



# CRICKETERS' CLUB of NEW SOUTH WALES



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## **CRICKETERS' CLUB OF NEW SOUTH WALES INC.** **ANNUAL CRICKET REPORT AND SEASON'S RESULTS 2005-2006**

	<b><u>Played</u></b>	<b><u>Won</u></b>	<b><u>Lost</u></b>	<b><u>Tied</u></b>	<b><u>Drawn</u></b>	<b><u>Cancelled</u></b>
<b>C&amp;S</b>	<b>19 (14)</b>	<b>14 (13*)</b>	<b>5 (1)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>0 (1)</b>	<b>3 (4)</b>
<b>Masters</b>	<b>11 (11)</b>	<b>5 (5)</b>	<b>6 (4)</b>	<b>0 (1)</b>	<b>0 (1)</b>	<b>0 (1)</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>17 (14)</b>	<b>13 (8)</b>	<b>4 (6)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>5 (4)</b>
<b><u>Samoa Tour</u></b>	<b><u>8 (2)</u></b>	<b><u>7 (1)</u></b>	<b><u>1(1)</u></b>	<b><u>=</u></b>	<b><u>-</u></b>	<b><u>0 (0)</u></b>
<b><u>TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>55 (41)</u></b>	<b><u>39 (27)</u></b>	<b><u>16 (11)</u></b>	<b><u>0 (1)</u></b>	<b><u>0 (2)</u></b>	<b><u>8 (9)</u></b>

*N b Figures in brackets relate to previous 2004-2005 season for comparison purposes.*

*\* one match won by forfeit*

### **OVERVIEW**

*112 players played for the Club this season, compared with 88 last season. 54 games were played compared with 41 last season. 20 players played ten or more games. The number of games cancelled, primarily because of the weather, was 8 compared with 9 last season. A one week tour to Samoa at Easter was both successful and enjoyable as was a brief tripartite at Caloundra in June v the Q.C.C. and the XXIXers from Melbourne. Future prospective tours to New Zealand in January 2007 and South Africa in September-October 2007 are being planned.*

*The Club's activities beyond the playing field declined substantially. In respect of the golf section, only one date was organised last year- in August for the Stuart Mathlin Memorial Trophy. No cricket lunches or dinners, nor speakers were organised. The Christmas harbour cruise and the bowls afternoon, which had been so successful the previous year, were not repeated.*

### **City and Suburban**

#### **Played 19 Won 14 Lost 5 Cancelled 3**

*We had a total of 22 players turn out for us this season compared to 26 last season. This was made up of a core of 13 players who played 5 or more games.*

Well, that was the season that was!

We had enjoyed a good run up until our match vs Old Sydneians (which I had expected us to have won incidentally, but that was another story) and then we suffered FOUR defeats in a row to see out the "olde year". But then in January we came against a very weak

Sydney Uni Vets side to thrash them for 42 runs, and our good fortune continued with the events in Canberra over the January weekend.

But then we saw our old foes I Zingari beat us, (and convincingly too!) probably making up for their losses to us last season, and we fell away with a poor display of batting to go down by 44 runs. Our luck then changed and we won the last seven matches, and our efforts against Wyvern and Paddington are very worth reporting once more. Our final match was against Old Aloysians and here we saw a radical departure in match format. The weather had been miserable and wet and the pitch waterlogged, so our groundsman cut a new strip. It was green and soft and both captains waited till 2pm to start. By mutual consent, we then decided to play a Twenty20 match with restrictions on the numbers of overs; bowlers were not allowed to run up more than 5 metres. It was quite a departure from the norm and a good match ensued with us winning comfortably.

We saw the explosive batting of Ian Allmey, his 114 against Nondescripts was one of the best displays of power hitting seen for many a year, getting his runs in just over 1 hour off 53 balls. He also blazed away against Knox with 87 off 49 balls, 83 against Wyvern off 43 balls, and 75 against Scots off just 40 balls, and he finished with 537 runs before flitting off to England with two rounds to go!!

