# ST IVES DISTRICT JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB Inc. 2021/22



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# **President Report Season 2021-22**

"May you live in Interesting times" is the translation to English of an Ancient Chinese curse. To say we have been cursed is going a bit far, but we are living in interesting times as our lives have been influenced by the presence on Covid-19. When the season start date was approaching, we were in-the-midst of the Delta strain and starting to resume some sort of our previous lives with schools returning to face-to-face and people being allowed back into the office for work. Zoom, Teams, or by other video link, was our medium to conduct meetings, celebrations or just "visiting" catch ups with friends and family.

It was in this meeting environment that the decision was made to get the NSJCA season up and running in late October. Measures were put in place to allow games to go ahead, decisions made about what needed to be done, then needed to be changed due to the ever-changing advice from the Office of Public Health. QR codes were created and printed, Safety plans were put into place, players, managers, coaches, and parents were informed of the requirements on game day and for practice.

Kit bags, balls and uniform were handed out from Hassell Park in readiness for the start of the season on 30<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup> October. Would Covid play another trick on us with Halloween being on the same weekend? Thankfully there were no further interruptions, restrictions or amendments and the season got underway with 42 teams representing St Ives from Master Blasters up to U17 level.





There were several outstanding team performances throughout the season. 5 teams finished the regular season on top of the ladder, a further 3 finished in second. In two finals we had two St Ives teams.

- St Ives Healy Girls Runners up in GF
- St Ives Lanning Girls Runners up
- St Ives Finch winners
- St Ives Hussey winners
- St Ives Marsh Runners up

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- St Ives Healy Boys
- St Ives Harris Runners up
- St Ives Langer Winners

Congratulations to these teams, but also to every team that represented the club this season. Too often in society we equate a successful season as being only when you win the Grand Final, however in my experience, success doesn't always end with the Premiership. They can also be successful when there is improvement in players from the beginning to the end of a season.

On a representative level, SIJCC had several players selected for the North Shore Representative teams, with 19 boys and 6 girls being selected across the different age groups in 2021/22. I look forward to seeing who is selected from St Ives JCC to represent the NSJCA next season.

Former SIJCC player Stella Campbell made her debut for Australia against India last September. Stella played her first ODI and Test (D/N no less) in the series. This is an amazing achievement for any player, and we were thrilled that Stella was able to be present at the club presentation. She is a wonderful role model for our girls. Hopefully Stella will be the first of many SIJCC girls going on to some level of higher representation. Seeing Stella run into bowl, and knowing she played for our club shows it is possible to aspire to the dream of pulling on the Baggy Green (with the Baggy Blue & Yellow in the back pocket).





# From a personal point of view

I was once again the coach of my daughter's team in the U12's competition, and her U13 representative team in the Mollie Dive Competition.



# Saturday 3:30pm U12 Div 2

A finish with a runner's up medal that was well deserved in the U12's just falling short in the Grand Final against St Ives Finch, losing by 1 wicket. It was a pleasure seeing the team grow and develop their skills and friendships throughout the season. A big thank you to all the parents involved U12 Harris, especially Manager Alison, Main Scorer Alan, along with regular Umpires Raj and Punit.

## **Mollie Dive U13 NSJCA Maroon**

The Mollie Dive was affected by rain and unfortunately, we didn't get the chance to play finals, though the girls from St Ives Jorja, Ivy, Maithri, Caitlyn & Leiya each contributed to the season. Jorja as Captain and Ivy as Vice-Captain learned the art of leadership on the field, each having some great moments with the bat, ball or in the field. Maithri leg-spin was wonderful to watch, Caitlyn's power with the bat and Leiya's persistence were greatly appreciated by all.

#### **Orange Tournament**

Maithri, Jorja, and Ivy also represented Gordon U15 Girls at the Orange Cricket Carnival in January where the team made the Final. It was the first time for all on turf wickets and playing 40 overs. Kayla Davies was also a member of the trip to Orange.



# **Saturday Mornings**

I have enjoyed my Saturday mornings at Hassell Park seeing the oval filled with kids and parents in their love for cricket. Also, on these mornings watching some of our players helping out with coaching.



With my new role as President, I have immense pride in the way the parents from the club community come together to ensure that the season can go ahead. Be it as an umpire, coach, manager, scorer, or just getting your children to "this oval, by that time" week in, week out. They way you have accepted the challenges of first Covid, then at the end the weather. I loved hearing the stories of parents bringing lawn mowers and leaf blowers to grounds to ensure that a game can go ahead. There were also the stories of trying to dry out the grounds/pitches with towels and brooms.

I have enjoyed meeting many of you, having chats about the game and getting a different perspective of the club and of the game. I have visited a couple of games and thoroughly enjoyed watching the tense Grand Final at Hassell Park between the U14's Marsh and Langer. It was great to see many parents and family out watching the games. I look forward to getting to see other teams playing in the future.

# Representing the Club in the Community

As we move forward in this new environment, I make one impassioned plea – remember it is a game. A game we love. It is our children who represent the club on the field, it is us who represent it off the field. We are all role models; to our children, to our fellow parents, our volunteers, to our community, and the NSJCA. Our actions regardless of how small or large can often go unnoticed, however it is when they are noticed it can have an impact. I know that this is the way we normally conduct ourselves, however, there have been some issues through this season. Maybe it is a result of restrictions and lockdowns and forgetting social niceties. I just ask you to count to 10. Mistakes happen, errors occur. Try to look at something from the "other side" and what impact your actions may have. SIJCC has a strong standing in the community, let us make sure that it stays that way.

The St Joseph's Football & Netball club that I grew up playing for released this for their latest season

#### PLEASE REMEMBER

- This is a game
- These are children
- The umpires are human
- The coaches are volunteers
- This is not AFL or Super Netball

#### #TJW

TJW means The Joeys Way and obviously we must change AFL/Super Netball to BBL and International Cricket

# **Committee**

To the committee, thank you for your support in my first year as President, especially Katherine and Mahesh. I must say it has been an interesting way to start. I would like to wish Mark Hilton, Will Cheadle, Chris Poulton and Adele Brennan all the best for the future and for their commitment to the club over their years on the committee. Without their tireless work on the committee, many things and relationships would not exist as they currently do – uniform, Sydney 6's, TeamSnap, equipment and managing the finances of the club. You will be missed and hard to replace.

Finally thank you to all of you who have played your part in the running of the club, either as a coach, manager, scorer, umpire or "taxi" and I very much look forward to next season.

# Some summary comments

#### Teams:

Despite the challenges we have faced as a club due to Covid, we have managed to retain registration levels despite the impact it has had on the community. It has been fantastic to see the juniors and parents get out there week in week out playing with their friends and others supporting them. Despite the rapid changing in requirements at the start of the season, we were able to get in what would have been a regular season if not for the interruption at the end of the season due to the inclement weather.

# **Master Blasters:**

Saturday morning Master Blaster sessions were well attended (even on the wet mornings  $\bigcirc$ ). Seeing not only the up-and-coming members of St Ives JCC, but the parents and coaches getting out there. I can't forget the dogs wagging their tales in anticipation of a pat, or even the morsel of food that might make it to the ground. The smell of the sausage BBQ was a highlight as well as the long line in front of the Coffee Van for the many parents in need of early morning coffee to help them start the day.

#### Coaching:

We have continued to employ the services of David Ford and Cameron Merchant to help run coaching on Friday nights of the Master Blasters and Girls cricket teams. Saturday mornings with Master Blasters has seen some of our past and present juniors help with the running of sessions.

This season we were lucky to have Neil D'Costa run some "Coach the Coaches" sessions, which were greatly appreciated and well received. Over the Summer Holidays, he ran a Cricket Camp at Hassell Park through the club and will look to continue to do so in the future.

# **The Baggy Green**

A huge congratulations to Stella Campbell on receiving her first Baggy Green when she made her debut against India in the Day/Night test at Carrara in Queensland. A few days earlier, Stella played her first ODI against India in Mackay. It was a privilege to have Stella at our Club Presentation Day for this season. Stella's best bowling performance came for the NSW Breakers against the ACT when she took 7/25. The club wishes her every success for the future in the BBL with the Sydney Sixers or for Australia.

## **Milestones**

Every year the club has several players reach the milestones of 75 or 100 games for the club. These milestones are recognised by the club. As you can imagine, 75 games takes 5 to 6 years to achieve, and it is at least another two years to reach This year we had the following players reach 75 or 100 games for St Ives JCC

75 Games	100 Games
Marcus Walsh - 83	Elliot Kerr - 104
Sol Dewhurst - 80	Michael Wilkinson - 106
Charlie McKay - 80	
Rowan Fraser - 78	

# **Life Members**

This year I had the honour of presenting Mahesh Malalage & David McKay Life Memberships to the club. Both have played an integral part in the continuing success the club has. Mahesh is also Vice-President of the NSJCA and plays an important role in maintaining the competition rules through the Blue Book.

## **Hassell Park Upgrade**

With the Master plan Complete, Ku-ring-gai Council adopted the master plan in December 2021. Handover to the Operations Department in late April for detailed design and construction of stage 1 works is next on the list, hopefully starting in 2023. We look forward to this exciting upgrade to Hassell Park, especially where it concerns our requirements as a Cricket Club. A cherry on top would be the construction of a white-picket fence around the ground.

#### **Partnerships**

As mentioned, we are looking at building a closer relationship with St Ives Wahroonga Cricket Club as a pathway for those players thinking of continuing to play past their junior years. We are also looking at developing stronger pathways towards representative cricket with Northern Districts and Gordon Grade clubs. This will also involve coaching partnerships

# **President's Encouragement Award**

One player from each U10/11 team was nominated by their managers for the President's Encouragement Award. This award reflects the way cricket is played at St Ives Cricket club and is presented to the player who is considered to have displayed the greatest dedication to the game, to the Club, and in developing their skills in the U10 and U11 competition.

The following players were nominated by their respective team managers.

U10 Bradman – Penny Evans

U10 Lyon – George Johnson

U10 Border – Michael Kaplan

U10 Ponting - Mitchell White

U11 Bolton - Arjun Krishnan

U11 Cheatle - James Arkell

U11 O'Keefe - Tom Lockwood

U11 Gardner - Luke Barclay

U11 Healy – Sasha McGarrick

Sasha McGarrick was the winner. Her nomination was

"Sasha has really put herself forward this year. Her determination to put in a good performance for her mates has been a real feature this season. Sasha has a strong sense of wanting to make a contribution, and with that, she has put in so much effort to improve her game. She finished 2nd overall in batting, a huge improvement from last year, she attends every practice and shares the honours in playing the most matches this season. Having a say yes, and do your best approach, she has done it all - she's made that visible contribution she was looking for.

If you ask her what her secret was, she'll share stories of high stakes backyard cricket, constant chatter from her older brother and midweek net sessions. She's been the surprise this year, and we are all looking forward to seeing what surprise she holds for us next year. Keep it up Sasha, you're an exemplary example of determination that matches your love for the game. Well done!"

