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TWO BLUE TRIBUNE

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Record breaking weekend sees the Seconds storm into the finals.

Darren Fleet's Second XI took every advantage to sneak into six place and set up a qualifying final clash with arch rival East Belmont.

In a round of individual and team records the Thirds and Fourths wrapped up finals places while the First XI provided a fantastic finish to Hayden Clarke's glittering career with hard working win over another premierships aspirant.

- **The Third XI's** 264 run victory culminated in a team record score of 7 for 408. **Adam Lavars** completed a third century for the season while **Rhys Bennett** helped himself to a personal best of 152 not out.
- **Adam Lavars** took his run tally for 2005/06 in the Thirds to 672 eclipsing Bert Marshall's record which had stood for 39 seasons.

Meanwhile the 10 club championship points from round 15 against Newcomb, has seen us finish in fifth place on that table.

FOUR JUNIOR FLAGS!

The weekend also saw four junior teams compete for premierships honours with the Under 13 Royce, Under 13 Dawber, Under 15 Trezise and Under 15

Emond teams **all taking out the PREMIERSHIP.**

Congratulations to all players, coaches and support crew on the Club's biggest haul of junior flags in one season!

Prior to round 15 Firsts veteran **Hayden Clarke** announced his retirement from GCA First XI cricket after a glittering 140 matches and three premierships at the top level over 20 seasons.

For the record 'H' has played 162 games with the Club scoring 3276 runs @ 22.29 since crossing from South Barwon in 1991. The former First XI vice captain has scored two centuries, 14 fifties, snared 49 catches and three Firsts flags in an illustrious career. **Well played 'H'.**

Venues for qualifying finals Saturday & Sunday

Seconds versus East Belmont at Memorial Park, Leopold
Thirds versus North Geelong at Memorial Park 2, Leopold
Fourths versus St Peters at South Barwon no 5

Venues for one dayers on Saturday

Fifths versus Newcomb at Newcomb Secondary College
Sixths versus Bell Post Hill at Finders Peak Secondary College.

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Honour roll 2005/06 *Won/Lost after round 15*

	Played	won	lost	drawn	Ladder position
First XI	15	6#	7	2	9 th of 16
Second XI	15	8#	6	1	6 ^h of 16
Third XI	15	10	4	1	3 rd of 16
Fourth XI	15	12#	2	1	1 st of 16
Fifth XI	12	7	5	-	5 th of 12
Sixth XI	16	10	5	1	4 th of 8
TOTAL	88	53	29	6	88 club championship points = 5th place
		60.23% won	32.95% lost	# won one game outright	

Centuries (11)

Chris Hocking	124 in the 4 th s versus Geelong West in round 1
Stuart Day	101 in the 4 th s versus Torquay in round 2
Adam Lavars	105 in the 3 rd s versus St Josephs in round 7
Adam Lavars	123 in the 3 rd s versus Highton in round 8
Colin Cunliffe	100 in the 4 th s versus Grovedale in round 9
Aaron Croft	100 not out in the 1 st s versus City in round 11
Andrew Henderson	103 not out in the 3 rd s versus City in round 11
Darren Fleet	100 not out in the 2 nd s versus E 'mont in rd 14
Tim Clark	101 not out in the 2 nd s versus Newcomb rd 15
Adam Lavars	100 in the 3 rd s versus Newcomb in round 15
Rhys Bennett	152 not out in the 3 rd s versus Newcomb rd 15

5 or more wickets in an inning (12)

Blake Anderson	5 for 28 in the 3 rd s versus Geelong West in round 1
Matt Suvoltos	7 for 46 in the 2 nd s versus North G'long in round 5
Warwick Hadfield	5 for 49 in the 5 th s versus Geelong City in round 3
Jody Parker	6 for 23 in the 3 rd s versus Bell Post Hill in round 6
Barry Tsitas	5 for 87 in the 1 st s versus St Josephs in round 7
Darren Fleet	5 for 25 in the 2 nd s versus St Josephs in round 7
Andrew Henderson	5 for 12 in the 4 th s versus East Belmont in round 14
Barry Tsitas	6 for 81 in the 1 st s versus East Belmont in round 14
Jackson Davis	5 for 38 in the 5 th s versus Sth Barwon in round 11
Scott Mullen	7 for 39 in the 2 nd s versus East Belmont in round 14
Scott Mullen	6 for 15 in the 2 nd s versus Newcomb in round 15
Simon Rau	5 for 53 in the 1 st s versus Newcomb in round 15

Partnerships

159 runs for the 3rd wicket by Chris Hocking (124) & Stuart Day (56) versus Geelong West 3rds on 1/10/05.
 110 runs for the 3rd wicket by Stuart Day (101) & Andrew Henderson (20) versus Torquay 4ths on 8/10/05.
 109 runs for the 1st wicket by Russell Mitchell (60) & Ian Hastie (62no) versus Thomson 2nds on 15/10/05.
 100 runs for the 8th wicket by Luke Sharry (60) & Frank Tuskes versus South Barwon 3rds on 22/10/05 – a **Third XI record partnership**.
 105 runs for the 3rd wicket by Adam Lavars (105) & Jamie Pescott (47) versus St Josephs 3rds on 26/11/05.
 115 runs for the 2nd wicket by Chris Hocking (77) & Jimmy Duff (39) versus St Josephs 4ths on 26/11/05.
 110 runs for the 7th wicket by Jimmy Bottomley (96) & Matt Jackson (33) versus Grovedale 2nds on 18/12/05.
 113 runs for the 2nd wicket by Colin Cunliffe (100) & Andrew Green (85) versus Grovedale 4ths on 18/12/05.
 103 runs for the 5th wicket by Simon Pearce (54) & Rod Kiddle (61) versus Leopold 1sts on 5/02/06.
 141 runs for the 1st wicket by Andrew Green (80) & Andrew Henderson (51) versus Leopold 4ths on 4/02/06.
 102 runs for the 2nd wicket by Chris Hocking (94) & Phil Morgan (32) versus Leopold 5ths on 4/02/06.
 103 runs for the 4th wicket by Dev Royce (66) & Neville Crane (44) versus Leopold 5ths 2nds on 4/02/06.
 104 runs for the 1st wicket by Russell Mitchell (58) & Tim Clark (46) versus Newcomb & District on 4/03/06.
 152 runs for the 3rd wicket by Adam Lavars (100) and Rhys Bennett (152 not out) versus Newcomb & District 3rds on 11/03/06.

