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Presidents Report

Seniors & Juniors

This season marks the fifth and final year of my rein as president. The last five seasons have flown by with the club having their ups and downs but after all that the great club still fights on for another season.

This season saw the committee take on the approach that the club should be one with both senior and junior players sporting the same uniform tops. I'm sure everyone is happy with the way the new uniform tops turned out.

On the field, this year our junior programmed exceled as usual with the U14 U16 and U18 all playing finals with our littlest Rustlers the U12s only just missing their place in the four. A huge congratulation must go out to our U16 Blue team who have collect our only Premiership in season 2017. Our senior programed didn't have the strongest year with only our A2s playing of in finals. It was a tough year in all grades with the numbers most weeks being at the bare minimal. But it was great to see towards the end of the season the U16 and U18 boys stepping up to fill the numbers. The future is bright with the talent coming though. We just need some old boys to come back and play again.

This season we had our traditional 1000 draw and Rustlers horse racing night, both these nights went were very successful but the turnouts were a little disappointing from the membership base, a lot of hard work goes into these functions and it is very disheartening for the volunteers who put in many hours of work to see the little number of attendees. We also had a first Xmas in July at the Bentleigh RSL it was great to see many past players and wives attend with our current crop of Rustlers family.

A huge Thank you to our sponsors, we can't run the club on just players fees alone so where you can please show your support to our sponsors. Make sure you name drop that you are from the Rustlers.

A big thank you to our coaches Matty Blackmore, Dan Ward Bourton, Darren Hiddlestone, Dave Stenhouse, Leigh Heinrichs, Ron Carothers and Adam Leech also to everyone who helped as scores and grounds crew.

A special thank you to my committee or though we were only a small number I feel we got lot done.

As this will be my final presidents report I would like to thank TC for being the secretary for my time as president and for all years before and in future, my Mum (Katrina) and Johno there really isn't a title that fits for what you guys do for this great club, there isn't enough room to on this page to start listing them but thank you. Dave Stenhouse not sure I really should be thanking you as you are the reason I was president in the first place but thanks for all your help and to Dave Clarkson and Matty Blackmore for being great club coaches it brings lots of joy with victories and of course all the committee members for the last 5 years.

Lastly, I can't forget to thank my beautiful wife Jemma. She puts up with meetings and baseball talk for 6 months of the year and only complains about it a little bit.

Go forth and go strong Rustlers we will rise again to be a power house once again.

"The reason we exist is to win premierships"

Yours in Baseball

Cheltenham Baseball Club

LIFE MEMBERS & PATRONS

PRAHRAN L/M

| 1934 | L.E. Cheong * | 1936 | T. Greenwood * | 1937 | C. Boulton * |
|------|----------------|------|------------------|------|-----------------|
| 1939 | J. Lowe * | 1940 | M. Simpson * | 1940 | H. Raphael * |
| 1946 | J. Middleton * | 1947 | J.W. Ferguson * | 1948 | R. Chapman * |
| 1949 | J. Phillips * | 1950 | G. Tamblyn * | 1951 | L. Collins * |
| 1951 | C. Chapman * | 1951 | R. Grime * | 1951 | J. Coulson * |
| 1954 | M. Adams * | 1954 | L. Snare * | 1955 | J. Scott * |
| 1957 | W. Anderson | 1957 | J. Wadsworth * | 1961 | B. Bedwell |
| 1961 | C. Hyland | 1961 | W.C. Wale * | 1961 | J.E. Beitzell * |
| 1963 | G. Lockhart | 1966 | P. Boulton | 1967 | H. Fowler * |
| 1968 | R. Skinner * | 1970 | G.B. Ainscough * | 1971 | P.R. Finney |

CHELTENHAM L/M

| 1962 | E.E. Knorr * | 1963 J.R. Trevorah * | 1964 | Mrs.M. Knorr * |
|------|----------------------------|----------------------|------|----------------|
| 1966 | T.G. (Frank) Babidge Snr * | 1968 J.E. Upfill * | 1971 | A.H. Burdett |

1972 - PRAHRAN & CHELTENHAM MERGED TO BECOME -:

CHELTENHAM BASEBALL CLUB

| 1981 | K.H. Roberts | 1982 | P.C. (Frank) Babidge Jnr * | 1983 | J.R. Ferguson |
|------|--------------------|------|----------------------------|------|-------------------|
| 1984 | S.J. Hogben * | 1984 | A.M. Tanner | 1985 | M.J.P. Trevorah |
| 1986 | P.A. Ferguson | 1987 | Mrs. B. (Joy) Roberts | 1990 | S. Jamieson |
| 1992 | P.A. Stanford | 1992 | S.T. Hogben | 1992 | L.J.P. Hall |
| 1993 | Mrs. M.E. Phillips | 1994 | K.K. Williams * | 1996 | C.J. Anderson |
| 2000 | C.T. Upfill | 2001 | S.J. Babidge | 2002 | B.A. Fitzgerald |
| 2006 | A.J. Bailey | 2006 | Mrs V.E. Bailey | 2006 | J.P. Carlile |
| 2006 | T.W. Clemens | 2006 | B.R. Lark | 2006 | D.A. Stenhouse |
| 2009 | L.R. Blackley | 2009 | P.A. Burdett | 2009 | C.S. Reece |
| 2010 | Mrs. R. Hogben | 2010 | Michael Gourlay | 2011 | Mrs. C. M. Upfill |
| 2013 | Alan .L. Gribbin | 2013 | Mrs. K.A.Johnson | 2015 | Matthew Gourlay |
| 2015 | D. Coppens | 2015 | P. O'Neill | 2015 | D. Johnson |

TOTAL: 72

CLUB PATRONS

PRAHRAN

1953 Herb Raphael *

<u>CHELTENHAM</u>

1998 Graeme Ainscough * 2017 John Ferguson

Cheltenham Baseball Club

PAST & PRESENT: WINTER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

CHELTENHAM BASEBALL CLUB was formed on Tuesday 24th March 1953 at the home of Mr Eric Knorr.

In attendance at our first meeting were the following -: Mr N. Hewitt, Mr E.Knorr, Mr L. Giles, Mr H. Steele, Mr K.Cowell, Mr T. Crutchfield, Mr C Loosemoore, Mr N. Hocking, Mrs E. Hewitt, Mrs M.Knorr.