#### Strategy

# i. Cricket Australia junior cricket pathways program

We will continue to work with David Ford, Lindfield CC, and West Pymble CC to run Friday night training and Saturday morning games at Hassell Park in developing our future cricketers. We still require the continued parental contributions to allow this program to run successfully.

# ii. The club coaching strategy

The Club is looking at the way we run coaching at St Ives under the guidance of Mahesh. This is a continued approach towards providing opportunities for many of our juniors reaching their goals. We will continue to look at what is best for the club and the players.

The amount spent on coaching this year

#### iii. Development squads

This is an idea worth raising again after the interruptions of Covid. It would be worth investigating submitting teams (where possible) in the highest divisions of age levels depending on numbers and times of competitions. How these teams would be selected, or run will be investigated further.

# iv. Maintain player numbers and engagement

Unfortunately, the club was done on numbers compared to the previous season and appears mainly to be due to Covid. They were also in two concentrated areas that could have been

affected due to other reasons, especially in the older age groups (Private School sport for example).

The club is looking at several ways to promote the club to grow playing numbers again. These include a stall at St Ives Village Shopping Centre and developing relationships with the local schools in the St Ives area.

Word of Mouth will also be positive as many responses in the Annual Survey indicate that SIJCC is a club that they would be comfortable to recommend.

#### v. Drive uptake of Girl's cricket.

Again, SIJCC fielded four teams in the NSJCA competition across three age groups, U11 Healy, U13 Campbell, U15 Perry, and U15 Lanning. As mentioned before, several girls There are several girls in the Junior Blaster and Master Blaster programs and a couple playing in the mixed competition. The success of Stella Campbell in achieving her first Baggy Green and being present on the Club's Presentation Day is something that we will be looking to build on for the future. Brigidine College has also approached the club about forming a relationship. We are also investigating asking the Girl's teams to wear "Blues" as pants instead of Whites.

#### People:

# i. Social activities at the club and match-day parental engagement.

Again, the Canteen and Coffee Van created some social gathering of players and parents on Saturday mornings at Hassell Park. Despite the current environment, several teams socialised around the BBQ at games. Hopefully the smell of food cooking will become a more regular event in the coming seasons.

We are looking forward to bringing back more social activities run by the club as restrictions are continued to be relaxed. Please keep an eye and ear out for these opportunities to gather as a club again, particularly with watch parties for the BBL and the Men's T20 World Cup. The club was fortunate to have Stella Campbell come to celebrate the end of the Season with the Presentation Day.

# ii. Engaged & high performing committee

The Club is always on the lookout for new members to join the committee. This is especially important when it is a Volunteer basis and a Junior Club making it important that new members join. We look to have filled the positions of Vice-President (Anurag Vasisth) and Treasurer (Lucky Singh) for the upcoming season and look forward to their contributions to the club in the coming years.

I have been lucky enough to have been part of the committee for several years before becoming President and have always found the monthly meetings enjoyable when it comes to discussing the running of the club. We have held meetings online and will investigate whether we can successfully run Hybrid meetings, as there is something special in meeting together in the Hassell Park Clubrooms. New members bring new ideas, so we will continue to be on the lookout for people to join the committee.

Thank you to all the current members of the committee, without all of you making your contributions, it would make the running of SIJCC a difficult proposition. Some of the roles undertaken by members are Uniform, Equipment, Age Group Coordinators, the Sydney Sixers relationship, the relationship with the NSJCA, and applying for grants.

To the cornerstones of the club, Katherine Stevenson and Mahesh Malalage, a huge thank you to help me settling into the role and your words of advice.

## iii. Accredited coaches and long-term engagement.

Along with David and Cameron coaching the younger age groups, we were able to engage the services of Neil D'Costa. Neil ran some "Coach the Coaches" sessions at Hassall Park, as well as running a Holiday Camp through the Club at Hassell Park. We are investigating how to further this relationship.

David and Cameron have continued to run fun and enjoyable programs for the younger members of SIJCC.

Again, we will look at refunding the registration fees for those who undertake the Cricket Australia Level 1 accreditation.

#### Places:

## i. Overhaul facilities at Hassall Park.

The Ku-ring-gai Council has approved the redevelopment and upgrade of Hassall Park. The double nets will be removed and the triple nets becoming 5 nets. Unfortunately, this will mean the removal of at least one tree. At this point in time, construction for Stage 1 is hopefully beginning in 2023.

# ii. Access ALL available facilities grants and increase internal fundraising.

Through members of the Committee, SIJCC will continue to make applications for grants that will benefit the club both on and off the field. Internal fundraising will again become part of the season for the club. Suggestions on potential fundraising are greatly appreciated.

## **Partnerships:**

# i. Strategic partnerships with Northern Districts CC, Sydney Sixers and Gordon CC.

We were due to be the host club of the Sydney Sixers fan day, however, due to the Covid restrictions implemented by Cricket Australia meant that this was not able to go ahead last season. We still have a very strong relationship with the Sixers and look to continue to build on this and provide further opportunities like the in-field experience and fan days.

The relationship with Northern Districts CC is an important one and finding the right pathway is an essential for the development of those players looking to continue to higher levels. Currently one player from U13 cricket is awarded a scholarship with Northern Districts, the current player is Jack English.

Gordon CC has offered opportunities for some of the girls to represent the club at the U15 Orange tournament last summer. They have approached the club about providing further opportunities for the girls with their U15 Academy.

#### ii. Foster close links with Cricket NSW and NSJCA

CNSW, though CA has begun the transition to PlayerHQ from MyCricket. The club will continue to implement the pathways set out by CNSW.

Mahesh is still the Vice-President of the NSJCA and continues to be the convener of the Umpires and Rules.

## iii. Maintain close links with St Ives Wahroonga CC to create pathways to senior cricket.

We have started with a MOU to improve our links with the St Ives Wahroonga team to continue to make the pathway from Junior cricket to Senior Cricket much smoother. The U15's and U17's have still had the opportunities to play seniors with St Ives Wahroonga. Thank you to Chris Poulton for helping in this area.

iv. Maintain close partnership with Ku-ring-gai Council.

The upgrade of Hassell Park has been given the go ahead, we are just waiting to hear about the start date for the redevelopment. The double nets will be removed, with the triple nets being increased to 5. Unfortunately, this means that a couple of trees will need to be removed. The club has continued to maintain its professional relationship with Ku-ring-gai Council. The new mayor, Jeff Pettett attended the club's presentation day, along with other members of council.

v. Create new opportunities for sponsorships with local businesses.

This is always an important area that the club needs to continue to address, especially after the advent of Covid and it's effects on the community and businesses. A Community club is only as strong as its community. By building relationships with those in the Community, we will build a stronger place in the Community.

#### **Promotion:**

- i. <u>Drive girls cricket promotion with Cricket NSW & Sydney sixers at local schools.</u>
  We will continue to promote girls' cricket; this is an area that I have a vested interest in. We are looking at ways to promote the club through the local schools, be it through an appeal through newsletters, or at a School Fete. The success of Stella Campbell, and the winning of the Women's ODI World Cup is a positive for helping in this area.
- ii. <u>Deliver match day / on ground entertainment experiences via Sydney Sixers and CNSW.</u>
  We are looking forward to these opportunities returning with the relaxation of restrictions.
- iii. <u>Increase traffic to the club Facebook page, social media, and additional user generated content.</u>

The club has recently re-launched the SIJCC Facebook page. This is an area that enables us to promote the club and the players within the community. My hope is that we will be able to provide updates on the season of cricket, as well as recognising the hard work of the many volunteers within the club. Social Media is playing a large role in the community when it comes to promoting, celebrating, and informing people, teams and clubs.

PlayerHQ and the development of the Club Website on the WIX platform, along with improved use of social media will hopefully drive an uptake in player and volunteer participation. The appointment of a Social Media Coordinator will be investigated by the club. In this day and age, this is an important role in the success of the club through the promotion of the club's values. We will be looking at running Club meetings via online, or a combination of onsite/online to improve the involvement of all members of the Committee and others alike.

TeamSnap will continue to be used as the major communication point for SIJCC teams.

#### **MAJOR CLUB MILESTONES**

#### 75 Matches

The following current SIJCC players played their **75th match** for the St Ives Junior Cricket Club this season and were recognised with a specially designed club baggy hat.

PLAYER	GAMES
Marcus Walsh	83
Sol Dewhurst	80
Charlie McKay	80
Rowan Fraser	76

#### 100 Matches

The following current SIJCC players played their **100th match** for the St Ives Junior Cricket Club this season and was recognised with a specially designed trophy which was awarded to them at their **100th** game this season by the club president, Mahesh Malalage.

Player
Elliot Kerr - 104
Michael Wilkinson - 106

#### 1500 Runs

The following current players achieved 1500 runs for the club this season.

Player	Matches	Average	Runs
Kieran Poulton	117	27.97	1622

#### 100 Wickets

The following current players achieved 100 wickets for the club this season.

Player	Matches	Wickets	Average
Elliot Kerr	104	109	7.17

#### 75 Wickets

The following current players reached 75 wickets for the club this season.

Player	Matches	Wickets	Average
Micah Phillips	162	84	19.56
Jonty Katz	97	77	11.35

## 2021/22 SEASON - CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

Congratulations to the following teams on their success in their divisions and playoffs

#### **NSJCA Championship Winners**

U14 Langer - Sun 9am U14 32 Overs U12 Finch - Sat 3.30pm Div 2 U12 T20 U16/17 Hussey - Sun 9am T20

#### **NSJCA Championship Runners up**

U14 Marsh - Sun 9am U14 32 Overs U12 Harris - Sat 3.30pm Div 2 U12 T20 U15 Lanning - Sat 3.30pm U15 T20

#### **NSJCA Cup Final Winner**

U10 Ponting - Sat 10.30am U10 T20 U13 Phillipe - Sun 9am U13 30 Overs U16/17 Paine - Sun 9am U16/17 T20

#### **NSJCA Cup Final Runners Up**

U15 Lanning - Sat 3.30pm U15 Girls T20 U12 Zampa - Sat 3.30pm U12 T20 U14/15 Edwards - Sat 3.30pm T20

#### **NSJCA Plate Final Winner**

U13 Abbott - Sun 9am U13 30 Overs

# **NSJCA Plate Final Runners Up**

U10 Lyon - Sat 10.30am U10 T20 U12 Cutting - Sat 3.30pm U12 T20 Div 2

# **NSJCA Minor Premiers**

U16/17 Hussey U15 Lanning U14 Marsh

# **NSJCA REPRESENTATIVE CRICKET 2021/22**

All juniors playing for St Ives Junior Cricket Club are eligible to trial for the representative team in their age group. Our Club had another strong representation in this Season's North Shore Junior Cricket Association representative teams.

DCA Reps: Each year, associations from all parts of Sydney, Newcastle, Wollongong and the ACT enter teams in the NSW Districts Junior Shield representative competitions (DCA).

IDCA (Presidents Cup) Reps: The Inter District Cricket Association (IDCA) runs this rep competition designed to give players with potential the opportunity to play the game at a level between the Association and DCA standard.

