

MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY CRICKET CLUB



MACQUARIE
UNIVERSITY ~ SYDNEY

ANNUAL REPORT

2009-10 SEASON

MUCC FINALS PERFORMANCES

1 st Grade		2 nd Grade		3 rd Grade		4 th Grade	
1974-75	4 th	1977-78	4 th	1970-71	4 th	1989-90	2 nd
1977-78	4 th	1978-79	Premiers	1971-72	Premiers	1993-94	Premiers
1990-91	4 th	1979-80	4 th	1972-73	Premiers*	1997-98	4 th
1991-92	4 th	1990-91	3 rd	1975-76	2 nd	2003-04	5 th
1992-93	2 nd	1992-93	Premiers	1977-78	3 rd	2005-06	Premiers
1994-95	4 th	1997-98	2 nd	1978-79	Premiers	2006-07	2 nd
1995-96	Premiers	2009-10	6 th	1985-86	3 rd	2007-08	Premiers
2000-01	6 th			1987-88	2 nd	2008-09	3 rd
2007-08	5 th			1990-91	4 th	2009-10	2 nd
				1991-92	3 rd		
				1993-94	2 nd		
				1994-95	Premiers		
				2002-03	4 th		
				2003-04	3 rd		
				2004-05	4 th		
				2005-06	3 rd		
				2006-07	4 th		
				2007-08	5 th		

* Second team finished 2nd

U-24's		Tim Creer Cup		N.S.C.A		Masters	
2004-05	4 th	2000-01	4 th	1993-94 (C)	3 rd	2001-02	2 nd
2005-06	6 th	2004-05	2 nd	1997-98 (C)	2 nd	2002-03	3 rd
2006-07	4 th	2009-10	Premiers	2001-02 (C)	3 rd	2004-05	Premiers
2009-10	2 nd			2002-03 (C)	Premiers	2006-07	Premiers
				2005-06 (B)	4 th	2007-08	Premiers
				2005-06 (C)	4 th	2008-09	Premiers
				2006-07 (C)	4 th		
				2008-09 (C)	4 th		
				2009-10 (C)	2 nd		

Sydney Shires Club Champions	1991-92
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REGULAR SEASON FINISHING POSITION: PAST 4 SEASONS

Team	Position 2006-07	Points	Position 2007-08	Points	Position 2008-09	Points	Position 2009-10	Points
1 st Grade	10 th	34	3 rd	56	9 th	30	11 th	20
2 nd Grade	8 th	37	10 th	28	13 th	6	6 th	44
3 rd Grade	3 rd	50	5 th	39	10 th	18	9 th	28
4 th Grade	2 nd	85	1 st	62	1 st	76	1 st	93
Under 24s	4 th	34	7 th	13	11 th	12	5 th	28
Club Championship	5 th	980	2 nd	870	12 th	592	6 th	843
Tim Creer Cup	6 th	63	5 th	43	7 th	44	4 th	72
N.S.C.A. (B Grade)	-	-	-	-				
N.S.C.A. (C Grade)	3 rd	56	6 th	50	4 th	52	3 rd	68
Masters	Premiers	402	Premiers	394	Premiers	175	3rd	370.5

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MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY CRICKET CLUB
OFFICE BEARERS

PRESIDENT

Paul Clift

HONORARY SECRETARY

Tim Morrow

HONORARY TREASURER

Warren Montford

COMMITTEE

Ian Wright

Asita Galappatti

Mark Fairlie

Chris McPherson

Harish Munikrishna

Simon Fairlie

Adrian Lulka

S.C.A. DELEGATE

Mark Fairlie

N.S.C.A. DELEGATE

Asita Galappatti

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCES

During 2009/10 the Committee met on 9 occasions with the following attendances:

Paul Clift	9
Warren Montford	9
Ian Wright	9
Simon Fairlie	9
Tim Morrow	9
Chris McPherson	8
Adrian Lulka	8
Harish Munikrishna	6
Asita Galappatti	6
Mark Fairlie	5

PAST OFFICE-BEARERS

PRESIDENT

1967-69	R. Vagg	1992-94	B. Hort
1969-79	M. R. Gwilliam	1994-95	D. Budge
1979-80	R. Vagg	1995-98	D. Folkard
1980-83	J. Wickham	1998-2004	C. Edwards
1983-89	W. Folkard	2004-2008	D. Smith
1989-92	A. Davies	2008-	P. Clift

HONORARY SECRETARY

1967-69	P. Saunders	1990-91	S. Jurd
1969	P. Barclay	1991-93	R. Mather
1969-72	J. Slack	1993-94	M. Ramsland
1972-73	K. Henry	1994-95	D. Deller
1973-74	D. Rutledge	1995-98	J. Breden
1974-75	A. Faulks	1998-99	G. McFadden
1975-76	P. Barclay	1999-2004	D. Smith
1976-79	J. Wickham	2004-05	P. Clift
1979-80	B. Jones	2005-07	P. Chapman
1980-81	P. Garty	2007-09	W. Montford
1981-90	A. Mahoney	2009-	T. Morrow

HONORARY TREASURER

1967-69	P. Barclay	1995-96	D. Budge
1969-72	P. Korbelt	1996-98	D. Webb
1972-74	M. Hoban	1998-2000	A. Slattery
1974-75	D. Rutledge	2000-02	M. Payne
1975-77	P. Korbelt	2002-04	C. Savage
1977-78	G. Leary	2004-07	S. Rose
1978-90	C. Welsby	2007-08	M. Schaafsma
1990-93	S. O'Reilly	2008-09	P. McInnes
1993-94	I. Blyth	2009-	W. Montford
1994-95	M. Hughes		

LIFE MEMBERS

L. Ager	K. Dixon	G. McFadden
C. Anderson	C. Edwards	P. Miller
P. Barclay*	D. Folkard	S. O'Reilly
A. Barnes	W. Folkard	S. Rose
G. Bleus	P. Garty	D. Smith
I. Blyth*	J. Giuffre	R. Vagg
J. Breden	C. Gold	D. Webb
G. Brown	M. R. Gwilliam*	C. Welsby
D. Budge	B. Hort	S. Wiblin
S. Burchett	M. Hughes	J. Wickham
A. Davies	B. Jones	<i>*Deceased</i>
M.J. Denlow	A. Mahoney	

M.R. GWILLIAM SHIELD

The **M.R. Gwilliam Shield**, a gift from the President of the Club who served from 1969 to 1979, is awarded annually to the most outstanding cricketer in the Club.

Previous Winners are:

1974-75	G. Frankish	1986-87	I. Blyth	1998-99	P. Notaras
1975-76	G. Frankish	1987-88	K. Dixon	1999-00	D. Webb
1976-77	L. Ager, M. Denlow	1988-89	G. Brown	2000-01	D. Webb
1977-78	P. Bourke	1989-90	I. Jessup	2001-02	P. Procopis
1978-79	J. Giuffre	1990-91	P. Notaras	2002-03	B. Rounds
1979-80	L. Ager	1991-92	T. Ritchie	2003-04	P. Procopis
1980-81	L. Ager	1992-93	D. Webb	2004-05	B. Rounds
1981-82	P. Dignan	1993-94	D. Webb	2005-06	K.Griffiths-Jones
1982-83	A. Monaghan	1994-95	D. Webb	2006-07	T. Hopkins
1983-84	A. Lindsay	1995-96	D. Webb	2007-08	Prashant Rai
1984-85	G. Craighead	1996-97	G. Brown	2008-09	C. Simpson
1985-86	S. O'Reilly	1997-98	P. Notaras	2009-10	C. Simpson

CLUB AWARDS: 2009-10

M.R. Gwilliam Shield	Clint Simpson	David Webb Most Improved	Jehan Bilimoria
Mahoney-Folkard Rookie of the Year	Jono Wijayaratne	Greg Gavin Fielding Award	Harish Munikrishna
Ivan Blyth Memorial Clubman of the Year		Simon Fairlie	
100 Games	Chris Savage	Richie Cann	Ash Singh Warren Montford
Dave Deller	Mark Fairlie	David Gracie	Paul McInnes
300 Games	Greg Brown		Simon Burchett
MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS			
Second Grade	Mark Fairlie	Third Grade	Paul Clift
Fourth Grade	David Budge	Fifth Grade	Paul Lamble
Sixth Grade	Pradip Madhanagopal & Tony Barnes	Frank Gray Shield	Jairam Shyam
Masters	David Dellar		
PEWTERS			
Damian Wallace (1 st Grade)	139 vs Epping	Clint Simpson (1 st Grade)	122 vs Warringah
Peter Saliba (2 nd Grade)	171 vs Epping	Jairam Shyam (2 nd Grade)	103 vs Epping 6/22 vs Roseville
AJ Gray (2 nd Grade)	100 vs Warringah	Varpeet Batra (2 nd Grade)	8/43 vs Warringah
Glenn McFadden (2 nd Grade)	6 Dismissals (5 Catches & 1 Stumping) vs Lane Cove	Pete Henrickson (3 rd Grade)	103* vs North West Sydney
Greg Wilson (4 th Grade)	153* vs Warringah	Craig Edwards (4 th Grade)	146 vs Epping 100 vs Auburn
David Webb (4 th Grade)	108 vs Georges River 7/36 vs Pennant Hills	Greg Brown (4 th Grade)	6/46 vs Roseville 10/90 (6/46 & 4/44) vs Roseville
David Budge (4 th Grade)	6/16 vs Strathfield	Pravin Madhanagopal (6 th Grade)	114 vs North Shore

Tony Barnes (6 th Grade)	132 vs North Sydney Leagues 101* vs Northbridge Blue	Pradip Madhanagopal (4 th Grade)	6/37 vs Centrals 6/50 vs Northbridge Blue
Asita Galappatti (6 th Grade)	6/23 vs Cammeray	Deepak Ramanathan (6 th Grade)	6/25 vs Northbridge Red
Hasith Galappaththi (6 th Grade)	6/41 vs North Sydney Leagues	Muhammed Rahman (6 th Grade)	6/45 vs North Shore

**MAQUARIE UNIVERSITY SPORTS
AND RECREATION AWARDS**

CLUB OF THE YEAR AWARD

The 1990 Club of the Year winner was the Cricket Club.

SPORTS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR

In 1984 MUSR instituted the award of Sports Administrator of the Year. The award is presented to a leading Club Administrator for service over and above that normally expected. The Cricket Club members to receive this award are:

1985 Allan Mahoney 1996 David Webb 1997 David Folkard

BRIAN SPENCER AWARD

This award is given in recognition of outstanding service to a club and/or to MUSR by an individual on or off the field.

2001 Allan Mahoney 2003 Warrick Folkard

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Rookie of the Year acknowledges the efforts of a student in their first year of involvement in a sporting club.

In 2002 Peter Procopis became the first member of the Cricket Club to win this award.

JOHN LINCOLN SERVICE AWARD

The John Lincoln Service Award acknowledges the efforts of a Club Administrator or Member who has provided outstanding service to their Club over many years.

In 2008 David Smith became the first member of the Cricket Club to win this award.

UNIVERSITY BLUES

The University awards blues to sportsmen and women for outstanding sporting achievements. Performance standards are set by the Clubs and approved by the University Blues Committee. For Cricket, a **Full Blue** requires *State representation* whilst a **Half Blue** requires either *500 runs or 50 wickets* in the *Club's highest team*. *Current student status* is also necessary.

Full Blue

1971 Kerry Mackay

Half Blue

1970 Mick Redden

1971 Frank Alley

1972 John Guiffre

1972 Peter Miller

1977 Laurie Ager

1978 Paul Bourke

1985 Chris Welsby

1988 Ivan Blyth

UNIVERSITY CLUB COLOUR AWARDS

In 1980 the University instituted the award of *Club Colour* to be presented to men and women who have made an outstanding contribution to Macquarie University Sport, through their respective clubs, from an administrative or organisational viewpoint. Cricket Club members who have received this award are:

1980 Peter Barclay

Grahame Blues

Ross Gwilliam

Peter Miller

Robert Vagg

Brian Jones

1981 Andrew Faulks

Keith Henry

1983 Graham Hargreaves

1984 Chris Welsby

John Wickham

1987 Allan Mahoney

1990 Al Davies

Warrick Folkard

1998 Jamie Breden

David Webb

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

What a contrast a year makes. This time last year, I wrote about what was “an immensely tough season”. This season, not only do we have a Premiership to show for our efforts, but four teams played grand finals, a fifth made the finals, and the Masters’ were pipped at the post for what would’ve been a fourth consecutive Premiership.

The two biggest highlights for me on the field this season were undoubtedly the 5th grade Tim Creer Cup Premiership, and the outstanding season that Charlie Carter and the Frank Gray Shield side had.

The rollercoaster that was 5th grade this season was amazing. To have to take all the bonus points they did in the last three games was impressive in its own right, but to have the results go your way on the final weekend to sneak into the finals was unbelievable. At this point, I’d like to take all credit for their finals appearance! Just kidding lads, all credit to you, and I was glad to help out. Their efforts in their two finals matches were clinical (except for a little hiccup in the Grand Final batting performance!), and Adrian and his men were deserved winners of the Cup.

Charlie Carter achieved what no other under-24s captain had done in the history of the club. It took MUCC until its 23rd season to win a finals series match in the Frank Gray Shield. But the young guns weren’t done there. Having achieved this milestone in the clubs history, they then went on to fray the nerves of this President in a rain effected semi final against Lindfield only to qualify for our first ever Frank Gray Shield Grand Final with one wicket and one ball to spare. What ever happened on the day against Strathfield, it was already the most successful FGs season ever. Charlie and the boys put up a great fight on the day, but Strathfield were just that little bit more seasoned, and deservedly won their second consecutive FGs trophy. All credit to Charlie and his team for an amazing season.

Pete Saliba took over the reins of 2nd grade with the intention of bleeding the clubs youth, and the policy paid off. 2nd grade made their first appearance at the business end of the season since 1997/98. It was clear that the attitude and positive vibe coming from both this squad and the 24s played a big part in both sides success. The 2s lads fell 9 runs short of knocking off eventual Premiers Auburn in the QF and that’s where their season ended, but it is hopefully a sign of things to come.

A major coup for the club in the off season was the recruitment of Keith Lawrence. Keith brought a wealth of experience and knowhow to the club, and made it clear in the first half of the season that he meant business. With Keith came another superstar, Damian Wallace. Damian was 12th man for NSW in a 2004 Shield game, so he was a great pick up for the club. Unfortunately, the results did not flow as expected, and 1s missed out on finals cricket.

Asita and 6th grade also made a Grand Final in the NCSA competition after an unbelievable Semi Final match. They outplayed a highly rated opposition who then imploded in cloud of controversy. Having effectively played their grand final in the semi, the task of chasing 400+ in the final proved too great, but a formidable season all the same.

Brownie and the old crew in 4s scored a mammoth 93 points during the season to finish clear minor premiers. They were clinical in their QF and SF performances, but faltered at the last hurdle against a determined NWS side who finished gallant winners. Robbie Walker took over the 3rd grade captaincy and had a mixed first season in the job. The side certainly had their moments, sitting in the top three after 4 rounds, but a brittle batting performance all year could not support what was a strong bowling attack, and they finished outside the top 6.