Chairman elect was Mr Norm Hewitt

| <u>YEAR</u> | <u>PRESIDENT</u> | VICE PRESIDENT/s | SECRETARY/ASSIST | TREASURER/ASSIST | CLUB COACH |
|-------------|-------------------|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| 1953 | Norm Hewitt | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Kevin Cowell | J.(Ray) Trevorah |
| 1954 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Kevin Cowell | J.(Ray) Trevorah |
| 1955 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Jim Upfill | Jim Upfill |
| 1956 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Laurie Myers | Jim Upfill |
| 1957 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Ron Corney | Jim Upfill |
| 1958 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Eric Knorr / Molly Knorr | Ron Corney | Jim Upfill |
| 1959 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Allan Burdett | Kel Roberts | Jim Upfill |
| 1960 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Allan Burdett | Kel Roberts | Jim Upfill |
| 1961 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Allan Burdett | Frank Babidge Snr | Jim Upfill |
| 1962 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Allan Burdett | Frank Babidge Snr | Jim Upfill |
| 1963 | J.(Ray) Trevorah | | Allan Burdett | Ron Corney | Jim Upfill |
| 1964 | Frank Babidge Snr | 40 | Allan Burdett | John Longden | Jim Upfill |
| 1965 | Frank Babidge Snr | 26 | Kevin Knorr | Allan Burdett | Jim Upfill |
| 1966 | Frank Babidge Snr | | Kevin Knorr | Allan Burdett | Allan Burdett |
| 1967 | Lance Purton | S. Hogben, J.Bridger, L. Anderson, F. Coombes, Dr Hudson, J. Riddle Snr | Kevin Knorr / K. Hewitt | Allan Burdett | Allan Burdett |
| 1968 | Allan Burdett | S. Hogben, J.Bridger, L. Anderson, F. Coombes, Dr Hudson, J. Riddle Snr | Kevin Knorr / D. Upfill | Frank O'Shea | Allan Burdett |
| 1969 | Allan Burdett | S. Hogben, M. Johanson Snr, G. Ingram, F. Coombes, | John Longden / D. Upfill | Terry Anderson | Allan Burdett |
| 1970 | Leo Anderson | J. Riddle Snr, R. Corney S. Hogben, M. Johanson Snr, G. Ingram, K. Roberts, J. Riddle Snr, R. Corney | Allan Burdett / J. Longdon | Terry Anderson | Allan Burdett |
| 1971 | Leo Anderson | S. Hogben, M. Johanson Snr, G. Ingram, K. Roberts, J. Riddle Snr, R. Harding | Colin Anderson / A. Burdett | Terry Anderson | G.(Charlie) Siddle |
| | | Amalgamation with | Prahran Baseball Clu | ub 1972 | |
| 1972 | Max Johanson Snr | S. Hogben, L. Anderson, L. Purton, R. Dunne & K. Roberts | C. Anderson / M.Johanson Jnr | Colin Upfill | Allan Burdett |
| 1973 | Leo Anderson | J. Upfill, L. Purton, G. Ingram, M. Johanson Snr, M. Trevorah, C. Anderson | A. Burdett / G. Ainscough | Gordon Dossor | Don Smythe |
| 1974 | Leo Anderson | 017 1110010011 | A. Burdett / G. Ainscough | John Ferguson / G. Dossor | Fred Capper |
| 1975 | G. Ainscough | | Allan Burdett | R.Bailey | |
| 1976 | Allan Burdett | G. Ainscough | J. Ferguson / C. Anderson | Sam Jamieson / John Landry | Kevin Knorr |
| 1977 | Harry Kalinski | G. Ainscough | J. Landry | Sam Jamieson | Steve Bott |
| 1978 | Kel Roberts | G. Ainscough | J. Landry | Chris Peacock | Steve Bott |
| 1979 | Kel Roberts | G. Ainscough | Steve Bott | Chris Peacock | Steve Bott |
| 1980 | Paul Stanford | G. Ainscough | Trevor Hogben | Sam Jamieson | Steve Bott |

PAST & PRESENT: WINTER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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| <u>YEAR</u> | PRESIDENT | VICE PRESIDENT | s <u>Secretary/Assis</u> | TREASURER/AS | SIST CLUB COACH |
|--------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1981 | Paul Stanford | G. Ainscough | Darryl Roulston | Sam Jamieson | Steve Bott |
| 1982 | Paul Stanford | G. Ainscough | Ross Ginns | Dirk Beven | Steve Bott |
| 1983 | Steve Bott | Mark Johnson | Trevor Hogben | R. Knevitt | Trevor Hogben |
| 1984 | Steve Bott | Kel Roberts | Trevor Hogben | Jenny Babidge | Dave Kettle |
| 1985 | Sam Jamieson | Dirk Beven | Simon Edgeworth | Jenny Babidge | Dave Kettle |
| 1986 | Sam Jamieson | Dirk Beven | Sam Jamieson | Mark Johnson | Trevor Hogben |
| 1987 | Sam Jamieson | Gina Peterson | Jenny Babidge | Mark Johnson | Trevor Hogben |
| 1988 | Dirk Beven | Greg Wheeler | Jenny Babidge | Mark Johnson | Garry Hicks |
| 1989 | Dirk Beven | Peter Burnett | J. Babidge / B. Holman | Russell Ingram | David Clarkson |
| 1990 | Dirk Beven | Olivia Reid | Barbara Holman | Russell Ingram | David Clarkson |
| 1991 | Paul Stanford | Trevor Hogben | Kim Brooks | Russell Ingram | Dan McConnon |
| 1992 1993 | Russell Ingram Russell Ingram | Trevor Hogben | Kim Brooks Kim Brooks | Russell Ingram Simon Edgeworth | Dan McConnon Terry Reid |
| 1994 | Brad Lark | | Terri Clemens | Simon Edgeworth | Terry Reid |
| 1995 | Brad Lark | Olivia Reid | Trevor Clemens | Simon Edgeworth | Greg Brown |
| 1996 | Brad Lark | Bruce Fitzgerald | Trevor Clemens | Ben Rowlands | Greg Brown |
| 1997 | Bruce Fitzgerald | (P. 11) | Trevor Clemens | Michael O'Shea | Tony Dinnie |
| 1998 | David Stenhouse | Trevor Hogben | Trevor Clemens | Brad Lark | Tony Dinnie |
| 1999 | David Stenhouse | Trevor Hogben | Trevor Clemens | Brad Lark | Tony Dinnie |
| 2000 | David Stenhouse | Jenny Babidge | Trevor Clemens | Brad Lark | Tony Dinnie |
| 2001 | David Stenhouse | Jenny Babidge | David Stenhouse | Brad Lark | John Wadsworth |
| 2002 | David Stenhouse | Simon Hill | Trevor Clemens | Russell Oborne | Myles Barnden |
| 2003 | Colin Upfill | Colin Basham | Trevor Clemens | Russell Oborne | David Clarkson |
| 2004 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Steven Kavanagh | David Clarkson |
| 2005 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Pauline Stenhouse | David Clarkson |
| 2006 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Janette Holland | David Clarkson |
| 2007 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Janette Holland | David Clarkson |
| 2008 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Janette Holland | David Clarkson |
| 2009 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Russell Ferguson | David Clarkson |
| 2010 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2011 | David Stenhouse | Mika Tossavainen | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2012 | David Stenhouse | Patrick O'Neill Stuart Holding | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2013 | Patrick O'Neill | Mika Tossavainen David Stenhouse Stuart Holding | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2014 | Patrick O'Neill | David Stenhouse Stuart Holding | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2015 | Patrick O'Neill | David Stenhouse | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | David Clarkson |
| 2016 | Patrick O'Neill | David Stenhouse | Trevor Clemens | Katrina Johnson | Matthew Blackmore |
| 2017 | Patrick O'Neill | Anthony Harrowell | Trevor Clemens P | Katrina Johnson I | Matthew Blackmore |

Congratulations to -

Trevor Clemens on 22 years as Secretary

Katrina Johnson on 8 years as Treasurer

Patrick O'Neill on 5 years as President

Dave Stenhouse on his retirement from playing



Theme Song

We come from Cheltenham down by the sea

Never been beaten, Never will we

At the end of the season

You'll know the reason

Why we are the premier team

C, H, E, L, T, E, N, H, A, M

CHELTENHAM

Club Coach's Report

Season 2017 came and went in a blink of an eye and I think as a baseball club we all know we left a couple of wins out there.

In saying that I want to congratulate the 3 teams (A2, U/16 Premiers, U/18 grand final runners up) that made it to the final month of competition with the U/16's fighting hard and beating a very competitive Frankston team in the process. You all should be very proud of your achievements and should look forward to continued success.

The club congratulates all the men and women who represented Cheltenham in various country, state and regional teams both here and overseas. You continue to uphold all the values the club stands for.

We welcomed back some familiar faces to the club and farewelled past club award winners which as a club hurts as we play in such a small competition and losing players takes a toll on the club.

The club needs players to continue its recent success and we ask that you ask friends and past players to come back into the Rustler family, we have been such a strong club for so many years and we can all agree that this year's results and the forfeit of a team and some games is slowly taking its toll.

The players and families involved and the committee who do such a fantastic job in keeping the club afloat and on the park I know would love to see many more old and new faces back at the club as this is an important next phase for the Rustlers.

I want to thank Pat O'Neill who has done a terrific job for the club and will stand down as club president and thank you for having the faith and backing everyone involved with the club.

2018 will be our best year yet, we all need to believe that and buy into club and team culture to further succeed and put ourselves back at the top where we become the hunted as we once were.

A big thank you to all the committee members, scorers and volunteers who put their own time in without any fuss, from cooking dinners, marking fields, being behind the bar and the enormous effort undertaken in getting the club all kitted out in new playing tops, I and the club say thank you.