Milestones

Hayden Clarke played his 150th match for the club in round 1.
Adam O'Connor scored his 3000th club run in round.
Ian Hastie took his 200th club wicket in round 3.
Michael Cox took his 150th club wicket in round 3.
Mark Turnley made his 1000th run in round 1.
Stuart Day made his 3000th run in round 6.
Scott Mullen took his 50th wicket in round 7.
Jimmy Bottomley played his 50th match in round 9.
James Hadfield took his 50th wicket in round 11.
Matt Jackson played his 50th match in round 12.
Adam Lavars made his 2000th run in round 13.
Adam Patching played his 50th match in round 13.
Barry Tsitas took his 100th wicket in round 15.

Chris Hocking made his 1000th run and 50th catch in round 4
Ryan Hickey made his 1000th run in round 3
Mark Giles took his 50th wicket in round 5.
Paul Marinelli played his 50th match in round 7.
Nick Richardson played his 50th match in round 8.
Stuart Day played his 150th match in round 7.
Andrew Green scored his 2000th run in round 7.
Brendan Twaddle took his 50th club wicket in round 9.
Simon Rau took his 150th wicket in round 12.
Darren Fleet played his 100th game in round 12.
Ty Casboul took his 50th wicket in round 13.
Tim Clark passed the 3000 run mark in round 14.

Outstanding Performances

Adam Lavars made successive centuries in the Thirds with 105 in the 3rds versus St Josephs in round 7 and 123 in the 3rds versus Highton in round 8. He followed up with a third century (100) in round 15 against Newcomb & District.

The Third XI set a new team record score of 7 for 408 against Newcomb & District on 11/03/06. Rhys Bennett 152 not out, Adam Lavars 100.

The Junior section of the club claimed four premierships during season 2005/06 by winning the two top levels of under 15 and under 13 competitions.



Two Blue Scoreboard

Round 15 is brought to you by
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FIRSTS defeated Newcomb & District on Stinton Oval

RESULT – won by 26 runs

Umpires – I. Knell & M. Harris
 Newtown & Chilwell has set Newcomb & District a worthy chase in their clash at Queen's Park. The Blues made 269 on yet another fine batting surface. The home side were well served by Jon Rees and Michael Kelson who put on 99 when their team slipped to 3-55. Then Simon Pearce, in probably his most important display for the Blues, held the lower order together while scoring 78 not out. Jason Murray was always a threat for the Dinos and he captured four wickets while Jeremy Babb also sent down an effective spell.

Simon Rau's five-wicket haul set up Newtown & Chilwell's 26 run win over Newcomb & District at Stinton Oval. The Blues paceman was the standout bowler in a fine match that could have gone either way as the Dinos fought hard to chase 269. Jeremy Babb, Jason Harrison, Jason Murray and Danny Tielens all made worthy contributions towards the stiff run chase. But the home side prevailed, completing a set of victories over each of the competition's three top teams.

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Newtown & Chilwell 269

Yves Roussety	bowled C. Jones	21
Hayden Clarke	lbw J. Murray	21
Aaron Croft	c D. Koliba b J. Murray	8
John Rees	c J. Murray b J. Babb	35
Mick Kelson	c C. Jones b J. Babb	64
Rod Kiddle	c & b J. Murray	21
Simon Pearce	not out	78
Barry Tsitas	c D. Roach b J. Murray	7
Simon Rau	lbw C. Jones	0
Shannan Gove	run out	1
Adam Wiseman	run out	0
	Extras	13
84.5 overs	TOTAL	all out 269
FOW: 40, 46, 55, 154, 161, 220, 231, 236, 238, 269.		
Bowling: J. Miller 11/2/0/30, A. Lucas 10/1/0/36, J. Murray 20/4/4/59, C. Jones 11.5/0/2/58, J. Harrison 4/0/0/11, J. Babb 17/3/2/40, D. Koliba 11/2/0/29.		



SECONDS defeated Newcomb & District at Grinter Reserve

RESULT – won outright by 158 runs

Umpire – A. Patterson

Newtown & Chilwell 8/186

Russell Mitchell	58
Tim Clark	46
Darren Fleet	31
Luke Sharry	1
Andy Garrigan	5
Scott Mullen	duck
Ian Hastie	not out 25
Frank Tuskes	8
Jody Parker	3
Extras	9

37 overs **TOTAL 8 (dec) for 186**
 FOW: 104, 112, 119, 129, 131, 136, 172, 186.

