

Rustlers

PRESENTATION / VOTE COUNT

NIGHT

1990

Dingley International Hotel

"Colours Room"

PROGRAMME

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| 7.00 P.M. | - | INTRODUCTIONS AND WELCOME |
| 7.10 P.M. | - | ENTREE |
| 7.30 P.M. | - | SECOND ROUND VOTES |
| 8.00 P.M. | - | MAIN COURSE |
| 8.45 P.M. | - | LAST ROUND VOTES, PRESENTATIONS
AND SPEECHES |
| 9.45 P.M. | - | DESSERT AND DANCING |
| 12.00 P.M. | - | FINISH |

MENU

ENTREE

EXOTIC SEAFOOD SALAD

A special blend of finest fresh seafoods served with a crisp salad and a spicy cocktail sauce.

OR

TNE DINGLEY'S SOUP OF THE DAY

Made fresh daily.

MAIN COURSE

PANFRIED CNICKEN HREAST

Accompanied by a brandy cream sauce.

OR

ROAST SIRLOIN OF BEEF

Grain fed porterhouse, oven roasted, served with a mushroom, tomato and tarragon sauce.

DESSERT

FRESH FRUIT SALAD

Fresh seasonal fruits soaked in grand marnier, presented in a crisp brandy snap basket.

OR

HONEY AND PASSIONFRUIT TERRINE

A delicate creamy mousse served with a strawberry coulis, garnished with a meringue flower.

CHEESE PLATTER

A Selection of cheeses.

COFFEE

CHELTENHAM BASEBALL CLUB
WINTER 1990

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JOE PETERSON

CANTEEN MANAGERESS

WENDY JOHNSON

GROUND MANAGER

CHRIS REECE

UNIFORM MANAGERS

PAUL STANFORD
CHRIS PEACOCK

1990 COACHES

<u>CLUB COACH</u>	Dan McConnon
<u>A1 GRADE</u>	Dan McConnon
<u>A2 GRADE</u>	Trevor Hogben
<u>B GRADE</u>	John Carlile
<u>C GRADE</u>	Paul Stanford
<u>D GRADE</u>	John DeGregorio
<u>UNDER 18'S</u>	Gary Hicks
<u>UNDER 16'S</u>	Steven Lewis
<u>UNDER 12'S</u>	Chris Reece
<u>T-BALL</u>	Dean Smith

1990 SCORERS

<u>A1 GRADE</u>	Samantha Johnson & Lyn Chippindall
<u>A2 GRADE</u>	Joy Lewis
<u>B GRADE</u>	Kathy Buchanon
<u>C GRADE</u>	John McHarry
<u>D GRADE</u>	Joy Roberts
<u>UNDER 18'S</u>	Bobbie Burton
<u>UNDER 16'S</u>	Joy Lewis
<u>UNDER 12'S</u>	Debbie Strange & Ros Paturzo
<u>T-BALL</u>	Lyn Burrell & Wendy Crawford

VOTE CALLERS

<u>A1 GRADE:</u>	Mr M. Trevorah
<u>A2 GRADE:</u>	Mr J. Peterson
<u>B GRADE:</u>	Mr D. Kilburn
<u>C GRADE:</u>	Mr J. McHarry
<u>D GRADE:</u>	Mr K. Johnson
<u>UNDER 18'S</u>	Mr M. Johnson

VOTE RECORDERS

<u>A1 GRADE:</u>	Miss S. Johnson
<u>A2 GRADE:</u>	Mrs K. Brooks
<u>B GRADE:</u>	Ms K. Buchanan
<u>C GRADE:</u>	Mrs L. Trevorah
<u>D GRADE:</u>	Miss B. Holman
<u>UNDER 18'S</u>	Mrs J. Babidge

HOST: Simon Edgeworth

PRESIDENTS REPORT 1990

1990 What A Year! We welcomed Dan McConnon as club coach, fielded two A Grades plus three other senior teams and four junior teams, including our first Tee Ball side.

From the selection of teams we earned three premierships and club champions.

My thanks go to our coaches, Dean Smith (Tee Ball premiership), Chris Reece (U12), Steve Lewis (U16), Gary Hicks (U18 premiership), John DeGregorio (D Grade), Paul Stanford (C Grade premiership), John Carlile (B Grade), Trevor Hogben (A Grade - Cheltenham 2), Dan McConnon (Club coach and A Grade - Cheltenham 1).

From this collection of dedicated people special efforts from Trevor Hogben who did us proud with A Grade - Cheltenham 2 and John Carlile who had his job cut out by being the supplier of players to both A Grades.

To the premiership coaches, Dean Smith, Gary Hicks and Paul Stanford, I hope that the joy at that very special moment is something that you will always remember.

Our social committee worked hard and efficiently again this year and my congratulations on your efforts which gave us many enjoyable nights through the season. (Olivia Reid, Lyn Chippindal, Simon Edgeworth, Samantha Johnson and Michele Dicksbury).

