne 1 <b>8/100</b> A Verna 50* S Shanbhag 4/8	def Ormond 1 <b>94</b>	Albert Park (Lindsay Hassett Oval) (Oval 11)
8	27 Jan 23 3 Feb 23	Ormond 1 <b>217</b> P O'Malley 62 H Salwathura 51* B Jones 4/23	Elwood 1 def <b>10/80</b> T Scott 45 A Arbaitman 3/7 B DCosta 2/1 A Gupta 2/3 M Esposito 2/14	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
9	10 Feb 23 17 Feb 23	Ormond 1 <b>5/243(cc)</b> H Salwathura 53* S Dutton 50* P O'Malley 37 L Gelfand 31* R Morgan 29	Port Melbourne 1 def <b>134</b> M Lau 61* W Sharpin 28 B DCosta 3/7 S Shanbhag 2/22	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
SF	24 Feb 23 3 Mar 23	Ormond 1 <b>9/134(cc)</b> H Salwathura 51* A Hankin 4/11 B Huang 2/22	def Mackie 1 by <b>7/125(cc)</b> A Arya 36 M Esposito 2/19	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)
GF	10 Mar 23 17 Mar 23	Brighton 1 <b>3/145</b> J McKenzie 51* J Damiano 50*	def Ormond 1 by <b>6/143(cc)</b> H Salwathura 53*	Moorabbin West Reserve

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## U14B TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

**BATTING AWARD - OSCAR VIRLOMBIER (198 RUNS @ 49.5)**

**BOWLING AWARD - ALEX VERGINIS (5 WICKETS @ 13.8)**

**THE GUNN AWARD - MICHAEL DAVEY**

### SEASON REPORT – TO BE UPDATED

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:



### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA Fri 14B North

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	7 Oct 22	Ormond 2	drew Bentleigh Uniting 1	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
2	14 Oct 22 21 Oct 22	Ormond 2 <b>5/125(cc)</b> AE Verginis 31 A Schlittler 28*	def South Melbourne 2 <b>4/88(cc)</b> N Bowe 28* S Singh 2/7	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
3	28 Oct 22 4 Nov 22	Hampton 2 <b>98</b>	def Ormond 2 by <b>9/112(cc)</b> A Schlittler 40* B Montgomery 3/7	Spring Street Reserve
4	11 Nov 22 18 Nov 22	Ormond 2 <b>9/189(cc)</b> O Virlobmier 44* P Sharma 30*	def Bentleigh 2 <b>9/111(cc)</b> H Ovide 27* E Sacks 2/3 H Boden Fourie 2/9	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
5	25 Nov 22 2 Dec 22	South Melbourne 3 <b>106</b> P Sharma 2/4 O Virlobmier 2/5 A Schlittler 2/14	def Ormond 2 by <b>4/178(cc)</b> O Virlobmier 37*	Albert Park (Henry Scott Oval) (Oval 13)
6	9 Dec 22 16 Dec 22	Ormond 2 <b>200</b> E Sacks 41* R Barton 28 O Virlobmier 27	Brighton 2 def <b>8/185</b> H French-Wright 42 T Buckingham 29* R Barton 2/17	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
7	13 Jan 23 20 Jan 23	BYE	Ormond 2	
8	27 Jan 23 3 Feb 23	Ormond 2 <b>6/239</b> A Schlittler 36	def Elsternwick 1 <b>9/106(cc)</b> N Watson 27 P Sharma 2/11 T Harrison 2/12	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
9	10 Feb 23 17 Feb 23	Ormond 2 <b>9/150(cc)</b> A Middleditch 29 O Virlobmier 26 A Read 4/31 A Turner 2/15 N Bolton 2/24	def Brighton Union 1 by <b>3/153(cc)</b> J Lamer 51* H Boorer 40*	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
SF	24 Feb 23 3 Mar 23	Ormond 2 <b>4/186</b> A Schlittler 50* O Virlobmier 50* A Middleditch 26	def Hampton 2 <b>4/184(cc)</b> H Edwards 52* B Montgomery 45* A Bhasin 32	Caulfield Park (Oval 5)
GF	10 Mar 23 17 Mar 23	Ormond 2 <b>99</b> A Turner 3/22	Brighton Union 1 def <b>145</b> H Oliphant 58* H Boorer 26 AE Verginis 2/8 M Davey 2/11	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #1 - South East Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## U14C NORTH TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