Newcomb & District 108

Bowling: Scott Mullen	13/6/1/41
Jody Parker	11/2/2/24
Luke Sharry	5/2/0/6
Ian Hastie	11/6/4/14
Darren Fleet	3/1/0/2
Tim Clark	1/0/2/4
Extras	11

48 overs **TOTAL all out 108**
 FOW: 1, 32, 53, 67, 77, 79, 80, 94, 108, 108

Newcomb & District 243

S. Harrison	c S. Gove b S. Rau	14
D. Roach	stp M. Kelson b A. Wiseman	13
D. Koliba	bowled S. Rau	3
J. Babb	c M. Kelson b B. Tsitas	60
J. Harrison	c A. Croft b S. Pearce	48
J. Murray	c S. Gove by R. Kiddle	28
D. Tielens	c A. Croft b B. Tsitas	32
J. Miller	bowled S. Rau	19
R. Evans	lbw S. Rau	0
C. Jones	c J. Rees b S. Rau	20
A. Lucas	not out	0
	Extras	8
73.3 overs	TOTAL	all out 243
FOW: 28, 30, 33, 94, 139, 196, 209, 209, 214, 243.		
Bowling: Barry Tsitas	25/8/2/66	
Simon Rau	20.3/3/5/53	
Adam Wiseman	8/1/1/59	
Simon Pearce	4/2/1/14	
Shannan Gove	4/1/0/14	
Rod Kiddle	12/1/1/32	

Newtown & Chilwell second innings 1/163 dec

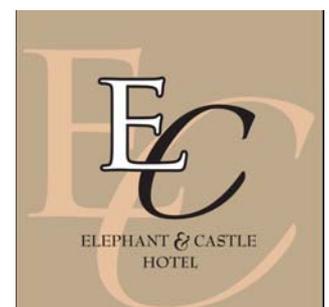
Russell Mitchell	23
Tim Clark	not out 101
Darren Fleet	not out 19
Extras	20

14 overs **TOTAL one (dec) for 163**
 FOW: 47.

Newcomb & District Second innings 83

Bowling: Scott Mullen	10/4/6/15
Jody Parker	7/0/1/29
Darren Fleet	5/2/0/9
Matt Jackson	4/1/1/10
Luke Sharry	3/0/2/12
Tim Clark	1/0/0/2
Extras	7

30 overs **TOTAL all out 83**
 FOW: 14, 14, 23, 27, 27, 41, 58, 69, 83, 83.



THIRDS defeated Newcomb & District on Shaw Oval

RESULT – won by 264 runs

Newcomb & District 144

Bowling:	Paul Dowling	14/2/1/53
	Brendan Twaddle	2/1/0/8
	Adam Lavars	11/4/1/20
	Jamie Pescott	12/5/2/29
	Blake Anderson	10/4/0/18
	Andrew Henderson	7.1/1/4/9
	Extras	20
56.1 overs	TOTAL	all out 144
FOW: 28, 37, 53, 54, 105, 121, 135, 135, 144.		

Newtown & Chilwell 7/408

	Rhys Bennett	not out 152
		14 fours and a five
	Adam O'Connor	6
	Andrew Henderson	10
	Adam Lavars	100
		13 fours and two sixers
	Jamie Pescott	57
	Andrew Green	26
	Nick Richardson	14
	Jordie Lewis	7
	Paul Dowling	not out 4
	Extras	27
82.3 overs	TOTAL	7 for 408
FOW: 19, 37, 189, 282, 351, 374, 401.		

FOURTHS defeated Newcomb & District at Grinter Reserve 2

RESULT – won by 86 runs

Newtown & Chilwell 224

	Steve Lewis	92
	Adam Patching	18
	Colin Cunliffe	27
	Matt Suvoltos	10
	Grant Whiteside	10
	Ben Murray	12
	Brett Bentley	not out 26
	Clem Prince	8
	Mark Giles	not out 2
	Extras	18
47 overs	TOTAL	8 (dec) for 224
FOW: 32, 104, 140, 167, 172, 211, 221, 224.		

Newcomb & District 138

Bowling:	Ty Casbault	15/2/4/49
	Clem Prince	6/0/2/21
	Mark Giles	4/1/2/24
	Brett Bentley	3/1/1/13
	Matt Suvoltos	2/0/0/12
	Ben Murray	5/1/1/15
	Extras	5
45 overs	TOTAL	all out 138
FOW: 19, 34, 38, 49, 67, 107, 117, 126, 138, 138, 138.		

Newtown & Chilwell Second innings 6/178

	Matt Suvoltos	11
	Adam Patching	25
	Colin Cunliffe	duck
	Brett Bentley	9
	Grant Whiteside	62
	Ben Murray	10
	Steve Lewis	not out 26
	Clem Prince	not out 18
	Extras	17
34 overs	TOTAL	6 for 178
FOW: 18, 20, 3, 53, 65, 140.		

FIFTHS

lost to St Josephs at Elderslie West

RESULT – lost by 98 runs

St Josephs 9/210

Bowling:	James Hadfield	12/3/0/33
	Jackson Davis	18/5/2/43
	Jason Clark	18/2/4/49
	Ange Fatone	6/1/0/15
	Warwick Hadfield	16/2/3/60
	Extras	14
70 overs	TOTAL	9 for 210
FOW: 0, 77, 83, 94, 173, 186, 197, 197, 197.		

Newtown & Chilwell 112

	Chris Hocking	4
	Dave Kibbis	3
	Anthony Devlin	2
	Tony Marinelli	7
	Warwick Hadfield	12
	Phil Morgan	27
	Ange Fatone	4
	Jason Clark	18
	James Hadfield	duck
	James Purcell	7
	Jackson Davis	not out 17
	Extras	8
59.1 overs	TOTAL	all out 112
FOW: 8, 8, 20, 20, 52, 61, 68, 78, 87, 112.		

FIFTHS BLACK ANT

Dudded again? Not since the Ben Jackson Incident have we had the right to feel so oinged.

The whisper went around last Thursday and became a mighty roar by Saturday that the points table was wrong, that despite what both the paper and the GCA web-site had said for ever, we weren't fourth, but fifth.