Phantom and his master's finally lost a game, and in fact lost two during the season. When the dust settled at the end of the season, four teams were equal on wins during the season, and it came down to a very close bonus point verdict with MUCC narrowly missing out on its fourth consecutive premiership.

After an 11th place in the Club Championship last season, we finished a respectable 6th this season. Notably, in 2007/08, our points tally was only 10 more than we made this season, and we finished 2nd that year. The seasons had by Auburn and North West Sydney were phenomenal, finishing on 1401 and 1208 respectively. I congratulate both clubs on a tremendous season.

Off the field, we faced a number of challenges, some new, some old. A big achievement for this committee was finding a sponsor, and reclothing the club. I think you'll all agree that we looked a lot more like a club in season 2009/10 with our new training and warm up kit. Alas, no sooner had we taken delivery of the gear when we were told of a change of colours at the University! This poses a big challenge in the coming season or two in terms of finances to reclothe the entire kit, from playing gear and caps, to training gear and warm up tops.

Our facilities issue remains unresolved for the 5th season running, and it is now my primary goal in the off season to have some form of temporary structure on the Northern Oval for round one of the 2010/11 season, and to get a final timeline for permanent facilities up there. The SCA, SSCUA, and most of the shires community have lost patience with us and our own members have lost patience with us. Additionally, potential members stay away from us and join other Shires clubs because of this issue. I will not rest this winter until we have a solution.

A disappointing announcement was made in October by U@MQ that the wicket table on the University Oval was to be removed. This is the final nail in the coffin of what was a once grand playing arena for the club. With the removal of the square, I fear that cricket will be lost from that oval for many, many years, if not forever.

Our relationship with Gordon DCC was stable this year, unfortunately, we did not achieve our goal of utilising their resources as we had hoped we would, but we will still be looking to achieve this over the coming seasons.

In terms of our other goals, we did achieve greater numbers and participation this year, and we did achieve some of our fundraising goals, but there is still a long way to go on that issue. We have had a good year, but we need to back it up next season, and retaining our younger players is a must if we hope to achieve this. Our relationship with U@MQ is coming along well, and I hope to improve this further in the off season and into the future.

Once again, our achievements on the field could have been even better with a greater focus on training. This could well be a carbon copy of last season's rant, but it remains a thorn in our side. It is the same faces week in week out at training, and the same notable absences. If we had had those absentees at training, who knows? It's the kind of thing that can make the difference between a finals berth, and 7th or 8th, and between finishing 5th or 4th (or even 1st) in the Club Championship. I said it last year, and I'll say it again, there is absolutely no substitute for hitting, catching and bowling balls, and if we as players expect to be able to turn up once a week on a Saturday and be firing on all cylinders, we're kidding ourselves. We need to get over the fact that the facilities are sometimes a little 'difficult', and focus on achieving what we can with what we've got. We all pay our fees, and they entitle us to play and train. By not training, you're not getting the most out of you fees.

The same goes for putting in a bit of extra effort every few weeks to assist with covers. Everyone pays their fees for the right to play each Saturday, but very few people seem interested in ensuring we get on every week by helping out with covers. Simply put, if they don't go down, you don't play. Everyone needs to think about this commitment to the club,

as it is a serious and very important part of our season. It is not fair on the six or so guys who had to turn up nearly every week this season.

Again, I'd like to pass on my thanks to the committee this season. Your tireless efforts are what keep this club running successfully, and it is volunteers such of yourselves that make a club and sport such as ours carry on year in year out.

A big thank you to Tim Morrow who filled the role of Secretary this year. You stepped up to the job with a lot of enthusiasm, and took every problem in your stride, and more importantly, dealt with my incessant whinging and moaning all season, cheers mate!
A special thanks also to Simon Fairlie. Simon won the Ivan Blyth Memorial Clubman of the Year Award in recognition of the extra effort he put in this season in assisting me and the executive. Without him, a lot of things would have been missed this year, or been of a far lower standard than they were, so thanks mate.

Congratulations to all the award winners this year, especially the M R Gwilliam Shield winner Clint Simpson who won it for the second year in a row. The award has only been won by three other people in consecutive years in the history of the club, so this is a great achievement by Clint. We'll have to wait and see if he can become only the second person to win it 3 years in a row!

Also, a special mention goes to club and Shires Legend Warrick Folkard. During the 2009/10 season, Wick became the first member of Macquarie University CC to play in 400 games for the club. This represents 34 years of playing, an unbelievable amount of time to be committed to the one cause. Congratulations on this wonderful milestone Wick. Is there a 500 gamer in our future...?

Finally, to all the people that are too numerous to name, who chip in in every small or large way at the club, especially the wives, girlfriends and families of our members who let us go out and play every week, and put up with our war stories and grumblings all season (and year in many cases I'm sure), thanks for helping us get out there and attempt to make this club a great place to play.

Yours in cricket

Paul Clift
PRESIDENT

HONORARY SECRETARY'S REPORT

Season 2009-10 was one of the most successful seasons the club has had in many seasons. With 5 teams making the finals and four of those teams playing in the big one. Congratulations must go to Adrian Lulka and his 5th grade boys who picked up the Tim Creer Cup for the first time in the clubs history.

On the field we had many strong showings this year. With Keith Lawrence joining the club to captain first grade, and names such as Damian Wallace, Clint Simpson, Pat Whipps and AJ Gray in the side. This was looking like being one of the strongest 1st grade sides we had fielded in a long time. However it would be safe to say that this team were the underachievers of the club this season finishing up in 11th over all and picking up only 3 wins. In the end this was the difference in the club championship of us finishing in the top 3. The off season will be a time to sit down and have a look at what went wrong and what can be improved.

Congratulations go to Pete Saliba who stepped up to the mark this year and took over the captaincy of the 2nd grade side. With a strong side behind him he had what would appear to be the perfect mix of young talent and old heads making up his squad, Pete successfully lead 2nd grade to its first finals appearance in 12yrs. The boys were unlucky to lose to the eventual premieres in the QF by a mere 9 runs. This always leaves the questions of the 'what ifs' and 'if onlys' but in the end this was an outstanding effort from the boys to make it that far and I'm sure they will be up there aiming to go even further next year.

3rd Grade lead this year by Robbie Walker gave it a real shot. To be still mathematically able to make the finals in the last round, it was not to be. However the boys never gave up hope and were in the hunt right up until the last second.

4th grade once again continued to dominate with the team of old heads methodically and systematically dismantling teams to once again finish minor premiers with a staggering 93 points. However as seems to be the tale, it was not to be. Losing to NWS in the Final. As heartbreaking as it is a strong congratulations go to Brownny and his boys for continuing to show that they are the best team in that competition save one bad game.

Congratulations must go to Adrian Lulka and his 5th grade side. After being left with only a slight mathematical chance that they could make the finals, they took their fate in their own hands and pulled off bonus point after bonus point to get there. They are the first Mac Uni team to win the Tim Creer Cup and this is a very well deserved win. Well done boys!

6th grade made it all the way to the final, knocking over the strong favourites in the SF they unfortunately fell just short. This was a great effort from Asita and his boys and I'm sure they will all be back next year to give it a shot next year.

Our U24s side lead this year by Charlie Carter was undoubtedly one of the strongest sides we have fielded in this competition in a long time. Congratulations to the boys who became not only the first MUCC U24s side to win a finals series match but also the first to play in a Grand Final. The boys played well all season coming from behind in the SF to beat Linfield and just falling short against a strong Strathfield side. This was a great effort from the boys and we will be looking to go that one step further next year.

Off the field this year we faced a few challenges. With no change rooms in sight for our 1st and 2nd grade sides on the Northern oval and with the strong winds and rain that quite often plagues the field we face an ever increasing battle to explain ourselves to the SCA and to rectify the situation. When players start to feel they would rather play away from home then we start to have a club issue. This is an issue that we as a committee are taking very

seriously and we are doing everything in our power to have this issue resolved as soon as possible.

This season whilst there have been some great performances on the field, off the field the effort from members has simply not been good enough. Training sessions have dwindled away to mediocre numbers and this has shown with some of the poorer performances this year. If we want to remain a competitive club and improve on our performances this year we need to increase commitment at training.

Also it is simply not good enough that the same 5-6 guys are turning up every week to put down and take off the pitch covers. Doing the covers is as much apart of the game as running in to bowl or facing up to a delivery. If it doesn't happen, then you don't play. Simple as that. This is a major issue that we as a club need to resolve next season. If you are not willing to help out for 30min a couple of times a season then you should be playing park cricket as any shires or grade club you go to will require you to do this. So I wish to thank those who helped out week after week this season with the covers and I ask the rest of you to have a long hard think about your commitment to the club.

This above point leads on from another issue which we had this year, communication. The communication between captains and players especially in the tops grades was not up to par. As captains it is your duty to make sure you have your players aware of game details as well as making sure they bring tea to all home games and that they fold and store covers properly after each match. Even though the committee took the responsibility of organising players to do covers on a Friday night off the captains, you still need to talk to your players and make sure they are aware of their responsibility to the club. This is something that as captains you need to work on over the next season as a lack of communication can not just effect getting a team on the field but can affect players' views of the club and captains.

To those on the committee, we have a big year ahead of us. We need to look at locking in these fundraising events and sponsorships that are on the table as well as finding other forms of fundraising. We need to all put our hands up and do as much as possible to try and alleviate some of the work that has landed on us this year.

I would like to thank all those that put their hands up and help out this year, whether it be the few who help with covers or those who help with organising events and those who helped in general.

I look forward to seeing everyone back next year for what will hopefully be a year of more finals appearances and more premierships.

Tim Morrow
HONORARY SECRETARY

HONORARY TREASURER'S REPORT

2008-09 was certainly a very challenging year financially. Several factors contributed to yet another poor financial performance and require immediate addressing if the club is to have a viable financial future.

As stated last year, one of the major challenges facing the club is replacing the funding previously received from MUSR (now U@MQ) that was in the vicinity of \$20,000 during 2004 and 2005. For the first time this season we were charged for the hire of our grounds, meaning we now have an annual deficiency of around \$30,000 which we need to replace. Whilst work was commenced towards achieving this aim, the fundraising measures we are putting in place such as Bunnings BBQ's, Corporate Games canteens etc are certainly limited in their ability to replace this sort of cash drain.

A tightening of the belt this season certainly helped stem the flow. Player payments were down \$12,000 from the previous years spend of \$20,000 (including the \$1100 paid this season for outstanding University course fees) to \$8,000 for the current season. More work will be needed in this area – player payments past the 2009/10 season are certainly likely to be limited to genuine interest coaches playing fee free for the season rather than any monetary reward once the current obligations are finalised next year.

A secondary element needs to be reviewed that occurred this year. We had an astoundingly transient playing population this season. With nearly 50 players playing 3 games or less for the season charging and collecting fees from these players was nigh on impossible. Whereas we would normally have collected fees from 18 to 20 additional full season playing members, we were only able to collect scant amounts from this transient population and more work needs to be done by the committee next season on accepting only players committed to playing an overwhelming majority of games. As a result, membership collections were down nearly \$6 000 from the previous year although a significant proportion of that money has since been collected.

The club has reached a stage where the balance sheet needs to be rebuilt. I am reticent to allow the savings account balance to deplete below \$5 000 as this start-up money is needed each year going forward. A new fee structure will be trialled next year with significant savings for early payment and payment by direct deposit, rather than using a penalty system for late payments which has rarely been collected in the past. Your assistance in this is appreciated – whilst early payment will void an increase in general fee levels next season it is hoped this will significantly improve cash flow at the beginning of the year to enable new equipment to be purchased which the club now needs for each of it's grades.

By the end of next season it is imperative we have sourced and found a major sponsor for our club for our continued future financial viability. Fundraising activities will remain an important focus and savings will be made on the expenditure front, but for the balance sheet to improve in this new age for Macquarie a sponsor will solve a large portion of the cash deficit to allow fundraising to rebuild our former nest egg.

I hope you are all well rested and look forward to seeing you all next year as we do it all again.

**Warren Montford on behalf of
Paul McInnes
Honorary Treasurer**

REVENUE

Cricket NSW	4085.00
Events - Annual Dinner	2450.00
Events - Other	0.00
Fund Raising - Fantasy League	420.00
Fund raising - Other	3624.87
Investment income - Interest	717.87
Membership Fees	14285.00
Sales Clothing	810.00
Sales - Club Takings	454.20
Other - Donations	0.00
Other - Masters Games Receipts	600.00
Other - Miscellaneous	<u>0.00</u>
	27446.94

EXPENSES

Admin - Adv	0.00
Admin - Captains allowance	0.00
Admin - Record Keeping	0.00
Admin - Umpires Parking	156.00
Admin - Website	20.60
Affiliation / Rego Fees	1800.00
Annual Report - Printing	0.00
Bad Debts	0.00
Bank fees	410.24
Clothing	3388.00
Equipment - Cricket Balls	3324.00
Equipment - Training & Playing	2349.60
Food & Beverage - Clubhouse supplies	6900.95 (*1)
Function - Annual Dinner	1500.00
Functions - Others	1608.95
Fund Raising - Fantasy League	200.00
Ground Hire	6200.00 (*3)
Ground Training Hire	475.00
Masters Match Fees	600.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	1499.65(*4)
Repairs & Maintenance	66.35
Trophies	0.00

PLAYER PAYMENTS

Coaching - Direct	1500.00
Coaching - Indirect	400.00
Playing - Direct	6106.70 (*2)
Playing - Indirect (fees, clothing etc)	<u>1000.00</u>
	<u>9006.70</u>

39506.04**Net Operating Result****-12059.10**

(*1) - re Corporate Games bbq - now have 2 yrs drink supplies left over

(*2) - 1006.70 relates to previous year student fees of direct player payments

(*3) - first year of ground hire for club.

(*4) - includes facilities - portaloos Hire 1038.40 and shed 411.50 and 30c balancing

Balance Sheet

Current Assets		
	Cash On Hand	980.00
	NAB Cash Maximiser	5227.63
	NAB Community	4726.73
	less loans from exec (W Montford)	<u>-4000.00</u>
		<u>6934.36</u>
Equity		
	Bal beginning year	18993.46
	Net Op Result	-12059.10
Total Equity		6934.36

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – 1ST GRADE SHIRES

Season 2009/10 was a disappointing result for the Macquarie Club as we failed to make an impression on the competition despite having the quality of players to finish in the top 6. You can look back and analyse the near misses and the rain affected matches, but the reality was we lacked the killer instinct in all departments of the game and often let lesser sides back into the match.

There were plenty of new faces in the first XI at the start of the season including myself and it's fair to say it took a long while to build the team camaraderie that you need particularly in close games. Taking the good humoured banter onto the playing field and harnessing the team ethic is important in close matches and that will only happen with time. It should be noted that we found it far easier to gel and bond away from home due simply to the better facilities that made our time spent playing even more enjoyable.

Our most valuable player through the season was Clint Simpson by a country mile. Asked to open the batting and the bowling Clint embraced the challenge and did a fantastic job. Clint provide a backbone to our innings on many occasions, his most notable effort a great hundred against Warringah which allowed us to amass a total of 300 plus and declare. Clint's bowling did labour early in the season but with a few small changes and over's under his belt he again threatened to be the most outstanding bowler in the competition in the latter part of the season.