**BATTING AWARD - JASPER ROWE (255 RUNS @ 255.0)**

**BOWLING AWARD - ZACH SUTTON (8 WICKETS @ 8.25)**

**THE GUNN AWARD - RORY WATERS**



### SEASON REPORT – TO BE UPDATED

A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA Fri 14C North

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	7 Oct 22	Hampton 5	drew Ormond 3	Spring Street Reserve
2	14 Oct 22 21 Oct 22	Cluden 1 <b>7/128(cc)</b> ***** 2/2 J Rowe 2/6 W Wright 2/36	def Ormond 3 <b>7/125(cc)</b> E Ho 26*	Shipston Reserve (Oval #2 - Synthetic)
3	28 Oct 22 4 Nov 22	Ormond 3 <b>2/136(cc)</b> R Waters 25*	def Elwood 2 <b>4/135(cc)</b> M Balasubramanian 2/14	Caulfield Park (Oval 7)
4	11 Nov 22 18 Nov 22	Hampton 6 <b>72</b> J Rowe 3/8 T Varelas 2/11	def Ormond 3 <b>6/154</b> J Rowe 28* T Varelas 27* H Gleeson 2/15 by N Thomaidis 2/28 J Harris 2/39	Castlefield Reserve (Main oval - synthetic pitch)
5	25 Nov 22 2 Dec 22	Ormond 3 <b>3/99</b>	def South Melbourne 4 <b>10/89</b> K Bhardwaj 37	Caulfield Park (Oval 7)
6	9 Dec 22 16 Dec 22	Brighton Union 2 <b>10/210</b> J Harrington 43 L Britten 39* T Varelas 2/20 W Wright 2/33	def Ormond 3 <b>7/273</b> W Wright 52* L Claridge 30* ***** 29* E Ho by 29* M Taylor 2/38	Hurlingham Park (Hurlingham Park - Oval #2)
7	20 Jan 23	Ormond 3 <b>3/130(cc)</b>	def Hampton United 2 <b>63</b> C Carden 2/6	Caulfield Park (Oval 7)
8	27 Jan 23 3 Feb 23	Hampton Central 1 <b>3/183</b> C Menahem 52* H da Silveira 47*	def Ormond 3 <b>5/182(cc)</b> J Rowe 50* E Ho 28	W.L Simpson Reserve
9	10 Feb 23 17 Feb 23	Elsternwick 3 <b>87</b> J Rowe 2/2	def Ormond 3 <b>8/232</b> H Pentland 52* J Rowe 52* W Wright 29* L Rainey by 3/35	Elsternwick Park (Oval #3) - Head Street
SF	24 Feb 23 3 Mar 23	Cluden 1 <b>121</b> M Looschilder 42 Z Sutton 3/9 R Waters 3/18	def Ormond 3 by <b>4/124</b> J Rowe 37*	William Street Reserve
GF	10 Mar 23 17 Mar 23	Ormond 3 <b>5/172</b> E Ho 39* R Waters 25*	def Brighton Union 2 <b>167</b> B DeVincentis 29* k Cox 28 J Harrington 26 T Varelas 2/11 H Pentland 2/21 ***** 2/32	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## U12A TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23 (PREMIERS)

<b>BATTING AWARD -</b>	<b>LEITH SALWATHURA</b> (198 RUNS @ 49.5)
<b>BOWLING AWARD -</b>	<b>ELDEN HODGE</b> (10 WICKETS @ 11.0)
<b>THE GUNN AWARD -</b>	<b>KAEVISH BHASIN</b> (outstanding leadership and all round efforts, 166 runs & 5 wickets)



### SEASON REPORT

Ormond had recruited well with several handy players joining us from other clubs. We also had 5 players from the previous year's U12B premiership side, so we looked forward to a competitive season. With the Melbourne population now largely vaccinated against COVID 19, cricket resumed with a more normal look and mostly 2-day 40 overs per side matches. A wet La Nina weather pattern hit our early season matches, with Round 2 a total washout and Round 3 shortened to a one-dayer. Round 8 was also a washout so weather had a big impact on the season. Ormond went through the home and away season unbeaten despite having 4 key players missing games due conflicting Private School sport. We were very fortunate to have 2 new players join us after Christmas, with Massey Keens and Johannes Tyssen bolstering our numbers.

Season highlights were a tight game against Bentleigh in Round 3, and a thriller against Beaumaris in Round 5, with Jack Osborne and Will Fulton putting on a 60 run partnership for the 7th wicket when all looked lost, and Ed Reeh having to take a high steeping catch in the final over to clinch the win by 3 runs. Leith Salwathura hit a wonderful 46no in Round 9 v Hampton, including 14 off the last over of our innings to help us win with a very depleted side.