Another one to praise was Craig Kitson. Now “Kitso” had only an average season last year, and following the demise of his old bat, I gave him one from my treasure chest that had to have been 7 years old, a Kookaburra with Dean Jones signature, and this seems to have inspired him to get among the runs for the rest of the year. So much so that he scored two centuries (both not out) and amassed 563 runs at an average of 56.30. In addition he gave the M.C.C. XXIXers a lesson in scoring 81 at the Village Green in our annual match so that meant he had piled up 644 runs @ 58.545 in 2005/6. Steve Taylor gathered 315 runs @22.5 and a surprise was Corey “Wookie” Haigh who picked up 288 @22.154. His opening bats innings of 70 v Paddington was delightful, but he blotted his copybook next match against Old Aloysians with a double duck in that 20/20 match. There were four partnerships of 100 runs or more, 8 innings of 50 runs or more and 14 partnerships of 50 runs or more.

In the bowling department, well Ed Smith was superb, taking 38 wickets @9.816. Next to him was Greg Brooks with 27 @17.185 and Bruce Grigg 26 @ 19.885 (including his 21 wides). Ben Wood got 18 wickets @ 23.6 but at the expense of sending down 28 no-balls.

Paul Brandon had a good season behind the pegs with 14 catches and a couple of stumpings but had problems with Dennis Cameron with those leg side balls.

We were fortunate to get a very experienced groundsman at Camperdown in John Lee, who produced some near 1<sup>st</sup> Grade wickets for us, well grassed and hard, something you don't see elsewhere. The final wicket was the best he had produced and those 248 runs scored by us against Paddington proved it was a batsman's delight. Our liason with Chris Pont of Marrickville Council was invaluable and we thank him for his support.

### **John Russell**

*Editor's Note: The Captain of the C&S side Steve Taylor was invited to supply a report but did not do so.*

## Masters

### Played 11 Won 5 Lost 6

*24 people played for the Masters in eleven games this season compared with 25 in eleven games last season and a core of 13 players played 5 or more games, compared with 8 such players last season. We came ninth out of 18 teams, compared with tenth last year.*

With CCNSW winning both the batting (Mick McCormick) and bowling (Jay Patel) awards for The Best Batsman and Bowler in the competition, and Mick McCormick coming joint second in points awarded by the opposition teams for the Stirling Hamman award for best player of the season, a voice was heard to pipe up at the presentation of the awards at the Annual Competition Dinner – *“How come with the best batsman and best bowler in the Competition, Cricketers’ Club finished only ninth?”*

A good question. While statistics might lie, in this case they pointed to a clear answer. Four C.C.N.S.W. players, one batsman (Simon Nelson), two all rounders (Mick McCormick and Angus Martin) and one bowler (Jay Patel), dominated. They were not consistently well supported by the rest of the team. Simon Nelson batted 11 times for 205 runs @ 23; Mick McCormick and Angus Martin batted 10 times for 340 runs @ 57 and 165 runs @ 24 respectively. No one else managed either ten innings or 100 runs in the season. Of the bowlers, Mick McCormick bowled 66 overs for 11 wickets; Angus Martin 61 overs for 8 wickets. Jay Patel a remarkable 87 overs for 21 wickets @ 11 each. No other bowler managed even 50 overs and no other bowler took ten or more wickets.

Of the remaining 20 players who played in the Masters last season, many had one isolated good innings but usually only one in the season; thus useful 40s were scored at some time in the season by John Bateup, Keith Elloy, Dean Galvin, Craig Somers and Phil Schaeffer, and a 35 by Brian Breakspear. Frank Crowe batted with application but never managed to capitalise on his steady starts. We did not get many good quick runs out of the middle and lower order.

Of the bowlers, Phil Schaeffer was arguably the fastest and most penetrative but only managed 5 games. His display of fast late out swing bowling at Warringhah won us the game and will long be remembered. He was also one of the few who caught and fielded well. Dayle Richards also bowled very promisingly in his first game for CCNSW to get 5 wickets but only managed a total of 8 in the season. Veteran bowlers Brian Breakspear and Adrian Hawkes each only just bowled more than 20 overs in the season and while accurate, were unpenetrative and took few wickets. John Bateup and Ian Macdonald bowled some steady medium pace when required. Garry Winney and Dennis Cameron did not play even one game this season, and the variety afforded by their slow bowling was missed.

Wicket keeping was a problem. Last season’s regular keeper Greg Currie only played one game (the last) and keeping duties were shared between Dean Galvin, John Bateup and Sandy Grant, none of whom were natural keepers although all tried manfully. Fielding was generally enthusiastic but age, an inability to bend and failing eyesight is catching up on many and we had few natural athletic fielders or good catchers which could have swayed a couple of games. Even by over 40s standards we were not one of the better fielding sides in the Competition.