It is also worth noting another all-rounder in our team who made only a brief number of appearances but whose contributions were enormous – Damian Wallace. Damian opened the batting with Clint and together they were the most destructive opening batting partnership in the competition. Damian's hundred at Epping was fantastic to watch as he put the Epping bowlers to the sword, amassing his 50 before Clint had even gotten off the mark. Damian's contribution with the ball cannot be understated either. Damian has a fantastic ability to swing the ball, and occasionally with a bit of extra effort can really force the batsman deep into the crease with a surprising short ball.

Most cricket teams have a token "Pom" during the Aussie summer and we were fortunate to have the talents of Curtis Ford who took on the role of "Matt Prior" in our side. Curtis's opportunities with the bat higher up the order were limited but when given the opportunity he demonstrated a capacity to meet the challenge and I sincerely hope his time spent in Oz was enjoyable and helped develop his game.

Our Sri Lankan mates Anuk and "Hunter" (please do not ask me to spell nor pronounce his real name!) were new to the club and had spent their previous seasons playing on astro turf in the Northern Suburbs competition. I was pleased to see their development and enthusiasm for the game and trust they will be back next season competing for the club and turning their 20's and 30's into bigger scores.

Our opening bowling combination changed numerous times through the season, but on many occasions it was entrusted to Greg Denlow a young bloke with a great ability to swing the ball. Greg's personality and work ethic were fantastic and I hope we might have him for one more season before he tries out grade.

Our team had plenty of guys who could contribute with both bat and ball. Seamus Ross was one such man. Seamus bowled many over's tying up an end and contributed 15 wickets for the season. Unfortunately he did not have a great time of it with the bat, in total contrast to his talents. I believe Seamus suffered like many of the guys from not getting in good practice.

Prashant Rai did not play many games this year due to working commitments but when he did make himself available he was fantastic for the team. Prashant's fast bowling and hard hitting batting were the missing link in so many games. Prashant in combination with Clint, Damien and Greg would be by far the best fast bowling attack in the competition.

AJ Gray came into the team after several rounds and was a key contributor with the bat. AJ as a batsman scores at a decent rate and created a number of starts in the firsts that he could have well turned into 75+ knocks. At the moment AJ is considering a career with the Wallabies, one only hopes that he's back at the Northern Oval for season 2010/11.

Patrick Whips did not have the best of seasons. When he scored runs he did so in a compelling way that showed he could be in the top 5 bats in the competition if he really focused on his game. Pat's fitness and the odd injuries he carries undermined his batting and fielding and although it is unlikely that he will be back playing cricket next year I can only suggest that a fit Patrick hungry to score runs would be a key ingredient in Macquarie contemplating a first grade title.

Our most important contributor was the tireless work of "Wrighty" – his work as the team scorer and "Mr Admin" was outstanding and I would like to sincerely thank Wrighty for his work both for first grade but also the U24's.

I would like to conclude on a positive note. When Mac Uni can put its top team out on the park, with a decent weekly training session together we will beat anyone in the competition. We have guys in the team that can score big "dominating" hundreds. We have the capacity to field the best fast bowling attack in the competition, comprising, speed, height and swing. Our spinners although not big wicket takers, when bowling well would easily complement the fast bowling unit. There are two more critical factors, our fielding and general hunger... these require a "commitment and dedication"... in my opinion it is these last two ingredients that really are the difference between dominating in the competition.

From a personal perspective I am certainly disappointed and embarrassed to be quite honest by our overall performance in season 2009/10 – I want to make a difference and trust we can find ten others keen to do so in 2010/11.

Thanks to the Mac Uni committee for their tireless efforts throughout the season and offseason – I am well aware of the level of commitment that is required and you should all be commended.

Yours in Cricket

Keith Lawrence

ROUND	1 ST GRADE- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Macquarie University 0/10	drew	Pennant Hills 7/372(dec) (G Denlow 3/62 S Ross 3/87)
2	Georges River 4/212(cc)	Def by	Macquarie University 3/213 (P Whipps 59* B Rounds 53 C Simpson 49)
3	Warringah 8/322	def	Macquarie University 8/321(dec) (C Simpson 122 P Whipps 81 HG Wijayasundara 42*)
4	Macquarie University 157 (C Simpson 52 AJ Gray 31)	def by	South Sydney 225
5	Macquarie University 168 (HG Wijayasundara 38 C McPherson 32) and 6/142 (C Simpson 48 AP Tosolini 37)	Def by	Strathfield 297 (MO Kelly 4/32 S Ross 3/82)
6	Epping 373 (K Lawrence 3/37)	def by	Macquarie University 8/391(dec) (DP Wallace 139 MO Kelly 51* C Simpson 50 C Ford 43* HG Wijayasundara 40)
7	Macquarie University 233 (AT Silva 52* AJ Gray 40 K Lawrence 38 C Simpson 36)	def by	Auburn 4/262 (G Denlow 3/47)
8	Lane Cove 155 (S Ross 4/34)	Def by	Macquarie University 6/156 (C Simpson 61* DP Wallace 36)
9	Macquarie University 191 (DP Wallace 78 AJ Gray 45)	Def by	Roseville 7/193 (C Simpson 4/69)
10	Lindfield 294 (K Lawrence 3/69)	drew	Macquarie University 0/22
11	Macquarie University 7/113	drew	NWS Hurricanes 6/265(dec)
12	Southern Districts 150 (DP Wallace 5/44)	drew	Macquarie University 2/118 (C Simpson 46* P Whipps 46*)
13	Burwood Briars 9/180 (S Ross 3/47)	def	Macquarie University 179 (DP Wallace 48)

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	M. Kelly	68.00
Batting Aggregate	C. Simpson	530
Highest Score	D. Wallace	139 vs Epping
Bowling Average	J. Shyam	14.50
Bowling Aggregate	S. Ross	17
Most Wickets in a Innings	D. Wallace	5/44 vs Southern Districts
Most Wickets in a Match	D. Wallace	5/44 vs Southern Districts
Wicket Keeping	C. Ford	13 catches
Centuries	D. Wallace	139 vs Epping
	C. Simpson	122 vs Warringah
Highest Team Score	8 (dec) 391 vs Epping	
Lowest Team Score	157 vs South Sydney	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	13
<i>Won Outright</i>	-
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	3
<i>Drawn</i>	4
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	6
<i>Lost Outright</i>	-
<i>Competition Points</i>	20
<i>Position in Competition</i>	11th

TEAM STATISTICS**MACQUARIE****OPPONENTS**

<i>Runs Scored</i>	2414	3300
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	90	105
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	26.82	31.43

HIGHEST 1ST GRADE SHIRES PARTNERSHIPS 2009-10

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	194	D. Wallace - C. Simpson	Epping
2	108	D. Wallace – A. Gray	Roseville
3	166	C. Simpson - P. Whipps	Warringah
4	56	P. Whipps – S. Ross	Georges River
5	44	H. Wijayasundara - K. Lawrence	Epping
6	59	K. Lawrence - A. Gray	Auburn
7	54	K. Lawrence - C. McPherson	Strathfield
8	60	A. Silva - C. Ford	Auburn
9	89	C. Ford - M. Kelly	Epping
10	13	A. Silva – G. Denlow	Auburn

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – 2ND GRADE SHIRES

2009/10 was the strongest season 2nd grade has had in many years. Although it concluded rather disappointingly there were a lot of positives to be taken out of the season. The players at the top of the order showed the ability that they truly have, and the bowlers were there to back them up.

A slow start to the season saw us dropping our first two games. This was turned around well by the boys as we strung together four successive wins. We were unable to carry this into the Christmas break however dropping our next two. After the break we were only able to pick up two wins from the remaining games. However taking the maximum ten points from each of these games locked us into 6th place and a finals berth. The first for 2nd grade in many years.

Unfortunately in the QF we came up against a very strong Auburn outfit who were just simply too good for us on the day. The boys all dug deep and we were never out of the game until the last wicket fell. A great effort for everyone involved.

Special mention to Jairam for his 103 against Epping, Aj for his 100 vs Warrigah and Varpeet for his 8/43 vs Warrigah. These were three outstanding individual performances in what was overall a great season by the team. We showed we could come together when it mattered and there was always a player willing to put their hand up when it came to crunch time.

I want to thank all the boys for a great season and one that we can all be proud of. Lets aim to take it to the next level next year and take home the gold.

Pete Saliba

2nd Grade Captain

ROUND	2 ND GRADE- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Pennant Hills 344 (A Yeomans 3/73)	drew	Macquarie University 1/21
2	Macquarie University 55	def by	Georges River 6/56 (M Fairlie 4/12)
3	Macquarie University 9/282(dec) (AJ Gray 100 G McFadden 84)	def	Warringah 166 (V Batra 8/43) and 8/107 (TA Morrow 4/44)
4	South Sydney 106 (TA Morrow 3/17) and 4/275(dec) (M Fairlie 3/60)	Def by	Macquarie University 8/176(dec) (K Griffiths-Jones 52 P Henriksen 40) and 7/142 (K Griffiths-Jones 37 C McPherson 36)
5	Strathfield 204 (SM Fairlie 4/42 P Henriksen 4/79)	def by	Macquarie University 8/235 (C Carter 85 G McFadden 39* S Rose 31)
6	Macquarie University 6/340(dec) (P Saliba 171 J Shyam 103)	def	Epping 257
7	Auburn 161 (M Fairlie 4/54) and 4/100	def	Macquarie University 50 and 210 (AP Tosolini 85)
8	Macquarie University 65	def by	Lane Cove 143 (J Bilimoria 3/8 M Fairlie 3/33)
9	Roseville 123 (C Carter 4/31 MS Payne 4/38) and 155 (J Shyam 6/22)	Def by	Macquarie University 9/168(dec) (J Shyam 44 AP Tosolini 38 P Saliba 34*) and 2/111 (J Shyam 42* P Saliba 33*)
10	Macquarie University 3/79 (R McIntyre 41*)	drew	Lindfield 151 (MS Payne 5/27 M Fairlie 3/36)
11	NWS Hurricanes 5/129	def	Macquarie University 127
12	Macquarie University 8/138 (AP Tosolini 39) and 6/154 (C McPherson 56 C Carter 31)	def	Southern Districts 109 (M Fairlie 3/28 J Bilimoria 3/35) and 181 (C Carter 3/21 M Fairlie 3/36)
13	Macquarie University 126	Def by	Burwood Briars 8/127 (C Carter 3/18)
QF	Auburn 190 (P Henriksen 3/30)	def	Macquarie University 181 (K Griffiths-Jones 56 G McFadden 40)

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	A. Gray	50.00
Batting Aggregate	P. Saliba	359
Highest Score	P. Saliba	171
Bowling Average	J. Shyam	11.56
Bowling Aggregate	M. Fairlie	34
Most Wickets in an Innings	V. Batra	8/43 vs Warringah
Most Wickets in a Match	V. Batra	8/61 vs Warringah
Wicket Keeping	G. McFadden	24 catches/ 3 stumpings
Centuries	P. Saliba	171 vs Epping
	J. Shyam	103 vs Epping
	A. Gray	100 vs Warringah
Highest Team Score	6(dec) 340 vs Epping	
Lowest Team Score	50 vs Auburn	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	14
<i>Won Outright</i>	2
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	4
<i>Drawn</i>	2
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	5
<i>Lost Outright</i>	1
<i>Competition Points</i>	44
<i>Position in Competition</i>	6th

TEAM STATISTICS**MACQUARIE****OPPONENTS**

<i>Runs Scored</i>	2660	3084
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	137	165
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	19.42	18.69

HIGHEST 2ND GRADE SHIRES PARTNERSHIPS 2008-09

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	64	C. McPherson - P. Henrickson	South Sydney
2	51	A. Tosolini - P. Henrickson	Auburn
3	228	P. Saliba – J. Shyam	Epping
4	56	A. Gray - N. Alexander	Warringah
5	145	A. Gray - G. McFadden	Warringah
6	85	C. Carter - G. McFadden	Strathfield
7	29	A. Tosolini – M. Payne	Southern Districts
8	36	J. Bilimoria - M. Fairlie	Auburn
9	44	G. McFadden – T. Morrow	Strathfield
10	16	M. Fairlie – S. Fairlie	Lane Cove

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – 3RD GRADE SHIRES

The 2009/2010 season was disappointing for MUCC 3rd Grade. The season started well, and after Round 5 we had 3 wins under our belt (including an outright) and 2 washouts. But from Round 6 we started to fall away, and we ended the season out of the 6.

Our bowling was excellent all year, but the reality is that had we reached the 6 our batting and fielding would have had to improve significantly to reach the semi finals.

We undoubtedly had one of the strongest attacks in the competition. The opposition posted totals of over 200 in only four matches. But our top and middle order was brittle, and too often we had trouble chasing the low totals our bowlers had given us. Our catching at times was, well, dreadful, such as our effort against NW Sydney when we put down 9.

The good news for next year though is that 3rd grade can take concrete steps to improve both those areas. While batting obviously depends on individual performance, what we can do next year is try to develop a core of players who can be relatively stable match to match. Catches went down due to technique as much as anything else this year, so that's within our power to improve.

Another significant challenge for third grade relates to selections. Players who performed well in 3s early in the season such as Jehan Bilimoria, Simon Fairlie and Ross McIntyre, moved up to higher grades, which is of course good. But when players go up 3rd grade is at a significant disadvantage, because players who are performing well in 4th grade are generally unavailable to fill those gaps, with players coming up from 5th grade (8 of the players in 5th grade's grand final winning team played in 3s during the season).

The players who wish to stay together in 4s have earned that arrangement through their long contributions to the club, so there's no criticism of them. What we should consider however is whether the approach to selections in 3rd grade can be modified to give 3s a better chance of success, whether that's by identifying a core of players who will be selected for the full season or by some other means.

The attitude of the team was outstanding. Each week we had a great bunch of guys on the field. Play was positive and aggressive, and only on a few occasions did our intensity drop off. We had players who had played plenty of their cricket in England, India and Sri Lanka, and it was good to have the benefit of their different styles of play. It was a pleasure to captain the team.

There were plenty of outstanding performances.

Paul Cliff bowled some brilliant spells, and took some important bags, including against Souths, Epping, Roseville and a 5fa against Lindfield. He made some important contributions with the bat as well, including against Pennant Hills, Roseville, and his maiden half century for the club against Burwood. He was a well deserved MVP for the season.

Simon Fairlie bowled brilliantly against Pennant Hills and Souths. The final wicket partnership between Simon and Hari Sankar against Warringah was great entertainment. Adrian Widders was penetrating against Souths, while Jehan Bilimoria bowled a hostile spell against Strathfield. In that same match Ross McIntyre was on his way to a century, though we needed a good rearguard effort from Bryan Thomas and Jehan to get us over the line. Marty Payne bowled brilliantly against Auburn. Clifty, Warren Montford and Hari bowled beautifully against Roseville. Monty was miserly in most games, and deserved more wickets, repeatedly beating the bat. His average of around 12 for the season speaks for itself. Hari bowled well throughout the season, but with no luck at all. He constantly beat the bat with his accurate outswingers, and should have had more wickets to show for his

work. Hari could play as a key all rounder next year. Greg Joffe made strong contributions with the bat against Souths and Lane Cove, and has the potential to go better and make some big scores. After joining us from 2s, Aaron Yeomans bowled some strong spells. When Pete Henriksen shifted to the middle order, his batting was punishing and great to watch. His 100 against North West Sydney was brilliant.