Private school sport impacted selection of our semi-final team with Kaevis Bhasin and Elden Hodge both available for one week only, and Jack Osborne not available at all. In our semi-final at Bailey Reserve, we won the toss and elected to bowl as the ground was dry. Opening up with two spin bowlers worked well as Aspendale were only 18 runs off the first 10 overs, and finished 1/71 at the end of their first 20 overs. Kaevis Bhasin (30 retired), Lachlan Rhodes (18 no) and Armin Gill (19 no) put Ormond in a handy position at 2/86 at end of Day 1. On Day 2 big guns Leith Salwathura (33 ret off 35 balls) and Elden Hodge (20) put us in a strong position at 3/134, but momentum then fell away and we ended up all out for 186 with 13 balls left unused. Aspendale required 116 runs off 120 balls to win, a tough ask, but the wicket drought continued, with a breakthrough finally achieved first ball of the 35th over, 1/144 with 5 batters retired on various scores (a remarkable scoreboard in a junior game). 43 runs needed off 35 balls was not impossible on a very fast ground but strike bowlers Jay Patel (4/24) and Elden Hodge (2/36) were bowling. These last few overs were sheer mayhem, with 8 wickets tumbling in the final 3 overs (including 3 run outs) and 4 wickets in the 39th over (Jay Patel hitting the stumps on 3 occasions). Aspendale's gallant run chase fell short at 9/177.

The Grand Final against Brighton was at Bailey Reserve, Brighton having romped home in their semi against Bentleigh, chasing down 177 in 33 overs for loss of only 2 wickets. Brighton won the toss and elected to bat. The ground was very dewy and lightning fast, and we dropped both openers in the first 6 overs to make our job harder. Our ground fielding was a bit patchy at times, but our bowlers didn't despair and we restricted Brighton to 1/78 off their first 20 overs, and didn't bowl a single wide or no-ball, a fine effort given the damp conditions. Nathan Shaw (1/14) struck a big blow when he snared the prize wicket of Oscar Judd. In the Ormond reply, we were 1/10 from 4 overs after an unfortunate mix up but Kaevis Bhasin (21) was batting nicely before taking on mid-off once too often and losing, our second runout to be 2/41 in the 12th over. At this crucial stage Jack Osborne had only been in for a couple of overs but hit 2 boundaries and then got right on top of the Brighton attack, playing a blinder of an innings and racing to 33 retired off only 22 balls. He got marvelous support from Will Fulton (12no including a massive 6 over square leg) and Nate Dresden (11no) to have Ormond 3/98 at end of Day 1. On Day 2 things went wrong early with the unfortunate runout of Will Fulton (our 4th runout), Elden Hodge went for 10 and Leith Salwathura for 18, and we looked to be battling. Armin Gill (17 no) held the innings together, and Liam Meehan (after a tentative start and some urging from the sidelines) suddenly came to life and whacked a rapid-fire 28 no from 34 balls, a hugely valuable performance as we reached 8/186 at the close of the innings.

With Brighton requiring 109 to win off 120 balls, Jack Osborne pulled off a runout in the first over, and managed to slow down the dangerous Buckingham, who eventually retired for 33 in the 24th over. Wickets fell at 97 and 99, and Ormond inched into the lead as Brighton now required 85 off 78 balls. Our second string bowlers did a fantastic job in the crucial middle overs, collectively bowling 8 overs for 31 runs to push up Brighton's asking rate. Armin Gill (1/23) and Jay Patel (2/27) kept their composure to bowl out the closing overs, Brighton needing 22 off the last over and only

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managing 6 runs. Skipper Kaevis Bhasin set sensible fields and encouraged his troops well. We conceded only 6 extras for the match against Brighton's 16, a key factor in the win, and our fielding on Day 2 was pretty good, achieving 4 runouts. The umpires selected Jack Osborne as the Player of the Grand Final.

Both our finals victories were hard fought and every player contributed something of value at some point, a true team effort and really satisfying from a coaching perspective.

Our top-order batting had real depth, with 7 players making 100 runs for the season, Leith Salwathura 198 @ 49, Kaevis Bhasin 166 @ 41.5, Elden Hodge 152 @ 38, Liam Meehan 112 @ 28, Lachlan Rhodes 106 @ 26.5, Nathan Shaw 105 @ 35 and Will Fulton (100 @ 20). The bowling was spear-headed by Elden Hodge 10/110 from 27 overs, Jay Patel 9/107 from 33 overs, and Armin Gill 7/119 from 28.3 overs.

Special congratulations to the following players who were selected in Representative teams:

- \* Kaevis Bhasin, Elden Hodge, Jack Osborne and Edward Reeh, who played in SECA U12 Mitchell Shield teams
- \* Leith Salwathura, who played in ISEC U12 Mitchell Shield team and won the Player of the Tournament award.