Matthew Blackmore

Club Coach 2017

WINTER COMMITTEE

PRESIDENT Patrick O'Neill

VICE PRESIDENT Antony Harrowell

SECRETARY Trevor Clemens

TREASURER Katrina Johnson

COMMITTEE

Ordinary Members Leigh Heinrichs

Sally Hiddlestone David Johnson

BAR MANAGER Antony Harrowell

CANTEEN Staffed by Katrina Johnson and

Volunteers

CHAIRMAN OF SELECTORS Patrick O'Neill

CLUB COACH Matthew Blackmore

EQUIPMENT MANAGER David Johnson

GROUNDS MANAGERS All team members

JUNIOR COORDINATOR Sally Hiddlestone

SPONSORSHIP David Stenhouse

Patrick O'Neill

WEBSITE Leigh Heinrichs

TEAM COACH'S & SCORER'S

SCORER'S

Robyne Hogben

'A1' Grade Ma

Matthew Blackmore Trevor Clemens (3rd Base)

Peter Leslie – Fill in

Steve Campitelli - Fill in

'A2' Grade Daniel Ward-Bourton

Trevor Clemens (3rd Base)

Janine Nielsen

Tony Preston - Fill in

B1' Grade

Darren Hiddlestone

Michelle Ogilvie

'B2' Grade

Dave Stenhouse

Team effort

U18

Darren Hiddlestone

Gavin Trewarn

U16 White

Leigh Heinrichs

Steve Hill

U16 Blue

Pat O'Neill

Lucas Moran

U14 Major

Ronnie Carothers

Gerry Yong Ron Volpe

U12 Major

Adam Leech

All Parents

WINTER PREMIERSHIPS

SENIOR'S

Comp Start / Finish

2008/ **'A1'** 2008, 09, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15

1932/2007 (A' GRADE) 1958, 59, 60, 65, 67, 68, 71, 73, 87, 89, 2001, 02, 04, 05, 06

2008/ **'A2'** 2009

1983/1987 1996/2007 'A' RESERVE 1987, 2000, 01, 02, 05, 07

2008/ <u>'B1'</u>

2008/2012 <u>'A3'</u> 2008, 10, 12

1950/2007 <u>B' GRADE</u> 1960, 61, 65, 71, 76, 78, 89, 93, 05, 06

2008/ **'B2'** 2014, 2016

2008/2012 'A4' 2009

1959/1979 1988/2007 <u>'C' GRADE</u> 1975, 76, 90, 91, 92, 96, 97, 2001

1980/1984 <u>'C' NORTH</u> 80, 82

1980/1984 <u>'C' SOUTH</u>

1985/1987, 2008/ **'C1'** 1987

1985/1987, 2008/ **'C2'**

1988/2007 <u>'D' GRADE</u> 1989, 99, 2000, 01, 03, 05

1992/2004 'E' GRADE 1995, 99, 2000, 01, 02

2009/2012 'B3" 2010

1995/2006 WOMEN'S 1996, 98

JUNIOR'S

1989/1998, 2017/ **U 18'S** 1990, 95, 97

1969/1969, 1972/1988, U 17'S 1969, 73, 76, 12, 2013 MWBL

2012/2016

1989/2011, 2017/ **U 16'S** 1995, 96, 98, 2000, 01, 03, 04, 05, 09, 11, 17

1962/1988, 2012/2016 U 15'S 1966

1989/2011, 2017/ **U 14'S** Centre: 1992, 93, 94, 95, 99

Association: 1992, 99, 04, 07, 09, 11

1971/1988, 2012/2016 U 13'S 1982, 88, 2014, 15

1989/2011, 2017/ **U 12'S** Centre: 1992, 93, 94, 95, 99

Association: 1992, 94, 01, 05, 08, 09

1990/1995, 1997/2004 <u>T-BALL</u> 1990, 91, 92, 96, 97, 2000, 04

'A1' Report

The 2017 A Grade men's team welcomed back a couple of young faces as well as a welcomed couple of older ones to the club which I felt complimented the age gaps we have in the team.

Sitting down and trying to work out a plan for the season is constantly hard in winter due to players playing in several teams for the season and not being available for the A grade team.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the players who played out of position on a regular basis for the first few months to the 2nds players who showed they can match it with the rest of the club and to the club for doing all they could to run a successful weekend with the limited numbers we had.

The season saw us come up short again on a finals birth that I all know we were aiming for. Losing our number 1 starter in the first few weeks definitely took the wind out of us but although a massive blow to the team it allowed guy's to flourish with the extra pressure on performing with bat and ball.

The 2017 season came and went in a hurry where it saw us debut several new faces into the A grade team something which everyone who had game time and played a role should be proud of. There's always spots available it's just how you go about your baseball will determine both success on and off the field.

We as a team know how close we are to success with a few games that we let slip due to our mental approach costing us dearly in the end scheme of things.

Players are going to have to give a little more to the season with understanding how to prepare for training and games and giving back to the club that's helped you along all these years.

We had several players hitting over 300. Which I haven't seen in a few years at the club. Players throwing more innings than they have in recent years with a team ERA around 4.00

Our fielding was the best I've seen and a credit to the players who come down rain hail or shine and get their work in. It definitely showed.

I know we will look back on the season and rue missed opportunities from games we know we should have won but I like to continue to look at it as us improving as a team and myself as a coach to that final destination of winning and playing solid baseball together cumulating in championship success.

The "A" Grade players and myself want to thank Robyn Hogben on another selfless effort on scoring each week with the ever important help from Pete Leslie and Steve "scoop " Campitelli filling in when Robyn was away. Thank you.

We the players also want to thank A Grade stalwart Trevor Clemens on always being there game day supporting the team and myself in whatever capacity required.

'A1' Coach/Manager 2017

Matthew Blackmore.

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| Round | R1 | R2 | R3 | R4 | R5 | R6 | R7 | R8 | R9 | | | | | | | | | R18 | | R20 | R21 | |
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| Chris Anderton | 2 | 2 | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | Α | | | 6 |
| Russell Anderton | | | 2 | | | | 3 | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | S | | | 7 |
| Max Barrett | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Н | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Matt Blackmore | | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | | | 3 | | 18 |
| Koji Campitelli | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | 3 | | | | | | 3 | 0 | | 1 | 9 |
| Declan Crocker | | | | 1 | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | U | | | 3 |
| Jack Enciondo | | | | | | | | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | | 3 | 2 | | 3 | 3 | | Т | | 2 | 23 |
| Ben Fierenzi | 3 | | | | | | | 1 | 3 | | | | | 3 | 2 | | 2 | 2 | | 2 | | 18 |
| Ryan Morris | | | 3 | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | 3 | 2 | | | | | | 10 |
| Brandon Stenhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | | 5 |
| Mac Turley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | AW | ARD | REC | :IPIE | NTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M.V.P | | | Jack | Encior | ndo 2 | 3 vote | S | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BATTING AVERA | BATTING AVERAGE Ben Fierenzi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAND SLAMS Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHUT OUTS Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

'A1' Batting Averages 2017

| Players | Games | At Bats | Hits | Average |
|-------------------|-------|---------|------|---------|
| | | | | |
| Lucas Anderson | 19 | 54 | 17 | 0.315 |
| Chris Anderton | 19 | 64 | 18 | 0.281 |
| Russell Anderton | 18 | 57 | 19 | 0.333 |
| Max Barrett | 5 | 7 | 3 | 0.429 |
| Matt Blackmore | 20 | 66 | 22 | 0.333 |
| Dante Caruso | 3 | 9 | 3 | 0.333 |
| Koji Campitelli | 19 | 72 | 23 | 0.319 |
| Declan Crocker | 9 | 29 | 3 | 0.103 |
| Jack Enciondo | 14 | 46 | 15 | 0.326 |
| Ben Fierenzi | 15 | 54 | 25 | 0.463 |
| Leigh Heinrichs | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Matt McKenna | 5 | 15 | 2 | 0.133 |
| Ryan Morris | 18 | 62 | 18 | 0.290 |
| Chris Neilsen | 5 | 9 | 1 | 0.111 |
| Jack Ogilvie | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Brandon Stenhouse | 10 | 41 | 15 | 0.366 |
| Matt Stenhouse | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Mac Turley | 7 | 22 | 2 | 0.091 |
| Dan Ward-Bourton | 5 | 14 | 3 | 0.214 |
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Award recipient must have a minimum of 45 at bats or played 1 game more than half the season (9)

'A2' Report

Finalists

At the outset of the season my initial impression of this squad was of one with an outside chance at the finals. That impression turned out to be accurate as we finished with a record of 8-8-2. It came right down to the wire with us needing the 4th place team to lose in the final round for us to sneak in and therefore putting my routine braggadocio of never missing finals in danger of being exposed as mere bluster. As usual my pious faith was rewarded and the results went our way and we took a 4th place finish and a finals birth.