It's encouraging that we were in strong positions against both the grand finalists, Auburn and North West Sydney, and gives us a good pointer toward the potential for next season.

Following is a game by game wrap up of the year.

Rd 1 v Pennant Hills at Ross Gwilliam (MUCC 6 points)

First day of the season saw Pennant Hills batting on a slow Gwilliam wicket.

Although the wicket was slow, it was playing consistently, and good bowling would be required to make a strong start. Adrian Widders and Steve Sidhu (2/10) started well, and Pennant Hills wickets were falling regularly. But when Simon Fairlie (4/15) and Marty Payne (3/31) came on, wickets started to tumble. Marty bowled good lines from one end while Simon started with a bang, picking up a wicket in 4 of his 7 overs to neutralise the Pennant Hills middle order. Pennant Hills all out for 97 after 31 overs.

The MUCC innings started shakily, faltering to 3/20 after 6 overs. But Robbie Walker (35) and Payne (22) steadied the middle order, and the Pennant Hills total was passed with 5 wickets down. Powerful contributions also came from Sidhu (25) and Clift (22), and the MUCC innings was closed at 9/155.

Inroads into the Pennant Hills batting didn't come quickly in the second innings, and the match was called with Pennant Hills on 1/57 after 14 overs.

Rd 2 v Georges River at Georges River (Match drawn)

After our positive start to the season, the team arrived at Georges River ready to go.

It was frustrating to find that the wicket and surrounds were fine, except for a large wet patch on a good length at one end of the wicket, after plenty of rain midweek.

After discussion of changing grounds was unsuccessful, the match was abandoned without a ball being bowled.

Rd 3 v Warringah at Mike Pawley (Match drawn)

MUCC won the toss and batted on a flat hard Mike Pawley wicket.

Monty and Steve Rose looked comfortable from the start, but after losing our first wicket at 26, a procession started, and we found ourselves at 9/120. Warringah bowled well, in particular the left arm spinner Young (5/41), but we generally got ourselves out with poor shot selection. The skipper was a good example, trying to hit across the line to a straight ball and falling LBW. Thankfully, we were saved from humiliation by a fantastic last wicket stand from Simon Fairlie (32no) and Hari Sankar (36no). Simon played some excellent drives, and Hari looked graceful and powerful straight and off his legs. Day 1 ended with a defendable total of 195 if we bowled well on Day 2.

Due to some scheduling problems, our game was moved to the Sunday of Week 2. Saturday was warm and sunny and all other matches were completed. Sunday was torrential rain and there was no further play in our match.

Rd 4 v South Sydney at Ross Gwilliam (MUCC 10 points)

MUCC won the toss and put Souths in, chasing points on Day 1. The MUCC bowlers put in a fantastic performance, rolling Souths for 84. Hari Sankar and Jehan Bilimoria opened and although going wicketless, they bowled 13 overs between them for 17 runs, and built the pressure for wickets to follow. Standout performances came from Simon Fairlie (4/9 off 7) and Adrian Widders (3/19) with Paul Cliff mopping up the tail (2/8).

MUCC pressed for a first innings lead, which was achieved in good time and in good style. Pete Smith (54) batted powerfully and was supported by a solid knock from Greg Joffe (27) and quick scoring cameos from Sankar and Widders. The declaration was made at 7/150.

Bilimoria (5/34) and Fairlie (3/13) were the destroyers in Souths' second dig. Jehan bowled with pace and accuracy, and Simon combined beautifully from the other end. Good support in the field saw Souths knocked over for 74.

MUCC knocked off the winning runs without losing a wicket. A fantastic outright win by 10 wickets.

Rd 5 v Strathfield at Ross Gwilliam (MUCC 6 points)

Strathfield won the toss and batted on a patchy Gwilliam surface. Bilimoria (2/24) and Montford started well, and after 8 overs Strathfield was in trouble at 3/26. That pressure was maintained by McInnes (2/19), Tabrett and Cliff (2/37), bowling tidy areas and reaping the rewards. By the 30 over mark Strathfield was 6/84. But then MUCC released the pressure and the 7th Strathfield wicket didn't fall until the total was on 152, with Greg Widders and Marty Payne making the breakthroughs. The innings was then wrapped up for 181, with 17 overs to bat on Day 1.

McIntyre (77) looked in great touch, scoring quickly from the first over. Although we lost Montford early, Ross and Marty Payne took the score to 54, before we lost Marty in the last over. Ross was already 42no. He pressed ahead on Day 2 with Walker (25), eventually falling with the total on 118. MUCC managed to have that familiar middle order collapse, and we were in deep trouble when the score reached 7/134. However Bryan Thomas (34) and Jehan Bilimoria (33no) batted maturely to get us over the line without further loss. A good scrapping win.

Rd 6 v Epping at North Epping (Epping 6 points)

An important game against Epping. A win would give us a buffer sitting at 3rd on the table. We won the toss and batted on a wicket that looked patchy, but was hard and flat underneath.

McIntyre (49) and Ratnarajah started brightly, with Dilan playing some crisp drives and Ross looking in good touch, until Dilan holed out on the drive with the total on 29. Ross and Nathan Alexander (40) then posted an untroubled stand to take MUCC to 1/112 after 24 overs. There were no real gremlins in the wicket, and Ross and Nathan exploited the conditions with sensible batting. Then came an inexplicable slide, with wickets falling regularly. Alexander, McIntyre and Walker fell in quick succession. Joffe and Yeomans (31) saved us from a really disastrous collapse, but the slide continued: all out for 178. Nowhere near enough on a good track.

Epping passed us 3 wickets down, and deserved what appeared to be an easy win. But we did have opportunities that we grassed. At the end of Day 1 Krilitec for Epping was 90no out of a total of 112. We had several chances to take his wicket but failed to hold our catches. Without his contribution the match might have been very different. As it was though Epping cruised past our total. Montford and Yeomans bowled well without much reward, while Cliff bowled well and picked up the best figures (3/70).

Rd 7 v Auburn at Ross Gwilliam (Auburn 6 points)

A big game going into Christmas against the strong Auburn lineup. Auburn won the toss and batted on a good looking Gwilliam wicket.

We started well with Batra (1/49) striking in his first over, and with a run out in the third over, Auburn were in early trouble at 2/2. However three solid partnerships followed and Auburn were looking at a big total on a good batting day at 4/217. Great rearguard bowling from Marty Payne (5/44) and Aaron Yeomans (2/57) kept the Auburn total to 253, which was an excellent comeback by MUCC.

At 1/58 with an over to play on Day 1 we were well placed with Rose (29) and Alexander (25) at the crease. But two wickets in the final over of the day saw us start Day 2 on the back foot at 3/58, but we were still confident of chasing down the Auburn total. Day 2 conditions were dreadful, with the wicket soft and uneven. The umpires decided the game should get underway on time, and MUCC lost 7 wickets in the 30 overs which followed to be rolled for 115.

Auburn enforced the follow-on, and MUCC was in deep trouble at 6/62. To their credit Payne (54no) and Sankar (31no) then batted with conviction and the game was called with MUCC on 6/145. It was a strong comeback which promised better things for the following rounds.

Rd 8 v Lane Cove at Longueville (Lane Cove 7 points)

A very disappointing result for MUCC. Lane Cove won the toss and bowled on a wicket that had plenty of juice in humid cloudy conditions.

The ball swung around and seamed. After losing Rose and Alexander early, the innings settled and at 4/106 off 30 overs we were looking at a total over 200 which, in the conditions, would be hard to chase down. But Walker (32), McInnes, Joffe (27), and Payne fell quickly and we were suddenly 7/128. Sankar, Yeomans and Clift batted sensibly to see out the 50 overs and bring the total to 187 (including 55 extras).

Sankar, Montford (2/15) and Payne (4/71) took early wickets and Lane Cove were teetering at 6/65. The conditions weren't as difficult as the morning, but the ball was still deviating and holding up. Yeomans (2/29) and Clift came on and bowled tightly. But Skinner for Lane Cove had other ideas and took the innings by the scruff of the neck. He hit 71 off 50 deliveries to get the Covies within range. We couldn't hold our chances when they came, and Lane Cove fell over the line 9 wickets down. 7 points gone begging for Club Mac, but we'll be stronger against Roseville for the experience.

Rd 9 v Roseville at Ross Gwilliam (MUCC 6 points)

It was vital for MUCC to post a win this round to keep in touch with the top teams with the finals around the corner.

With humid overcast conditions on Day 1 MUCC won the toss and asked Roseville to bat. Mick Kelly (2/19) was playing his last match this season for the club, and started with a hostile and accurate spell, taking 2/10 off his first 8 overs. Warren Montford (2/13) bowled beautifully from the other end without much luck, but eventually had his reward with 2 clever wickets. Paul Clift (3/43) and Hari Sankar (2/6) came on and bowled well. There was one period where we let the pressure ease, and Roseville rallied from 8/80 to a total of 134. We'll have to maintain the pressure for the entire innings in our upcoming matches if we're to make the finals.

We ended Day 1 on 4/90, losing Walker (28) with an over to go.

Day 2 was a scorcher, with temperatures in the low 40s. The day didn't start well with Yeomans going in the first over to make us 5/96. Roseville bowled well despite the conditions, and runs were hard to come by. Sankar (30) held the middle order together with a patient knock, combining well with Mayank Rasotra and Clift (28no). MUCC passed the

Roseville total 7 down and then upped the tempo to take the total to 9/187 at tea, when the game was called.

Rd 10 v Lindfield at Acron

Tight opening bowling from Varpeet Batra and Monty saw Lindfield stumble early before recovering to 2/95. But Clifty came on and bagged 5 wickets to dismiss Lindfield for 182.

However MUCC was in deep trouble at the end of Day 1 at 5/57, and torrential rain on Day 2 saved us from a loss.

Rd 11 v North West Sydney at Ross Gwilliam (Nw Sydney 6 points)

After a strong start in the field, we had NW Sydney at 7/137. We had a great opportunity there to press home the advantage, but some poor catching let them off the hook and they reached 256, with their No 8 hitting 94 including 7 sixes. Monty and Pete Henricksen were the pick of the bowlers.

We were in similar trouble in reply at 7/122, when Pete Henricksen went berserk, scoring a beautiful 103 which included 14 fours and 6 sixes. Pete and Harry Munikrishna put on 105, to get us close, but when Harry went our remaining wickets tumbled and we fell just short.

Rd 12 v SDs at Greenway (Match drawn)

We had an extraordinary Day 1 against a weak SDs. Phantom (68) and Pete Henricksen (79) batted strongly, supported by Walker (34) and Rosie (30). We declared at 7/249, leaving an hour to play and the hope of a few scalps to set up Day 2.

Amazingly, an hour later SDs finished the day at 8/15, with Monty (4/3) and Tim Morrow (3/9) the destroyers.

Day 2 was washed out and we missed out on a certain 10 points that would have kept us well in the hunt for the finals.

Rd 13 v Burwood at Ron Routley (Burwood 6 points)

Burwood started strongly with the bat, their opening stand worth 80. But strong bowling from Hari Sankar (2/26) and Adrian Widders (2/15) restricted them, and Clifty (2/67) started well though had the task of bowling out the final overs and took some late stick). Josh Hobs bowled with great control and was unlucky to go wicketless.

Clifty (68) and Rosie (44) started well, and our opening stand was worth 75. But wickets fell regularly as we tried to up the rate, and we fell just short. The target was always in sight, but we couldn't seem to achieve the burst that would have given us a comfortable run home.

ROUND	3RD GRADE- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Macquarie University 9/155(dec) (R Walker 35)	def	Pennant Hills 97 (SM Fairlie 4/15 MS Payne 3/31) and 1/57
2	Georges River	drew	Macquarie University
3	Warringah	drew	Macquarie University 195 (H Sankar 36 SM Fairlie 32*)
4	Macquarie University 7/150(dec) (P Smith 54) and 0/11	def	South Sydney 84 (SM Fairlie 4/9 A Widders 3/19) and 74 (J Bilimoria 5/34 SM Fairlie 3/13)
5	Macquarie University 8/199 (R McIntyre 77 B Thomas 34 J Bilimoria 33*)	def	Strathfield 181
6	Epping 8/278(dec) (P Clift 3/70)	def	Macquarie University 178 (R McIntyre 49 N Alexander 40 A Yeomans 31) and 2/97 (R McIntyre 32 N Alexander 30*)
7	Macquarie University 115 and 6/145 (MS Payne 54* H Sankar 32*)	def by	Auburn 253 (MS Payne 5/44)
8	Lane Cove 9/188 (MS Payne 4/71)	def	Macquarie University 9/187(cc) (R Walker 32)
9	Macquarie University 9/187 (H Sankar 30)	def	Roseville 134 (P Clift 3/43)
10	Lindfield 182 (P Clift 5/56)	drew	Macquarie University 5/57
11	Macquarie University 235 (P Henriksen 103* G Joffe 45)	Def by	NWS Hurricanes 256 (W Montford 3/34 P Henriksen 3/49)
12	Southern Districts 8/15 (W Montford 4/3 T Morrow 3/9)	drew	Macquarie University 7/249(dec) (P Henriksen 79 S O'Reilly 68 R Walker 34 S Rose 30)
13	Burwood Briars 8/229(cc)	def	Macquarie University 212 (P Clift 68 S Rose 44)

3RD GRADE SHIRES STATISTICS 2008-09**BATTING AVERAGES**

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
C. McPherson	9	12	3	44	242	26.89	12/ 6 stp
R. Walker	12	13	1	75x	241	20.08	3/ 3 stp
G. Joffe	10	11	2	53	240	26.67	7
D. Gracie	3	4	2	135x	239	119.50	1
J. Khan	9	11	1	61	223	22.30	3
K. Milon	7	9	0	40	192	21.33	2
Y. Sethi	3	3	0	93	171	57.00	3
S. Rose	6	6	0	45	131	21.83	5
M. Rasotra	7	8	0	34	125	15.63	1
P. Clift	13	15	4	27	117	10.64	7

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
P. Haldankar	5	6	0	22	73	12.17	2
J. Tabrett	8	10	2	26	66	8.25	3
T. Kapoor	2	2	1	61x	62	62.00	0
J. Chan	8	8	0	19	54	6.75	4
A. Natarajan	1	1	0	53	53	53.00	0
V. Kumar	2	2	0	52	52	26.00	0
P. McInnes	6	6	0	18	51	8.50	1
V. Panch	5	5	0	17	41	8.20	1
L. Nichols	2	3	0	22	32	10.67	0
B. Taylor	1	1	0	21	21	21.00	1
J. Sutton	1	1	0	19	19	19.00	0
P. Chew	1	2	0	14	19	9.50	0
W. Montford	1	1	1	18x	18	-	0
J. Best	3	2	2	10x	10	-	0
N. Pathak	4	2	1	10	10	10.00	0
G. Denlow	3	2	1	4x	6	6.00	0
A. Jessop	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	0
C. Edwards	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	1
A. Singh	3	1	0	0	0	0.00	0
S. Fairlie	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	0
L Kariyawasam	2	2	0	0	0	0.00	0
W. Gleeson	2	1	0	0	0	0.00	0
M. Wilding	1	0	0	-	-	-	0