#### ST IVES JUNIOR CRICKET REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS 2021/22

Congratulations to the following St Ives Junior Cricket Club members that were selected:

Age Group	Players	Comments	Shadow Players
U11 President's Cup	Arjun Krishnan, James McDaniel	Maroon Team	Jake Fry
U12 MYC	Neil Maini, Jarryd Ratwatte, Jayden Roland	Team 1	Logan Gore
U12 MYC	Shaarav Jain	Team 2	
U13 MYC	Oliver Freeman, Satvah Shah	Team 1	William Ferguson
U13 MYC	Ryan Manuel, Noah Quayle	Team 2	
U15 MYC	Callum Parkinson	Team 1	Jack Bray, James Fitzgerald, Aarya Vignesh
U15 MYC	William Bohlsen	Team 2	
U13 Mollie Dive Squad	Caitlyn Bruell, Jorja Horan, Maithri Karthikayan, Leiya Mistry, Ivy Platt		
U15 Peden Comp	Matilda Brown		

## 2021/22 INDIVIDUAL AWARDS - PERPETUAL AWARDS

Awards are based on performances throughout the normal competition rounds. Semi-Finals and Finals performances are not included for the purpose of determining awards. Perpetual awards are to be held by registered members of the Club only. Perpetual trophies shall be returned to the Club Registrar immediately when a player ceases being a registered member of the Club, or at the end of the following season prior to Presentation Day.

**JOHN WALSH MEMORIAL TROPHY** (Club Champion): Awarded to the player who achieves the highest point score for the season (0.1 point per run scored, 1 points per wicket, catch, stumping, or run-out, 0.5 points per assisted run-out). All age groups are eligible. (Note: This trophy shall be held by a player once only; a player who has won the trophy once and scores the most points in a subsequent season will be acknowledged appropriately by the Club).

**J. MAUNDER CUP**: Presented to the player who scores the most runs in the season. All age groups are eligible. If two or more players score equal runs, the award will be shared.

**CHARLTON CUP**: Presented to the player who takes the most wickets in the season. All age groups are eligible. If two or more players take an equal number of wickets, the award will be shared.

**BARRY GARROD TROPHY**: Presented to the player who achieves the highest batting average in U11 and U12. A minimum aggregate of 200 runs must be scored for U12, and 150 for U11.

**NEIL MARTZ TROPHY**: Presented to the best performing wicket keeper for the season (total of catches and stumpings). All age groups are eligible.

**PRESIDENT'S ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD**: Presented to the player who is considered to have displayed the greatest dedication to the game, to the Club, and in developing their skills in the U10 and U11 and U11 Girls competition. The Award is determined by the Club Executive on advice from each of the eligible team manager's recommendations.

**STEVE DANIELS MEMORIAL TROPHY**: Presented to the player judged to be the most promising in the Club, ready to play in the senior competition. It has been traditional to select a player from the Club's most senior teams, and the Committee when making the selection takes into account the player's history and performance over a reasonable period of time. All aspects of the game are considered including batting, bowling, fielding, captaincy, sportsmanship and contribution to the Club.

**JOHNSON FAMILY AWARD:** (sponsored by Northern Districts Cricket Club): Presented to the player judged to be the most promising playing in the U13 competition. The Committee, when making the selection takes into account the player's history and performance over a reasonable period of time, including performance in Representative cricket. In addition to a perpetual trophy the recipient receives a coaching prize with NDs.

**STEVEN BIRD GIRLS' CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY**: Awarded to the female player who achieves the highest point score for the season (1 point per run scored, 10 points per wicket, catch, stumping, or runout, 5 points per assisted runout). All age groups playing Girls' only cricket are eligible.

**AGE GROUP CHAMPIONS**: Awarded to the player who achieves the highest point score for the season in the John Walsh Memorial trophy tradition. Awarded to the player who achieves the highest point score for the season (0.1 point per run scored, 1 points per wicket, catch, stumping, or run-out, 0.5 points per assisted run-out). All divisions in that age group are eligible.

**100s, HAT TRICKS and 5 WICKETS IN A GAME**: trophies are awarded to individuals who score 100 runs or take a hat trick (Stage 1, 2 and 3) or 5 wickets (Stage 2 and 3 only) in a game during the season.

**BATTING and BOWLING AWARDS**: are made to the highest aggregate run scorers and wicket takers in each team. These stats are taken from MyCricket. If players are equal on aggregate, the best average is awarded the trophy.

**SPIRIT OF CRICKET AWARDS**: is awarded to a player in each junior team who has played the game with a sense of passion and willingness to improve. This award is given to a player that does not necessarily have the most wickets, runs or catches.

**U9's/U10/U11/Girls PARTICIPATION AWARDS**: Each U9-11 Stage 1 and Girls teams are awarded a participation trophy.

**OTHER AWARDS**: Medallions are awarded to all members of Minor Premiers and Premiership winning teams by NSJCA. The Club also awards Minor Premier caps to each team member of Minor Premier teams (teams finishing on top of the table before the finals begin). The 75 cap is given to a player to commemorate the 75 matches or more they have played with the St Ives. The 100 game trophy was introduced this season. This is awarded to players who have played 100 games with SIJCC.





# SIJCC PERPETUAL AWARD WINNERS

Club Award	Winner	Points
JOHN WALSH MEMORIAL TROPHY Club Champion	Jeremy McKindley - U14/15 Edwards & Evie Coudhary - U15 Lanning	37.5pts
J. MAUNDER CUP Most runs for season	Matteo Flore - U14 Langer & U14/15 Benaud	266 runs
CHARLTON CUP Most wickets for season	Evie Choudhary - U15 Lanning	17 wickets
NEIL MARTZ TROPHY Wicket Keeper Trophy	Jack Straw - U14 Langer	9 catches, 4 stumpings
PRESIDENT'S ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD Greatest dedication to game (U10/11)	Sasha McGarrick - U11 Healy	
STEVE DANIELS MEMORIAL TROPHY Most promising senior player	Kai Schreiber-Pitters - U16/17 Hussey	125.6pts
BARRY GARROD TROPHY Best batting average (U11/12)	Veraj Singh - U12 Harris & Dean Goldin U12 Harris	89.5
JOHNSON FAMILY AWARD Most promising player (U13/14)	Jack English - U13 Phillipe	33.2pts
STEVEN BIRD GIRLS' CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY Highest points for season	Evie Choudhary - U15 Lanning	37.5pts
MILESTONE AWARDS 5 wickets	NA	
Hat Trick Award	Jayden Roland - U14 Marsh Eloise Fisher - U15 Perry William Carey - U10 Bradman Daniel Dougan - U16/17 Hussey	

# Club Age Champion 2021/22

Age Group	Player	Club Championship Pts	Team
U11 Girls	Neave Barker	35.5pts	U11 Healy
U13 Girls	Gillian Bui	22.5pts	U13 Campbell
U15 Girls	Evie Choudhary	37.5pts	U15 Lanning
U12 T20	Zach Yerbury	31.7pts	U12 Finch
U13 30 Over	Jack English	33.2pts	U13 Phillipe
U14 32 Over	Fraser Rowan	37pts	U14 Marsh
U14/15 T20	Patrick Kilkelly	26.4pts	U14/15 Benaud
U16/17 T20	Kai Schreiber-Pitters	33.2pts	U16/17 Hussey
U17 32 Over Turf	Hugo de Veroli	27.7pts	U17 Hughes

# **Bowling Highlights**

The highest number of wickets taken by an individual player this season.

Player	Wickets	Average	Strike Rate
Evie Choudhary	17	2.35	9.76
Jayden Roland	14	11.50	17.29
Kaviru Karunaratne	14	14.86	21.71

# **Fielding Highlights**

There were some noteworthy fielding this season. The following fielders held more than 5 catches in the season.

Player	Catches	Stumpings	Dismissals
Jack Straw	9	4	13
Marlon Kesby	6	0	6

# **NSJCA 2020/21 MAJOR AWARD WINNERS**

Division	Award	Player	Results
U17 Turf	Batting Aggregate	Hugo di Veroli	232@25.8
U16/17 T20	Batting Aggregate	Kai Schreiber-Pitters	222@37.0
U16/17 T20	Batting Average	Jack Bray	156@52
U16/17 T20	Bowling Economy Rate	Daniel Dougan	11@5.75
U13 Creak Comp	Leading Run Scorer	Noah Quayle	
U13 Creak Comp	>100 runs	Noah Quayle	106 runs
Junior Stage 3	Batting	Fraser Rowan	220@55.0
Junior Stage 3	Wicket Keeping	Jack Straw	9 catches, 4 stumpings
Girls Stage 2 T20	Batting	lvy Platt	233 runs
Girls Stage 2 T20	Bowling Average	Evie Choudhary	17 wickets
U12 Div 2 T20	Batting Average	Veraj Singh	179@89.5
U12 Div 2 T20	Bowling Average	Zack Yerbury	12@3.67

# **CLUB TEAM AWARDS**

The batting and bowling awards for each team (U12 Stage 2 - U17 - U11/13/15 Girls included) are taken from the MyCricket statistics entered over the season. The Spirit of Cricket Award is decided by the coach and manager of all junior teams.

Team	Batting Award	Bowling Award	Spirit of Cricket Award
U9 Brathwaite	NA	NA	Lachlan Jolly
U9 Healy	NA	NA	Sathyan Thambipillay
U9 Vince	NA	NA	Leo Myeong
U9 Silk	NA	NA	James Royle
U9 Campbell	NA	NA	Tristan de Souza
U10 Border	NA	NA	Cameron Thomson
U10 Lyon	NA	NA	Frederick Gosling
U10 Bradman	NA	NA	Jake Kleiman
U10 Ponting	NA	NA	Nicholas Xia
U11 O'Keefe	NA	NA	Yuvi Gill

U11 Gardner	NA	NA	Jonah Belger
U11 Cheatle	NA	NA	Max Stone
U11 Bolton	NA	NA	Zayd Hussain
U11G Healy	Isobel O'Connell	Neave Barker	Vivienne Berry
U12 Green	Krishna Soundapparaju	Aaron Matthews/Henry Gardner	Lachlan Hammond
U12 Harris	Veraj Singh	Dean Goldin	Alexander Kraszewski-Francia
U12 Zampa	Logan Gore	Logan Gore	Matthew Hudson
U12 Inglis	Sean Lynch	Charlie Hole/ Ashton Dupree	Nicholas Walker
U12 Finch	Zack Yerbury	Zack Yerbury	Jake Fry
U12 Cutting	Willian Durer	James McDaniel	Benjamin Vincent
U13G Campbell	Gillian Bui	Gillian Bui	Amelia Haffenden
U13 Phillipe	Tristan Pomeroy	Jack English	Carson Harvey
U13 Abbott	James Stewart	Daniel Couper	Daniel Hale
U14 Langer	Matteo Flore	Kaviru Karunaratne	Caden de Syrah-Blood
U14 Marsh	Fraser Rowan	Jayden Roland	Doron Evian
U14/15 Benaud	Oliver Freeman	Harrison McConochie	Daniel Talberg
U14/15 Edwards	Mayher Singh	Rohan Saha	Jeremy McKindley
U15 Lanning	Ivy Platt	Evie Choudhary	Sahana Jain
U15 Perry	Caitlyn Bruell	Eloise Fisher	Shreya Dutta
U16/17 Hussey	Kai Schreiber-Pitters	Kai Schreiber-Pitters	Micah Phillips
U16/17 Paine	Daniel Dougan	Daniel Dougan	Oliver French
U17 Hughes	Hugo di Veroli	Marcus Walsh	Rhys von Thien
U17 Clarke	Dylan Johnson	Dylan Johnson/Patrick Millet	Jordan Hubersman