As the only senior side to make the finals this year, that grants us some bragging rights. Rights we will of course take full advantage of.

Though we were a strong side and deserving of our place in the post season, it was hardly smooth sailing getting there. We began the season with a very youthful group, but after a slow start, changed tact and looked to add a bit more experience to the squad. Down the stretch this decision paid dividends. The stalwart veterans *Adam Leech, Leigh Heinrichs* and especially *David Johnson* added much needed punch to our offense. While our defence was shored up by some shifting around of pieces and the adding of rock solid *'Little' Blake Holding* in at the problem position of 2B was a real boon. Once we had discovered where all our pieces fit we were a squad that could compete and beat any team in the comp.

The early part of the season was all but single-handedly held together by the pitching of Chris Neilson. He was the major innings eater of the team. And while in the 2nd half he would see his innings decrease as a result of our desire to bump up our pitching depth in the addition of *Jack Ogilvie* and spot starts from *Lucas Anderson and Declan Croker*, Neilso promptly got hot with the bat and continued racking up votes. Proving himself a tremendous asset with bat, ball and equally as a positive personality, Chris solidified himself as our MVP going away.

The other piece of the puzzle which led to the turning around of the season was the emergence of Ricky (AKA Riki, Rikki, Rikky, Rick, Ricky) Preston. Once moving to the leadoff spot, he hit consistently enough to lead the team in hits and his ability to steal bases was vital to our production. His athleticism both on the bases and in CF was essential to our success as suffice it to say this was not one of the more athletic teams I've ever played on. Actually, no, that won't suffice. So I'll say that I could count the amount of players who weren't either old or fat on one hand even if that hand had needed 3 digits amputated as a result of an industrial accident.

The fact that we ended up using a total of 22 different players during the season gives you an idea of the constant state of flux this team (and the club at large) was operating under. The way we responded to this lack of stability should be a source of pride. On the other hand, some of those 22 players never should have taken the field in the first place. In what is the major negative aspect of the season, we started games multiple times with players absent without notice which had us pulling our hair out trying to field a side as a form of warm up. As a club and as individuals we can't continue to do this to each other. Let people know your availability guys. It's the least you can do. While I am grateful to the likes of *Max Barrett, Ben Fierenzi* and *Trevor Clemens* who stepped into those emergency spots for us, they should not be having to take the field in order to bail us out for our lack of communication.

With that exception our season is one to be proud of. I'd like to thank all the guys who took the field for us during the year both young and old (and ancient) for their efforts. To the regulars, the ringers and the rubes having a cup of coffee, I look forward to seeing more of you at this grade or beyond in future.

Yours in Baseball, Daniel W...

...Oh oh oh, I almost forgot (and if you believe that you'll believe anything) My Favourite Player™ hit .450 something and won the batting. The devil shall have his due!

DWB

Coach/Manager 'A2' 2017

'A2' MOST VALUABLE PLAYER 2017

| Round | R1 | R2 | R3 | R4 | R5 | R6 | R7 | R8 | R9 | R10 | R11 | R12 | R13 | R14 | R15 | R16 | R17 | R18 | |
|------------------|------|------|-------|--------|---------|--------|--------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|-------|
| verses | Morn | Ding | Dand | Boneo | Berw | Fran | Morn | Bonb | Dand | Boneo | Bonb | Ding | Fran | Bonb | Dand | Boneo | Ding | Berw | |
| <u>Player</u> | Н | Α | Н | Н | Н | Α | Α | Н | Н | Α | Н | Α | Н | Н | Α | Н | Н | Н | Total |
| Adam Leech | | | | | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | 3 | | 3 | | | | | | 10 |
| Alex Marshall | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | 2 | | 2 | | | | 5 |
| Ben Fierenzi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| Blake Holding | | | | | | | 3 | | | | 2 | | | | | | 1 | | 6 |
| Chris Neilson | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | 2 | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 1 | 2 | 17 |
| Dan Ward-B | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| David Johnson | | | | 3 | 1 | 3 | | | | | | 1 | | | | 3 | | | 11 |
| Declan Croker | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | 3 | 3 | 2 | | | 10 |
| Jack Ogilvie | | | | | 3 | 2 | | | | | | 3 | | | | | 3 | 1 | 11 |
| Leigh Heinrichs | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Lucas Anderson | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | 3 | 3 |
| Luke Ashen | | 1 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 5 |
| Mack Turley | 1 | 2 | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | 4 |
| Matt McKenna | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | 2 |
| Max Barrett | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Michael Rizzi | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Pat O'Neill | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Riki Preston | | | | | | | | 3 | 2 | 3 | | | | 2 | 1 | | | | 11 |
| Shelby Roberts | | | 1 | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| T.C | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Tom Culliton | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Tom Ogilvie | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| AWARD RECIPIENTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M.V.P | | | Chris | Neilso | on - 17 | Vote: | S | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BATTING AVERA | GE | | Danie | el War | d-Bou | rton - | .455 a | ve | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAND SLAMS | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHUT OUTS | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

'A2'Batting Averages 2017

| Players | Games | At Bats | Hits | Average |
|-----------------|-------|---------|------|---------|
| Riki Preston | 18 | 56 | 16 | 0.286 |
| Luke Ashen | 15 | 45 | 12 | 0.267 |
| Adam Leech | 14 | 41 | 11 | 0.268 |
| Dan Ward-B | 13 | 33 | 15 | 0.455 |
| Chris Neilson | 13 | 29 | 9 | 0.310 |
| Leigh Heinrichs | 11 | 24 | 9 | 0.375 |
| David Johnson | 10 | 30 | 12 | 0.400 |
| Matt McKenna | 10 | 25 | 7 | 0.280 |
| Mack Turley | 10 | 32 | 6 | 0.188 |
| Shelby Roberts | 9 | 25 | 2 | 0.080 |
| Blake Holding | 8 | 23 | 7 | 0.304 |
| Tom Culliton | 7 | 17 | 3 | 0.176 |
| Alex Marshall | 7 | 17 | 3 | 0.176 |
| Tom Ogilvie | 6 | 18 | 6 | 0.333 |
| Declan Croker | 6 | 20 | 6 | 0.300 |
| Jack Ogilvie | 5 | 7 | 3 | 0.429 |
| T.C | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Max Barrett | 2 | 4 | 2 | 0.500 |
| Michael Rizzi | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Ben Fierenzi | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0.200 |

Award recipient must have a minimum of 45 at bats or played 1 game more than half the season (9)

B1 Report

B1's had a tough year finishing 8th on the ladder with zero wins.

27 players passed through the squad with the majority of players coming from our u18's and u16's teams. Sometimes we had trouble fielding 9 players so I would like to thank the guys from the B2's who stayed around to re-enter enabling some holes in the field to be plugged. For many juniors, it was their first time playing senior baseball and it wasn't all that bad!

Defensively, our pitching duties were handled by nearly half the squad with the majority of defensive innings thrown by Josh Ashen, Tom Ogilvie & Shelby Roberts.

Offensively the team had a combined batting average of 0.302 scoring 41 runs for the year.

2017 for the B1's was a learning year. Many players were given the opportunity to play in positions they normally didn't play, against some very strong hitting teams. Although most games were one sided, our guys never gave up and we played out each game with a competitive spirit (sometime too competitive) while enjoying the game as a team.