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
P. Clift	157.2	16	852	32	1	26.63	5/60
P. McInnes	77.3	12	292	18	1	16.22	5/72
J. Tabrett	109	29	336	15	0	22.40	3/29

ALSO BOWLED (Less than 10 Wickets)

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
J. Khan	23	5	99	7	1	14.14	5/45
G. Joffe	55	6	268	7	0	38.29	2/50
V. Kumar	29	8	97	6	0	16.17	3/35
G. Denlow	32.3	6	103	6	0	17.17	3/35
M. Rasotra	12	1	75	3	0	25.00	3/52
N. Pathak	34	7	106	3	0	35.33	3/65
J. Chan	26	7	90	2	0	45.00	1/7
Y. Sethi	21	3	95	2	0	47.50	1/22
A. Singh	19	4	102	2	0	51.00	1/31
A. Jessop	1.3	0	16	1	0	16.00	1/16
B. Taylor	11	2	31	1	0	31.00	1/31
J. Best	16	1	112	1	0	112.00	1/58
V. Panch	21	1	125	1	0	125.00	1/23
C. McPherson	4	0	19	0	0	-	0/19
S. Fairlie	6	0	26	0	0	-	0/26
J. Sutton	6	0	31	0	0	-	0/31
W. Montford	9	0	32	0	0	-	0/32
K. Milon	7.2	0	44	0	0	-	0/21
T. Kapoor	9	0	68	0	0	-	0/68

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	S. O'Reilly	68.00
Batting Aggregate	R. Walker	213
Highest Score	P. Henrickson	103* vs NWS Hurricanes
Bowling Average	S. Fairlie	4.64
Bowling Aggregate	P. Clift	22
Most Wickets in an Innings	P. Clift	5/56 vs Lindfield
	J. Bilimoria	5/34 vs South Sydney
	M. Payne	5/44 vs Auburn
Most Wickets in a Match	S. Fairlie	7/22 vs South Sydney
Wicket Keeping	R. Walker	7 catches/ 4 stumpings
Centuries	P. Henrickson	103* vs NWS Hurricanes
Highest Team Score	7(dec) 249 vs Southern Districts	
Lowest Team Score	115 vs Auburn	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	13
<i>Won Outright</i>	1
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	3
<i>Drawn</i>	4
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	5
<i>Lost Outright</i>	-
<i>Competition Points</i>	28
<i>Position in Competition</i>	9th

TEAM STATISTICS**MACQUARIE****OPPONENTS**

<i>Runs Scored</i>	2372	2028
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	112	114
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	21.18	17.79

HIGHEST 3RD GRADE SHIRES PARTNERSHIPS 2008-09

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	75	S. Rose – P. Clift	Burwood Briars
2	83	R. McIntyre - N. Alexander	Epping
3	64	R. McIntyre – R. Walker	Strathfield
4	52	R. Walker - G. Joffe	Lane Cove
5	52	S. O'Reilly - R. Walker	Southern Districts
6	129	S. O'Reilly - P. Henrickson	Southern Districts
7	83	M. Payne - H. Sankar	Auburn
8	105	P. Henrickson - H. Munikrishna	North West Sydney
9	27	A. Yeomans – P. Clift	Lane Cove
10	75	H. Sankar – S. Fairlie	Warringah

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – 4TH GRADE SHIRES

The 2009-10 season saw the return of the alienation of the gods of cricket. A stellar season as minor premiers was unfortunately unable to be followed up with the grail we captured two years ago.

During the regular season we played outstanding Cricket and were once again untouchable, but as seems to be a recurring feature in our game we weren't able to lift for when it mattered, which unfortunately our opponents were able to do.

It has been truly a pleasure to play with this remarkable group of individuals again this season. Perhaps the trophy mattered less than the camaraderie of spirit this team possesses, but probably not in their eyes or mine.

To have used 24 players in our campaign this season and to have remained as steadfastly competitive as we did throughout was an amazing tribute to the core group of regulars within this side and the hunger and confidence they are able to inspire in all who play with them.

To come so close to the silverware and fall just short will undoubtedly push us that little bit harder to go that one step further next year.

To my fellow captains, I thank you for the endless selection hours endured this year.

To my beautiful wife and understanding children, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your generosity and sacrifice.

I look forward to seeing you all again next year, it is certainly my pleasure to strive with you on this never ending quest for glory that is cricket.

Greg Brown
FOURTH GRADE CAPTAIN

ROUND	4 TH GRADE- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Pennant Hills 171 (D Webb 7/36 D Smith 3/27)	drew	Macquarie University 3/63
2	Macquarie University 7/124	def	Georges River 123 (D Smith 3/23)
3	Macquarie University 8/300(dec) (G Wilson 153* D Gracie 37 K Griffiths-Jones 31)	def	Warringah 123 (D Webb 4/48) and 171 (JJ Hobbs 4/29 G Wilson 3/53)
4	South Sydney 92 (D Budge 4/26) and 3/77	def by	Macquarie University 118 (C Fernandes 34) and 8/152(dec) (G Brown 36* H Munikrishna 31)
5	Strathfield 20 (JP Best 5/13) and 89 (D Budge 6/16)	Def by	Macquarie University 155
6	Macquarie University 7/310(dec) (C Edwards 146 S O'Reilly 79)	def	Epping 207 and 6/50 (G Brown 3/12)
7	Auburn 202 (D Budge 3/41)	def by	Macquarie University 9/329(dec) (C Edwards 100 S O'Reilly 55* K Griffiths-Jones 41 P McInnes 38 D Gracie 30)
8	Macquarie University 2/110 (C Fernandes 68*)	def	Lane Cove 109 (M Ismail 3/38)
9	Roseville 122 (G Brown 4/44 D Budge 3/28) and 116 (G Brown 6/46)	def by	Macquarie University 9/259(dec) (S Sidhu 49 C Fernandes 33 C Edwards 32 D Smith 30*)
10	Macquarie University 2/75(dec) (C Fernandes 44*)	def	Lindfield 74 (G Brown 4/16 D Budge 3/15) and 0/23
11	NWS Hurricanes 93 (G Brown 5/35)	Def by	Macquarie University 7/96
12	Macquarie University 4/156(dec) (H Munikrishna 54 D Budge 30*)	def	Southern Districts 76 (M Ismail 3/7) and 60 (D Budge 3/13 G Brown 3/25)
13	Macquarie University 8/245(cc) (G Wilson 62 D Webb 35 S Shankar 34 H Munikrishna 33)	def	Burwood Briars 44 (G Brown 5/14)
QF	Macquarie University 266 (D Webb 108 D Budge 40 G Brown 37)	def	Georges River 153 (D Webb 5/45 H Munikrishna 3/18)
SF	Macquarie University 9/298 (D Webb 51 JJ Hobbs 37* D Budge 31)	def	Warringah 107 (G Brown 4/45)
GF	Macquarie University 174 (D Gracie 35 S Shankar 31 G Brown 30*)	Def by	NWS Hurricanes 9/223 (G Brown 3/57)

4TH GRADE SHIRES STATISTICS 2008-09**BATTING AVERAGES**

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
C. Fernandes	14	13	0	75	357	27.46	16/1
G. Wilson	8	9	4	126x	309	61.80	4
S. O'Reilly	15	14	3	98	309	28.09	5
D. Webb	9	8	3	117	304	60.80	2
C. Edwards	13	13	1	58x	242	20.17	9
G. Brown	15	9	1	64x	206	25.75	10
H. Munikrishna	12	10	2	101x	204	25.50	10
D. Gracie	9	8	0	46	147	18.38	0

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
K. Griffiths-Jones	4	4	0	79	95	23.75	3
M. Ismail	8	4	2	58x	76	38.00	4
Prashant Rai	1	1	0	61	61	61.00	0
W. Montford	7	4	0	29	59	14.75	5
S. Shankar	8	6	2	23	51	12.75	6/1
J. Sutton	1	1	0	29	29	29.00	0
A. Tosolini	1	1	0	24	24	24.00	0
S. Sajdeh	1	1	0	23	23	23.00	0
A. Gray	1	1	1	21x	21	-	1
Asita. Galappatti	1	2	1	20	21	21.00	1
M. Selby	1	1	0	19	19	19.00	0
J. Best	2	1	1	17x	17	-	0
A. Jessop	1	1	0	17	17	17.00	1
A. Widders	4	2	0	12	17	8.50	1
S. Srinivasan	1	1	0	16	16	16.00	0
T. Kapoor	4	2	2	14x	14	-	0
S. Zaman	2	3	0	12	13	4.33	0
B. Taylor	1	1	0	7	7	7.00	1
A. Singh	1	1	1	5x	5	-	0
A. Hale	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	0
D. Budge	7	2	1	3	3	3.00	0
D. Ramanathan	1	1	0	2	2	2.00	0
D. Couper	6	1	0	1	1	1.00	1
C. McPherson	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	1
M. Rasotra	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	0
V. Satyanarayan	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	0
S. Singh	1	0	0	-	-	-	0
D. Smith	1	0	0	-	-	-	0
M. Pezzana	1	0	0	-	-	-	0
V. Vikrant	1	0	0	-	-	-	0

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	10 in Match	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
G. Brown	307.3	85	798	65	2	7	12.28	9/23
G. Wilson	66.4	7	245	17	0	1	14.41	5/58
M. Ismail	72.4	14	218	14	0	0	15.57	4/32
D. Budge	59	9	163	13	0	0	12.54	4/26
W. Montford	65	15	185	13	0	0	14.23	4/53
D. Webb	81.5	25	197	11	0	0	17.91	4/15

ALSO BOWLED (Less than 10 Wickets)

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
H. Munikrishna	35.4	7	120	9	0	13.33	3/11
A. Widders	34	5	99	6	0	16.50	2/30
A. Hale	8.3	2	19	4	0	4.75	4/19
B. Taylor	16	4	44	4	0	11.00	3/20
D. Couper	4	1	7	3	0	2.33	3/7
T. Kapoor	18	1	79	3	0	26.33	3/33
D. Gracie	17.5	2	88	3	0	29.33	2/75
Asita Galappatti	11	1	36	2	0	18.00	2/36
Prashant Rai	13	4	38	2	0	19.00	1/14
C. Edwards	19	5	50	2	0	25.00	1/22
A. Singh	7	0	19	1	0	19.00	1/17
D. Smith	8	1	23	1	0	23.00	1/23
S. Zaman	6	1	33	1	0	33.00	1/33
M. Selby	7	2	44	1	0	44.00	1/44
J. Best	13	2	61	1	0	61.00	1/5
A. Jessop	4	1	9	0	0	-	0/9
A. Gray	2	0	13	0	0	-	0/13
A. Tosolini	7	1	30	0	0	-	0/30
J. Sutton	5	0	30	0	0	-	0/30
D. Ramanathan	8	1	33	0	0	-	0/33

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	S. Sidhu	57.00
Batting Aggregate	C. Edwards	393
Highest Score	G. Wilson	153* vs Warringah
Bowling Average	J. Best	7.00
Bowling Aggregate	G. Brown	54
Most Wickets in an Innings	D. Webb	7/36 vs Pennant Hills
Most Wickets in a Match	G. Brown	10/43 vs Epping
Wicket Keeping	S. Shankar	13 catches/ 2 stumpings
Centuries	G. Wilson	153* vs Warringah
	C. Edwards	146 vs Epping
	D. Webb	108 vs Georges River
	C. Edwards	100x vs Auburn
Highest Team Score	9(dec) 329 vs Auburn	
Lowest Team Score	118 vs South Sydney	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	16
<i>Won Outright</i>	4
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	10
<i>Drawn</i>	1
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	1
<i>Lost Outright</i>	-
<i>Competition Points</i>	93
<i>Position in Competition</i>	2nd

TEAM STATISTICS

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OPPONENTS

<i>Runs Scored</i>	3230	2525
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	123	208
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	26.26	12.14

HIGHEST 4TH GRADE SHIRES PARTNERSHIPS 2009-10

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	70	C. Edwards - C. Fernandes	Roseville
2	81	C. Fernandes – D. Gracie	Lane Cove
3	195	C. Edwards - S. O'Reilly	Epping
4	49	C. Edwards - S. O'Reilly	Auburn
5	80	G. Wilson - K. Griffiths-Jones	Warringah
6	117	D. Webb - K. Griffiths-Jones	Warringah
7	73	G.Wilson – H. Munikrishna	Warringah
8	118	D. Webb – G. Brown	Georges River
9	68	D. Webb – D. Budge	Georges River
10	44	G. Brown – M. Ismail	NWS Hurricanes

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – UNDER 24'S- FRANK GRAY SHIELD

The season started with a huge amount of optimism and ended in the most successful Frank Gray campaign in Macquarie University Cricket Club history. The early training sessions at Mac Uni revealed to me that we had an extremely talented squad and that expectations were very high.

Here is a Round-by-Round summary:

- 1) Our first game of the year against South Sydney could not have gone better, winning the toss, batting first and a resounding 193 run victory with **Pranish Rai** (88 not out) and **Curtis Ford** (79) showing intent at the top of the order. **AJ Gray** added 50 in our total of 272-4. In reply we demolished the Rabbits for 79, **Tim Morrow** (4-21) and **Prashant Rai** (3-18) leading the attack with aplomb. 2 Bonus points, just the tonic.
- 2) Our opening home match saw a rain affected game with Pennant Hills which led to some interesting chat after the game on social networking sites, however concentrating on the cricket we beat them in nerve-jangling fashion by 2 wickets in the last over of the game. Winning the toss and bowling first we didn't field particularly well as Penno reached 209-8 in their 47 overs, **Greg Denlow** taking (3-38). In our reply **Pranish** (55) and **Prashant Rai** (31) were our main runmakers as poor shots saw us require 25 with only 2 wickets in hand. Thankfully some sensible batting from **Tim Morrow** (12*) and **Aaron Yeomans** (14*) saw us home with 5 balls to spare.
- 3) Lane Cove were next, lost the toss... They batted first. After having them 51-7 at the first drinks break we were disappointed that they went on to reach 185 all out from the 50 overs. However a clinical batting display revolving around the returning **Andrew Tosolini** (50) and **AJ Gray** (59) ably supported by **Jai Shyam** (31) saw us reach the target for the loss of only 4 wickets. 3 from 3 was a great way to start.
- 4) Georges River at Bexley was next for us and a below par batting display saw us bowled out for 216. However for the second match in succession runs flowed from the bat of **Andrew Tosolini** (84) and **Curtis Ford** returned to form with a great 53 not out to get us to that score when a much lower total loomed. Georges River were quick out of the blocks and got to the score only 5 down with 10.5 overs remaining! **Aaron Yeomans** the pick of our bowlers with 2-49.
- 5) Away to Auburn, Round 5 was to be the turning point of our season. The first half of the game was excellent, won the toss, bowled first and we produced an excellent bowling display to dismiss the Eagles for just 103 with **Tim Morrow** (3-17), **Prashant Rai** (2-22) and **Jai Shyam** (2-2) sharing the workload. However our batting display was non-existent and we were removed for 74 with only 3 players reaching double figures. We had a massive chat in the changing room afterwards as our aspirations of making the Grand Final were looking bad, we had to just focus on reaching the Finals.
- 6) A much more motivated side turned up to play against Burwood. A damp start but forecast to clear up led to us winning the toss and choosing to bat, a decision that looked terrible when we slumped to 31-4. However a display of batting prowess from **Jai Shyam** (64) and **Prashant Rai** (95), helped at the end by **Charlie Carter** (40) saw us amass 286-8 from our 42 overs. Burwood had an opening partnership of 101 off not many overs but a vital spell from **Prashant Rai** (2-26) with **Aaron Yeomans** (3-39) and **Jai Shyam** (3-32) and a vastly

improved fielding display (Skipper **Charlie Carter** claiming 2 catches and 2 run outs) seeing us sneak a bonus point as we dismissed the Briars for 223.