Finally, my sincere thanks to Thomas Reeh and Mick Fuller who were my assistants. Thanks also to the numerous parents who assisted with fielding practice, ground setup and scoring, and supported their boys every game. I am grateful to Junior Coordinator Pat Camm for his ongoing friendship and support with open access to Cricket HQ.

### PHIL ARNOLD - UNDER 12A COACH

A summary of the team's performances during the season is as follows:

Rd	Opponent	W/L	Scores	Performance
1	Hampton	W	2/154 def 6/80	L.Salwathura 23 no, K.Bhasin 21 no, N.Shaw 20 no, L. Meehan 2/7
2	Brighton Union	Draw	washed out	
3	Bentleigh	W	3/118 def 8/103	E.Hodge 21 no, K.Bhasin 20 no, L.Salwathura 20 no, N.Shaw 20 no, K.Bhasin 3/13, E.Hodge 2/18
4	Aspendale	W	5/220 def 9/130	K.Bhasin 35 no, L.Rhodes 33 no, L.Salwathura 30 no, E.Hodge 29 no, E.Reeh 20 no, N.Dresden 3/13, K.Bhasin 2/10, A.Gill 2/20
5	Beaumaris	W	7/193 def 10/190	W.Fulton 32 no, E.Reeh 30 no, J.Osborne 20, K.Bhasin 20, E.Hodge 3/20, W.Fulton 2/17
6	Le Page Park	W	3/190 Def 10/102	E.Hodge 30 no, N.Dresden 21 no, E.Hodge 2/8, L.Meehan 2/15
7	South Melb District	W	7/148 def 10/52	N.Shaw 28 no, E.Hodge 28, M.Keens 2/5
8	McKinnon	Draw	2/32 washed out	
9	Hampton	W	9/166 def 7/130	L.Salwathura 46 no, L.Rhodes 29, A.Gill 19 and 3/18
Semi Final	Aspendale	W	10/186 def 9/177	L.Salwathura 33 no, K.Bhasin 30 no, A.Gill 20 no, E.Hodge 20, J.Patel 4/24, E.Hodge 2/36
Grand Final	Brighton	<b>W</b>	8/186 def 8/171	J.Osborne 33 no, L.Meehan 28 no, K.Bhasin 21, L.Salwathura 18, A.Gill 17 no, J.Patel 2/27



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<b>BATTING AWARD -</b>	<b>PATRICK HARDIMAN</b> : 142 RUNS @ 47.33
<b>BOWLING AWARD -</b>	<b>COOPER STRACHAN</b> : 9 WICKETS @ 6.56
<b>THE GUNN AWARD -</b>	<b>HAYDEN WEISS</b>
<b>COACH</b>	TOM PURCELL
<b>TEAM MANAGER</b>	TONY MULVANY



### SEASON REPORT

Most of this new U12B team were stepping up to the more challenging B grade level from lower grades. There would be a lot to learn for this group both with the higher standard of cricket and the extended 2 day format, but they were fortunate to be under the expert stewardship of Tom Purcell. Success in this division was going to be hard-earned and a great challenge with many other teams fielding their club's 1st teams within this group.

The first half of the season was marred by poor weather, in some cases both days being washed out, or some being reduced to single day formats. Nevertheless, Ormond were off to a flyer, in their first game beating Bentleigh Uniting (1) with an exceptional batting performance from Jack Purcell 24. In round 3 Ormond were able to dispatch Hampton Central with ease, rolling them for just 21 runs, a team which would later remove themselves from the division.

Ormond certainly had a tough run up to Christmas, facing the eventual division premiers, Port Melbourne (1), and finalists, Mackie (1), with each team featuring accomplished rep players. Ormond fought hard against Port Melbourne, falling short by 22 runs, but with notable season's-best bowling performances by Louis Mulvany with figures of 3/6, and an unmatched "four-for" 4/11 from Atharva Borse. Next came Mackie, sadly it was a different story, with 4 of their batters scoring over 30 runs, punishing both good and bad balls alike, but one Ormond standout season's-best performance really limiting the damage was from Hayden Weiss with a superb 46\*. Hayden, desperate to get back on strike for his 50, went into the final over at the non-striker's end and didn't get a sniff of a delivery with 6 dots bowled, walking in agonizingly short of the illusive half-century milestone. In the final game before the break against Elwood (1), Hayden Weiss backed up his previous game's performance with an excellent 28\*, also another batter came to the fore, stepping up to the B grade directly from the rookie ranks, Paddy Hardiman blasted 44\* runs from 40 balls, putting 6 over the boundary, it was the batting highlight of his season. Elwood also felt the wrath of Edward Jesson with the ball, taking a dominant 3/14 bag of wickets, we also saw an unmatched double maiden 2 over spell from Cooper Strachan, also picking up two wickets with figures of 2/0!