# Perpetual Award Winners 2021/22

# President's Encouragement Award (U10/U11 & U11 Girls)

Nominations
U10 Border - Michael Kaplan
U10 Lyon - George Johnson
U10 Bradman - Penny Evans
U10 Ponting - Mitchell White
U11 Healy - Sasha McGarrick - Winner
U11 O'Keefe - Tom Lockwood
U11 Gardner - Luke Barclay
U11 Cheatle - James Arkell
U11 Bolton - Arjun Krishnan

# John Walsh Memorial Trophy – Club Championship Points

Player Name	Matches	Points
Evie Choudhary	11	37.50
Jeremy McKindley	19	37.50

# Steve Bird Championship Trophy - highest point score by female player

Player Name	Matches	Points
Evie Choudhary	10	37.5
Ivy Platt	10	35.8
Neave Barker	10	35.5
Isobel O'Connell	9	33.9
Matilda Brown	10	29.8

# J. Maunder Cup – 32 Over and T20 Top Run Scorers >250 Runs

Player Name	Matches	Innings	Runs	Not Outs	Average
Matteo Flore	18	16	266	7	29.56
Veraj Singh	18	14	241	9	48.20

# **Charlton Cup – Top Wicket Takers (12 Wickets and Over)**

Player	Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Avg	Strike Rate	Econ Rate	Best
Evie Choudhary	11	27.4	5	40	17	2.35	9.76	1.45	3/4
Jayden Roland	12	40.2	2	161	14	11.50	17.29	3.99	3/8
Kaviru Karunaratne	11	50.4	1	208	14	14.86	21.71	4.11	4/11
Dean Goldin	11	22.1	2	69	13	5.31	10.23	3.11	2/4
Eloise Fisher	10	30	0	94	13	7.23	13.85	3.13	4/6

# Neil Martz Trophy- Top Wicket Keepers (4 Dismissals and Over)

Player Name	Matches	Catches	Stumpings	Dismissals
Straw, Jack	10	9	4	13
McKindley, Jeremy	19	2	5	7

# **Barry Garrod Trophy – Best Batting Average In U12**

Player	Matches	Innings	Runs	Not Outs	Average
Veraj Singh	12	9	179	7	89.5
Dean Goldin	12	9	165	9	165.0
Zack Yerbury	9	9	162	4	32.4

# **Steve Daniels Award - list of nominations**

Player	Points over 3 years
Kai Schreiber-Pitters	125.6
Dylan Johnson	111.6
Hayden Dennis	109.2
Kieran Poulton	92.7
Marlon Kesby	86.9
Soham Chawla	79.4

# **Johnson Family Award - list of nominations**

Player Name	Matches	Points
Jack English	12	33.2
James Lawrance	12	27.7
Tristan Pomeroy	10	25.7
Carson Harvey	10	25.1
James Stewart	10	24.9
Daniel Couper	10	24.3
Samuel Cheever	12	22.7

# **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS BY TEAM 2021/22**

Please go to <a href="http://mycricket.cricket.com.au">http://mycricket.cricket.com.au</a> for your team and individual game and season stats.

#### TEAM REPORTS - a selection are below:-

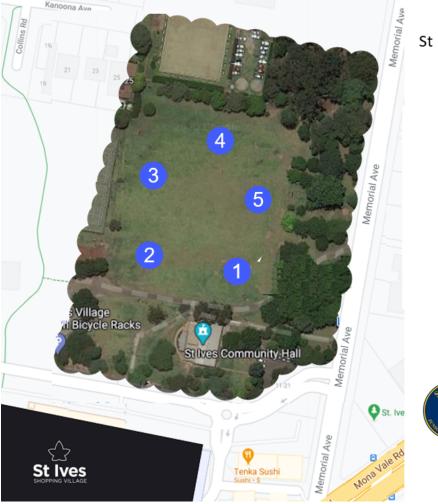
#### **Junior Blasters**

Junior Blasters was held at St Ives Village Green. There were 37 players across 5 teams. Players adapted well to the changes in player protocols introduced by NSW Health and CNSW. Thank you to the coaches and parents for making the sessions possible and fun during this difficult time.

David Ford and his assistant coaches organised the players at team stations located around the St Ives Village Green. Players were asked to bring their own ball and bats to reduce the shared use of equipment.

Players were enthusiastic as they were put through the skills stations each week. Diamond cricket was introduced when player skills had become more developed, and helped to keep the young players engaged.

The club would also have an opportunity for the players to go to the SCG to experience the action of BBL and enjoy being on the hallowed turf as before game entertainment. Unfortunately no activities were permitted this year due to the pandemic.



St Ives Junior Cricket Club Junior Blasters St Ives Village Green





3 Thunder



5 Heat







# **Master Blasters**

Master Blasters had another great season. The delayed start did not dampen the spirit of the players who were eager to improve on their skills. Deshan Malalage, Kirra Levin, Dylan Johnson and Angus Stevenson were the U17 assistant coaches in the skill zone. Players from Lindfield, West Pymble and St Ives who go to the centre wicket and practise their batting and bowling, and then return to their matches when their team is ready to bat. This ensures that players remain engaged for the entire session.

Mahesh Mamalage would open the session each week, with a few words of encouragement and words of wisdom from the matches played during the week. It could be about Warner's quick 50 or Kohli's amazing batting technique!

In February (after 8 weeks of sessions), some players are ready to try Junior cricket for the first time. 2 teams were placed in the U9 competition and experienced the use of leg pads, helmets whilst running between wickets. It is a big step up for these young players, and a great way for them to see the pathway ahead of them.







#### U9 Silk

Manager - Rosalie Ashe Coach - Craig Williams

For most of the team, this was the first step up out of Master Blaster and into competitive cricket.

The team features a lot of natural athleticism and over the last 6 months, all the boys have really worked hard on improving their bowling technique, running between wickets and participation in the field. This led to a number of close games going our way. The improvement of every player has been great to experience, and we hope all the team returns to continue improving next season and continues to be a formidable opposition to whoever they play.

#### **U9 Healy**

Coach - Pravin Madhanagopal Manager - Angela Truscott

It has been a great year for U9 Healy. Our team consisted of a wide range of skills and experience. We had some of the more experienced Year 3 boys joining forces with the keen and enthusiastic Year 2 boys and they all thrived throughout the season. The older boys would often guide, coach, and encourage the younger ones and it was always a pleasure to watch.

The children are from a variety of schools in the area. It was fantastic to see them all get along so well from day 1 and form wonderful new friendships. Special thanks goes to the Team Coach Pravin, who has been so dedicated, calm and inspiring to all the boys. Pravin constantly provided invaluable tips to all the players that will stay with them forever.

We all look forward to meeting again next season

#### **U10** Bradman

Coach - Toby Pemberton Manager - Derek Couper

What a year! The Bradman's were a new team for the 2021/22 season with many players wanting to learn the joy of cricket and improve their skills. Step in the coaches and parents that have provided an amazing environment for this to flourish.

The year started off quickly and it took the team a few weeks to get the hang of the games against seasoned oppositions. The coaches decided to focus on developing individual skills and just having fun, rather than results. It was amazing that the team took this as the positive and focus. Celebrations of each other's achievements became the goal. Lots of celebrations were had, lots.

It wasn't until after the New Year break that the team got its first win with only 5 players in the Team available (just enough to play)... the Fabulous 5. A win for the ages and the celebrations were loud (respectful) but a relief for all, including the parents. There was a tear in the eye from one coach in the post match debrief. The courage that was shown in the 8 rounds prior finally knocked down a wall and saw more wins follow and pleasingly everyone was involved in a win come the end of the season.

Special thanks to all the parents for their support getting the kids ready and giving them some tips along the way. Unlike other teams it wasn't just the coach and manager directing the circus. Thanks especially to Matt, Paul, Harley and Mayav for scoring and umpiring respectively.

When we look back on the year the kids all learned about the game, significantly developed their skills and had FUN. We witnessed close losses, close wins, against all odds wins, sixes, fours, crazy run outs, mix ups and even a hatrick! We had the biggest celebrations and had to drag the coach off the field just to get the game moving again... dogs (well our mascot) ran on the ground just to be part of the action. Where else would you want to be on a Saturday morning! This is a fun team to be part of. Until next season, keep practising and thank you kids for doing your best.

#### Team bios

Kai - What a great year Kai had. Kai loves batting and is keen to always play for the team. Kai hit some amazing shots this year and some awesome 4's. Kai's bowling is improving every week. Keep enjoying your cricket Kai!

James - A consistent player and very reliable in all areas of his game. James' bowling was very good and was on a hatrick with the first two balls of one of our matches, a season highlight. James' batting was very good and he hit some amazing shots. James had a great year.

Neela - in a word, Joy. Neela brought this in abundance to the team making her an integral part of the team. Neela was resilient with the bat and tried her best with the ball, wanting to improve her skills. A special moment of the season was when Neela injured her back the day before and still travelled to the game to cheer on the Fab 5 and our first win even though she could not play. Amazing. Thanks Neela for such a great contribution to your team.

Penny - usually Neela's partner in crime. Penny brings the team mascot each week (on four legs). Penny is a star of the future. A little more practice in all areas and Penny will see the rewards in her cricket. Penny took a few knocks but showed her teammates how tough she was and played on. Penny has amazing hand eye coordination when batting and her cut shots are worth the price of admission. Penny's bowling was a highlight, usually bowling at the end of our bowling innings to keep runs down. Great work Penny!

Jake - Jake is one of the most dedicated players in the Club. He loves to play and his training ethic is amazing. Jake runs the pants off his batting partners, even before the wicketkeeper can collect the ball! In one of the last games of the season Jake hit his first 6! A great celebration as we have seen how far he has come! Jake was sometimes seen practising at Hassell Park during the week with his family, a great example of how dedicated Jake is to improving his game. Congrats Jake.

Oliver - Oliver's batting improved all year with some amazing innings. When bowling you always knew he was going to be dangerous and you would want to give him one more over as you know he was always close to getting a wicket. Oliver is one of the stronger players of the team but a great team player. Great year Oli!

Samay - the youngest in the team and was a welcome mid season transfer (neighbour of the coach). We are so grateful he did play. Samay's bowling was great and batting became better as the season continued. Well done Samay, I can't wait to see your progression in your cricket.

Liam - our resident wicketkeeper and gun fielder that took his fair share of knocks and was brave. Reliable with the bat Liam could take on the quick bowlers, even breaking a bat in the process! We will remember Liam trying to slide his handle when completing a run while the rest of his bat was at cover and the ball at mid wicket. Liam's bowling was worth watching every time he had the Red King in his hands. A little bit of practice over the offseason will see Liam improve. Well done Liam, a big contributor.