- 7) Round 7 v Warringah was rained off on the Friday night. But we'd done enough to make Finals, a rematch with Auburn for the Qualifying Final.
- QF) Never before have I been involved in a side so keen for revenge. Batting with real purpose we batted out our allocation and reached 170-7, **Curtis Ford** (47) and **AJ Gray** (31) again exceptional. Our fielding effort was the most professional and pleasing display of the season as we wiped Auburn out for 98. **Greg Denlow** (4-21) was outstanding, **Prashant Rai** (2-16) on the money as always and **Aaron Yeomans** (2-10) finding the track to his liking. This was by far our best performance of the season.
- SF) A home Semi-Final against Lindfield was immediately switched to Lindfield Oval as we couldn't secure a ground in time and another rain affected match saw nerves frayed to an extent I didn't realise was possible. Losing the toss and fielding wasn't an ideal task and we felt good having restricted Lindfield to 240 all out, **Tim Morrow** (4-57), **Jai Shyam** (2-27), **Greg Denlow** (2-41) and **Aaron Yeomans** (2-57) doing their jobs. On Lindfield Oval this target was gettable. **Chris McPherson** (43) helped see us to 119-5 after 27.1 overs and looking wobbly when the heavens opened. We were given a target of 154 off 32 overs. We lost **Pranish** to the first ball of the restart and while **Jai Shyam** (47*) looked solid and batted excellently, wickets fell at the other end. Somehow we got to the last over needing 2 runs to win with 3 wickets left. Jai took a single off the first ball, **Tim Morrow** skied one to midwicket with 4 balls left, **Aaron Yeomans** chipped back to the bowler 2nd ball for a duck, and **Greg Denlow** smashed Simon Fox over midwicket for 4 with a ball to spare to put MUCC in the Frank Gray Grand Final for the first time. Cue delirium from the fans.
- GF) This was it, our first ever Grand Final. We were up against reigning Premiers Strathfield and knew we had a tough challenge ahead. We won the toss, batted first but early wickets and pressure made scoring difficult. 88-6 became 89-8 with 14 overs left and we were staring down the barrel but a skipper's knock from **Charlie Carter** (46) saw him the last man to fall caught on the boundary as MUCC frustrated the Gorillas to get to 154. **Prashant Rai** struck in the first over of the Gorilla's innings and picked up 4-25 in a fantastic spell of bowling and with Strathfield teetering at 99-5 having lost Sylvester, Janda and Wotton we were in with a shout but sensible batting from Sean Walsh and Rob Hayto saw Gorillas home by 5 wickets leaving Club Mac as Runners Up.

This was a season of many firsts for MUCC. The first overseas Captain in the history of the club, the first time we had won a Finals match in the Frank Gray competition and the first time MUCC had appeared in the Frank Gray Grand Final. It is an achievement each and every player in the squad must be immensely proud of themselves as every player has contributed at some stage in the campaign.

Special mentions to **Prashant Rai**, **Pranish Rai**, **Andrew Tosolini** and **Charlie Carter** who all finished their fine U24's careers playing in a Grand Final and to our UK imports **Aaron Yeomans** and **Curtis Ford** for an enjoyable year, we hope to see you back at MUCC again in future.

Personally I am immensely proud to have been given the opportunity to lead the charge, it was an honour and a privilege to be your Captain. I hope to see us go one better in the near future and win our first Frank Gray Shield.

Charlie 'Chuckles' Carter.

ROUND	U-24S - FRANK GRAY SHIELD 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	South Sydney 79 (TA Morrow 4/21 P Rai 3/18)	Def by	Macquarie University 4/272(cc) (P Rai (Pranish) 88* C Ford 79 AJ Gray 50)
2	Macquarie University 8/210 (P Rai (Pranish) 55 P Rai 31)	def	Pennant Hills 8/209(cc) (G Denlow 3/38)
3	Macquarie University 4/188 (AJ Gray 59 AP Tosolini 50 J Shyam 31)	Def	Lane Cove 185 (J Bilimoria 3/19)
4	Georges River 5/217	def	Macquarie University 216 (AP Tosolini 84 C Ford 53*)
5	Auburn 103 (TA Morrow 3/17)	Def	Macquarie University 74
6	Macquarie University 8/286(cc) (P Rai 95 J Shyam 64 C Carter 40)	def	Burwood Briars 223 (J Shyam 3/32 A Yeomans 3/39)
7	Macquarie University	Drew	Warringah
QF	Auburn 98 (G Denlow 4/21)	Def by	Macquarie University 7/170(cc) (C Ford 47 AJ Gray 35)
SF	Macquarie University 9/157 (J Shyam 47* C McPherson 43)	Def	Lindfield 240 TA Morrow 4/57
GF	Strathfield 5/157 (P Rai 4/25)	def	Macquarie University 154 (C Carter 46)

U-24'S FRANK GRAY SHIELD STATISTICS 2008-09**BATTING AVERAGES**

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
Prashant Rai	6	6	1	71	255	51.00	2
J. Shyam	7	7	0	67	214	30.57	4
A. Gray	7	7	0	52	129	18.43	0

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
A. Tosolini	6	6	0	38	86	14.33	1
K. Milon	4	4	0	28	84	21.00	1
J. Khan	7	7	1	19	64	10.67	1
S. Fairlie	7	7	0	26	57	8.14	3
T. Morrow	7	6	2	26	49	12.25	3
C. McPherson	6	4	0	34	48	12.00	8/1
H. Munikrishna	3	3	1	16	32	16.00	0
G. Joffe	3	3	0	14	25	8.33	0
V. Panch	5	4	1	6x	16	5.33	0
G. Denlow	7	5	2	10x	13	4.33	0
J. Tabrett	1	1	1	2x	2	-	1
J. Chan	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	0

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
A. Tosolini	25.3	6	96	9	-	10.67	4/16
S. Fairlie	42.3	6	179	7	-	25.57	3/37
G. Denlow	46	5	212	7	-	30.29	3/35
Prashant Rai	53	6	234	7	-	33.43	3/31
J. Shyam	29	5	118	6	-	19.67	3/31
T. Morrow	34.2	0	204	5	-	40.80	2/22
V. Panch	6	0	41	4	-	10.25	3/18
J. Tabrett	7	0	34	1	-	34.00	1/34
J. Khan	15	0	85	1	-	85.00	1/11
H. Munikrishna	9	0	43	0	-	-	0/20
A. Gray	1	1	0	0	-	-	0/0
G. Joffe	0.5	0	3	0	-	-	0/3

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	J. Bilimoria	39.00
Batting Aggregate	C. Ford	230
Highest Score	Prashant Rai	95 vs Burwood
Bowling Average	T. Morrow	13.33
Bowling Aggregate	Prashant Rai	16
Most Wickets in an Innings	T. Morrow	4/21 vs South Sydney
	G. Denlow	4/21 vs Auburn
	Prashant Rai	4/25 vs Strathfield
Wicket Keeping	C. McPherson	12 catches/ 3 stumpings
Centuries	-	
Highest Team Score	8/286 vs Burwood	
Lowest Team Score	74 vs Auburn	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	10
<i>Won</i>	6
<i>Tied</i>	-
<i>Drawn</i>	1
<i>Lost</i>	3
<i>Competition Points</i>	28
<i>Position in Competition</i>	2 nd

TEAM STATISTICS**MACQUARIE****OPPONENTS**

<i>Runs Scored</i>	1727	1511
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	70	78
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	24.67	19.37

HIGHEST U-24 FRANK GRAY SHIELD PARTNERSHIPS 2009-10

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	138	Pranish Rai - C. Ford	South Sydney
2	86	A. Tosolini - A. Gray	Lane Cove
3	65	Pranish Rai - A. Gray	South Sydney
4	30	Pranish Rai - C. Carter	Pennant Hills
5	156	J. Shyam - Prashant Rai	Burwood Briars
6	54	Prashant Rai - C. Carter	Burwood Briars
7	33	C. Carter - J. Bilimoria	Burwood Briars
8	14	J. Shyam – T. Morrow	Linfield
9	32	C. Carter – A. Yeomans	Strathfield
10	33	C. Carter – G. Denlow	Strathfield

CAPTAIN'S REPORT - 5TH GRADE (TIM CREER CUP)

Now that the hangover has subsided I can sit down and reflect on our campaign for season 2009/10. It was certainly a strange season as we did our usual trick of staying in touch with the top four up until the Christmas break and then thought we'd lost our chance of finals cricket. We then followed it up with a fairytale run that ended on the last weekend in March with the ever elusive premierships trophy!

As is often the case when you win a Grand Final there are a number of people that need to be thanked.

Firstly I want to thank the Georges River club for hosting the grand final and to Jake and his boys for helping to make it a really enjoyable day. I think both teams set the competitive yet friendly tone between us early in the season and it was great to come up against you in the big one. I've certainly had a few good memories playing on your grounds and now I can add premierships win to the list! I also need to thank our executive team who often had to work in circumstances beyond their control to make sure we had a place to play each week. Without your work behind the scenes we wouldn't have been able to do what we did. Hopefully the powers that be make your lives easier going forward. Imagine what we would have done with the correct support?

Although only eleven people get to take the field in any one game, it would be wrong to suggest we only had eleven players on the day. Each and every person that played fives this season has played their part in our success and should look back on the season with fond memories.

I don't like singling out people because as I have said each person has played their part but there are some people that deserve a special mention. Firstly to Jono, you might give a captain heart failure by not turning up on time (or need the president to get you to the grand final on time!) but you were the rock of both run chases and a worthy Man of the match. To Ash, it killed me not to be able to pick you for the finals through injury but as a true clubman you kept turning up to each match to support the boys. To Chewy, we finally cracked the title together! To Paul Lamble (aka Tiger) thanks for listening to me ramble on about selections week after week. Your support and knowledge/sledging of the game was well received by all. Not to mention your weekend treks down the F3 just to see the season through. I'm glad we made it all worthwhile in the end.

To Reza, although I couldn't rope you into playing this season due to family reasons you were always quick with advice for myself and the rest of the boys. Your words of encouragement in the semi final may have stripped paint off the walls but they certainly hit the spot with the team. Also to Mrs Tabrett for keeping the team well fed and for taking some amazing photos that we can all remember the season fondly with. Also to all the players families without the support of you guys we couldn't go out and do what we do each week. This premierships is as much yours as it is ours.

Now on to the season:

As is always the case in a season where making the finals is such a close run thing you can look back on any number of games and say they were important, but here is a selection of games that helped define our year:

Rnd 3 Mac Uni Vs Lindfield Gold – Mac Uni won outright 174 and 8 dec 171 vs 125 and 151

Even though it was early in the season this was a must win game as we'd lost round one and had round two washed out. We won the toss and set about controlling the game with the bat. Quick fire forties by Bryan Thomas and Sandeep saw us in control but a middle order collapse leading up to tea saw us only post 174. Adrian and Greg Widders then caused mayhem taking 3 each and Sandeep and Andrew Mitchell taking 2 a piece saw us with first innings points on day one.

Day two saw us chase quick runs and we declared on a similar score to day one. Bryan completed a great double with 52 in the 2nd innings. Adrian and Greg were the chief destroyers again in the 2nd innings and we got the outright with a few overs to spare.

Rnd 11 Mac Uni 111 lost to North West 3 for 112

We lost the toss on a day when the ball was doing plenty and didn't handle the conditions. This was our 3rd loss to North West and one that could have proved fatal. In the end we did enough to make the finals despite our results against them.

Rnd 17 Mac lost to Lane Cove

The less said about the score on this one the better. Let's just say that this match was the turning point of our season. We knew we let ourselves down in a game where we had everything to play for. There was a lot better to come over the next few weeks.

Rnd 18 Mac Uni 5 for 220 bt Lindfield gold 4/81 off 25

A delayed start due to a juniors match and being asked to bat first didn't go well in terms of getting a result before the storms hit. We smashed 5 for 220 off our 45 thanks to forties from Dilan, Bryan and Mayank. Lindfield then started their reply over darkening skies. We resorted to spin to make sure we got through the overs before the storm hit and Lindfield finished 4 for 81 off 25 and a bonus point was achieved.

Rnd 19 Mac Uni bt Epping 140 to 104

Two rounds to go and three bonus points needed. This was going to be a big one. With masters not playing this week we introduced Steve Sidhu and Phantom to 5th grade in a move that would help get the points at the end of the day. We made 140 on a very slow outfield with 20 odd to the two Steve's and Dilan the main scores of note. To say Steve Sidhu fired up in the field would be an understatement taking 4 for 22 off 9 and the skipper taking 3 saw us another bonus point. This left it all to do against Georges River in the final round.

Rnd 20 Mac uni 9 for 159 bt Georges River 68

Two bonus points and North West to lose to Auburn is the equation we needed to make the finals. Close to an impossible task but with your season on the line there's no point wondering. We lost the toss and were asked to bat. Our odds blow out by the minute until we are finally restricted to 160 off 45. The equation now is to keep Georges River under 80 to stay alive. Awesome opening spells by Sandeep and Adrian kept things in check until drinks. Then enter the president! Clifty turns up not being able to walk after the Saturday game and completely ties up the River batsman taking 4 for including the last wicket to see us hold up our end of the bargain by 12 runs. River all out 68! 15 minutes later we find out we're in as North West are beaten by a similar margin.

Semi Final Mac Uni 2 for 125 bt Lane Cove 6 for 122

We returned to the scene of our season nearly blowing up before our eyes with nothing to lose and everything to play for. The message pre game was simple, no one expects us to win this one so let's go out and enjoy ourselves, play for each other and see what happens.

Tight opening spells by Adrian and Sandeep saw the Covies in a hole they never quite got out of. Despite the fact we didn't bowl them out, they only managed 6 for 122 off 45. Chewy smashes the first ball of our reply to the fence and the Covies opener then self destructs and bowls a 17 ball over! I thought the umpires were about to start flying as they had their arms

out for so long! The call of the day comes when a Covie spectator asks if it's tea yet after the first over! Chewy and Jono anchor the majority of the innings and we go through to the final 2 down.