This is not to say the cricket was unenjoyable or people did not want to play. Indeed at one time early in the season, Simon Nelson's problem was more whom to leave out than how to get 11 players on the field. When emergencies arose, Brian Fallon in particular was always willing to help even at very short notice, on one occasion even leaving his wife to finish cooking the lunch he was preparing, as he rushed to the cricket ground when rung at 2pm! Most games whether won or lost were tightly fought with the result capable of going either way. CCNSW was usually at least competitive, even when the game was ultimately lost. Our most exciting game was probably a 1 wicket loss v Mosman off the last ball of the 40<sup>th</sup> over; our most satisfying the win (for the first time at Weldon) v Warringah – ironically one of the few games we struggled to raise 11 players; our most disappointing our loss v Manly on a poor wicket when our batting let us down.

Simon Nelson captained with good humour and always tried to ensure that everyone selected got a game, not just the best batsmen and bowlers. He had taken over the captaincy slightly reluctantly following the death of John McDonald. Next season Mick McCormick will be taking over the captaincy. If the balance of the players help him, Angus and Jay and each contribute even slightly more than this season, we could and should be challenging for a first three finish. The basic rules of Masters cricket (I. e. retire at 40\* and use 6 bowlers by the 30<sup>th</sup> over) require a contribution from the whole side to succeed however talented an individual may be.

### **Adrian Hawkes**

*Editor's Note: The Captain of the Masters side Simon Nelson was invited to supply a report but did not do so.*

### **Other games (including Samoa Tour)** **Played 25 Won 20 Lost 5 Cancelled 5**

*95 people played for the Club in 25 social and tour games this season compared with 71 last season in 16 games. Excluding the Samoan tour, only a core of 4 played 5 social games or more, compared with 6 such players last year.*

The number of social games played is significant and apart from the sheer enjoyment of the games, played a significant role in introducing a wide range of players to CCNSW cricket. Over half the Masters players and two thirds of the C&S players played at least one social game during the season but this still only accounted for 33 of the 95 players we used in social and touring games. We introduced more players to the Club who play their regular cricket for teams such as Warringah, Dapto and North Richmond.

In terms of results, the season was very successful winning 20 of the 25 games played and only losing five. But results are not the only and perhaps not the most important measure of the games. To have the opportunity to play with and against former Test players as eg in the Manly and XXIX games is a privilege, as is the opportunity to play occasionally on major grounds- this year at the Village Green, and also invited to play at Alan Border Field, Brisbane, and perhaps next year-who knows- at the MCG. We also played at picturesque grounds such as Victoria Barracks, Reg Bartley Oval and Canberra Grammar.

Perhaps the only slightly disappointing feature of the season was the fact that while many of our regular Saturday and Sunday players managed to play the occasional social game they did not play more frequently, although pressure of work, and family and other commitments - not to say just old age! - may have understandably prevented them from playing as often as they would have liked.

On the touring front we reciprocated hospitality to the Cairns Lords Taverners whom we had played in Cairns in 2004. We also played the English XL Club who had entertained us so well on our Ashes tour last year. We also had the distinct privilege of playing a national side from Tonga and being- so I understand - the only team to lose to them! Perhaps we had too many veterans in our side, being unable to persuade our younger players to take an afternoon off work. This game was efficiently organised by Steve Taylor as Club Captain as also, with the help of Dennis Cameron, was an excellent game at the Village Green v the XXIXers. Former Test player, Phil Emery guested for us at Steve's invitation.

Ed Smith managed 3 superb games against the Army at Victoria Barracks and against Molonglo and Canberra Grammar Old Boys in Canberra. In all 3 games he managed to put 11 players on the field, despite very few of our regular players being able to play, especially in Canberra. Nevertheless Ed conjured up players from his many contacts and this culminated in a 1 run victory on the Sunday in Canberra v strong opposition. Next year Ed hopes the word will spread as to the enjoyment of the Canberra weekend. Bryan Henshaw again laid on a superb bbq at his home on the Saturday night.