Wendy Johnson, Keith Johnson and Joe Peterson must be thanked for the oozing professionalism and dedication in which they ran the canteen and bar again this year.

The general committee ran efficiently all year with two people short for the duration of the season. My thanks to Olivia Reid (Vice President), Barbara Holman (Secretary), Russel Ingram (Treasurer), Paul Stanford and Christopher Peacock (Uniforms), Steve Lewis (Junior Co-ordinator) and finally Chris Reece (Our Groundsman).

We must not forget our sponsors who donate finances towards the club which help us make ends meet. I implore you to use these sponsors which are listed in our magazine and make it known that you are a Rustler.

I congratulate you all on your efforts through the year, wish you luck in the voting tonight and have a safe and happy summer season.

Finally our Annual General Meeting will be held at the clubrooms on the 21st October. I hope to see you all there to look after the future of our club, as some of our office bearers will be standing down this year.

Kind regards.

DIRK

PRESIDENT WINTER COMMITTEE

SOCIAL REPORT

The Social Club this season have provided a variety of nights for both Senior and Junior members and supporters of the club. A reflection of these events are:

Combined Disco - Baseball/Hockey
Presidents B/Day Disco
\$1,000.00 Draw
Junior "Life Be In It" Night
Trivia Night
Junior Presentation Night
Combined Disco - Hockey/Baseball
Presentation Night

As the club now consists of various people, ages, tastes, etc., and in some cases we have three generations within the club, it is very difficult to cater for all and I believe the above was a good mixture.

The most successful night would have been the "Trivia Night" and we thank Simon Edgeworth and Lyn Chippindall for the extra time and effort that they both personally put into this night.

The fund raising side of the Social Club mainly consisted of raffles and we sincerely thank our sponsors and Mrs Jean Ducksbury for their donation of various goods and all who bought tickets throughout the season.

Thank you to everyone, both players and supporters, who supported the functions and especially to the senior players who joined in with our Juniors for their nights as this contributes greatly to the success.

I sincerely thank Lyn Chippindall, Michael Ducksbury, Simon Edgeworth and Samantha Johnson for all their personal time, effort and professionalism they put into the Social Club this season and congratulate them on a successful season financially and a job well done - thank you again.

Thank you to my husband, Terry, for his assistance and patience throughout the season - "for better or for worse".

We hope you all enjoy this evening and thank you for coming this evening and supporting the club for the last social event of the season.

OLIVIA REID

CANTEEN REPORT

Well here we are at the close of another successful season, and congratulations to the T-Ball's, Under 18's and C Grade in winning three Grand Finals. It seems as though we just get started and in no time at all we reach Grand Final time and the end of the season.

I have enjoyed running the canteen for you, and would like to thank everyone for their support and help over the season, especially Vanessa for all the time she worked in the canteen for me.

I wish you all the best for the remainder of this year and look forward to seeing you again next year.

WENDY JOHNSON

BAR REPORT

The baseball and hockey winter season has come to an end and once again I wish to personally thank Wendy and Keith Johnson for all their help.

Thanks also to everyone who was on the bar roster, especially Gary Hicks, David Johnson and Jeremy Foenander.

With the current economic conditions the sales behind the bar was hard to come by but with spending a lot of time and negotiating specials I have made a substantial profit for the club.

A good season - A great club.

JOE PETERSON
BAR MANAGER/NOMINEE

CLUB COACH REPORT

The start of the 1990 Winter Baseball season proved to be challenging for the Cheltenham Baseball Club. With two teams in the A Grade and many top players missing from the previous year, the clubs strength would certainly be tested. With twenty-five players contributing to the A1's, they posted the best win/loss record in A Grade. Loosing only two games for the entire year the team was lead by two individuals who had fantastic years. Terry Reid hit 494 with 36 hits and was 8-0 on the mound, while Steve Babidge hit 497 and pitched extremely well in big games against Frankston and Bon Beach. Young players such as D. Smith, T. Dinnie, D. Johnston, M. Phillips and S. Lewis were given the opportunity to play in A Grade and hopefully will never look back from this experience.

In both games in the finals Cheltenham out hit their opponent, but played horrific defence loosing both games by a total of three runs. Baseball sayings such as "Baseball is a funny game", "Anything can happen in a game of baseball", or the famous "Baseball is a game of inches", certainly apply if you witnessed the A1's last two games. It is extremely difficult to end the season on such a negative note and feel good about what you've accomplished for the year, but the players who contributed to the A1's this year played good, solid baseball and can feel proud about finishing first in the regular season.

At this time I would like to thank all my players for both their commitment and friendship this season. Coaching the game, you sometimes get caught up with the wins and losses and forget about the friends you have made and good times you have experienced over the course of the season. I would also like to thank the Committee for their help and support and a special thanks to the other senior coaches within the club. Trevor Hogben - A2's, John Carlisle - B's, Paul Stanford - C's, John DeGregorio - D's.