Will - possibly as the stats show, our MVP. Part time wicketkeeper and confident fielder. Will scores with ease and runs between wickets like a rabbit, top scoring nearly every week. Will started the season with a 5 step bowling run up and finished with a run up that starts on the boundary fence. Over the year Will became arguably the quickest bowler in the comp, scary! Will's best attribute was his willingness to

celebrate with his mates including his hat trick! Thanks Will, your success was infectious to the group and we all got better. I can't wait to see you on TV playing cricket in 15 years time!

Thanks everyone, Toby and I are glad we put our hand up to direct this great team around the park!

#### U10 Lyon

Manager - Amanda Irons Coach - Andrew Foot

The St Ives U10 Lyon team came together again with most of the team now in their 3rd season together with the addition of some new blood in Anay and George. The team had high hopes of a successful season and whilst it took us a little bit of time to get into the swing of the season, we certainly hit our straps after the Christmas break, playing some great cricket before the big wet hit and saw a lot of games washed out.

The team made great progress in their running between wickets and ability to turn the strike over and score runs. Our fielding and bowling came along in leaps and bounds with some great catching and run out's a feature of the season.

The boys played in the right spirit all season and a highlight of the season was a last ball tie with St lves Ponting in a wonderful match. Both teams celebrated a great contest and mixed for a photo to mark the occasion after stumps.

Well done to the parents who supported enthusiastically all season, particularly our resident BBQ expert Dan Camilleri who along with Sophie Johnson produced outstanding sausage sandwiches every week for the team and the supporters to enjoy!

#### **U11G Healy**

Manager - Venessa O'Connell Coach - Nigel McGarrick

We are super proud of this league winning team. A group of girls coming together, some playing for the first time, to form Team Healy. There were some familiar faces that made everybody feel welcome and very much part of the club. The girls quickly started playing for each other, with lots of encouragement on the field with frequent chants "keep up the chatter we'll get the batter" or "keep up the cricket and we'll get a wicket"... Opposing teams certainly knew they were in a game, with lots of pressure being created by a strong bowling attack and quite superb fielding by everyone. Although we lost, a key highlight was taking 14 wickets in one match as we tried to bounce back. The coach had never seen such focus in a team. Another highlight was a very close game against Lane Cove, with the winning runs being made with only a few balls to spare. This is certainly a champion team, but special mention to Izzy for being the top batter and for Neave the top bowler in the entire North shore league. The team also made up a team song, although that quickly faded... into a more calmer ending to a game to the amusement of the parents. Thank you to the parents who all contributed to what was an amazing season. The manager and coach have loved engaging with the girls who are so curious about the game, and really focussed and gave it their all. The girls had fun whilst taking their games to the next level. Take it all in girls, well done!

#### U11 O'Keefe

Coach Sunny Gill Manager - Kerry Lockwood

A fun season was had by 10 enthusiastic cricketers in U11 O'Keefe. These boys braved the elements at training each week when it was either roasting hot or pouring (didn't dampen their spirits though). Saturday games enabled each individual to showcase their skills and saw the boys come together as the fabulous team they are. Season highlights include a win in the second last round. All hope was lost and with two overs to go, they managed 3 wickets to turn it around. Three games over the season saw the team take 9 wickets and there were some tight fielding displays & excellent slides to save some 4s. Substantial improvement from all the boys across the season as they all built on their skills. It was a joy to watch them come together each week as a team and support and encourage each other & their opponents.

#### **U11 Gardner**

Coaches - Simon Gooderick and Dilkushan Karunaratne

The coaching this year was shared between Simon myself. We both found the experience very rewarding, mainly due to the attitude of the boys, it was great to see all of them improve each week and want to learn!

Most kids were young to play U11; they were signed up either because of their older siblings or their friends. Several of the boys were playing their first year of club cricket and the cricket skills were varied. However, it was not evident at the games because they all played as an enthusiastic single unit. Our team and individual goal was to improve each week, whether it be batting, bowling, fielding or running between the wickets. The boys took this goal on and each week we saw an improvement in the individual performances which meant the team did well.

A huge thankyou must go to the U11 Gardner manager Hillary Rowell. Hilary did an incredible job this season. She put her hand up to manage the team knowing her son George would only be able to play half the games due to school cricket commitments. Due to Hilary's efforts the games ran smoothly. Without her, the team would have been in a very different situation. On behalf of the parents, players and coaches, thankyou Hilary.

A big thankyou to all parents who pitched in and helped, whether it be umpiring, scoring, uploading scores into MyCricket and the all important coffee runs. Many were scoring for the first time and were happy to take on the challenge! We hope the boys enjoyed this great sport, collected some valuable skills, and will be back next season more robust.

#### **U12 Green**

Coach - Nathan Gardner Manager - Bronwyn Stromsoe

Rather than provide a Season summary I wanted to reflect on the most exciting game of the season. In what turned out to be our final game we were up against our namesakes in Gordon Green – similarly positioned on the ladder. St Ives lost the toss and were sent in. We were in early trouble losing a wicket on the first ball of the day, a lovely pull shot from Luke snaffled by a classic overhead catch from the opposition. Wickets tumbled at a regular rate until we were 6-28 and things were looking dire. Enter Krishna and Lars who batted patiently, keeping out the good balls and dispatching the bad. Krishna was nearing our first 30 run retirement when he took off for a quick single and didn't make his ground. Together they put together a 39-run partnership which helped to provide us with a defendable total of 72.

In a parallel of the first innings, Ollie trapped their opening batsman out on the very first ball of the innings. The boys were holding their appeal for what seemed like an age when finally, the umpire raised his finger! A solid partnership of 26 runs was broken with a couple of quick wickets. Our boys bowled tight, fielded like misers and really turned the screws on the opposition as they ground out another 14 runs when a double breakthrough from Josh set them on their heels. This left them with 23 runs to win off 5 overs with one

wicket in hand. Parents paced the sidelines nervously. Gordon then went on the attack blazing 19 runs off the next two overs to look to have the game well within Gordon's grasp. With 2 runs to win Gordon smacked the ball to deep point, with St Ives in pursuit they completed the first run. As they turned for the second, the St Ives player (sadly unidentified in the score book) heaved the ball to the bowler's end and the bails were whipped off with the Gordon player well short of his ground. Both teams couldn't believe it! The game was tied.

A big thank you to all the Parents of St Ives Green who turned up every week to watch their boys – the boys loved having you there. I am very grateful to my Team Manager Bronwyn who ran the umpiring, scoring and snacks rostering like clockwork!

#### **U12 Cutting**

Manager - Celia Durer Coach - Geoff Wadeson

U12 Cutting's season got off to a less than auspicious start, starting in Division 1, a first round mauling at the hands of a Lindfield team full of representative players dented the teams collective confidence. Moving back to Division 2 from Round 2, a little shaken, it took a couple of weeks for the team to find its mojo. But a stirring last wicket win in Round 4 lifted the spirits of the team and the team went on a winning run through to the Christmas break. After the break the team's performance continued to improve and the last game played proved to be our best, a thumping win against North Sydney. The team really came together over the season and individually and collectively improved significantly. Well done U12 Cutting!

#### U12 Finch

Coach - Roger Quayle Manager - Daniel Cheever

The 2021-22 season for the St Ives U12 Finch team was a memorable one given the spirit with which the boys played and the results that the team achieved. Roger and I were fortunate to have a great group of talented cricketers who always played and trained in a positive manner.

The boys were rewarded for their hard work with an undefeated season that led to the team being minor premiers and then a premiership when the team defeated the strong St Ives Harris team in the final. The team was disappointed that Asher Wheals was unavailable for the final due to illness as he had been one of our strongest team members all season. One of the most pleasing aspects of the final was that every team member made an important contribution and several of the boys had their strongest performance with bat or ball in this game.





There were many highlights for the season. These included the final, the come from behind win against North Sydney after some questionable umpiring and the batting performance where we made 200 in just 20 overs. Zack Yerbury was our player of the season. He won several awards as he topped the batting and bowling aggregates for our team with an impressive season bowling average of 4.08. Jake Fry was a very deserved winner of the Spirit of Cricket Award for our team.

I would like to thank Roger Quayle for his work as the team coach. He always found a great balance between ensuring that each boy had opportunities and allowing the team to be successful. I would also like to thank all the parents for their help. The boys were always on time for training and games and I never had to look too far for an umpire or scorer.

I look forward to seeing the boys progress in future seasons.

#### **U13 Philippe**

Coach/Manager - Paul Williams

U13 Phillipe has had a good year of cricket. The team has come together well, we have had some brilliant games and all the boys have contributed throughout the season. we look forward to going around next year

#### **U13 Abbott**

Coaches - Derek Couper/Rama Gallakota

What a year. A brand new team that needed a few phone calls to schoolmates to pull a team together. Many of the kids are 1 to 2 years younger than their opponents but we did learn a lot which will make us better players for next year and the years after.

The season started with promise and a tough draw and a realisation that there would be no passengers in this team. This meant that the boys rolled up their sleeves and trained their hearts out. Unfortunately a few of the easier games we did not get to play. Of the four easier games, all four were not played. Looking at the positives the boys just wanted to play and to the boys credit we rolled 3 of the top 5 teams for under 90. However our team batting, for a young team, just wasn't yet at the u/13 standard.

Needless to say there was some great cricket played, and the boys stuck together and earned a huge reward in the last few weeks of the comp. That was a relief and did bring a tear to the eye in the post match briefing, knowing how hard the kids worked for months on end.

#### **Player Bios**

James - in my opinion one of the most destructive batters in the competition. His bowling reminds me of Shaun Tait, express and whiley. James gave us street credit with his early season batting while the team fell away. Come the end of the season his confidence inspired the rest of the team's batting. I am so glad that he hit our winning runs in our latest win. By far the best batter in the team and a co-captain. Thanks James for turning up each week. A little bit more work on your technique will put you in good stead for representative honours.

Justin - a keen player and one of the youngest in the team. Justin is very resilient and wants to improve all aspects which is great to see. At the start of the year I picked Justin as a dangerous bowler, that he is. Justin nearly swung the game our way with 2 wickets and 2 run outs against the top of the table Mosman team. Never right Justin off! Well done Justin, great year.

Devan - Devan does not particularly like to bat but put together one of the best tail end innings with Daniel H of the year. Devan's strength is his bowling. I picked Devan at the start of the year as a destructive left arm bowler, when he is on. With another year of practice of his craft he will be very good. Concentration is the key thing. Devan's chat and support to his mates is top shelf. Thanks Dev, your contribution was brilliant this year.

Seth - Had a great year, finding his feet as a top order batter and very handy spinner. A confident player that should have plenty of confidence after the way he bowled and batted, especially at the end of the season. Seth also took the gloves and did a great job. Seth was the eldest in the team and showed great maturity to others on how to carry yourself. A very good season for Seth.