Following on from the Christmas break Ormond continued their run of good form, facing South Melbourne where Paddy Hardiman performed well again with bat and ball with 21\* and bowling figures of 2/10. Then came what was likely the team performance of the season against top of the table Hampton United (1), they were ultra-disciplined and executed the tightest and most accurate bowling display so far, with no bowler going for more than 8 runs, including 4 maidens, they held the opposition to just 55 runs on day one, whilst taking 5 wickets. Then with extremely patient batting absorbing high-quality bowling, Hampton were frustrated by the stickiness of the batters, Ormond ended the day 3 runs ahead for one less wicket, finishing at 5/55 v 4/58. Day two was set up for Ormond to take the victory, but the weather conspired against them and the game was washed out, resulting in a draw. The final game of the regular season saw new players come forward with season's best performances, first from Henry Morrissey scoring his season's personal best of 24\*, then with the ball in-hand, a magnificent 3/7 for Zach Hardiman, with the 4th 3+ wicket haul from the team's bowlers this season, no mean feat for such limited over games.

At the end of the season Ormond secured their spot in finals, finishing 4th, disappointing 3 others who were queuing up a few points behind ready to take the finals spot if Ormond did not finish well.

The Semi-final was played away at top-spot's Hampton United's ground and the game was a tight and competitive affair. To ensure a GF spot they had to do something exceptional on day two after a very even day one result, and it started off that way. In the first 10 overs they held Hampton to only adding on 36 runs to a relatively low day one total, but then Hampton got a second wind and put their foot down in the final stages, with two of their best batters scoring 40 and 30 respectively, accelerating their score from low 100's to 202 in what seemed like a blink of an eye. We saw another good performance from Paddy Hardiman scoring 30\* from 48 balls, but it wasn't enough and sadly Ormond fell well short and bowed out in the semi-final.

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In summary, there were a lot of positives for the team to take away, whilst not all players were mentioned above with notable figures, there was very little weakness, and it is safe to say they will all come back stronger and hungrier for victory next year. The team gelled quickly from the start and matured well towards the end of the season, and all learned a great deal from the new format and the much higher standard of cricket they were used to. Whilst the team did not get a chance to play a GF this time around, it was a hugely rewarding season for all, they won well and lost well, showing the greatest of respect to their opposition, and above all, everyone had a lot of fun with new friendships forged. Everyone, children and parents alike, have enjoyed the season immensely, and there can be nothing but the utmost of praise and appreciation for the 22/23 U12B Ormond team.



**TONY MULVANY - UNDER 12B TEAM MANAGER**

**TOM PURCELL—UNDER 12B COACH**

A summary of the team's performances during the season is as follows:

## U12B TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23 (CONTINUED)

Round	Opponent	W/L	Scores	Performance
1	Bentleigh Uniting 1	W	2/85 v 4/100	J. Purcell 24*
2	West Bentleigh 1	D	N/A	Match drawn due to rain both days
3	Hampton Central 2	W	5/91 v 21	S. Seymour 18*
4	Port Melbourne 1	L	81 v 103	E. Jesson 15, A. Borse 15 L. Mulvany 3/6, A. Borse 4/11
5	Mackie 1	L	7/233 v 153	H. Weiss 46* E. Jesson 2/13
6	Elwood 1	W	6/119 v 8/84	P. Hardiman 44*, H. Weiss 28* E. Jesson 3/14, C. Strachan 2/0
7	South Melbourne 2	W	6/60 v 6/88	P. Hardiman 21*, H. Weiss 15, A. Vinothkumar 15* L. Mulvany 2/18, P. Hardiman 2/10
8	Hampton United 1	D	5/55 v 4/58	Match drawn due to rain on day 2
9	Bentleigh Uniting 1	W	129 v 113	H. Morrissey 24*, P. Hardiman 19, S. Seymour 19* Z. Hardiman 3/7, C. Strachan 2/10, P. Hardiman 2/10
SF	Hampton United 1	W	8/202 v 123	P. Hardiman 30*, S. Seymour 16 E. Joby 2/8

## U12C NORTH TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

<b>BATTING AWARD -</b>	<b>JAMES SHANAHAN</b>	(84 RUNS @ 12.0)
<b>BOWLING AWARD -</b>	<b>JAMES SHANAHAN</b>	(9 WICKETS @ 6.33)
<b>THE GUNN AWARD -</b>	<b>TOBY QUEIT</b>	