When Mr Cole finishes trying to find a grain or two of truth at the AWB, he might want to turn his attention to that other conglomeration of letters that affects to run the game in these parts.

David Paul, we need you more than your kids' swimming club does if cricket is going to keep its credibility above water.

Still, against Joey's we still had our destiny in our hands, and with a week to go, it's kinda bill there.

Dropped catches probably cost us on day one. 210 on the Elderslie Turf Farm Inc is always a big one.

Clarkie bowled well and will have earned his place in the 4ths for finals. Jackson produced a doosie to get for a duck the bloke who a week before had scored the big ton.

And despite a hamstring to make Kent Kingsley's look perfect, OG managed to get another stumping for Purcy.

Week two, we were all a bit hamstrung in what Maxie Walker would call the "Batting Department". Morgo and "The Bat" gave us some hope and Clarkie and Jackson made natty little contributions late in the day.

The equation is simple this weekend. We have to beat Newcomb, Leopold has to beat Manifold Heights. Though we will be going over the ladder ourselves just to assure ourselves all is above board.

Congrats and good luck to those already in the finals - Turtle, Lewie, Knackers and the Fleet the Miracle Worker.

SIXTHS

lost to Bell Post Hill at Eastern Park 1

RESULT – lost by 74 runs

Bell Post Hill

Bowling:	Andrew Bishop	6/2/1/15
	Campbell Bishop	5/0/0/47
	Oliver Theobald	1/0/1/21
	Tim Andrews	7/0/2/20
	Les Sanderson	8/0/1/43
	Dean Turnley	6/0/3/35
	Mark Turnley	1.3/0/2/7
	Extras	19
40 overs	TOTAL	all out 195
FOW: 0, 36, 127, ... 131, 153, 168, 195, 195.		

Newtown & Chilwell 121

	Tim Andrews	13
	Tim Sanderson	duck
	Ben Hunt	6
	Josh Grabowski	8
	Campbell Bishop	duck
	Neville Crane	14
	Andrew Bishop	17
	Mark Turnley	41
	Dean Turnley	duck
	Oliver Theobald	6
	Les Sanderson	not out 1
	Extras	15
32.2 overs	TOTAL	all out 121
FOW: 2, 18, 23, 26, 34, 57, 68, 68, 104, 121.		

SIXTHS BLACK ANT

Forced changes due to the under 15 finals saw opportunity for celebrity guest appearance of club legend Neville Crane. Senior Debut of Under 17 Oliver Theobald. Return from holidays of Ben Hunt.

The Hillbillies won the toss & batted as debutant Ollie was in the game immediately holding a sharp catch at point off the first ball of the innings. Andy Bishop 1 for none was off to a flyer. Things got a bit difficult from there on as we sought to curtail the runs. Ollie then continued a memorable debut when bought into the attack. The upside was he took a wicket, the downside was going for 6,4,4,6 wicket, 1. We all agreed that he could speak of his first bowling spell in senior cricket as 1 for 21, off not many overs! Tim Andrews as usual, bowled well picking up wickets and keeping the rate around 3 per over. Dean Turnley had immediate impact when bought into the attack. Deano claimed 3 wickets in his first 4 overs then helped finish off the innings taking a catch off his dad's bowling, seeing the Hill off for 196 in only 34 overs.

Our attempted chase of the very achievable target started disastrously as Tim's Andrews & Sanderson both ran themselves out. Ben Hunt's stay was almost as brief as our innings went from bad to worse plummeting to 5 for 35. Craney and the Great Grabowski looked to form a partnership but fell virtually consecutively. Little Bish endured shocker with his second duck for the day. Big Bish batted soundly for a few overs with his captain making 18 and giving us a faint chance. Deano was not out in the juniors but couldn't stick with his dad, making his first "golden duck". Oliver Theobald applied himself well against some tight bowling but was bowled trying to slog. Turnley senior salvaged a little respect

making 41 to round out a lacklustre team performance.

Guess we just have to put it down as a bad day, unfortunately we dropped from first to third on the ladder, but with two more games until finals and clashes against North Geelong and a return with the "Hill" leaving us plenty of opportunity to find the right mix for the finals.

SIXTHS

lost to North Geelong at Eastern Park 1

RESULT – lost by 15 runs

Newtown & Chilwell

Tim Andrews	duck
Tim Sanderson	20
Jason Connelly	43
Ben Hunt	7
Josh Grabowski	37
Jarrold Andrews	31
Mark Turnley	9
Andrew Lee	not out 29
Andrew Bishop	12
Oliver Theobald	not out 6
Extras	27

40 overs **TOTAL 8 for 221**

FOW: 1, 37, 74, 75, 146, 164, 169, 205.

North Geelong 5/236

Bowling: Andrew Bishop	7/0/0/41
Jarrold Andrews	6/1/1/20
Andrew Lee	2/0/1/10
Ben Hunt	3/0/0/16
Tim Andrews	4/0/0/34
Les Sanderson	7/0/1/39
Mark Turnley	7/1/2/48
Jason Connelly	1/0/0/13
Extras	15

37 overs **TOTAL 5 for 236**

FOW: 78, 82, 130, 141, 141.

SIXTHS BLACK ANT

Last game for the season at the now lightning quick Eastern Park after winning the toss we batted, eventually, as the Northern stragglers took the field almost half an hour late.

Tim Andrews fell early to a great slips catch. Jason Connelly placed the ball well making a quick 43. Tim Sanderson went for 20. Young guns Grabowski and Andrews had other things on their mind but both managed some quality time at the crease for 31 and 37. Andy Lee became the 37th player to don the whites in the sixths this season and saw out the innings with a club pb of 29 not out.

221 on the board a reasonable target on the lightning fast & small arena, but certainly protect able if the bowling could break through.