Daniel H - Daniel is a player that wants to get better and wants to contribute which warms the coach's heart. Daniel took key wickets for us throughout the year including in the year end derby when he got 3 wickets for almost no runs. Daniel hates getting out and made it his mission to carry his bat in the middle to the end of the year. This was rewarded with being promoted up the batting order and getting retired and nearly winning a rain affected match with Dan. A solid player for the team.

Aahaan - aka the joker. After taking money off the coach in an early season bowling drill, Aahaan's game and especially his bowling improved substantially. His captain was very comfortable throwing him the ball and the opposition, in most cases, could not play him. Aahaan can be anything with his pace, maybe even a fast spinner. I look forward to following his progress.

Savin - this kid has so much talent. A very good bowler and hard to pick his spin and wrong uns. His batting is silky. Savin was always unlucky to get out just when a big score was around the corner. For the games you were able to play I hope you enjoyed yourself. Good year.

Rahul - Mr Consistent. Another player that the captain would always throw the ball to without hesitation. Rahul took wickets at ease and was very hard to play. His batting was good but was unlucky not to go on with big scores. A bit more practice and confidence will put Rahul in good stead for next season.

Keshav - A great kid and extremely talented left arm bowler. When he was available, Keshav would always have a positive impact on our team and the boys got around him. Keshav would always turn up to Monday training when it was on and would be open to trying new things. A great attitude, keep listening to advice. I look forward to following your career.

Veraj - Wow, what talent. Again playing up a few age groups but to have the confidence to open the batting which such great technique is great to watch. Veraj is already a very good bowler and one of the best spinners in the comp. Veraj was retired a few times and had a great year and boys really enjoyed your contribution, thank you!

Dan C - A tough, humble, top to middle order bat that is happy to see off the heat and score runs. Not scared of the fight when batting as we saw in our recent win. A sound gloveman that can take some great catches. Dan also turned games with mid innings wickets, including a 4 for 4 to roll the top Nth Sydney team for under 70! Dan's batting was silky and nearly won a rain shortened match in the final over. Along with James, Dan captained our team and had the respect of the lads from game 1 and he was welcoming as a few parents mentioned to me. Keep learning about the game and you will be a great all round player. A very big contributor this year.

#### U14/15 Benaud

Coach - Michael Kane Manager - Dawn Kilkelly

This season's team was a blend of previous Benaud players plus some new boys that have played for other teams. Straight away from the first practice session, it was clear the 'new and improved Benaud' team was going to gel well. The mix of old and new talent provided depth in all aspects of the game and set us up for a great season.

I must say our 'Benaud boys' are a good bunch, they set about training hard, 'week in week out' and this mentality puts them in the right mindset for each game. You could see them maturing each week and realising that playing well together reaped them the rewards they deserved.

As per last season, momentum was hard to gain with 4 washouts, but the boys carved out 5 memorable

wins from 9 played games, finishing in a position to contest the finals. They played hard, and very fair, and I am very proud of the way they conducted themselves on and off the field. This is what makes Cricket so great, it develops character into our boys.

I hope the boys continue playing their cricket into next season and beyond, as I know they will gain so much from the game and their teammates as I did growing up.

Thank you to the St Ives JCC for all their tireless work in making this a reality.

#### U14/15 Edwards

Coach - Steve Collinson Manager - Ranjan Saha

A fun lighthearted team seeking to give all players as much opportunity as possible with bat and ball. Encouraging players to adopt a process-oriented approach and not worrying about the outcome, with some simple core tenets team, trust and responsibility. Above all the team focused on positivity to each other and the opposition. We also introduced the concept of fearless batting. Players embraced the idea of only being interested in strike rate when batting. Many players had the opportunity to captain the team over the course of the season. A great group of players supported by their parents, making for an enjoyable team environment. We had a number of decisions go against us over the course of the season which had an impact on outcomes and points in the ladder. It was extremely pleasing that everyone was able to move on from these quickly with no fuss, resulting in zero escalations to the NSJCA for the season. Good luck for the future.

#### **U14 Langer**

Manager - Graeme Booth, Jim Straw Coach - Paolo Flore, Dilku Karunaratne

A word from our Managers and Coaches - Graeme Booth, Jim Straw, Paolo Flore and Dilku Karunaratne

Congratulations to the U14 Langer team for a truly sterling performance. I would like to congratulate all the award winners for their wonderful achievement but to all the young cricket players, your parents, the managers - Graeme and Jim, assistant super coach, Dilku and myself are extremely proud for what you have achieved over the course of the season. You have all played the game you love with enthusiasm, passion and in the spirit of the game which makes us all very proud. It's a great privilege to watch you all grow and develop.

To the parents, many thanks for supporting your boys throughout the season. Your commitment shown during the games and at practice is greatly appreciated by the boys. To all the parents that assisted with scoring, standing in the sun-umpiring, assisting with the field and wicket prep and coffee runs, barbequing, Thank you. A special thanks to Graeme for arranging outside coaching, the boys really enjoyed training sessions.

The boys came together at the beginning of the season as strangers but the bond, the camaraderie and team spirit that they have shown, was something wonderful to witness. I am sure that this will continue in the years to come. The U14 Langer team improved as a team and as individuals in all aspects of the game. More importantly, we have embraced the spirit of

cricket and competed fiercely but fairly to the end of each game.

We have had some outstanding individual contributions with bat, ball and fielding. However, as outstanding as some of these performances have been, I am prouder of the way the boys have come together as a team and encouraged one another.

Congratulations to all the boys for a fantastic season. Graeme, Jim, Paolo and Dilcu

#### **U15G Lanning**

Manager - Athene Alleck Coach - Liam Daley

This year's Lanning team was made up of 4 players from St Ives previous team and 5 players who moved across from Normanhurst. The girls all got on straight away and became great friends and vocal supporters of each other every game. The competition was a Stage 2 Girls comp so we saw a merge of regions and played most of our games in the Hills region (which was quite an adventure for many of us)! Lanning played consistently well and continued to improve, only losing once to past rivals Mosman in the later rounds. All the girls had stand-out moments but special mention needs to go to Ivy for her killer 6, Evie for her chaos calling, Maithri for her super spin, Kyla for coming along even when injured & Louie for being Team Mascot. Thanks to Liam for coaching (and Brownie stepping in when needed) and everyone who scored and umpired throughout the season. It was a real team effort by parents and players and I think that's what made it so much fun.

#### U16/17 Hussey

Coach - Chris Poulton/Jack Kesby Manager - Deanne Uy

U16/17 Team Hussey has had a fantastic season of cricket in the Sunday T20 competition this year. After a slow start, winning just one game from the first six rounds, the team went on an unstoppable winning streak of seven games in a row to finish both as Minor Premiers and Grand Final Champions!

Not only has there been a vast improvement in their cricket skills over the course of the season, but the team's success can be attributed to everyone's passion for the game and their outstanding teamwork. Thanks to all the parents who supported the boys each and every week, and happily volunteered to either umpire, score or cook the bbq. We've all had a lot of fun on and off the field!



# St Ives Junior Cricket Club 2021/22 AGM Meeting Hassall Park, St Ives Wednesday 5th August 7.30pm AGENDA

- 1. Introduction and Welcome
- 2. Minutes of 2020/21 Annual General Meeting
- 3. President's Report
- 4. Treasurer's Report
- 5. Constitution review and update
- 6. Election of Office Bearers for 2021/22
- 7. General Business
- 8. Close



# **St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc**

## **MINUTES of AGM**

Held via Teams video link Thursday 5th August 2021

Attendees:		Apologies:
Mahesh Malalage	Stephanie Williams	Mark Hilton
Katherine Stevenson	Antony Horan	Chris Poulton
Will Cheadle	Dawn Kilkelly	Lori Abbott
Louise Smith	Paolo Flore	Susie Loder
David Lane	David Barker	
Trent Austin		
Adele Brennan		
David McKay		
Andrew Stevenson		

President Thanks and Welcome	
<ul> <li>Welcome committee to the meeting and thanks to Will C and the auditor for completing the Financials for the season for the AGM</li> <li>Another successful year for the club</li> </ul>	KS
Confirmation of 5th August 2020 AGM Minutes:  • William Cheadle moved, and Louise Smith seconded the AGM minutes to be a true and correct record of the meeting.	KS
President's Report:	MM
Extracted from the SIJCC Annual Report	
As I reflect on the season and the last 5 years as the president of the St Ives Junior Cricket Club, my overwhelming feeling is one of pride and progress. The 2020-21 season could be remembered for all the disruption due to COVID19 restrictions, wet weather cancellations and one very hot weekend where all competitions were cancelled. However, a better reflection is the way in which we persevered as a club, to deliver a high quality cricket experience to the 567 players and their parents who	

continued to support the club despite trying circumstances. In an unpredictable and restrictive environment, we adapted quickly and delivered a safe environment for great cricket to be played.

I was very lucky to experience much of this first hand at the Friday afternoon training with our youngest players and the girls teams as well as at the Saturday morning Master Blaster program at Hassall Park. The enthusiasm in which our Master Blaster & Stage 1 players develop their skills and play their game is one of my best memories of the season. A special mention needs to be made about our girls who continue to develop their skills and encourage each other at training and at the games. We need to nurture this innocence and the enjoyment of the game so these players maintain this spirit as they progress into the older age groups.

I umpired at least two games every weekend (U15 and U17) where my sons played their cricket. On a personal note, some of the experiences of player behaviour at these games did provide an opportunity for me to reflect on the code of conduct and the improvements that are badly needed. I have made it a priority to change the way the NSJCA code of conduct is applied, so that the spirit of cricket can be continued to be fostered within every St Ives team next season.

After months of uncertainty due to COVID19 restrictions, we were able to kick off the 2020-21 season in September with our presentation day (which was rescheduled from March 2020) and the season open day. It was an unusual way to start the season but players and parents quickly adapted to the new ways of doing things including scanning QR codes at the entry to Hassall Park, social distancing and hand sanitizing. It was clear that we all missed cricket during the lockdown and we were ready to play.

Despite the disruptive weather (both rain and excessive heat) and the COVID 19 restrictions, we managed to play over 10 weekends of cricket from September 2020 to March 2021. For the first time in many years, I did not make it to the SCG to watch a single game during the season and we did not have any on-field activity with the Sydney Sixers. We were not able to do team BBQ's on match days, and this did have an impact on the enjoyment and the social aspects of game-days for many of us. We did manage to run the BBQ at Hassall Park on Friday nights and on Saturday mornings while following strict COVID protocols and were lucky to find a new provider for the coffee van on Saturday mornings. The bar was well stocked, and the new outdoor furniture on the balcony at Hassall Park club house was a welcome addition to the ambiance and was patronised by many parents.

On a personal note, it was the last season at St Ives for my older son, Deshan, who played 108 games for the club. He finished his junior cricket career at St Ives as the highest run scorer and the highest wicket taker ever, with 2150 runs, 107 wickets and 37 catches. He also volunteered his time as a coach for the Master Blaster Program on Saturday mornings. The experiences I had with him at the club as his coach, an umpire and a very proud parent, will be some of my most cherished memories. I am very

grateful for the club for providing him with the opportunities to play the game that he loves for over 10 years.