Ross Hawksworth also managed immaculately the two games v the Bradman Foundation at Albion Park and the Kookaburras at Goulburn and also introduced some talented Dapto players to the sides who hopefully will play more games for the Club next season. He managed two high scoring relatively close wins. Nick Youngman managed a win v Lindfield and also introduced a number of new players also apparently keen to play more next season

At the veterans' level Mick McCormick raised and captained a team v the English touring Selsdon side to a relatively easy win and raised a similar aged side v The Queensland Wanderers from Brisbane where we were well beaten by a younger opposition. Ian Neil despite a heavy work load successfully raised a side v the English XL Club and also an enjoyable bbq for about 60 persons afterwards before retiring to Chambers to continue working overnight - an object lesson to anyone who cites work pressures as an excuse not to play!

Steve Cross raised a veterans' side v the Lords Taverners which game fluctuated excitingly but was finally lost. He probably will not ask the Taverners to assist in the catering again as they provided no food, no beer and them when we made efforts ourselves to get beer, went immediately after the game!

Greg Brooks had the extremely frustrating experience of raising three sides (with some difficulty) yet playing in none. The two v the Manly Waratahs and I Zingari (Australia) were cancelled (rain and fixture date confusion respectively) and while Greg again raised a side for the very enjoyable Mudgee game, he himself was unable to come.

If there were any common theme from all the games it was a slight feeling of panic about 3-4 weeks before with only a few players applying to play, followed by smooth organisation and hard work by the match managers with the support of other Club contacts which never left us playing a man short. Occasionally games seemed to organise themselves as eg with Frank Crowe's game at Dooralong v the Primary Club which a regular group of players have played over many years. This may have been the last time we will play at Dooralong as the property has now been sold. The intentions of the new owners are not yet known. Only in the last rearranged game v I Zingari (Australia) did the late drop outs become ridiculous and caused considerable extra work for Simon Lyon as

match manager but even in this game we managed to get 11 on the field although the result was a comfortable win to IZs.

The most frustrating occasion in the season was the cancellation of the Queensland game the day before by the groundsman at Alan Border Field Brisbane because of a week's heavy rain so much apparently that even the artificial wicket was unplayable – too late to prevent most travelling up to Brisbane and the day itself a perfect sunny day as it transpired. The QCC entertained us most hospitably at the Gabba and were probably just as frustrated as us by the groundsman's decision.

### *Samoa*

The largest touring party ever assembled by CCNSW, some 92 persons, went to Samoa at Easter. Some of the games were close- one win by one run, another by 4 runs, and we could not afford to take it easy. The local hospitality was excellent and the efforts of S.E.C.A. much appreciated.

### *Conclusions*

In so far as the social games have a reason beyond mere enjoyment (and who needs a better reason) they are designed to bring the Club together - to get some regular C&S and some regular Masters players playing in the same side together to get to know each other better and also bring in some talented and sociable players from other clubs. They also hopefully spread the name and reputation of the Cricketers' Club and enable us to play on the types of grounds and against opponents we are currently privileged to play. Indeed without these players from outside the regular C&S and Masters ranks, both the social games and the overseas tours which have proven so successful and enjoyable, would wither and die.

We are heavily reliant on our Match managers and captains to secure an immaculate standard of dress and behaviour both on and off the field. If we achieve this and play the game in good spirit oppositions will continue to invite us back. In a very real sense the future of the Club is in the hands of the Match managers (along, of course with our C&S and Masters' captains.) So long as they ensure the above, people will want to play for the Club and the Club will flourish.