A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA Sat 12C North

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	8 Oct 22	Ormond 3 57 J Marlow 2/10	def Elsternwick 1 by 4/58	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
2	15 Oct 22 22 Oct 22	Ormond 3	drew South Melbourne 3	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
3	29 Oct 22 5 Nov 22	Brighton 5 5/95 H Shaw 2/7	def Ormond 3 3/85	Dendy Park (Synthetic #2 - Middle)
4	12 Nov 22 19 Nov 22	Mackie 2 5/148	def Ormond 3 100	Mackie Road Reserve
5	26 Nov 22 3 Dec 22	Ormond 3 3/146 J Borg 29*	def Port Melbourne 2 4/135(cc) J Randall 35	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
6	10 Dec 22 17 Dec 22	Ormond 3 108 A Kerby 2/8	def East Sandringham 3 by 3/114	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
7	21 Jan 23	Ormond 4 82 J Shanahan 25	def Ormond 3 by 114	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
8	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Ormond 3 1/71	drew Brighton 4 1/80	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
9	11 Feb 23 18 Feb 23	Bentleigh Uniting 2 13	def Ormond 3 by 7/41(cc) L Rampling 2/4 K Lynch 2/13 L Bourke 2/14	Centenary Park (Centenary No. 1 - West Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.



## U12C NORTH TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

<b>BATTING AWARD -</b>	<b>RAFI BENJAMIN</b> (110 RUNS @ 36.7)
<b>BOWLING AWARD -</b>	<b>RAFI BENJAMI</b> (6 WICKETS @ 15.33)
<b>THE GUNN AWARD -</b>	<b>DHRUVA PATANKER</b>



A summary of the team's performance during the season is as follows:

### Season Results

Season Grade

2022/2023 SECA:SECA Sat 12C North

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM	AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	8 Oct 22	Mackie 2 4/62 O Fink 2/5	def Ormond 4 by 4/87 J Udayabhanu 2/10	Mackie Road Reserve
2	15 Oct 22 22 Oct 22	East Sandringham 3	drew Ormond 4	Balcombe Park Reserve
3	29 Oct 22 5 Nov 22	Ormond 4 79 J Johnston 2/8	def Port Melbourne 2 7/53(cc) A Kesarkar 2/3 J Shanahan 2/7 S Balmer 2/7	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
4	12 Nov 22 19 Nov 22	Ormond 4 6/82(cc)	def Elsternwick 1 by 7/85 J Shanahan 2/5	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
5	26 Nov 22 3 Dec 22	Brighton 5 6/90 H Shaw 2/7 A Kesarkar 2/9 J McCracken 2/17	def Ormond 4 5/7 M Hamer-Booth 2/2	Dendy Park (Synthetic #2 - Middle)
6	10 Dec 22 17 Dec 22	South Melbourne 3 7/6 J Shanahan 2/0 M Nambiar 2/9 J McCracken 2/10	def Ormond 4 by 1/118(cc)	Lagoon Reserve
7	21 Jan 23	Ormond 4 8/2 J Shanahan 2/5	def Ormond 3 by 1/14	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)
8	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Elwood 2 4/69 D Patankar 2/2	drew Ormond 4 3/52	Elwood Park (Oval 1 - AC Watson)
9	11 Feb 23 18 Feb 23	Ormond 4 8/2 W Henebery 2/6 P McPherson 2/8	def East Sandringham 2 by 6/144(cc) W Henebery 58* P McPherson 29* O Fink 2/11	East Caulfield Reserve (East Caulfield Reserve #2 - North West Oval)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

## ROOKIES 1 & 2 TEAM REPORT – SEASON 2022/23

### Season Results

Season Grade  
2022/2023 SECA:SECA Sat Rookies West

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM		AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	8 Oct 22	Ormond 2 <b>0/19(cc)</b>	tied	McKinnon 1 <b>0/19(cc)</b>	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
2	15 Oct 22 22 Oct 22	Ormond 2	v	Washington Park 1	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
3	29 Oct 22 5 Nov 22	Hampton 1 <b>11/22(cc)</b>	def by	Ormond 2 <b>4/48(cc)</b>	Spring Street Reserve
4	12 Nov 22 19 Nov 22	Bentleigh Uniting 1	def by	Ormond 2	Bailey Reserve (Bailey No. 2)
5	26 Nov 22 3 Dec 22	Ormond 2 <b>4/88(cc)</b> S Garcia 2/4 and <b>5/145</b> A Rood 35* O Nicholls 2/8	def	Cluden 3 <b>1/80(cc)</b> and <b>6/84(cc)</b> A Rood 2/7 H Pentland 2/9 ***** 2/16	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
6	10 Dec 22 17 Dec 22	Ormond 2	v	Omega 2	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
7	21 Jan 23	Bentleigh 1	def	Ormond 2	Victory Park (Bentleigh) (Oval 2)
8	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Ormond 2 <b>5/50(cc)</b>	def by	Washington Park 2 <b>2/155(cc)</b>	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
9	11 Feb 23 18 Feb 23	McKinnon 1 <b>6/209</b> N Mahajan 27* A Vithlani 26*	def	Ormond 2 <b>13/51</b> P Joshi 3/3 N Mahajan 3/6	McKinnon Reserve (Oval 4 - Synthetic (South West))

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.