I would like to thank Michelle Ogilvie for scoring when she could as well as Russ for helping out when he wasn't playing.

Darren Hiddlestone

Coach/Manager B1 2017

| | | 'B1' MOST VALUABLE PLAYER 2017 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|
| Davisal | R1 | R 2 | R 3 | R 4 | R 5 | R 6 | R 7 | R 8 | R 9 | R 10 | R 11 | R 12 | R 13 | R 14 | R 15 | R 16 | R 17 | |
| Round | | UFG | | | | | | | UFG | | | | Pak | | Chels | UFG | | |
| <u>verses</u> Player | Chels H | OFG A | Ding A | Dand H | Berw H | Pak H | Fran A | Chels A | H | Ding H | Dand A | Berw A | Pak A | Fran H | H | OFG A | Ding H | Total |
| Ashen, Josh | II. | A | A | П | In In | | A | А | | 3 | A | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | A | 3 | 16 |
| Ashen, Luke | | | | | | 1 | | | | 3 | | 3 | | 3 | | | | 4 |
| Ashen, Russ | | | | | | ' | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | 2 |
| Cullinton, Thomas | | | | 2 | | | | | | · | | | | | | · | | 2 |
| Dunn, Sean | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Earle, Brad | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Fairweather, John | | | | | 1 | | | _ | | | | | 3 | | | | | 4 |
| Fairweather, Rhys | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Hall, Ben | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Harrowell Ant | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Heinrich, Leigh | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Hiddlestone, Darren | | 2 | | 1 | 2 | | | | | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | 8 |
| Hiddlestone, Frazer | | 1 | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| Hiro Ooka, Seiya | | | | | | 2 | 2 | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | 3 | | 9 |
| Holding, Blake | | | | | | | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| Jacobs, Kai | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Jacobs, Peter | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Johnson, David | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Leech, Adam | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| McKenna, Matt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 2 | | 4 |
| Ogilvie, Thomas | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | 1 | 9 |
| Oneill, Patrick | | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Oneill, Timothy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Radford, James | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Roberts, Shelby | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 2 | 4 |
| Seddon, Thomas | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Turley, Mackenzie | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| | | | AWAR | D REC | IPIENT: | S | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M.V.P | | | Josh Ash | nen - 16 v | otes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BATTING AVERAGE | | | Hiro Ook | ka, Seiya - | .458 ave | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAND SLAMS | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHUT OUTS | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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'B1' Batting Averages 2017

| Diamara | 0 | At Data | 1114. | |
|---------------------|-------|---------|-------------|----------------|
| <u>Players</u> | Games | At Bats | <u>Hits</u> | <u>Average</u> |
| Ashen, Josh | 9 | 22 | 9 | 0.409 |
| Ashen, Luke | 2 | 4 | 2 | 0.500 |
| Ashen, Russ | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Cullinton, Thomas | 5 | 13 | 1 | 0.077 |
| Dunn, Sean | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1.000 |
| Earle, Brad | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0.500 |
| Fairweather, John | 6 | 9 | 3 | 0.333 |
| Fairweather, Rhys | 9 | 19 | 1 | 0.053 |
| Hall, Ben | 2 | 9 | 2 | 0.222 |
| Harrowell Ant | 4 | 8 | 3 | 0.375 |
| Heinrich, Leigh | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0.500 |
| Hiddlestone, Darren | 12 | 27 | 10 | 0.370 |
| Hiddlestone, Frazer | 12 | 34 | 7 | 0.206 |
| Hill, Michael | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Hiro Ooka, Seiya | 9 | 24 | 11 | 0.458 |
| Holding, Blake | 3 | 6 | 3 | 0.500 |
| Jacobs, Kai | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Jacobs, Peter | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Johnson, David | 4 | 8 | 3 | 0.375 |
| Leech, Adam | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0.667 |
| McKenna, Matt | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0.500 |
| Octigan, Jack | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Ogilvie, Thomas | 8 | 24 | 3 | 0.125 |
| Oneill, Patrick | 6 | 15 | 5 | 0.333 |
| Oneill, Timothy | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0.000 |
| Radford, James | 3 | 6 | 1 | 0.167 |
| Roberts, Shelby | 4 | 14 | 4 | 0.286 |
| Seddon, Thomas | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0.125 |
| Turley, Mackenzie | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0.667 |

Award recipient must have a minimum of 45 at bats or played 1 game more than half the season (9)

'B2' Report

Well where do I start on the season that it was, it seems to have been a very quick but bitterly cold season and after winning the grand final last year, this year the Fourths without the majority of their players from the grand final last year we couldn't manage to win one game, but the boys turned up every week sometimes without a full side and most of the time had great fun playing the game of baseball, our best game all season was against topside side this year in Dandenong which we only lost 5 to 4 and this was with the same side we had all year, so just goes to show you on the day anything can happen.

Looking forward to next year players and the club need to secure more permanent players and look at securing five or six sides, Cheltenham baseball club winter looks like it's having great success in the juniors and our next generation coming through, hopefully this continues and filters through to our seniors.

Also I announced my retirement from winter baseball after the last game and after 48 years of playing I will look forward to sitting back and cheering on the lads.

Dave Stenhouse

Coach/Manager 'B2' 2017

Award Winners

David Stenhouse medal - Ben Cooen 18 votes

Batting Ave - Pat O'Neill - .422 ave

Club M.V.P Awards

J.R. Trevorah Memorial Trophy

1st Nine M.V.P

| 1986 | Steve Babidge | 1987 | Terry Reid | 1988 | Terry Reid |
|------|-----------------------------------|------|-------------------------------|------|------------------|
| 1989 | Terry Reid | 1989 | Steve Babidge | 1990 | Terry Reid |
| 1991 | Mika Tossavainen | 1992 | Steve Babidge | 1993 | Terry Reid |
| 1994 | Chris Reece | 1995 | Darren Smith | 1996 | Greg Brown |
| 1996 | Darren Smith | 1997 | Mika Tossavainen | 1998 | Anthony Smith |
| 1999 | Luke Parsons | 2000 | Darren Smith | 2001 | Darren Smith |
| 2002 | Darren Smith | 2003 | Anthony Reinke | 2004 | Dave Clarkson |
| 2005 | Ricky Wheeler | 2006 | Daryn Cassidy & Ricky Wheeler | 2007 | Blake Cunningham |
| 2008 | Daryn Cassidy | 2009 | Andrew Russell | 2010 | Blake Cunningham |
| 2011 | Matt Blackmore & Blake Cunningham | 2012 | Yoshi Campitelli | 2013 | Russell Ferguson |
| 2014 | Russell Ferguson & Paul Rutgers | 2015 | Mitch Holding | 2016 | Matt Blackmore |

2017 Name change see below

J.R. Trevorah Medal

1st Nine M.V.P

2017 – Jack Enciondo

Alan Burdett Medal

2nd Nine M.V.P

2017 - Chris Nielsen

Trevor Clemens Medal

3rd Nine M.V.P

2017 - Josh Ashen

David Stenhouse Medal

4th Nine M.V.P

2017 - Ben Cooen

Club Awards

David Clarkson Award

Club Coach's Most Improved

2017 Lucas Anderson

How this award has evolved read below

FRANK BABIDGE SNR MEMORIAL TROPHY

Club Coach's Most Improved

| | $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{L}})$ | 2017 | Trophy renamed see above | | |
|------|--|------|--------------------------|------|-------------------|
| 2014 | Koji Campitelli | 2015 | Sam Trend-Beacom | 2016 | Max Barrett |
| 2011 | Jak Jowett | 2012 | Mitch Holding | 2013 | Brandon Stenhouse |
| 2008 | Kyle Brookes | 2009 | Brett Curnow | 2010 | Brett Curnow |
| 2005 | Tom Ellis | 2006 | Blake Cunningham | 2007 | Dale Ravesi |
| | | | - PH STATE - | | |