**Adrian Hawkes**

**CCNSW RESULTS OF FIXTURES 2005-2006 SEASON**

**City and Suburban**

**Played: 19 Won 14 Lost 5 Cancelled 3**

<b>No</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opposition</b>		<b><u>Team batting first</u></b>	<b><u>Team batting second</u></b>
1	8 Oct	Yaralla	W	CCNSW 8-182	Yaralla 6-123
2	15 Oct	Nondescripts	W	CCNSW 6-231	Nondescripts 7-168
3	22 Oct	Old Cranbrookians	C	Rain	-
4	29 Oct	Scots Old Boys	W	CCNSW 7-213	Scots Old Boys 10-193
5	5 Nov	Rangers K.O. Round 1	W	CCNSW 9-162	Rangers 9-155
6	12 Nov	Old Sydneians	L	CCNSW 9-165	Old Sydneians 6-169
7	19 Nov	Beavers	L	Beavers 10-175	CCNSW 10-154
8	26 Nov	Colleagues	C	Rain	-
9	3 Dec	Colleagues Jack Pace K. O. Round 2	L	Colleagues 9-149	CCNSW 10-133
10	10 Dec	Old Cranbrookians	L	CCNSW 8-113	Old Cranbrookians 5-116
11	17 Dec	AMP	C	Rain	-
12	7 Jan	Sydney Uni Veterans	W	CCNSW 7-191	Sydney Uni Vets 10-42
13	14 Jan	Barker Old Boys	W	CCNSW 7-208	Barker Old Boys 10-98
14	21 Jan	Knox Old Boys	W	Knox Old Boys 10-193	CCNSW 4-194
15	4 Feb	I.Zingari. (Australia)	L	I Zingari (Aust) 6-172	CCNSW 10-128
16	11 Feb	Yaralla	W	CCNSW 7-188	Yaralla 10-99
17	18 Feb	St George Veterans	W	CCNSW 9-183	St George Veterans 9-134
18	25 Feb	Old Cranbrookians	W	Old Cranbrookians 10-137	CCNSW 7-140
19	4 Mar	Wyvern	W	Wyvern 9-179	CCNSW 2-181
20	11 Mar	Hunters Hill	W	CCNSW 8-185	Hunters Hill 10-97
21	18 Mar	Paddington	W	CCNSW 2-248	Paddington 8-125
22	25 Mar	Old Aloysians	W	CCNSW 12-202 (20 overs)	Old Aloysians 10-147 (20 overs)

**Masters**

**Played 11 Won 5 Lost 6**

<b>No</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opposition</b>		<b><u>Team batting first</u></b>	<b><u>Team batting second</u></b>
1	9 Oct	Lawyers	W	Lawyers 9-153	CCNSW 4-159
2	23 Oct	Castle Hill	L	CCNSW 10-138	Castle Hill 7-139
3	6 Nov	Lane Cove Blue	W	Lane Cove Blue 6-161	CCNSW 6-165
4	20 Nov	Legends	W	CCNSW 4-155	Legends 8-147
5	4 Dec	Mosman	L	CCNSW 10-152	Mosman 9-153
6	18 Dec	Warringah	W	Warringah 10-113	CCNSW 5-116

<b>7</b>	22 Jan	Hornsby	L	Hornsby 10-221	CCNSW 5-206
<b>8</b>	5 Feb	I Zingari (Aus.)	W	I Zingari (Aus.) 7-126	CCNSW 6-127
<b>9</b>	19 Feb	Manly	L	Manly 9-158	CCNSW 10-113
<b>10</b>	5 Mar	Kenthurst	L	CCNSW 10-156	Kenthurst 4-157
<b>11</b>	19 Mar	Doyalson	L	CCNSW 10-118	Doyalson 6-120

### Social Games

**Played 17 Won 13 Lost 4 Cancelled 5**

<b>No</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opposition</b>		<b>Team batting first</b>	<b>Team batting second</b>
<b>1</b>	13 Oct	Cairns Taverners	W	CCNSW 6-145	Cairns Taverners 11-112
<b>2</b>	30 Oct	Manly Waratahs	C	Rain	-
<b>3</b>	13 Nov	Army	W	CCNSW 10-243	Army 10-218
<b>4</b>	18 Nov	Qld. Wanderers	L	CCNSW 10-162	Wanderers 4-163
<b>5</b>	27 Nov	Old Oxleyans	C	Rain	-
<b>6</b>	11 Dec	Primary Club	W	Primary Club 10-161	CCNSW 8-162
<b>7</b>	16 Jan	Lindfield	W	Lindfield 10-67	CCNSW 3-70
<b>8</b>	26 Jan	Croydon	W	CCNSW 9-188	Croydon 10-130
<b>9</b>	28 Jan	Molonglo	W	CCNSW 4-292	Molonglo 10-238
<b>10</b>	29 Jan	Canberra Grammar O.B.	W	CCNSW 10-216	C. G. O. B. s 10-215
<b>11</b>	12 Feb	Bradman XI	W	CCNSW 7-241	Bradman Foundation XI 10-215
<b>12</b>	13 Feb	XXIX Club	W	XXIX Club 9-178	CCNSW 5-182
<b>13</b>	15 Feb	Selsdon	W	CCNSW 9-187	Selsdon 10-145
<b>14</b>	22 Feb	Tonga	L	Tonga 9-198	CCNSW 10-149
<b>15</b>	26 Feb	XL Club	W	XL Club 10-132	CCNSW 2-133
<b>16</b>	6 Mar	QCC	C	Rain	-
<b>17</b>	12 Mar	Lords Taverners	L	CCNSW 10-125	Lords Taverners 8-126
<b>18</b>	26 Mar	Brokenwood	C	Brokenwood no team	-
<b>19</b>	1 Apr	Craigmoor	W	CCNSW 4-149	Craigmoor 10-106
<b>20</b>	9 Apr	Kookaburras	W	CCNSW 7- 240	Kookaburras 7-231
<b>21</b>	30 Apr	I.Z. (Australia)	C	Fixture confusion re date	
<b>22</b>	27 May	I.Z. (Australia)	L	I Zingari (Australia) 7-211	CCNSW 10-143