### Season Results

Season Grade  
2022/2023 SECA:SECA Sat Rookies West

RND	DATES	HOME TEAM		AWAY TEAM	VENUE
1	8 Oct 22	Bentleigh 1 <b>10/49(cc)</b> J Klari 2/4 T Morrissey 2/5	def by	Ormond 1 <b>2/129</b>	King George VI Memorial Park (King George #2 - East Oval)
2	15 Oct 22 22 Oct 22	Cluden 3	v	Ormond 1	Dendy Park (Synthetic #2 - Middle)
3	29 Oct 22 5 Nov 22	Ormond 1 <b>3/171(cc)</b>	def	Omega 2 <b>5/57(cc)</b> D Davey 3/6	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
4	12 Nov 22 19 Nov 22	Ormond 1 <b>6/168(cc)</b>	def	Hampton 1 <b>8/59(cc)</b> J Klarin 2/2 L Warfe 2/6	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
5	26 Nov 22 3 Dec 22	McKinnon 1 <b>6/106(dec)</b> D Davey 2/4 and <b>5/107(dec)</b> T Morrissey 2/12	def by	Ormond 1 <b>5/129(dec)</b> and <b>6/134(cc)</b>	McKinnon Reserve (Oval 4 - Synthetic (South West))
6	10 Dec 22 17 Dec 22	Washington Park 1 <b>7/124(dec)</b> D Davey 2/18 L Klarin 2/21 and <b>6/134(cc)</b>	def by	Ormond 1 <b>8/138(dec)</b> T Morrissey 25* N Jethra 3/19 H Young 2/13 and <b>11/133</b> J Klarin 36* H Pancholi 3/15 S Mg 3/19 N Jethra 2/18	Packer Park
7	21 Jan 23	Ormond 1 <b>2/146(dec)</b> D Davey 34*	def	Washington Park 2 <b>3/87(dec)</b> L Jacques 2/12	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)
8	28 Jan 23 4 Feb 23	Bentleigh Uniting 1 <b>5/33</b>	drew	Ormond 1	Bailey Reserve (Bailey No. 2)
9	11 Feb 23 18 Feb 23	Ormond 1 <b>2/160(cc)</b> T Morrissey 29* A Jeffrey 2/24 and <b>7/210(cc)</b> C Ferguson 3/21 F Williams 2/22	def	Bentleigh 1 <b>6/83</b> L Klarin 2/5 and <b>20/71(cc)</b> L Blanksby 5/7 J Klarin 4/5 L Jacques 2/1	E. E. Gunn Reserve (Synthetic)

The qualification for this report is 25 runs, 2 wickets.



## Thanks Also To ...

### VICTORIAN SUB-DISTRICT CRICKET ASSOCIATION

We congratulate Chairman Phil O'Meara, Secretary Ken Hilton and all of the VSDCA Executive for their excellent management of the Association.



Secretary Mathew Cousins and Coach Murray Ring represented the Ormond Cricket Club as VSDCA delegates for season 2022-2023.

### SOUTH EAST CRICKET ASSOCIATION

We congratulate the President and Executive of SECA on the running of the Association. Thanks also to our delegate, Pat Camm for representing the Ormond Cricket Club .



### CITY OF GLEN EIRA

We would like to thank Andrew Barden, Scott Filiponi, Sarah Stevenson and Emily Beventyre and all the Parks and Recreation staff for their assistance in managing the facilities at the E.E. Gunn Reserve.



### EQUIPMENT AND GROUND MANAGEMENT

John Craig carried out the organisation of ground management with Pat Camm and Will Robertshaw assisting with looking after equipment for the juniors and assisting with looking after clothing apparel for the seniors

### AUDITORS

Special thanks to Rob Everett for continuing to audit the Club's books and his general contribution in assisting the Club on financial matters.

## TREASURER'S REPORT 2022/23

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Following a loss of \$7,477 in the prior year, the Ormond Cricket Club is reporting a loss of \$24,784 for season 2022-23. Whilst this financial result will be alarming to some members, the Committee has taken steps to ensure the club operates within its means in the coming season to ensure that the Club's financial position is improved and another loss is avoided.