Grand Final Mac Uni 7 for 122 bt Georges River 120

So on to the big one! We return to the scene of our last round escape act. It wouldn't be 5th grade without a few dramas! Jono somehow forgets what time we're playing and Clifty makes an emergency dash from work to get him to the ground (5 minutes before we walk out!) and Greg pulls up with a dodgy back. Finally we settle on the line up and we go into the big one unchanged. This one followed a similar path to the past few weeks with the ball dominating the bat with some great early spells from Sandeep, Adrian, Tabby and Greg. The skipper and Mayank then cashed in late in the innings to keep the River boys to 120.

As always happens in Grand Finals, the match still had a few twists to go. At 3 for 9 we were looking down the barrel. Dilan then joined Jono and steadied the ship. Paul Lamble was then dropped first ball. (Not quite a Steve Waugh moment but it was close!) Next time ask which way the ball is moving! A quick cameo from Sandeep saw us get close and Jono nearly carried his bat. (Not bad after nearly not turning up!) The skip and Tabby then saw us home in a very tight but enjoyable final!

So that's the tale of one of the most amazing seasons I've been involved with. To everyone who played, thank you for your commitment. It all paid off in the end and it's something we'll remember for a long time to come. To those moving on, it was great to play the season with you and for those coming back, next season we'll be the hunted!

On the club front, it was great to see 4 grand finals but let's push hard again next season for more success! Until next season!

Adrian

ROUND	5TH GRADE (TIM CREER CUP)- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	NWS Hurricanes 7/168	def	Macquarie University 8/165(cc) (B Thomas 51 PD Lamble 35)
2	Macquarie University	drew	Lane Cove
3	Macquarie University 174 (S Singh 43 B Thomas 40) and 8/171(dec) (B Thomas 52 A Johri 31*)	def	Lindfield Gold 125 (G Widders 3/19 A Widders 3/20) and 151 (A Widders 4/42)
4	Macquarie University 6/184(cc) (D Ratnarajah 64 A Lulka 32* A Johri 30)	Def by	Burwood Briars 2/187
5	Macquarie University 4/114 (M Rasotra 49)	def	South Sydney 145 (S Singh 3/12)
6	Macquarie University 8/131 (J Wijayaratne 52 D Ratnarajah 34)	def	Lindfield Blue 130 (V Peru 3/16 A Lulka 3/31)
7	Macquarie University 6/242(cc) (S Singh 69 PG Chew 48 A Johri 43*)	def	Epping 131 (V Peru 3/24)
8	Macquarie University 78	Def by	Auburn 5/79
9	Macquarie University 9/192 (H Munikrishna 45 PG Chew 33)	Def by	NWS Hurricanes 9/210(cc) (A Lulka 3/29)
10	Macquarie University 8/206(cc) (H Munikrishna 73 D Ratnarajah 34 PD Lamble 32)	def	Georges River 7/203(cc)
11	Macquarie University 9/111(cc) (PD Lamble 58*)	Def by	NWS Hurricanes 3/112
12	Lane Cove 118	def	Macquarie University 105 (B Thomas 37)
13	Burwood Briars 65 (M Shou 3/8 A Singh 3/20)	Def by	Macquarie University 5/66
14	Lindfield Blue 9/168(cc) (J Tabrett 3/30)	Def by	Macquarie University 2/171 (M Rasotra 58* B Thomas 48)
15	South Sydney 249 (C Lusk 3/40)	drew	Macquarie University 1/24
16	Auburn	drew	Macquarie University
17	Lane Cove 2/44	def	Macquarie University 43
18	Lindfield Gold 4/81	def by	Macquarie University 5/220(cc) (D Ratnarajah 47 M Rasotra 45 B Thomas 44 J Wijayaratne 36*)
19	Macquarie University 140	def	Epping 104 (S Sidhu 4/22 A Lulka 3/15)

20	Georges River 68 (P Clift 4/18)	Def by	Macquarie University 9/159(cc) (D Ratnarajah 32 S Singh 31)
SF	Lane Cove 6/122(cc)	Def by	Macquarie University 2/125 (PG Chew 43* J Wijayaratne 34)
GF	Georges River 120 (J Tabrett 3/25)	Def by	Macquarie University 7/122 (J Wijayaratne 33)

5TH GRADE – TIM CREER CUP STATISTICS 2008-09**BATTING AVERAGES**

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
S. Singh	14	15	2	93x	493	37.92	9
A. Lulka	16	17	0	66	297	17.47	2
R. Bilimoria	3	3	1	94x	167	83.50	1
P. Chew	8	9	0	34	140	15.56	1
A. Widders	6	5	1	36	111	27.75	3
M. Rasotra	6	6	0	35	104	17.33	5

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
N. Yussouf	15	16	1	12	91	6.07	5
A. Johri	3	3	1	33x	82	41.00	0/ 2 stp
A. Chapman	1	1	0	79	79	79.00	0
A. Singh	14	12	3	32	78	8.67	2
J. Best	5	6	0	37	73	12.17	2
D. Bijlsma	3	4	0	38	65	16.25	2
V. Kumar	1	1	0	57	57	57.00	0
J. Tabrett	2	2	0	33	57	28.50	1
N. Hassan	10	11	1	16	57	5.70	8/ 2 stp
M. Srinivasan	4	3	1	33	53	26.50	3
R. Balfas	2	2	0	50	52	26.00	0
O. Jacyna	15	14	1	14	52	4.00	5
J. Ingram	3	2	0	44	46	23.00	1
K. Jayarame	7	8	4	19x	46	11.50	0
J. Vaughan	2	2	1	27x	34	34.00	2
L. Polack	10	8	0	10	31	3.88	6
K. Milon	1	1	0	20	20	20.00	1
Aalok Galappatti	3	4	1	14x	18	6.00	1
T. Barnes	1	2	0	12	17	8.50	1
H. Munikrishna	1	1	0	16	16	16.00	0
K. Singh	10	9	1	8x	14	1.75	1
D. Ramanathan	1	2	1	12x	12	12.00	0
D. McVey	2	2	0	11	12	6.00	0
W. Gleeson	1	1	1	8x	8	-	0
J. Bilimoria	1	1	0	7	7	7.00	0
D. Pugh	2	2	0	3	5	2.50	2
C. Lusk	9	7	2	3	5	1.00	0
G. Joffe	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	0
S. Zaman	1	1	0	3	3	3.00	0
W. Travers	1	1	0	1	1	1.00	0
T. Kapoor	1	1	1	0x	0	-	0
J. Chan	1	0	0	-	-	-	1

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
A. Lulka	100.4	13	466	18	0	25.89	3/24
A. Singh	96	13	363	16	0	22.69	4/49
K. Singh	88	9	331	14	0	23.64	3/25
O. Jacyna	112.2	8	512	14	0	36.57	3/23
C. Lusk	54	4	221	11	1	20.09	5/45

ALSO BOWLED (Less than 10 Wickets)

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
J. Best	40	6	156	8	0	19.50	3/23
M. Rasotra	25.5	2	100	7	0	14.29	3/6
S. Singh	25	3	124	7	0	17.71	4/45
R. Bilimoria	20	4	40	6	0	6.67	3/13
J. Tabrett	18	3	69	6	0	11.50	3/27
A. Galappatti	5	0	13	5	1	2.60	5/13
N. Yussouf	27	7	101	5	0	20.20	2/12
M. Srinivasan	26	4	73	4	0	18.25	1/7
H. Munikrishna	6	0	9	3	0	3.00	3/9
J. Ingram	5	1	15	3	0	5.00	3/15
D. Pugh	8	1	29	3	0	9.67	3/23
K. Jayarame	7	1	35	3	0	11.67	2/10
A. Widders	40	7	134	3	0	44.67	1/21
N. Hassan	14	4	43	2	0	21.50	2/18
D. Ramanathan	12	1	64	2	0	32.00	1/31
J. Bilimoria	9	3	23	1	0	23.00	1/23
V. Kumar	5	0	28	1	0	28.00	1/28
W. Travers	7	1	36	1	0	36.00	1/36
S. Zaman	3	1	13	0	0		0/13
T. Barnes	1	0	13	0	0		0/13
G. Joffe	2	0	17	0	0		0/17
T. Kapoor	9	2	22	0	0		0/22
P. Chew	2	0	25	0	0		0/25
J. Chan	9	1	34	0	0		0/34

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	D. Ratnarajah	34.25
Batting Aggregate	B. Thomas	305
Highest Score	H. Munikrishna	73 vs Georges River
Bowling Average	C. Lusk	20.09
Bowling Aggregate	A. Widders	23
Most Wickets in an Innings	P. Clift	4/18 vs Georges River
	S. Sidhu	4/22 vs Epping
	A. Widders	4/42 vs Lindfield Gold
Wicket Keeping	J. Wijayaratne	13 catches/ 2 stumpings
Centuries	-	
Highest Team Score	6/242 vs Epping	
Lowest Team Score	43 vs Lane Cove	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	22
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	11
<i>Won Outright</i>	1
<i>Drawn</i>	3
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	7
<i>Lost Outright</i>	0
<i>Competition Points</i>	72
<i>Position in Competition</i>	1st

TEAM STATISTICS

Runs Scored
Wickets Lost
Average per Wicket

MACQUARIE

2943
147
20.02

OPPONENTS

2780
164
16.95

TIM CREER CUP PARTNERSHIPS 2008-09

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	63	P. Chew - J. Wijayaratne	Epping
2	107	M. Rasotra - B. Thomas	Lindfield Blue
3	77	H. Munikrishna - P. Lamble	Georges River
4	79	J. Wijayaratne - D. Ratnarajah	Lindfield Gold
5	50	J. Wijayaratne - P. Lamble	Georges River
6	22	J. Wijayaratne - V. Peru	Lindfield Blue
7	71	A. Johri - N. Yussouf	Epping
8	32	A. Johri - G. Widders	Lindfield Gold
9	38	G. Widders - A. Singh	NWS Hurricanes
10	29	P. Lamble – M. Shou	NWS Hurricanes

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – 6TH GRADE (N.S.C.A. – C Grade)

This was both an incredibly enjoyable and challenging year to captain our 6th Grade team. Assisted by club stalwart Tony Barnes, who also happened to make the NSCA representative side this season (congrats Tony), I was able to find my feet in my first year as a captain for our club.

Selections proved difficult this season with many last minute phone calls about player availabilities but we were able to field a competitive side each week and I would like to thank Adrain and Brown for their support during the year.

We made finals this season bowing out to the strong Cammeray team, and I look forward to going one better next year with the current group of guys we have.

I'd like to congratulate Barnesy for yet another stellar year with the bat, amassing over 420 runs and leading our aggregate yet again (he's not only good at Fantasy League comps), whilst Bryan Thomas led the averages with more than 300 runs at an average over 34. I look forward to watching Bryan progress through the grades.

Messrs Travers and Zaman certainly made the year entertaining and were both solid contributors with both bat and ball. Deepak didn't have the best numbers he's ever had but was always my partnership breaker when I needed one.

Thanks to all who contributed this year and I look forward to another enjoyable season with a great bunch of guys.

Asita Galappatti
SIXTH GRADE CAPTAIN

ROUND	6TH GRADE (NSCA C GRADE) 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Pigs CC 6/192 (A Galappatti Asita 3/41)	def	Macquarie University 6/188 (A Galappatti Asita 35 S Zaman 34 T Barnes 32 P Madhanagopal 32)
2	Macquarie University 3/244 (T Barnes 101* A Galappatti Asita 53 P Madhanagopal 46)	def	Northbridge Blue 202 (P Madhanagopal 6/50 A Galappatti Aalok 3/25) and 6/180 (P Madhanagopal 3/45)
3	North Shore 1/267	def	Macquarie University 9/266(dec) (T Barnes 67 M Rahman 51 R McIntyre 50)
4	Northbridge Red 178 (A Johri 4/40) and 6/181	def by	Macquarie University 299 (T Barnes 85 A Johri 39 A Galappatti Aalok 36 S Zaman 30)
5	Macquarie University 8/385(dec) (T Barnes 132 A Galappatti Asita 53 J Ford 44* D Ramanathan 35 H Galappaththi 33*)	def	North Sydney Leagues 92 (H Galappaththi 6/41) and 3/163
6	Macquarie University 2/154 (A Galappatti Asita 58* A Sood 40* P Madhanagopal 39)	def	Centrals 147 (M Shou 3/10 M Rahman 3/16)
7	Cammeray 8/203 (P Madhanagopal 4/34)	def	Macquarie University 199 (P Madhanagopal 69 T Barnes 46 S Mahony 42)
8	Northbridge Red 110 (D Ramanathan 6/25)	def by	Macquarie University 4/113 (P Madhanagopal 35)
9	Macquarie University 4/130 (A Galappatti Asita 64)	def	Northbridge Blue 127 (H Galappaththi 4/14)
10	North Shore 2/157	def	Macquarie University 155 (M Rahman 57)
11	Pigs CC 125 (S Mahony 5/20 H Galappaththi 3/17)	Def by	Macquarie University 6/178(cc) (P Madhanagopal 68*)
12	Cammeray 123 (A Galappatti Asita 6/23) and 8/228(dec) (D Ramanathan 4/61 P Madhanagopal 3/24)	def by	Macquarie University 132 P Madhanagopal 63 and 7/192 (M Rahman 48 A Galappatti Asita 36)
13	Macquarie University 6/232 (P Madhanagopal 73 T Barnes 56* A Galappatti Aalok 30)	def	Centrals 229 (P Madhanagopal 6/37)

14	Macquarie University 4/176 (P Madhanagopal 64* T Barnes 39 P Madhanagopal 30)	def	North Sydney Leagues 169 (M Shou 3/20)
SF	North Shore 179 (M Rahman 6/45)	Def by	Macquarie University 216 (P Madhanagopal 114 S Zaman 30)
GF	Pigs CC 421 (S Mahony 4/62 P Madhanagopal 3/99)	def	Macquarie University 158 (H Galappaththi 30*)

6TH GRADE N.S.C.A. C GRADE STATISTICS 2008-09

BATTING AVERAGES

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
T. Barnes	13	16	2	59	421	30.07	2
Asita Galappatti	13	15	2	57x	354	27.23	4
B. Thomas	8	10	1	69	314	34.89	2
S. Zaman	12	12	1	95	249	22.64	0
W. Travers	12	13	3	62x	247	24.70	14
N. Reza	10	11	0	44	192	17.45	8/ 1 stp
D. Ramanathan	13	13	3	37x	181	18.10	7
D. Bijlsma	7	10	1	38x	158	17.56	2
Aalok Galappatti	10	10	0	37	145	14.50	2

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
T. Ahmad	2	3	0	44	80	26.67	0
W. Tulip	1	2	0	36	42	21.00	0
R. Amerasinghe	4	3	0	25	40	13.33	1
H. Galappathlin	7	5	1	26	35	8.75	3
D. Latto	1	2	0	18	23	11.50	0
K. Jayarame	1	2	1	13	20	20.00	0
J. Roy	6	5	2	12	20	6.67	1
A. Philip	4	2	0	14	19	9.50	8
J. Ford	1	2	2	17x	19	-	1
A. Beiglari	1	1	0	11	11	11.00	2
M. Cross	1	1	1	10x	10	-	0
S. Rahman	1	1	0	7	7	7.00	0
N. Hassan	2	1	0	5	5	5.00	0
S. Gunatilake	3	3	1	4	5	2.50	1
P. O'Conner	1	1	0	2	2	2.00	1
S. Anindaya	6	3	3	2x	2	-	1
L. Polack	1	1	0	0	0	0.00	0/ 1stp
C. Lusk	1	0	0	-	-	-	0
S. Wolfe	1	0	0	-	-	-	0