Andrew Bishop and Jarrod opened in the heat of the afternoon. Jarrod claimed the North Geelong skipper with a cracker of a delivery as the runs were coming fairly easily.

Andy Lee grabbed himself a wicket, as Ben Hunt partnered him in the attack. Les Sanderson worked hard and unluckily managing to keep the rate down, taking himself a single wicket. Skipper Turnley took two quick wickets with the Northerners 5 of 141 to give us a chance. Unfortunately Russ "Babe" Mundy came to the crease with serious intent and found the bowling ideal on the small arena. Mundy despatched Turtle beyond the boundary several times as he almost nonchalantly bought up his 50 and left the wrapping up of the innings to his similarly tee shirted partner. Our second loss in a row see's us keen to regain our form against Bell post Hill for the finals Saturday week.

See the under 15 Emond grand final wrap up for report of the younger half our team who are in form. We think they may have something to add come finals time.

2005/06 Top 10 after round 15

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Batting

Adam LAVARS	672 @ 56
Russell MITCHELL	555 @ 34.69
Rhys BENNETT	522 @ 34.8
John REES	516 @ 39.69
Darren FLEET	433 @ 33.31
Chris HOCKING	419 @ 46.56
Rodney KIDDLE	396 @ 33
Josh GRABOWSKI	380 @ 34.55
Andrew GREEN	377 @ 41.89
Michael KELSON	366 @ 33.27
Stuart DAY	361 @ 27.77
Aaron CROFT	351 @ 35.1

Bowling

Barry TSITAS	37 @ 22.81
Tyronne CASBOULT	36 @ 10.08
Scott MULLEN	33 @ 11.45
Simon RAU	30 @ 18.43
Andrew HENDERSON	26 @ 13.15
Darren FLEET	24 @ 15.79
Matt SUVOLTOS	23 @ 14.26
Jody PARKER	22 @ 15.05
James RATCLIFFE	20 @ 8.5
Jason CLARK	20 @ 19.5

Catches

Chris HADFIELD	22
Tyronne CASBOULT	12
Steven LEWIS	11
Russell MITCHELL	10
Adam O'CONNOR	10
Matt SUVOLTOS	10
Yves ROUSSEY	10
Mark TURNLEY	9
Michael KELSON	9
Jamie PESCOTT	9
James PURCELL	9
Josh GRABOWSKI	9

Stumpings

James PURCELL	8
Michael KELSON	7
Steven LEWIS	5
Grant WHITESIDE	5
Chris HADFIELD	1
Adam LAVARS	1

Player of the Season

Adam LAVARS	1187
Darren FLEET	863
Barry TSITAS	852
Andrew HENDERSON	784
Tyronne CASBOULT	774
Ian HASTIE	733
Chris HOCKING	704
Russell MITCHELL	695
Matt SUVOLTOS	695
Scott MULLEN	687
John REES	656

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Under 15s PREMIERS 2005/06

Emond section Grand Final

N&CCC 5/202 defeated Lara 196 at Winter Reserve 2.

Newtown & Chilwell		5 for 202	
Jeffrey Smith	LBW	B Phillips	35
Matthew Stokes	Bowled	J Smith	21
Tim Simpson		Retired	55
Josh Grabowski	Caught	M Richmond	22
Jarrold Andrews	C & B	J Smith	23
Sam Connelly	Caught		7
Campbell Bishop	Bowled	J Shanahan	0
Dean Turnley	Not out		16
Jack Clonan	Not out		1
Tom Bates	dnb		
Scott Sanderson	dnb		
Blake Whelan	dnb		
Sundries			22
FOW 59,99,154,171,172,200	50 Overs		
Bowling			
J Shanahan	12/5/1/20		
M Richmond	12/1/2/53		
J Ower	7/1/0/28		
J Killey	4/0/0/15		
A Christiansen	3/0/0/8		
J Smith	9/0/2/28		
B Phillips	6/0/1/29		
L Wilson	2/0/0/12		

Lara	all out 196		
J Smith	C. M Stokes	D Turnley	26
J Shanahan	Not Out		53
B Phillips	Bowled	S Connelly	36
J Ower	Bowled	T Bates	14
M Sodamaco	Run out	S Connelly	4
M Richmond	Run out	M Stokes	26
A Christiansen	Bowled	T Simpson	2
J Lane	C J Clonan	T Simpson	0
A Killey	Bowled	T Simpson	2
D Beckley	C J Clonan	T Simpson	5
L Wilson	Bowled	T Simpson	1

FOW 100,139,155,163,171,174,184,186,195,196	
49.2 overs	
Sundries	27
Bowling;	
Sam Connelly	12/2/1/39
Jarrold Andrews	6/0/0/27
Scott Sanderson	9/0/0/47
Tim Simpson	9.2/0/5/29
Campbell Bishop	6/0/0/18
Dean Turnley	6/0/1/11
Tom Bates	6/2/1/14

cautiously dispatching the occasional loose ball under some excellent bowling. Seeing off the opening bowlers was the first milestone none for 21, after 12 overs, slow going but survival crucial.

The next ten overs were much of the same none for 58 off 22. Lara made the first break through in the 23rd over dismissing Matt Stokes for well made 22.

Powerhouse Tim Simpson was next to the crease but caution was still evident as we reached the 27 over break at 1 for 68.

Big Simmo had immediate impact on resumption bludgeoning the attack & boosting the lowly run rate. Jeff had done a wonderful job to be dismissed for 35 in the 36th over, 2 for 99. Skipper Josh Grabowski joined Tim, and for a rare occasion took second stage, as Simmo launched a measured and powerful assault on the Lara bowlers. Mostly on drives and cover drives along the ground or beyond the heads of the Lara fielders. Finally the run rate was on a steep curve as Grabowski picked off singles and punished anything mediocre. Simpson's innings was a delight as he reached retirement on 55. 2 for 152 after 45 overs. Five an over would see us up to two hundred.