It should be noted that both the current and prior year losses include a non-cash write-down in the value of equipment on hand of \$3,749 and \$3,095 respectively.

Total income increased from \$105,275 to \$107,211. The key drivers of this increase were from increased senior and junior memberships and improved social and fundraising. This increase was substantially offset by a significant decrease in income from sponsorship and donations.

Overall, cricket club expenditure increased in season 2022/23 by \$19,243. There were three key drivers of change in our expenditure. Firstly, the club invested more heavily in both junior coaching and in its senior playing stocks. Secondly – the club fielded a 6th XI which drove an increase in equipment and ball costs. Finally, the club incurred additional miscellaneous expenditure for the development of a leadership and development program for its young players – it should be noted that this expenditure of \$5,000 was covered by a grant from Cricket Australia which is included in grant income.

Historically, the Club had built up a strong cash position over the years, however this has been substantially drawn down on in the current season and there is now added importance around stabilising the position and rebuilding the cash balance.

Ormond Cricket Club enjoys a strong ongoing relationship with its sponsors, and the financial contributions of The Door Store, Bendigo Bank Murrumbeena, Buxton Real Estate, and The Marine Hotel deserve to be highlighted. The Club also wishes to thank those very generous people and businesses who sponsored a player during the season.

I would like to acknowledge the support of John Craig and Mathew Cousins in administering the Club's financial matters, as well as thank Will Robertshaw for his hard work to drive the prompt payments from players for subscriptions and merchandise purchases.

Ormond Cricket Club will look forward to consolidating in season 2023/24 following two extremely difficult seasons financially. The Club is aware that it needs a renewed focus on growing its sponsorship base and maximising its social and fundraising efforts in order to improve its income, as well as a commitment to reducing its cost base to a more manageable level.

**LIAM MULCAHY**  
**TREASURER**

**ORMOND CRICKET CLUB****Statement of Income and Expenditure****Period 1/6/22 to 31/05/23**

	<b>2022/23</b>	<b>2021/22</b>
<b>INCOME</b>		
MEMBERSHIP	58,212	53,295
SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING	23,321	19,805
SPONSORSHIP AND DONATIONS	13,000	20,500
	<b>94,533</b>	<b>93,600</b>
OTHER INCOME		
Other Income	2,278	3,970
Other Grants	5,000	4,000
Prizemoney	-	500
Sale of Merchandise	5,400	3,205
	<b>12,678</b>	<b>11,675</b>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>107,211</b>	<b>105,275</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		
ADMINISTRATION		
Bank Charges	1,455	1,458
Postage and Stationery	-	-
	<b>1,455</b>	<b>1,458</b>
CRICKET EXPENSES		
Advertising and Marketing	-	391
Affiliation Fees	4,250	3,390
Craig Program	242	2,835
Equipment and Balls	13,355	10,944
Fines	150	130
Ground and Pavilion Hire	10,016	9,099
Coaching and Playing Fees	74,171	59,950
Insurance	870	1,055
Pavilion Cleaning and Maintenance	685	1,674
Training	-	3,000
Trophies	1,210	2,357
Utility Costs	1,038	1,086
	<b>105,987</b>	<b>95,911</b>
OTHER EXPENSES		
Merchandise Purchases	11,602	9,670
Write down value of Equipment	3,749	3,095
Miscellaneous	9,202	2,618
	<b>24,553</b>	<b>15,383</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>131,995</b>	<b>112,752</b>
<b>PROFIT/ (LOSS)</b>	<b>(24,784)</b>	<b>(7,477)</b>

**ORMOND CRICKET CLUB****BALANCE SHEET  
AS AT 31 MAY 2023**

	<b>2022/23</b>	<b>2021/22</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Cash	12,011	41,952
Receivables	775	-
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>12,786</b>	<b>41,952</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Equipment	10,023	8,760
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>10,023</b>	<b>8,760</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>22,809</b>	<b>50,712</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Creditors	1,000	4,119
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>4,119</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>4,119</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>21,809</b>	<b>46,593</b>
<b>MEMBERS FUNDS</b>		
Retained Earnings	46,593	54,070
Current Year Earnings	- 24,784	- 7,477
<b>TOTAL MEMBERS FUNDS</b>	<b>21,809</b>	<b>46,593</b>

**AUDIT REPORT TO MEMBERS**

I have audited the financial records and statements of the Ormond Cricket Club Inc. for the period ended 31 May, 2023. It was not possible for me to verify all income from social/fund raising activities conducted by the Club.

In my opinion the financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Club as at 31 May 2023, and the result of its operations for that period.

**ROB EVERETT**  
**HONORARY AUDITOR**