FRANK BABIDGE SNR MEMORIAL TROPHY

Highest Aggregate M.V.P. Votes

| 1992 | Andrew Phillips | 1992 | David Stenhouse | 1993 | Terry Reid |
|------|-----------------|------|------------------|------|---------------|
| 1994 | David Stenhouse | 1995 | Darren Smith | 1996 | Darren Brooks |
| 1997 | Peter Burnett | 1998 | Peter Burnett | 1999 | Laurie Hall |
| 2000 | Adam Blackley | 2001 | Craig Ballantyne | 2002 | Adam Blackley |
| 2003 | Colin Unfill | 2004 | Steve Gourlay | | • |

2005 Trophy renamed and combined (see below)

BOB BOYLE'S CLUB COACH'S AWARD

Most Improved

| 1989 | Darren Smith | 1990 | Peter Burnett | 1994 | Matthew Gourlay |
|------|-----------------|------|----------------|------|-----------------|
| 1995 | Lorne Dennis | 1996 | Ben Wardburton | 1997 | lan Nolan |
| 1998 | Travis Blackley | 1999 | Matthew Keen | 2000 | Brett Kavanagh |
| 2001 | Glenn Sanders | 2002 | Richie Lander | 2003 | Chris Hook |

2005 Trophy now obsolete and combined (see above)

Club Awards

Babidge Family Award

Senior Club Person/s

2017 Darren Hiddlestone

Nominations were as follows -:

<u>Darren Hiddlestone</u> – Darren has Coached the B1 side and the U18 (grand final loss) he also attends ever Thursday night at training and works behind the bar in the kitchen or wherever needed. He also is the clubs mad inventor always thinking of new innovation to help improve our club (electronic bar sign, electronic scoreboard and I believe he is working on a remote control score board for centre field. Well done Darren keep inventing and keep up the hard work the club really appreciates all you do.

<u>Russell Ashen</u> – What can you say about Russ that's not positive. He is always willing to get his hands dirty and work hard when asked. If it's a working bee, diamond marking and even in behind the scorer's table for both Juniors and Seniors Russ will do all these jobs without question. Come to DBA Jnr grand finals (which we hosted) Russ was the first to be there with his trailer to set up all the Diamonds (6 in total). Russ keep up the hard work we couldn't do it without people like yourself at the club. The club thanks you very much.

FRANK BABIDGE JNR MEMORIAL TROPHY

| | | Club I Clsoll/s | | |
|-----------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Olivia Reid | 1989 | Chris Reece | 1990 | Wendy Johnson |
| Russell Ingram | 1992 | Trevor Hogben | 1993 | Brad Lark |
| Brad Lark | 1995 | Simon Edgeworth | 1996 | Trevor Clemens |
| Bev Blackley | 1998 | T.Clemens & B.Fitzgerald | 1999 | David Stenhouse |
| S.Earle & S.Flanagan | 2001 | David Stenhouse | 2002 | Terri Landt |
| David & Pauline Stenhouse | 2004 | David Stenhouse | 2005 | John Olsen |
| Colin,Connie & James Upfill | 2007 | Janette Holland | 2008 | Brett Dickson |
| Ian Curnow | 2010 | Tina Cooen | 2011 | Peter Leslie |
| Katrina Johnson | 2013 | lan Palmer | 2014 | Dave Johnson & |
| | | | | |
| Nicole Croker | 2016 | Sally Hiddlestone | | |
| | Russell Ingram Brad Lark Bev Blackley S.Earle & S.Flanagan David & Pauline Stenhouse Colin,Connie & James Upfill Ian Curnow Katrina Johnson | Russell Ingram 1992 Brad Lark 1995 Bev Blackley 1998 S.Earle & S.Flanagan 2001 David & Pauline Stenhouse 2004 Colin,Connie & James Upfill 2007 Ian Curnow 2010 Katrina Johnson 2013 | Olivia Reid Russell Ingram 1992 Trevor Hogben Brad Lark 1995 Simon Edgeworth Bev Blackley 1998 T.Clemens & B.Fitzgerald S.Earle & S.Flanagan 2001 David Stenhouse David & Pauline Stenhouse Colin,Connie & James Upfill Ian Curnow Katrina Johnson 2013 Ian Palmer | Olivia Reid 1989 Chris Reece 1990 Russell Ingram 1992 Trevor Hogben 1993 Brad Lark 1995 Simon Edgeworth 1996 Bev Blackley 1998 T.Clemens & B.Fitzgerald 1999 S.Earle & S.Flanagan 2001 David Stenhouse 2002 David & Pauline Stenhouse 2004 David Stenhouse 2005 Colin,Connie & James Upfill 2007 Janette Holland 2008 Ian Curnow 2010 Tina Cooen 2011 Katrina Johnson 2013 Ian Palmer 2014 |

2017 Trophy renamed see above

DANDENONG BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

Senior DBA Rep side

Congratulations to the following Cheltenham players who represented the DBA at the Queens B'Day Victorian Winter State Championships 2017 held at Geelong.

Russell & Chris Anderton Jack Enciondo

The 2017 Winter Committee would like to congratulate the above players for representing Cheltenham Baseball Club at what we consider a very high level of competition. Well Done.

DBA Award Winners

Home Run Kings with 4 HR

Matt Blackmore & Jack Enciondo

The 2017 Winter Committee would like to congratulate all the above CBC players who won a DBA award for their high achievements in the 2017 DBA season. Well Done

Good luck to everyone playing their chosen sport this Summer (hopefully baseball with Cheltenham!) and we look forward to seeing you again in Winter 2018.

Winter Committee 2017

D.B.A. Most Valuable Players

O'Brien Medal

'A1' (new grade 2008)

| 2008 | Daryn Cassidy | | Z I (Hev | <u> </u> | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| 1971 1989 1995 | G. Siddel David Clarkson Darren Smith | 1980 1990 2005 | <u>'A' Gl</u> Lawrie Hall Terry Reid Ricky Wheeler | RADE 1981 1991 | Lawrie Hall Steve Babidge | 1986 1994 | Terry Reid Terry Reid |
| 2009 – | · Tom Ellis | 2011 - | | v grade 2008 <u>)</u> | Yoshi Campitelli | | |
| 1983 | Terry Reid | 2006 | 'A' RES | SERVE | | | |
| 2008 | Pat O'Neill | 2009 - | ' <u>A3'</u> (200 - Geoff Holland | 08 - 2012) 2010 – | Dan Wardburton | | |
| 1981 2004 | Steve Babidge Ricky Wheeler | 1997 | | RADE 1999 | Steve Babidge | 2003 Ric | ky Wheeler |
| 2009 – | Steve Gourlay & Jak Jo | owett | <u>'A4'</u> (200 | 08 - 2012) | 1000 | | |
| 1976 Takash 1997 | Frank Babidge Jnr. ni Brad Lark | 1981 2001 | <u>'C' Gl</u> Frank Babidge Jnr. Ricky Wheeler | RADE 1987 2003 | Peter Innes Mika Tossavainen | 1996 | Ueno |
| 2011 – | Pat O'Neill | ~ ? | <u>"B1"</u> (nev | v grade 2008) | 3)(| | |
| 1989 | Colin Upfill | 1993 | | RADE | 160 | | j |
| 2014 – | Dan Wardburton | M | <u>"B2"</u> (nev | v grade 2008) | $(e)_{i}$ | / _A (| |
| | | | <u>'C2'</u> (new | v grade 2008) | | | |
| 2015 – | Darren Hiddlestone | | | | | | |
| 1995 | Stephen Williams | | <u>'E' G</u> | RADE | | | |
| | | | <u>'B3' (</u> 200 | 08 - 2012) | | | |
| 1996 | Narelle Gosstray | 2001 | Sue Kendrick | MEN'S | | | |
| | | | | | | | |

D.B.A Club Champions

1977, 1983, <u>1988, 1989, 1990, 1991</u>, <u>1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999</u>, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010

JUNIOR CO-ORDINATORS REPORT

Winter Baseball 2017 has come to a close, and the time has come to review the season.