Josh was just starting to fire before making a rare mistake falling for 22. Left hander Jarrod Andrews knew quick runs were order of the day as he worked the bowling.

Sam Connelly was sent in as a pinch hitter for a brief 7 runs. Campbell Bishop likewise but also falling quickly. Five down for 172 with 5 overs to go.

Dean Turnley joined Jarrod and combined beautifully with deft placement as the pair saw the score to two hundred. Jarrod fell for 23 to a brilliant caught and bowled with three balls left in the innings. Jack Clonan and Dean, 16 not out, picked up a couple more to post a healthy 202.

As we took stock at the main interval the focus turned to taking 10 Lara wickets, as the sun pushed the temperature to into the 30's.

Spearhead Sam Connelly opened the attack with fellow left armer Jarrod Andrews into the breeze. A similar cautious start by Lara was accompanied with some excellent running between the wickets. Scott Sanderson took over from Jarrod in the 6th over as Lara seemed untroubled against the new ball. The run rate was well ahead of the required as we searched for a break through. Big Simmo entered the attack in the 13th over and with Scott toiled manfully to some sensible batting but unable to penetrate. Little Bish the fifth bowler used was economical but still unable to make the break. Lara was right on top at none for 100 after 26 overs.

Leg spinner Dean Turnley was introduced with immediate impact the break was made to a fantastic outfield catch to the safe hands of Matt Stokes. One for 102 still with job ahead. Jarrod came back for 3 more overs unsuccessfully as seventh bowler Tom Bates was given the ball. Combining beautifully with Deano to slow the damaging run rate. Slowing up was one thing but Lara were only 63 from victory with 9 bats in still to come. Tommy knocked the middle stump down to at least have the visitors a little concerned. A sensational piece of out fielding by Sam saw a direct hit from the boundary take out the 3rd Lara batsmen. Something from nothing at least made us believe we were on the right track. Sam was back into the attack bowling express, menacing but not breaking through.

The target was inside 40 with Sam into his last over. Middle stump was sent flying as Sam despatched the dangerous number 3. Tim Simpson took over down wind for one last effort as tension and fatigue set in. Seven overs to come 33 to win six bats still in the shed. Simmo knocked the stumps down in his first over back, 5 for 171. Sando worked into the breeze as Simmo claimed another in the 51st. 183 on the board 3 overs to come more than a run a ball required for the first time. Simpson made a double break in 53rd with a second Jack Clonan caught behind. It was down to the last over, 8 runs required or 2 wickets.

Big Simmo knocked the stumps over 1st ball to see the retired Lara skipper return to the crease. A carefully placed shot to mid wicket saw the batsmen push for a second run as Matt Stokes hurled a dynamite throw back to the bowler standing adjacent to the stumps, bails removed, the umpire adjudicated the batsmen short of his ground. The usually quiet Newtown boys were finally vocal in an unbelievable victory.

Tim Simpson's 2nd spell reaping 5 for 6 in what was a Herculean grand final performance, on the back of his brilliant 55 not out.

A magnificent team effort with all 12 players contributing through out the day, which to any of those who witnessed or were involved will be preserved as a life long memory.

Grand final day 2006 saw a perfect day for the GCA showcase of top flight under 17 & under 15 at winter reserve headquarters.

Winning the toss is always a great way to start a grand final to set out to post a winning score. Regular openers Matt Stokes and Jeff Smith batted

Under 15s PREMIERS 2005/06

Treize section Grand final

N&CCC 9/163 (Tim Fluker 23, Jordie Lewis 52 not out, Jane Neil 23 not out) defeated St Peters 95 (Lachie Dowling 5/6 off 8 overs, Jane Neil 2/14) at Drew Reserve.

MATCH		Round	Opp	Grade	Home	ISU/2nd Innings of	Toss Won By
1	R. LANGHAM	11	11				Bowling
2	L. MICHUSKY	2121					Caught Bowler
3	J. MOUNTSOT						Caught M. Simmons
4	T. FLUKER	1111111111111111					Caught
5	J. LEWIS	4232112421					Not out
6	J. NEIL	11111123					Not out
7	J. BLIGHT	1221111					Bowling
8	D. BOYLE						Caught Bowler
9	J. ORZUMAKI	12					LBW
10	Z. STOKES	412111					LBW
11	L. DOWLING	877					Run-out
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1	R. BUENE	211121					Caught J. Lewis
2	M. BARRE	211212					Caught A. McCloskey
3	M. CLARK						Caught A. McCloskey
4	J. CLARKE						Caught J. Lewis
5	B. BARRE						Caught J. Lewis
6	A. STOKES	112121					Caught J. Lewis
7	S. HOOPER						Bowling
8	M. SIMMONS	21212					Caught A. McCloskey
9	R. CLARK	1					Not out
10	A. LUDLOW						Bowling
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Under 13s PREMIERS 2005/06

Royce section Grand Final N&CCC 8/142 defeated Grovedale 139

In a tremendously exciting contest at Elderslie West over Saturday and Sunday the Two Blue Royce boys came away with a well earned premiership victory.

Day one saw us batting first in hot and muggy conditions. Losing Patrick Eastman early we consolidated with a good partnership between Angus Johnstone and the ultra-consistent Darcy Delrio. Eddy Ratcliffe was out cheaply for the first time this season before Hugo Steinfort and Jai Sheahan saw us to 4/75 at the break. Bowling a great line James Carr cleaned up the Grovedale opener early and Andrew Wilson's great catch off Eddy's well directed bowling saw us on top. Youngest player on the team, Matthew Hunt, saved his season highlight for the day that it counted with a sensational direct hit run out of the type that Ricky Ponting or Andrew Symonds would have been proud. A couple more wickets, one to Angus and the other to Jai, saw us ahead at the overnight break 4/75 vs 5/62, a spate of no-balls and wides the only blemish on good day.