**SAMOA TOUR EASTER 2006****Played 8 Won 7 Lost 1**

<b>No</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opposition</b>		<b>Team batting first</b>	<b>Team batting second</b>
<b>1</b>	14.04	President's XI	W	CCNSW "A" 10-64	President's XI 10-63
<b>2</b>	14.04	Chairman's XI	W	CCNSW "B" 11-99	Chairman's XI 11-77
<b>3</b>	15.04	Chairman's XI	W	Chairman's XI 8-65	CCNSW "A" 2-68
<b>4</b>	15.04	President's XI	W	CCNSW "B" 10-149	President's XI 10-146
<b>5</b>	17.04	Samoa Selection XI	W	Samoa Selection 10-147	CCNSW 2-148
<b>6</b>	19.04	Samoa Invitation XI	W	Samoa Invitation 10-97	CCNSW 2-112
<b>7</b>	21.04	North Shore Wanderers	W	CCNSW "A" 10-212	North Shore Wanderers 10-87
<b>8</b>	21.04	Samoan XI	L	Samoan XI 10-150	CCNSW "B" 10-54

**CCNSW notable performances 2005-2006**

**Most Appearances:** Corey Haigh 28

**Most Runs:** Craig Kitson 648 @ 49.85

**Most wickets:** Ed Smith 45 @ 9.67

**Best Batting average : (min 5 innings):** 63 by Craig Johnson (189 runs)

**Best Bowling average (min 10 wickets):** 6.18 by Peter Muscat (11 wickets)

**Highest score:** 114 by Ian Allmey v Nondescripts

**Best bowling:** 5-6 by Derek Taylor v Yaralla

**Most catches (fielder):** 11 by Corey Haigh

**Most catches (keeper):** 16 by Paul Brandon

**Most Stumpings:** 2 by Paul Brandon and Rob Easterbrook

**Centuries:** 2 Craig Kitson 113\* v Barker Old Boys  
101\* v Paddington  
1 Ian Allmey 114 v Nondescripts  
1 Mark de Carvahlo 108\* v Molonglo

**Fifties:** 4 Ian Allmey 87 v Knox old Boys  
83 v Wyvern  
75 v Scots Old Boys  
73 v Molonglo

3 Craig Kitson 86\* v Old Sydneians  
81\* v XXIX Club

53 v Yaralla

2 Greg Brooks 79 v Canberra Grammar Old Boys  
73 v Old Aloysians

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- 97 by Tom Robertson v Victoria Barracks XI
- 70 by Corey Haigh v Paddington
- 64\* by Mick McCormick v Castle Hill
- 62 by Derek Taylor v Yaralla
- 62 by Paul Witherley v Bradman Foundation
- 58\* by David Byrnes v Samoan XI
- 58\* by Frank Crowe v Primary Club
- 58\* by Craig Johnson v Samoan XI
- 55 by Angus Martin v Mosman
- 53\* by Phil Emery v XXIX Club
- 50\* by Ross Dalglish v XL Club
- 50 by Ross Hawksworth v Canberra Grammar Old Boys

**5 wickets in an innings:**

- 5-6 by Derek Taylor v Yaralla
- 5-18 by Dayle Richards v Lindfield Lawyers
- 5-21 by Phil Schaeffer v Warringah
- 5-28 by Peter Muscat v Samoan XI
- 5-35 by Bruce Grigg v Barker Old Boys
- 5-38 by Jay Patel v Hornsby
- 5-45 by Ed Smith v Knox Old Boys
- 5-59 by Greg Brooks v Rangers