This year, we fielded 5 junior teams – Under 12 (coached by Adam Leech), Under 14 Majors (coached by Ron Carothers), Under 16 Blue (Pat O'Neill), Under 16 White (Leigh Heinrichs) and Under 18 (Darren Hiddlestone).

The season has seen a mixed bag for our club – one Premiership flag (Under 16 Blue), one Runners up (Under 18), a Preliminary finals berth (Under 14 Majors), and a variety of wins, losses and forfeits across the board during the home and away season.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents for your contribution throughout the season – no one likes having to get out there on a cold and wintry morning to set up diamonds, tackle the score book, and pack up at the end of the day, but when it's all said and done, it's all for the kids!

Despite overall it being quite a challenging year (with all teams playing with minimal numbers), there have been many success stories, with several junior players chosen to represent the Dandenong Baseball Association, as well as our players who have represented our country on the international stage. Congratulations to Mitch Langworthy, Genevieve Beacom, Flynn Healy, Darcy Messenger, Ryan Langworthy, Darcy Messenger, Nic Volpe, Tom Yuile, Josh Ashen, Hanami Campitelli, Blake Holding, Chris Nielsen, Shelby Roberts, Mack Turley, Ben Fierenzi, Seiya Hirooka, Tom Ogilvie, Declan Croker and Tom Culliton.

I would also like to thank our coaches for their commitment and patience - without a coach, it makes taking the field very difficult. For any parent who has aspirations, please consider it – you never know, you may enjoy the experience!

For those who have umpired throughout the season – well done! Umpires are an integral part of our game, and without all the pieces of the puzzle we can't play. Thanks to the scorers who also make up an important part of the baseball experience.

In closing, I would like to send out a big thank you to Katrina Johnson (in particular) for all her hard work in running the canteen and organizing Thursday night meals, as well as my fellow committee members for their contribution.

Lastly – thanks players for your sportsmanship, commitment, enthusiasm and laughter. I hope the season has been an enjoyable one and look forward to a successful 2018.

Sally Hiddlestone

Junior Coordinator 2017

D.B.A Junior Rep Players

Cheltenham Junior Players who were selected to represent the

DBA in the Victorian Winter State Championships 2017

U18 @ Geelong

DBA – Runners up

Declan Croker - MVP

Tom Ogilvie

Sieya Hirooka

Ben Fierenzi

Nichole Crocker - EO

U14 @ Frankston

DBA - State Champions

Nic Volpe

Thomas Yuile - MVP

Flynn Healy

Ryan Langworthy

Darcy Messenger

Val Langworthy – EO

U16@ Wangaratta

DBA - State Champions

Josh Ashen

Mack Turley

Chris Neilsen

Blake Holding

Dante Caruso

Shelby Roberts - MVP

Chris Anderton - Coach

U12 @ Bendigo

DBA - Runners up

Mitchell Langworthy

The 2017 Winter Committee would like to congratulate the above players for representing Cheltenham Baseball Club at what we consider a very high level of competition. Well Done.

D.B.A Junior Awards

DBA U18 MVP - Declan Crocker

DBA U16 MVP - Shelby Roberts

DBA U14 MVP - Thomas Yuile

CBC Junior Achievements 2017

Hanami Campitelli and Genevieve Beacom

These two winter Rustlers, are a part of a fantastic opportunity with an upcoming trip to Japan. Partially sponsored by the Japan-Australia Foundation, the all-girl 'Victoria Mavericks' were chosen from this year's girls Charter Tournament and will travel to Sapporo and Tokyo, Japan to take part in games against local teams and participate in training.

As much a cultural tour as a baseball one, where they will experience school dormitory life and tea ceremony, the 2-week trip sees them starting in the north of Japan in Hokkaido before travelling down to the capital Tokyo where they will take in a pro-women's game as well as a NPB men's match and a trip to Disneyland of course! It should be a great experience.

Ryan Langworthy

Who has been chosen to represent Australia in the U12 World Cup in Tainan Taiwan. The tournament will take place from 28th July – 5th August.

Good luck and enjoy the experience the club is right behind you.

Genevieve Beacom

Was selected in the Australian Baseball team who will be participating at the 2017 Cal Ripken tournament to be held in Branson Missouri August 3-10.

It is an exciting time for Genevieve with her selection as part of the Victorian Mavericks tour in Japan.

Good luck Gen and enjoy the magical ride you are currently experiencing.

Good luck to everyone playing their chosen sport this Summer (hopefully baseball with Cheltenham!) and we look forward to seeing you again in Winter 2018.

From your Winter Committee 2017

U18 Report

Grand Final runners up

This year we had a squad of 8 players: Luke Ashen, Bailey Cotsis, Tom Culliton, Ben Fierenzi, Frazer Hiddlestone, Seiya Hiro Oka, Tom Ogilvie and Darcy Trewarn. We welcomed 2 new players in Tom C and Japanese International Seiya.

I would like to thank the following U16's who made themselves available to help fill our roster: Chris Nielsen, Shelby Roberts, Tom Seddon, Blake Holding, Mack Turley, and special mention to Michael Hill & Kellan Hill who made themselves available for our finals campaign.

We finished the year 2nd on the ladder with 8 win 6 losses, eventual going down in a well fought Grand Final 6-7 against a powerful Dandenong outfit. Our guys really gave it to Dandy and I was very proud of how we conducted ourselves.

The pitching duties were mainly handled by Darcy Trewarn, with relief shared among Tom Ogilvie, Luke Ashen, Bailey Cotsis and Seiya Hiro Oka. Catching duties were shared among Tom Culliton, Frazer Hiddlestone and Luke Ashen. Offensively the team had a batting average above .400 with nearly 100 hits from the team. Leading the way was Ben Fierenzi with a batting average of .591, Luke Ashen .548 and Frazer Hiddlestone .424

Special thanks to our main scorer, Gavin Trewarn and his assistants` Michelle Ogilvie and Russ Ashen.

Special thanks also to our home game umpire David Johnson, who was always happy to volunteer for the job.

Managing the group was very rewarding and I wanted to bring some fun to the winter mornings. Each team member was given the opportunity to select the batting line up and fielding positions. This worked most times. Ultimate Frisbee was part of our pre game routine to get the legs moving which the guys really enjoyed.

Thanks to Pat and the committee for giving me this opportunity.

Team Members

Frazer Hiddlestone Ben Fierenzi Darcy Trewarn Cotsis Bailey Luke Ashen Thomas Culliton Thomas Ogilvie Seiya Hiro Oka

Darren Hiddlestone – Coach

Gavin Trewarn - Scorer

<u>Awards</u>

MVP - Darcy Trewarn

Batting Award - Ben Fierenzi 0.591

Best All-rounder - Luke Ashen

U16 White Report

The U/16 White applied themselves well this season, finishing with a record of 6-8. Improvements were made across the board as many players gained experience at positions that they haven't normally played.

The attitude and application from the players was exceptional all season; any time there was something to be done or some knowledge to be attained, every player perked up, listened, learned and applied themselves to be better. This sort of attitude will take each of you a long way in whatever you choose to pursue. In this regard, I couldn't have asked for a better group of guys in my first season of coaching.

Thanks are extended to Steve Earle, who filled many roles including scorer, groundsman and coach. Thanks are also extended to Steve Hill, who reluctantly assumed the scorer's role for the season. It never went unnoticed or unappreciated.

I wish each player every success in the future and look forward to playing seniors with you!

Team Members

Sean Dunne
Cooper Hiddlestone
James Radford
Jack Octigan
Bradley Earle
Michael Hill

Lucas Confalonieri Molly Solomons-Bruce

Kellan Hill

Leigh Heinrichs - Coach

Steve Hill - Scorer

<u>Awards</u>

MVP - James Radford

Batting average - Sean Dunne .435 ave

Most improved - Kellan Hill

U16 Blue Report

"Premiers"

Firstly, I would like to say thank you to a few guys. Without them, coaching would have being a lot harder than it needed to be. Steve Campitelli - the premiership duo we have become, Stu Holding - always fun having you umpire our games, Lucas Moran for being the last person standing near the dugout and becoming my first base coach and someone to talk to on the bench, and all the parents that helped set up the diamonds and get the players to the game before play ball was called.