Having played the game over in his mind many times during a restless night, the coach knew that with a good bowling and fielding performance we would find ourselves in the box seat. On a much cooler and more pleasant day Jai provided the perfect start with a wicket in the day's first over, Matthew Higgins' and Andrew's wickets seeing the visitors struggling at 8/92, only 17 ahead, with our bowling tight and tough. However the twist in tale was to come as some spirited lower order batting saw another 47 runs added before we finally brought things to a close. 140 was the chase, not an easy task with the stakes so high. Amid much pacing by the coach and his assistants, Hugo and Jai whittled the target down, Matt Allen assuming the role of scoreboard attendant as we crept up on the target. 112 was on the board before Hugo holed out to mid-wicket for a superbly made 25. Jai found yet another way to get out, but his 23 was crucial and with George Cameron and a flu-stricken James, two members of our nine-fold "one hundred runs for the season" club, at the crease with only 19 to get all was still looking good. Disaster struck when James was run out without addition, seven down and 19 still the target. Andrew nicked a wide one with only eight runs to get, leaving Lachlan Simpson to join George for what was to prove the crucial partnership. Amid much cheering from team-mates and parents alike, the target was reduced to only two, Lachlan calmly playing out a tight over and leaving our pocket dynamo on strike with four overs left to play. Having carefully played the first two, the third was in the slot and duly was crunched over mid on for four to seal a memorable win, George's 13 not out being the most memorable short innings of the summer. Amid jubilant scenes we congratulated our opponents on their tremendous fighting qualities and the hard-earned premiership medallions were presented. All up a great win, our

victory made even sweeter with the news of the U13 Dawber team's win in their Grand Final and wins for both U15's teams in their semis.

Thanks to all involved in our U13 section this year. We've had a lot of fun and enjoyed seeing our youngsters play so well and with such great team spirit.

- Gary Simpson

Dawber section Grand Final N&CCC 161 defeated Inverleigh 129

A splendid weekend for N&CCC U13 teams.

Congratulations to Gary and his boys for knocking over my arch enemies Grovedale and for my boys for taking care of Inverleigh.

Saturday opened poorly for us when we lost the toss and had to bowl. At the close of day 1 we had the hay seeds 3/85 and we were comfortably placed at 2/84 from one less over.

Peter Babiolakis was the star of the show with an opening spell of 2/0 and then opening the batting and retiring for 31.

Day 2 was always going to be a bit of a struggle and when we had crawled to 5/105 in the 34th over the signs weren't good. Enter Mason Wood and with a timely innings of 33 before retiring we were slowly building a respectable score. Two unlikely heroes in Willis Flanders and Toby Carson added 15 for the 10th wicket and 161 became the number we had to defend.

And defend it we did.

Superb bowling spells by Peter B, Tom Chisholm, Jack Thackeray, Jamie Harrison and finally Ned Clonan closed down the Leigh batters and they could only manage an extra 44 runs from the 22 overs we had to bowl before dismissing them for 129. Special mention in the field to Rex Jelbert who fielded the best he ever has and was rewarded with a run out and to Mason Wood who ran out two batters with direct hits from short fine leg.

J Harrison	22	6/1/0/10	
P Babiolakis	31*	6/2/3/14	1 catch
N Clonan	6	5.1/2/1/4	
G Chisholm	10	2/0/0/8	
C Williams	5	4/0/0/11	1 catch
M Wood	33*	2/0/0/7	
		1 catch, 2 run outs	
J Thackeray	5	1/2/1/7	
T Goodear	6	4/0/0/13	
T Chisholm	1	6/4/1/4	
H Andrews	0	2/1/0/2	
W Flanders	6	2/0/0/11	
R Jelbert	0	2/0/0/10	
		1 catch, 1 run out	
T Carson	7	2/0/1/9	
N Walsh	0	2/0/0/3	

A team barbie and celebration was well attended by all players and parents back at Coach GLC's. Willis Flanders father Sam deserves a mention as he and the coach settled into a bit of a celebratory guzzle when all others had well gone.

Good luck to all other NCCC teams that are still playing finals and let me tell you its still as much fun winning flags as it was back in '75/'76 when I played in my 1st one.

- Graeme Chisholm

N&CCC Pearce 4/99 lost to St Josephs Port 8/127

The Pearce team took the field for the final round with nine players and did a terrific job sticking at the task all evening against some quality opposition. Danny C and Forbesy did really well with the bat and were well supported by Breeny and Barnsee.

Jimmy's two excellent catches and a great run out by Jake were fielding highlights.

Jake Hickey	0	3/0/0/24
Danny Carragher	24 retired	3/1/1/8
Rhys Thompson	0	3/0/1/13
Jimmy Whelan	0	3/0/0/21
Hayden Forbes	17 not out	2/0/1/6
Alex Hickey	3 retired	3/0/0/6
Danny Breen	11	3/0/1/15
Nelson Taylor	2 retired	3/0/2/17
Josh Barnes	11 not out	3/1/0/14

N&CCC Agg 8/43 lost to East Belmont 2/128

Our last game and a good effort with all our Chilwell Boys away leaving us with 9 for the game. East Belmont are the top side in Agg and have some big boys. We batted first and Tom Jefferies was outstanding. He looked solid against all the bowlers, was calling well and taking runs. Jack Connelly joined him and was also solid, playing some great drives.