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
Asita Galappatti	168.4	29	605	38	2	15.92	6/68
S. Zaman	86	17	229	17	0	13.47	3/11
D. Ramanathan	76.3	11	363	17	0	21.35	4/13
W. Travers	90.1	17	401	16	0	25.06	4/35
S. Anindaya	50.3	5	198	10	0	19.80	3/35

ALSO BOWLED (Less than 10 Wickets)

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
H. Galappathtlin	48.2	6	192	7	0	27.43	2/0
J. Roy	58	11	226	7	0	32.29	2/25
Aalok Galappatti	19	0	137	3	0	45.67	2/24
S. Rahman	7.3	0	22	2	0	11.00	2/22
D. Bijlsma	4.5	0	24	2	0	12.00	2/16
T. Ahmad	19	0	82	2	0	41.00	2/48
S. Gunatilake	2	0	16	1	0	16.00	1/16
K. Jayarame	3	0	31	1	0	31.00	1/31
N. Reza	1	0	7	0	0	-	0/7
B. Thomas	0.4	0	9	0	0	-	0/9
A. Philip	3	1	9	0	0	-	0/9
P. O'Conner	1	0	12	0	0	-	0/12
R. Amerasinghe	3	0	19	0	0	-	0/19
A. Beiglari	7	0	44	0	0	-	0/14
C. Lusk	9	1	45	0	0	-	0/10
T. Barnes	33	6	127	0	0	-	0/0

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	R. McIntyre	50.00
Batting Aggregate	T. Barnes	643
Highest Score	T. Barnes	132 vs North Sydney Leagues
Centuries	T. Barnes	132 vs North Sydney Leagues
	Pravin Madhanagopal	114 vs North Shore
	T. Barnes	101 vs Northbridge Blue
Bowling Average	J. Hore	7.00
Bowling Aggregate	Pradip Madhanagopal	34
Most Wickets in an Innings	A Galappatti	6/23 vs Cammeray
Most Wickets in a Match	Pradip Madhanagopal	9/95 vs Northbridge Blue
Wicket Keeping	J. Ford	7 catches/ 0 stumping
Highest Team Score	8 (dec)/385 vs North Sydney Leagues	
Lowest Team Score	132 vs Cammeray	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	16
<i>Won Outright</i>	-
<i>Won 1st Innings</i>	11
<i>Drawn</i>	-
<i>Lost 1st Innings</i>	5
<i>Lost Outright</i>	-
<i>Competition Points</i>	72
<i>Position in Competition</i>	2 nd

TEAM STATISTICS

Runs Scored
Wickets Lost
Average per Wicket

MACQUARIE

3417
119
28.17

OPPONENTS

3878
163
23.79

HIGHEST N.S.C.A. C GRADE PARTNERSHIPS 2009-10

WICKET	P'SHIP	BATTERS	OPPONENT
1	89	T. Barnes - Pradip Madhanagopal	Centrals
2	91	T. Barnes- M. Rahman	North Shore
3	93	T. Barnes - A. Galappatti	Northbridge Blue
4	87	A. Galappatti - Alok Galappatti	Northbridge Blue
5	52	T. Barnes - D. Ramanathan	NS Leagues
6	58	Aalok Galappatti – S. Zaman	NS Leagues
7	42	R. McIntyre - W. Travers	North Shore
8	87	Pravin Madhanagopal - S. Mahony	Cammeray
9	80	J. Ford - H. Galappatti	NS Leagues
10	55	W. Travers - H. Galappatti	Pigs CC

CAPTAIN'S REPORT – SYDNEY MASTERS

This was yet another unforgettable year for MUCC Masters with another season producing yet another premiership. To have achieved the three-peat of three consecutive undefeated seasons and to have won 31 games in succession stretching back to February 2006 are both wonderful achievements.

This year we basically fielded the same team to that which won the premiership last year. Despite everyone being another year older (and undoubtedly wiser), everyone contributed to our success during the season underlining the depth that we are fortunate to be able to draw upon.

In the batting department, Stephen Rose was again the standout performer scoring 255 runs and coming within a whisker of again being the leading run scorer in Masters. Solid batting contributions came from Clyne Fernandes, John Sutton, Neil Howlett and Graham Lego.

In the bowling department, Warrick Folkard was the star snaring 23 wickets at a schoolboy average of just over 8. Wick also had the honour to receive the trophy as the leading wicket taker in the Masters competition, continuing our domination of this trophy with Danny McVey and Greg Brown having won it previously.

In a sense I guess every season comes down to one game – this year it was, without a doubt the Doyalson game. Defending a modest 167, we were in all sorts of trouble with Doyalson 1/80 at the half-way mark. With Danny having done his back earlier that day, he should have been resting on the sidelines but insisted on just fielding even though he was unable to bend. With Danny gone and being a bowler or two short, we were literally in all sorts, but at the drinks break, Danny suggested he could try an over. Anyway, to cut a long story short, Danny got through that first over and then continued to bowl, and bowl and bowl, picking up wickets regularly. Ably assisted by Wick and Derm at the other end, Danny got us back in the game and with Doyalson needing eight to win off the last over, Danny kept the pressure on and picked up the last wicket as we snatched victory from the jaws of defeat. In so doing, Danny finished with his best-ever Masters figures of 6/39 before finally succumbing to his back injury which required a month of treatment before we saw him again.

Thanks to the MUCC Committee for their assistance throughout the year. Thanks also to our wives and partners for their forbearance throughout the year and for putting up with our Monday morning complaints. A huge thank you to Helen Rose who ably supported the team throughout the year and was tireless in organizing our home games and taking many memorable photos of the action during the year.

As for our winning streak, it will, like all good things, come to an end. But, in the meantime, to win three consecutive unbeaten premierships and four titles in five years has sure been a lot of fun and, despite what happens in the future, we will always have a reason to celebrate!

Steve O'Reilly
MASTERS CAPTAIN

ROUND	SYDNEY MASTERS- 2009/10 SEASON RESULTS		
1	Epping 8/129	Def by	Macquarie University 9/144(cc) (D McVey 43*)
2	Macquarie University 2/183 (J Sutton 42* R Egerton 41* S O'Reilly 40*)	def	Lindfield Legends 9/182(cc)
3	SriLanka Lions 137 (R Egerton 4/14 W Folkard 3/14)	def by	Macquarie University 2/140 (B Hort 42* R Pepper 30)
4	Macquarie University 3/121 (R Pepper 39)	Def	Burwood 118 (W Folkard 3/18)
5	Berowra 103 (S Sidhu 4/7 D McVey 3/13)	Def by	Macquarie University 4/105 (P Henriksen 40*)
6	Macquarie University 5/239(cc) (G Lego 42* S Rose 41* S O'Reilly 40* S Sidhu 40*)	def	Parramatta Golden Oldies 9/161
7	Lane Cove White 4/176	def	Macquarie University 172 (J Sutton 43* P O'Reilly 37)
8	Macquarie University 4/57	def	Mosman 52 (G Brown 3/15)
9	Collaroy Plateau 8/162 (R Egerton 5/44)	def	Macquarie University 9/160(cc) (S Rose 50* R Egerton 36)
10	Macquarie University 6/152(cc)	def	Cricketers Club of NSW 89 (D McVey 3/15)
11	Macquarie University 8/137(cc) (S Rose 41*)	def	Doyalson 103 (G Brown 4/16 R Egerton 4/23)

SYDNEY MASTERS STATISTICS 2008-09

BATTING AVERAGES

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
S. Rose	8	8	3	57x	255	51.00	2
S. O'Reilly	9	9	5	50x	228	57.00	2
J. Sutton	7	7	2	40x	195	39.00	6
C. Fernandes	8	8	1	42	149	21.29	8/ 6 stp
G. Lego	8	8	3	43x	129	25.80	1
N. Howlett	5	5	3	42x	122	61.00	0

ALSO BATTED (Less than 100 Runs)

Batsman	Mat.	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Average	Catches
G. Brown	5	3	1	30x	65	32.50	4
K. Dixon	7	4	1	30x	64	21.33	1
B. Hort	5	5	1	40x	57	14.25	1
R. Pepper	4	4	0	16	43	10.75	1
W. Folkard	9	6	2	21x	42	10.50	4
D. Deller	5	4	1	12	40	13.33	1
S. Burchett	6	5	2	14x	36	12.00	0
P. O'Reilly	1	1	0	23	23	23.00	0
A. Mahoney	2	2	0	8	13	6.50	3
D. McVey	4	4	2	10x	12	6.00	0
M. Payne	3	2	0	6	8	4.00	2
R. Egerton	1	1	0	4	4	4.00	0
J. Best	2	0	0	-	-	-	0

BOWLING AVERAGES

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
W. Folkard	69.3	15	188	23	1	8.17	5/21

ALSO BOWLED (Less than 10 Wickets)

Bowler	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	5 in Inn.	Average	Best Bowling
D. McVey	20.4	3	66	9	1	7.33	6/39
D. Deller	30	10	77	9	1	8.56	5/14
K. Dixon	54	7	169	6	0	28.17	2/35
G. Brown	37	8	111	5	0	22.20	2/24
J. Sutton	44	8	145	5	0	29.00	1/7
J. Best	11	1	32	4	0	8.00	2/10
M. Payne	16	0	76	4	0	19.00	2/20
S. O'Reilly	7	0	37	3	0	12.33	2/6
B. Hort	6	1	13	2	0	6.50	2/3
N. Howlett	5	0	29	1	0	29.00	1/18
R. Egerton	2	1	5	0	0	-	0/5

BEST PERFORMANCES

Batting Average	S. Sidhu	95.00
Batting Aggregate	S. Rose	200
Highest Score	S. Rose	50* vs Collaroy Plateau
Bowling Average	P. O'Reilly	3.00
Bowling Aggregate	R. Egerton	20
Most Wickets in an Innings	R. Egerton	5/44 vs Collaroy Plateau
Wicket Keeping	C. Fernandes	3 catches/ 2 stumpings
Highest Team Score	5/239 vs Parramatta Golden Oldies	
Lowest Team Score	8/137(cc) vs Doyalson	

RESULTS

<i>Played</i>	11
<i>Won</i>	9
<i>Drawn</i>	-
<i>Tied</i>	-
<i>Lost</i>	2
<i>Competition Points</i>	370.50
<i>Position in Competition</i>	3 rd

* Includes match won on forfeit vs Kenthurst

TEAM STATISTICS

	MACQUARIE	OPPONENTS
<i>Runs Scored</i>	1610	1412
<i>Wickets Lost</i>	62	98
<i>Average per Wicket</i>	25.97	14.41

MASTERS PARTNERSHIPS

As Masters batsmen are required to retire (not out) at 40 runs, our statistical tool is unable to meaningfully reflect the partnerships for each wicket in this competition.

CURRENT PLAYER STATISTICS - 40 GAMES MINIMUM

		MATCHES	RUNS	AVE.	WICKETS	AVE.	CATCHES	STP.
T.	Barnes	238	4052	18.25	187	18.34	91	-
D.	Bijlsma	48	848	17.31	3	21.67	7	-
G.	Brown	311	5255	27.95	756	15.88	137	-
D.	Budge	176	1396	14.85	236	19.70	37	-
S.	Burchett	300	6225	21.54	4	48.50	131	2
R.	Cann	120	1705	13.98	69	25.33	56	1
P.	Chew	157	3501	22.16	4	46.75	45	-
P.	Clift	132	1164	12.79	244	21.30	49	-
D.	Couper	75	276	8.90	103	22.54	14	-
D.	Deller	110	1358	23.82	179	18.61	34	-
K.	Dixon	231	2898	21.79	357	17.53	50	-
C.	Edwards	280	4762	23.00	276	24.45	118	-
S.	Fairlie	58	294	10.50	76	18.18	16	-
M.	Fairlie	105	637	11.80	130	21.43	32	-
C.	Fernandes	195	3494	22.99	2	23.00	266	38
W.	Folkard	393	4348	18.19	484	19.86	135	-
J.	Ford	147	814	8.95	155	23.32	57	-
Asita	Galappatti	41	699	19.97	93	16.11	13	-
D.	Gracie	100	2696	30.64	78	20.03	29	-
K.	Griffiths-Jones	41	1482	41.17	0	-	70	6
A.	Hale	80	1153	18.30	147	19.04	37	-
B.	Hort	161	3669	26.58	31	21.87	65	-
N.	Howlett	92	2061	29.44	22	21.18	37	-
M.	Kelly	71	1176	18.38	149	15.21	16	-
D.	Latto	200	3334	17.01	85	27.36	63	-
G.	Lego	289	7074	28.64	2	35.50	131	-
A.	Lulka	144	1798	15.11	188	22.26	30	-
A.	Mahoney	347	7562	21.48	6	17.00	182	5
G.	McFadden	148	2359	20.16	2	18.00	220	27
P.	McInnes	105	1727	19.63	180	19.39	35	-
R.	McIntyre	88	1625	19.82	67	30.10	34	-
D.	McVey	114	1126	14.44	169	14.21	28	-
K.	Milon	48	1380	28.16	0	-	17	-
W.	Montford	100	627	11.83	215	18.14	37	-
T.	Morrow	45	261	9.00	37	35.32	15	-
S.	O'Reilly	281	7929	36.88	52	30.75	133	-
M.	Payne	145	1762	14.32	189	20.82	67	-
S.	Rose	126	3207	24.86	0	-	52	-
S.	Ross	60	1098	17.16	34	29.32	39	-
B.	Rounds	133	2915	19.83	191	21.15	64	-
P.	Saliba	154	3729	24.37	12	27.33	63	-
C.	Savage	103	2032	20.12	4	61.75	45	-
A.	Singh	107	416	8.66	189	19.66	19	-
D.	Smith	161	1829	17.76	209	17.53	37	-
J.	Sutton	91	1900	22.09	99	17.57	48	-
J.	Tabrett	89	670	13.67	158	18.53	30	-
B.	Taylor	48	576	16.00	59	26.56	17	-
A.	Tosolini	70	952	15.61	64	19.27	49	1
W.	Travers	184	2520	17.38	275	23.29	96	-
R.	Walker	46	985	21.89	0	-	12	3
D.	Webb	223	4120	24.81	491	15.71	86	-

MUCC CRICKET CLUB **HISTORICAL STATISTICS**

The Cricket Club is currently undertaking a major project to place the entire clubs historical statistics into the ResultsVault on-line database. As this project is on-going, it was decided by the Committee not to include historical statistics in this Annual Report (other than those for current players (40 game minimum) listed above).

Manually updating the historical statistics is a time consuming effort, and this Project will make the job of compiling future Annual Reports a much simpler process, as well as ensuring that individual and club records and performances are documented with 100% accuracy.