There were many other individual players who celebrated significant milestones this season, including a very special group of players who celebrated their 100<sup>th</sup> game for the club. Congratulations to Deshan Malalage, Hayden Dennis, Dilan Hilton, Lochlan Stevenson, Luke Thom, Toby Loebel, Kieran Poulton, Jordan Iyengar and Joshua Gooderick.

A special mention to Dylan Johnson who scored his 2000<sup>th</sup> run for St Ives and Lochlan Stevenson who passed 1500 runs. Deshan Malalage passed his 100<sup>th</sup> wicket for the club this season and Luke Thom, Joshua Gooderick and Kai Schreiber-Pitters all passed their 75<sup>th</sup> wicket.

A number of players were selected to play representative cricket for the North Shore rep teams and this included the following girls: Naomi Alleck, Kyla Daley, Jorja Horan, Ivy Platt, Chloe Simpson, Eleanor Wise-Mann were selected to the U13 girls academy. Kyla Daley, Jorja Horan, Ivy Platt were selected to play in the U13 Mollie Dive team.

One player from each U10/11 team was nominated by their managers for the President's Encouragement Award. This award is a reflection of the way cricket is played at St Ives Cricket Club and is presented to the player who is considered to have displayed the greatest dedication to the game, to the Club, and in developing their skills in the U10 and U11 competition. This year's winner was Eleanor Wark from the U11 Healy team.

Congratulations to all our club players who gave their best to their teams every weekend. I am incredibly proud of the way you play your game and the many achievements along the way this season.

In the report below, I have highlighted the key achievements of the 2020-21 season and the progress the club has made to achieve our strategic goals.

#### Players:

#### i. Cricket Australia junior cricket pathways program

We continued to run a successful Woolworths Junior Blast program at the St Ives Village Green and the joint St Ives, Lindfield and West Pymble Master Blaster program was run at Hassall Park.

St Ives teams were well represented in all formats of the Stage 1-3 competitions run by the NSJCA.

#### ii. The club coaching strategy

Friday afternoon club training was extended to the Master Blaster players and the coaching team headed by Cameron Merchant delivered a high quality program for all girls teams, Master Blasters and U9 and U10 teams.

David Ford and his team of coaches continued to deliver skills development to our junior blasters. Appointing a dedicated head of coaching role for the 2021-22 season is a priority for the club in order to continue the coordination and coaching skills development of our parent coaches.

#### iii. Development squads

The development squads were not offered this season and the concept will be reviewed ahead of next season.

#### iv. Maintain player numbers and engagement

Despite the restrictions and frustrations with COVID19, the total number of registrations was on par with previous season and the club had 567 players this season playing in 59 teams. The engagement of the players and the parents remained very high with a net promoter score of 55 was received via the annual survey.

#### v. Drive uptake of girls cricket.

This season, we had 6 girls teams with 48 girls playing in the U11 and U13 all girls competitions. This was a significant milestone, achieved through concerted effort by the club over the last 3 years. The dedicated coaching offered for these teams as part of Friday club training was well received and a number of St Ives girls went onto play rep cricket this season.

#### People:

#### i. Social activities at the club and match-day parental engagement.

The canteen, the bar and coffee van continued to provide weekly social events on Friday evening training sessions and Saturday morning Master Blast sessions which was well supported by the parents. Due to COVID19 related restrictions, we were not able to utilize the club BBQ's on match days and the absence of this unique social gathering was felt by many.

The backyard game with Chris Green that was auctioned off at the club social event was well attended and the club is very grateful for Chris' continued generosity with his time.

Despite many restrictions related to COVID19, the parents of St Ives continued to support their kids' games and were very engaged with the club.

#### ii. Engaged & high performing committee.

The core group of volunteers in the committee were boosted by new members this season. Stephanie Williams joined the team as the girls cricket coordinator and Narelle Bray joined as the events coordinator. A very special thank you to Mark Hilton, Will Cheadle, Louise Smith, Andrew Stevenson, Adele Brenan, Antony Horan, David Lane, David Barker, Trent Austin, Ankur Sood, Lori Abbott, David McKay and Chris Poulton who once again supported me in running a very smooth season despite the many challenges.

Finally, a huge thank you to Katherine Stevenson who once again did a fantastic job as the operations manager.

#### iii. Accredited coaches and long term engagement.

The challenges with COVID19 meant that we were not able to run any specific training for our parent coaches at the start of the season. We are looking to appoint a head of coaching position for next season to drive high quality coaching for the next few years. We are planning to run a level 1 coaching course at Hassall Park in partnership with CNSW.

#### Places:

#### i. Overhaul facilities at Hassall Park.

Ku-ring-gai Council has developed a master plan for the development of Hassall Park site and the club along with the senior cricket club has provided extensive feedback to the council. The plan has gone through a review at council and we are waiting on the council to confirm next steps. The council made repairs to the triple nets run up at the end of the season and they have committed to repairs to the double nets during the off season.

#### ii. Access ALL available facilities grants and increase internal fundraising.

We were successful in securing minor grants worth over \$10,000 this year. The committee will continue to explore future grant opportunities and work with the council to support the master plan at Hassall Park. The NSJCA has also committed to financially supporting the development of facilities at Hassall Park. An important point to note is that all state infrastructure grants need to align with the council's master plan for Hassall Park and need the council's endorsement.

#### **Partnerships:**

#### I. Strategic partnerships with Northern Districts CC and Sydney Sixers.

Due to COVID19 restrictions, there were no in-field activities as in previous years but the strong connection with the Sixers continues through the formalized partnership. We were one of the very few clubs to host the BBL trophy on presentation day. The club continues to explore opportunities for players to forge a pathway to senior cricket at Northern Districts.

#### II. Foster close links with Cricket NSW and NSJCA

We conducted a strategic review with CNSW at the end of the season and discussed various collaboration opportunities for the upcoming season including level 1 course at Hassall Park, umpires course for St Ives parents, pre-season school engagement programs and improvements to the application of code of conduct.

The club is well represented at the NSJCA executive with myself as the Vice President of NSJCA and as the umpires and rules convener. Both Katherine Stevenson and David Mackay are members of the NSJCA executive committee.

#### III. Maintain close links with St Ives Wahroonga CC to create pathways to senior cricket.

The club continues to maintain close links with the St Ives Wahroonga senior club through regular executive meetings and through opportunities for U15 and U17 players to play in the 5th grade team.

#### IV. Maintain close partnership with Ku-ring-gai Council.

We continued our close professional relationship with the council and the mayor, Jennifer Anderson and several counselors attended the annual awards presentation day in March.

We will continue to lobby and provide input into the Hassall Park master plan to ensure the needs of our players are met.

#### V. Create new opportunities for sponsorships with local businesses.

This remains an important yet untapped opportunity and we will continue to explore opportunities in the new season. We are also very grateful to Harry Solomons of Kingsgrove Sports for his generous donation of signed cricket bats and other cricketing memorabilia as well as the discounts offered to our parents.

#### **Promotion:**

i. Drive girls cricket promotion with Cricket NSW & Sydney sixers at local public schools. There is a continued need to engage the local schools to encourage girls to try cricket. The registrations for all girl team competitions achieved an all time high of 48 girls playing in all girl competitions. The club is in continued dialogue with CNSW through Daniel Anderson who is our local community cricket officer.

# <u>ii. Deliver match day / on ground entertainment experiences via Sydney Sixers and CNSW.</u>

Due to COVID19 restrictions, there were no in-field experiences this season but CNSW are committed to providing opportunities for us next season pending restrictions being lifted.

<u>iii. Increase traffic to the club Facebook page and additional user generated content.</u>
The Club Facebook page likes have increased to 426 (from 369 previous season) which is a 15% increase over the last season. We are looking to appoint a dedicated social media role in the coming season.

#### iv. Maximize the utilization of MyCricket, TeamSnap and Website.

TeamSnap was the main source of communications with the teams on match-day logistics, team selections and general communications. We also utilized TeamSnap for COVID19 contact tracing on match days and at training.

#### v. Multi-channel marketing integrating digital and traditional channels.

We continued to embrace Facebook, Website, Team Snap and MyCricket platforms which are all aligned to a seamless communication strategy to provide timely information to the players and parents through digital and traditional means. A new Instagram page was launched this season. The local parent network and word of

mouth continue to be the strongest recruitment driver and source of advocacy for the club. We will explore virtual channels such as Zoom, WebEx and Teams to disseminate scorers training, coaches and umpires workshops in the coming season to complement face to face activity.

In conclusion, I would like to thank the committee for their ongoing support and commitment to the club during a particularly challenging season. My gratitude goes out again to Katherine Stevenson who was a constant source of support to get things done.

A special thank you to all the parents of the club who volunteer their time to different formal and informal roles within the 59 teams this season. I also wanted to say a special thank you to our club patron, Chris Green who continues to give his time generously to the club where possible. It was great to see him perform exceptionally well in the various competitions around the world this season.

Our club continues to play a critical role within the NSJCA and influence the way we play cricket in the North Shore. During the CNSW end of season strategic review session, there was very positive feedback regarding SIJCC as one of the most successful and well run clubs in the area. This was echoed in the parent survey completed at the end of the season.

Despite COVID19, the strong registration numbers shows the continued faith parents have placed in the club and we will aim to lead the way in shaping the way we play cricket in the future by driving the code of conduct, innovation in the way run the club and its processes and increasing girls participation.

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

- The club has reported a \$26K profit for the 2020/21 season. The Increased profit was attributed to Grants (\$10.5k), reduced coaching costs (no Daniel Caldwell or 30 over coaching) and equipment stock control by ANdrew Stevenson.
- The Financials cover 12 months from 31 March 2020 to March 2021, as opposed to finishing at 28 Feb.
- Costs from Cricket equipment including balls has continued to decline due to tighter management from Andrew Stevenson.
- \$7k profit was achieved from canteen/bar sales this season.
- Conservative spending for the 2021/22 season is advised. With so many unknowns caused by COVID19, it is important that the club financial status is not affected long term.

#### **Auditor's Report:**

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 The auditor (absent) has signed off the club financials for the 2020/21 season and looks forward to the continued association with SIJCC.

#### Election of Office Bearers 2021/22 Committee:

Committee Role	2021/2022	$\exists \bot$
President	Antony Horan	
Vice President	Vacant	
Treasurer, Secretary and Public Officer	William Cheadle	71
NSJCA Representative	Mahesh Malalage	7
Junior Blasters	Kannika Stergiotis	
Master Blasters	Vacant	
U9 (Blasters)	Susie Loder	71
U10 - Stage 1	Vacant	7
U11 - Stage 1	David Barker	
U12 - Stage 2	Lori Abbott	]
U13 - Stage 2	Antony Horan	71
U14 - Stage 3	Paolo Flore	7
U15 - Stage 3	Trent Austin	]
U17 - Stage 3	Chris Poulton	]
Girls Coordinator	Stephanie Williams	
Equipment Coordinator	Andrew Stevenson	
Uniforms Coordinator	Adele Brennan	
Coaching Coordinator	Mahesh Malalage	
Operations Manager	Katherine Stevenson	
Scoring/Umpire Coordinator	Dawn Kilkelly	]
Sponsorship and Grants	David Lane	]   KS
Ethics Officer	Vacant	
Child Protection Officer	Antony Horan	
Canteen Manager	Vacant	
Events Coordinator	Vacant	
COVID Officer	Antony Horan	
Bank Signatories	Mahesh Malalage, William Cheadle	

- Vacant positions will be advertised through the member database
- Shadow roles should be encouraged to ensure that the committee has more regular new members.