The two boys were tried to give everyone a hit and they came back for the last wicket, ending up with

Jack on 15. Our bowling was good, but we gave away many more wides and no balls than the opposition. Joel Mattuch got us and early

wicket and Gabriel Machado-Colling got his first wicket. Whilst we were well beaten, the boys fielded well and kept at it throughout the batting and bowling.

Jack Connelly	15	0/17
Tom Jefferies	20 not out	0/11
Gabriel Machado-Colling	0	1/21
Joel Mattuch	2	1/10
Mitchell Davis	3	0/10
Marc Desmarais	1	0/16
Lachie Summers	0	0/12
Fletcher Jefferies	2	0/11
Lachlan Fearnside	0	0/7

Under 11s

N&CCC Shaw 5/98 versus Lara 7/113
(Ronan Mathews 3/0)

Under 15s

Emond section Semi Final

N&CCC 171 (Josh Grabowski 36, Jeff Smith 26, Jarrod Andrews 26, M. Stokes 22, Tim Simpson 22) **defeated North Geelong 100** (Tim Simpson 5/12, Sam Connelly 3/25)

Treize section semi final

N&CCC 185 (Jordie Lewis 57 ret, Jeremy Mountjoy 53 not out, Richie Langham 40) **defeated Barrabool 95** (Tim Fluker 3/17, Jordie Lewis 2/7) **at Barrabool.**

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MENTAL TOUGHNESS

What does it mean to be mentally tough? To me it means developing a game plan that gives you your best chance of success and then having the commitment and discipline to carry out your plan under any circumstances.

To develop a plan for success, you must have a very clear understanding of how your game works and this includes knowing your strengths, weaknesses and how you play best. The odds are that if you have ever performed well in the past you carried out a process to help you achieve success. In general consistently repeating your individual process for success will give you the desired outcome of success. Great players understand their game very well, right down to tiny details - this allows them to know exactly what they are doing at every step of their performance and also to self-correct rapidly if required.

Once you have established your plan for success, you need to carry it out and this takes discipline and commitment. There are many distractions that can take your mind off doing your job successfully (executing your plan for success). Remember to succeed in achieving your goals you need to be totally focussed on implementing the steps you need to take to be successful. It takes genuine toughness to commit to focussing on your success process in the face of challenging and uncertain conditions and giving up is the easy path. The hard road of being mentally tough is difficult, but the effort is worth the reward.

A helpful way to self-manage the execution of your plan, is to firstly know your plan and your job (your job is to implement your plan) and secondly, some simple self-questioning in the middle while you are playing can help focus your mind on the job at hand. A good question to ask yourself is, 'What is my job?', this will not only bring your mind back to the present, it will help you to focus on what you need to do now to succeed. We often get distracted thinking about past or future events, for example what happened the previous delivery or how you will perform at the end of the day. Aim to leave the past in the past and understand that the future is only influenced by the next ball. The most important thing you ever do in cricket is deal with the next ball the very best you can.

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Junior Coaching Forums

Leisure Networks has recently received funding through the Country Action Grants Scheme (SRV) to conduct summer and winter Junior Coaching Forums in Geelong and Colac. The funding, together with support from the City Of Greater Geelong, allows for the conduct of two half-day forums (summer and winter) to be conducted for a minimal (Approx \$10.00) charge for participants.

If you are new to coaching, working with a school team, a parent helper in a junior program, or studying in sport or physical education, the Junior Coaching Forum offered in Geelong and Colac, offers a great chance for you to get information and new ideas about:

- * Warm-ups, skill activities, drills and games for your sport
- * Tips for working with kids and their parents
- * Safety considerations
- * Where to go for more help

We are inviting new coaches and/or interested people from **Winter sports to register their interest by 31st March**. The Colac Forum will be conducted on Sunday 23rd April and **Geelong on Sunday 30th April, from 9.00 - 12.30pm**. Please find enclosed further information and the registration form. Upon registering you will receive confirmation and additional information.

Should you require any further information then please call Caroline on 52249927 or email jordie@leisurenetworks.org



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Barwon Disability Cricket League

The Two Blues Disability Cricket team completed its second league season on February 28th at the finals day at Newcomb Cricket Club.

A most enjoyable season saw the competition increase to six teams and was highlighted by the Two Blue team's first victory, which was against the eventual premiers Manbourin Tigers CC. The players have vowed to stay in good form and look forward to some pre season and regular training on Thursday evenings at Queen's Park.

Congratulations to **Scotty Smith** on his outstanding efforts that ensured the League was well catered for in a very professional manner. It appears that the efforts over recent years will lead to yet another expansion with eight teams being fielded next season. Representative matches are also planned between regional Victorian teams and it appears that *Cricket Australia* will get on the band wagon with the possible launch of a national carnival.

Thanks to *SportzNutz* for their magnificent support and special thanks to **Steve and Jordie Lewis and David and Josh Barnes** for their great support of our side and making it all happen.



Milestones

Darren Fleet played his 100th match in round 12 (big oops and apology – missed it!). In those nine seasons he has scored 1775 runs @ 23.05 and taken 147 wickets @ 16.32.

Club Captain **Barry Tsitas** has passed the 100 wicket mark in just 38 matches @ 17.13. Five times Baz has snared 5 or more wickets in an inning.



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Time: 6.30 pm Dress: To Impress

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- **Final Gathering for season 05 ~ 06**
- **Opportunity to thank partners and friends for their support.**
- **Fingerfood, Main Course and Dessert**
- **Official Awards presentation** (We guarantee it will be short)
- **A great atmosphere to finish the year off in style**

Please leave your name on the function board in the rooms
Or notify Tim Clark tim@connecttel.com.au or mobile 0407294409.

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