This season Under 16 blue struggled to get enough players on the park. For most of the season we competed with just 8 players. This went all the way through to our finals charge, losing players for the Preliminary and Grand Final. Thank you must go to Sean Dunne and James Radford for stepping up and playing a role in the wins.

We finished the home and away season in second place behind Frankston, who we played off against in the Grand Final.

On Grand Final day we came out with a bang, but to Frankston's credit they kept the game close and after regular time we found ourselves in a tie. We played overtime in order to get a winner. To the credit of the team, we held our nerve and came away with the victory. A big thank you for a fun and memorable season.

Patrick O'Neill- Coach

Lucas Moran-Scorer

Awards

MVP - Blake Holding

Batting Average - Mack Turley .708 ave

Most Consistent - Tom Seddon

Grand Slam - V Cheltenham White Rd 10 15/7/16 Ben Porter

| U16 Blue | At Bats | Hits | Ave | Innings pitched |
|-------------------|---------|------|-------|-----------------|
| Mack Turley | 24 | 17 | 0.708 | 0 |
| Chris Neilson | 13 | 8 | 0.615 | 0 |
| Tom Seddon | 26 | 15 | 0.577 | 8.2 |
| Blake Holding | 21 | 12 | 0.571 | 7 |
| Shelby Roberts | 26 | 13 | 0.500 | 9.2 |
| Josh Ashen | 31 | 13 | 0.419 | 4 |
| Ben Porter | 29 | 10 | 0.345 | 0 |
| Kieran Moran | 26 | 8 | 0.308 | 0 |
| Hanami Campitelli | 25 | 5 | 0.200 | 8 |

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| Under 16 Blue | Rd 1 | Rd 2 | Rd 3 | | | | | | | | | | Rd 13 | Rd 14 | Total | Semi | Prelim | Grandfinal |
| Winter | V Morn | BYE | V Chelt W | V Dingley | V Ber/Pak | V Dandy | V Frank | V Morn | BYE | V Chelt W | V Dingley | V Ber/Pak | V Dandy | V Frank | Votes | V Frank | V Dandy | V Frank |
| 2017 | L 3-7 | BYE | W 11-5 | W 11-2 | Forfiet | W 7-3 | W 14-3 | W 5-1 | BYE | W 17-3 | W 15-1 | W 23-5 | W 12-2 | L 2-6 | | L 1-3 | 14-6 | W 9-9 |
| Blake Holding | | | | | | | | 1 | | 6 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 6 | 33 | | | |
| Mack Turley | | | | | | 4 | 6 | 7 | | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 32 | N | N | N |
| Shelby Roberts | | | | 8 | | 6 | | | | | 4 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tom Seddon | | | 8 | 5 | | | | 8 | | | | 2 | | 5 | 28 | | | |
| Josh Ashen | | | 4 | | | | 9 | 2 | | | 2 | 1 | | | 18 | ٧ | V | V |
| Ben Porter | | | 1 | 5 | | | | | | 9 | | | | | 15 | 0 | 0 | О |
| Hanami Campitelli | | | 5 | | | 8 | | | | | | | | | 13 | Т | Т | Т |
| Chris Neilson | | | | | | | 3 | | | 1 | 2 | | | | 6 | Е | Е | Е |
| Kieran Moran | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | s | s | s |

U14 Report

Finalists

It was an interesting and exciting year for the young Rustlers - meeting new members of the team and re-acquainting themselves with some familiar faces. I would say they understand the game just a little bit more now from when the season first started and the fun shown while learning a new skill was rewarding. We made it all the way to the preliminary finals this season and finished with a 9-6 record.

I would like to thank all my players – Nic Volpe, Nathan Yong, Flynn Healy, Ryan Langworthy, Kyle Yong, Tom Yuile, Ryleigh Buck, Genevieve Beacom, Jett Solomons-Bruce and Darcy Messenger for their support and commitment to the team, attending all the training sessions and games. It was a pleasure for me as well, to coach you, and to get to know you a little bit better and to see you perform...and it was an enjoyable experience. The next journey is to see you all this summer working more on improving your game to play at the highest level that your skills and knowledge will take you; and I am looking forward to assisting you with the next journey.

I would like to thank all the parents for your support this season and I hoped you enjoyed the season as well as I did, seeing your son/daughter perform to their ability. I would like to thank Gerry and Teresa, Ron and Suzy, and Brendon and Chrysanne for your commitment and assistance around the club every week. To the rest of the parents, a big thank you for your support and trust for allowing me to coach your child...it's been a pleasure!

To the Winter Committee, your job never seemed over, as the work you put in to make the season run smoothly and everyone is where they should be on game day, shouldn't ever go without saying another terrific effort from you!

Thanks again!

Team Members

Nic Volpe
Nathan Yong
Kyle Yong
Ryan Langworthy
Genevieve Beacom
Tom Yule
Flynn Healy
Ryleigh Buck
Jett Solomon
Darcy Messenger

Ronnie Carothers-Coach

Gerry Yong and Ron Volpe- Scorers

Awards

MVP - Tom Yuile

Batting Award - Ryan Langworthy .666

Coach's Award - Kyle Yong

Pitching Award - Genevieve Beacom - 45 strike outs, 22 innings pitched

U12 Report

No Report Submitted

Team Members

Jeremy Hess
Archer Sanders
Mitch Langworthy
Miller Leech
Archie Johnstone
Edward Steere
Jack Steere
Ruby Johnstone

Adam Leech - Coach

Awards

MVP - Jeremy Hess

Batting award - Ed Steere

Most Improved - Archer Sanders

CBC LIFE MEMBERS CUP BEST JUNIOR CLUB PERSON/S

Winter 2017 - Frazer Hiddlestone

Frazer Hiddlestone – Frazer has won this award previously and it is quite evident why. Frazer is just a born helper and does almost anything asked of him without complaint. Not only does he play great baseball both Junior and Seniors but you'll see him everywhere around the club always busy in the canteen serving all our hungry customers or just restocking the shelves. I know he is always brain storming with his Dad about electronic gadgets that will improve our club. Every training night, working bee or helping at functions you will see Frazer in there getting his hands dirty.

Frazer keep up the great work ethics that you have as we here at Cheltenham Baseball Club appreciate everything you do and think that your work ethics will take you a long way in life.

If only we had more Frazer's at Junior level for the future of the club.

Come on all you Juniors see if you can out do Frazer.

2017 – Frazer Hiddlestone

CHELTENHAM BASEBALL CLUB LIFE MEMBERS CUP BEST JUNIOR CLUB PERSON/S

Donated by – Michael Trevorah

| <u>Winter</u> | <u>Summer</u> |
|---------------------------|---|
| 2001 – Patrick O'Neill | 01/02 – Patrick O'Neill |
| 2002 – Patrick O'Neill | 02/03 – Daniel Gribbin |
| 2003 – Mitch Jackson | 03/04 – Russell Ferguson |
| 2004 – James Upfill | 04/05 – James Upfill & Tony Cevec |
| 2005 – Michael Olsen | 05/06 – Trent Davidson |
| 2006 – James Upfill | 06/07 – Michael Andrew & Peter Rizzi |
| 2007 – Geoff Holland | 07/08 – Thomas Fitzgerald |
| 2008 – Not Presented | 08/09 – Nicholas Fitzgerald |
| 2009 – Brett Curnow | 09/10 – Jack Ogilvie |
| 2010 – Not Presented | 10/11 – Jack Ogilvie |
| 2011 – Not Presented | 11/12 – Michael Natoli |
| 2012 – Not Presented | 12/13 – Sam Michael |
| 2013 – Jade Johnson | 13/14 – Matthew Holland & Jake Pocock |
| 2014 – Not Presented | 14/15 – Jack Daniels |
| 2015 – Frazer Hiddlestone | 15/16 – Blake Dunkley |
| 2016 – Frazer Hiddlestone | 16/17 – Zach Dunkley & Frazer Hiddlestone |
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