#### AOB:

David McKay nominated Mahesh Malalage and Mark Hilton to become Life Members of the club. Both Mahesh and Mark have contributed enormously to the club over the last 10-12 years. Mark has enabled the club to sit firmly in the Sydney Sixers membership program and has a strong relationship with the stakeholders within the franchise. The club has benefited from numerous SCG opportunities, as well as the introduction of Watch Parties at Hassell Park and giveaways and support by the CNSW staff. Mark has coached his son's team for

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7 years and all parents have appreciated his insights and sportsmanship at training and during matches. His work with TeamSnap has improved communications across the club and ensured that parents can be more connected with their team.

Mahesh has enjoyed 2 of his sons playing cricket with the club, coached for several seasons, umpired numerous matches, whilst managing the Master Blaster format each week, hold the NSJCA Vice President role and Umpires and Rules Convenor at NSJCA and be President of SIJCC.

All committee members agreed and supported both nominations.

Meeting closed 8.05pm

Life Members	
Brev Johnson	Mark Ross Smith
Peter Godden	Rob Carruthers
Phil Crawford	Clive Fletcher
Louise Smith	Geoff Keevers
David McKay	Mahesh Malalage
Mark Hilton	

Special Purpose Financial Report For the 12 months Ended 31 March 2021

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# Statement of Financial Performance

# For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

	Note	For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 \$	For the 13 months ended 31 March 2020 \$
Revenue from membership fees	3	136,550	144,091
Revenue from sale of club merchandise	3	4,712	6,177
Other revenue from operating activities	3	9,748	18,608
Grants received		10,635	2,500
Total revenue		161,644	171,377
Depreciation of cricket equipment	4	(965)	(2,215)
Cricket expenses		(108,140)	(110,658)
Administration expenses		(35,213)	(52,700)
Net Profit		17,326	5,804

The statement of financial performance is to be read in conjunction with the notes to and forming part 1 of the financial statements set out of pages 3 to 8.

# Statement of Financial Position

## As at 31 March 2021

Current assets	Note	2021 \$	2020 \$
Cash assets Receivables Inventories Total current assets	5 6 7 —	134,730 3,010 15,459 153,199	87,808 3,277 9,868 100,953
Non-current assets Property, plant and equipment Total non-current assets	8	688 688	1,652 1,652
Total assets  Current liabilities	-	153,887	102,606
Payables Total current liabilities	9	47,142 47,142	13,187 13,187
Total liabilities	<u> </u>	47,142	13,187
Net assets	-	106,745	89,419
Members' funds Accumulated surplus	10	106,745	89,419
Total members' funds	Log	106,745	89,419

The statement of financial position is to be read in conjunction with the notes to and forming part of the financial statements set out of pages 3 to 8.

Notes to and forming part of the financial statements For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

#### Statement of significant accounting policies 1

The significant policies which have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report are:

#### Basis of preparation Я

The association is a non-reporting entity and the financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared for the committee members and members of the St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc. for the purpose of fulfilling the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1984. The Financial Statements comply with those Accounting Standards and UIG Consensus Views (if any) deemed necessary by the committee in the circumstances to meet the objectives of the special purpose financial report including;

AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements

AASB 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors

AASB 110 Events after Balance Date

AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures

AASB 1031 Materiality

AASB 1048 Interpretation and Application of Standards

They have been prepared from historical cost records and do not take into account changing money values or, except where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. The accounting policies have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

It has been determined that it is unnecessary to include a Statement of Cash Flows to meet the objectives of the special purpose financial report.

Notes to and forming part of the financial statements (continued) For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

## b Revenue recognition

Membership revenue is recognised in the period to which it relates. Sales of goods are recognised at the time of sale to the customer.

Other income is recognised when received.

#### c Expenses

Expenses were recorded in the financial statements on an accruals basis so that expenses are matched against income and recognised in the year to which they relate.

#### d Inventories

Inventories comprise stocks of cricket balls held for future use and club merchandise held for resale. Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

# e Property, plant and equipment

Items of cricket equipment are initially recorded at cost and depreciated over their estimated useful lives.

## f Goods and services tax

Expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense.

Accruals are stated inclusive of GST.

Notes to and forming part of the financial statements (continued) For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

# 2 Statement of change in significant accounting policies

The prior financial year of the incorporated association was changed from a 28/29 February year-end to a 31 March year-end to better align the association with the end of junior cricket season.

## Notes to and forming part of the financial statements For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 (continued)

		For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 \$	For the 13 months ended 31 March 2020 \$
3	Revenue from ordinary activities		
	Membership fees Sales of club merchandise Bar and Canteen proceeds Sponsorship & fundraising Grants received Other income Other revenues:	136,550 4,712 7,099 1,804 10,635 810	144,091 6,177 7,700 9,804 2,500 979
	From operating activities  Interest received		
	unclest tecelood	34	124
	Total revenue from ordinary activities	161,644	171,377
4	Profit from ordinary activities		
	Profit from ordinary activities has been arrived at after charging/(crediting) the following items:		
	Depreciation of cricket equipment  Auditors' remuneration:	965	2,215
	Current auditor	2,586	2,737

### Notes to and forming part of the financial statements For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 (continued)

		2021 \$	2020 \$
5	Cash assets		
	Cash		
	Cash at bank	134,730	O# 555
		134,730	87,808
			87,808
6	Receivables		
	Current		
	Trade Debtors		£ 500
	Less Provision for Doubtful Debt		5,500
	Other Debtors	3,010	(5,500)
	GST receivable	-	2,924 353
		3,010	3,277
7	Inventories		3,211
	Club shirts, pants & hats	8,954	6,504
	Cricket balls	6,506	2,838
	Canteen	-	526
		15,459	9,868
8	Property, plant and equipment		
	Plant and equipment		•
	Cricket equipment at cost	62,432	CO 455
	Accumulated depreciation	(61,744)	62,432
•		688	(60,779)
		008	1,652
	Total property, plant & equipment	688	1 650
			1,652

#### Notes to and forming part of the financial statements For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 (continued)

8	Property, plant and equipment - continued	2021 \$	2020 \$
	Reconciliations Reconciliations of the carrying amounts for each class of property, plant and equipment are set out below:		
	Plant and equipment Carrying amount at beginning of period Depreciation Carrying amount at end of period	1,652 (965) 688	3,868 (2,215) 1,652
9	Payables Current Trade creditors ATO payable Other payables & accruals GST payable	5,118 39,580 2,444 47,142	4,280 6,402 2,505
10	Accumulated surplus Accumulated surplus at beginning of period Operating profit for the period Accumulated surplus at end of period	89,419 17,326 106,745	83,615 5,804 89,419

#### 11 Related parties

#### Committee members

The committee members at the end of the financial year were:

Mahesh Malalage (President)
William Cheadle (Treasurer, Secretary and Public Officer)
David Lane (Council, Sponsorship & Grants)
Amit Kapoor (Junior Blasters)

Narelle Bray (Events Coordinator)
David McKay (Coaching Coordinator)

Mark Hilton (Vice President)
Adele Brennan (Uniform Officer)
Andrew Stevenson (Equipment Officer)
Stephanie Williams (Girls Coordinator)
Katherine Stevenson (Operations Manager)

Age Coordinators (David Barker, Lori Abbott, Antony Horan, Idana Katz, Mark Hilton, Trent Austin, Chris Poulton)

No committee member has entered into a material contract with the association during the year and there were no material contracts involving committee members' interests subsisting at year end. Katherine Stevenson receives remuneration for time spent in coordinating all activities essential to the operation of the

Committee members' declaration For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

In the opinion of the Committee of St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc.:

- a the financial statements and notes, set out on pages 1 to 8, are in accordance with the basis set out in Note 1 to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the association as at 31 March 2021 and of its performance as represented by the results of its operations for the year ended on that date; and
- b there are reasonable grounds to believe that the association will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Dated at Sydney the 2 May of Jones, 2022.

Signed on behalf of the committee:

Name: Mahesh Malalage

President

Name: William Cheadle

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Treasurer



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Special Purpose Independent Audit Report For the year ended 31 March 2021

To the members of St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc.

#### Scope

We have audited the financial report of St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc. being a special purpose financial report comprising the statement of financial performance, statement of financial position, accompanying notes and committee members' declaration for the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 as set out on pages 1 to 9.

The association's committee are responsible for the financial report and they have determined that the accounting policies used and described in Note 1 to the financial report and the accounting disclosures contained therein are appropriate to the needs of the members and the Associations Incorporation Act 1984. We have conducted an independent audit of the financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the members.

The financial report has been prepared for distribution to the members for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1984. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report prepared as a special purpose financial report to which it relates, to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial report and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 so as too present a view which is consistent with our understanding of the association's financial position and the result of its operations.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.



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#### Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report of St Ives District Junior Cricket Club Inc. for the 12 months ended 31 March 2021 presents fairly in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements the association's financial position as at 31 March 2021 and the result of its operations for the year ended on that date.

Date:

27th January 2022

Reg'n No: 345491

Auditor:

Peter Geoffrey Noble Winn

Firm:

Winn Croucher Audit Services Pty Limited

Address: // North Sydney

# Unaudited Detailed Profit and Loss Statement

# For the 12 months ended 31 March 2021

	For the 12	months ended	For the 13 m	onths ended
	31 Ma	rch 2021	31 Mare	ch 2020
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenue from membership fees		136,550		144,091
Revenue from sale of club merchandise		4,712		6,177
Bar & canteen proceeds		7,099		7,700
Interest received		34		124
Sponsorship & flundraising		1,804		
Grants received		10,635		9,804
Sundry		ŕ		2,500
Total revenue	v	810	•	979
Depreciation of cricket equipment		161,644		171,377
		965		2,215
Cricket expenses				
Balls	13,309		10.000	
Coaching expenses	26,270		13,372	
Coaches & umpires courses	20,270		32,492	
Club district fees	- · ·		-	
	31,318		31,727	
Equipment	4,994			
Functions & events	_		2,218	
Ground & net hire	13,962			
Club merchandise	14,699		11,907	
Trophies			14,994	
•	3,588		3,947	
		108,140		110,658
Administration expenses				
Administration services	23,050		23,191	
Audit fees	2,586		•	
Bank fees	318		2,737	
Bar & canteen	3,935		285	
Bad debt			3,328	
Clubhouse lease fees			5,500	
Computer & internet expenses	1,666		7,359	
General expenses	•		1,584	
	2,253		1,661	
Gifts	-		750	
Logal Fees	-		500	
Printing and stationery	73		294	
Subscriptions	1,332			
Statutory fees & charges	-,552		5,411	
•		35,213	100	52,700
Net Profit			-	
	Fermi	17,326	-	5,804