Thank you.

DAN MCCONNON

A2 REPORT

This season our club took the ambitious step (were we pushed?) of having two sides in the A Grade competition, and I guess that the other A Grade sides thought that we would be easybeats like most sides that have come up from B Grade in years past.

The season started badly, being beaten by Frankston 16-2, and finished disappointingly losing to Monash 9-6.

Along the way we played some great baseball, winning six games and tying two. Both tied games conceiving runs in the last innings after being in winning positions.

We finished the season in sixth position, needing a win in the last game to finish equal fourth with Dandenong and having the final four decided on percentage.

Even though we lost the last game we finished the season well, winning the four previous games, the most memorable beating Frankston 22-17 after trailing 14-4 at one stage.

We used 33 players during the 1990 season, and I would like to thank every one of them for their contribution to our success throughout the year.

The younger players matured a lot as the season progressed and I'm sure they will become regular members of our first 9 in the years to come.

Thankyou to Dan McConnon for his help throughout the season and thanks to Dan, John Carlile, Stan and Johnny Alphabet for keeping Monday night selections entertaining.

I would also like to thank Joy Lewis for scoring this season, and Ben Poturzo and Shannon Strange for being bat boys for the last few games.

On finishing, I know that this season we haven't had the success of previous years, only having two senior sides in the finals, but the players who were given a chance to play A Grade ball can only strengthen our club in the years to follow.

TREVOR HOGBEN

B GRADE REPORT

This year B Grade consisted of last years C Grade players with a few odds and sods mixed in during the year.

Being the clubs third side we were against other clubs first side which made it difficult to convince all players that to beat them was merely a matter of playing basic baseball.

After nine rounds we had drawn twice and had lost seven games, but only two of the losses were by more than five runs and in all games we had a chance to win the game at some stage.

The second half of the year we won six out of nine games beating all sides except those in the four. In the last game of the year we beat the top side, Dandenong Valley (Lyndale) 22-21 in the 10th innings after being 8 runs down in the 7th innings. This was a great win and capped of a good second half of the year.

During the year we hit in 175 runs but were unable to stop the opposition from scoring 178 runs. This tells the story for the year, with our offence being more than capable but our defence letting us down badly under pressure at times. Our fielding at times was more than frustrating, I can tell you.

With the introduction of two A Grade sides it has given all players the opportunity to play a higher grade of baseball than they would normally. This has brought the best out of a lot of players and I hope the opportunity is again there next year as the benefits will be seen in future years.

In closing, I would like to thank all players and coach's for their support during the year.

A special thanks goes to the people who have scored for me during this year, especially Kathryn Burnett and to the supporters of B Grade during the year.

JOHN CARLISLE

C GRADE PREMIERS 1990

"BACK TO BACK AND UP ONE"

Three years ago Dirk phoned looking for a bunny to coach D Grade, who the previous year languished on the bottom of the ladder with three wins for the year.

We made the finals that year, premiers the next and then to C Grade and premiers again. It certainly has been three of the more enjoyable years with the club. It's taken a lot of effort from a lot of people too numerous to name. So if you have helped in any way it is yours and the clubs flag.

We started off this year with a few U16's and some of last years C and D Grade players. The team certainly evolved from then with help from my mate Col Upfill and Mick Trevorah. (Sorry, Mick told me not to call him a mate after referring to our 1969 Premiership). I think we all tried to instil into the players that "We hate losing", and it has again worked. Thanks also to Dan McConnon, our club coach.

On another note, at a club level I think it is time for the club to regroup and use each others positives so the club can progress at full steam on an even keel.

I feel a cliché coming on and you can quote me in years to come:

"It's not what the club can do for you, it's what you can do for the club".

Stan 1990.

All the best for your activities over summer and good health to your families our potential baseballers and supporters.

Regards.

PAUL (STAN) STANFORD
C GRADE COACH

D GRADE REPORT

D Grade began the season a somewhat unorganised side as the team was a mixture of players week by week right from the start. But due to the effort of younger players from the U15's, U18's and a few older and more experienced team members, we became more stable and uniform.

Fielding a regular team each week soon brought success and familiarisation amongst the players. Co-operation became a very important aspect of our game which helped us achieve the results we were looking for. This was evident as we played to win five of our last seven games.

Although we didn't make the finals, I feel the team played well together and have great potential to do well next season. I'd like to congratulate the whole team, particularly the younger players for a great performance.

Well done D Grade, we did it on our own.

JOHN DEGREGORIO

UNDER 18 REPORT

I would like to start this report by thanking all fifteen players that contributed to a great season culminating in us winning the premiership.

The season started shakily with us unable to field full teams for the first two games but we were still able to win both games. We then progressed to having a full team and at the end of the season had finished second on percentage.

The second semi final was a great team effort with every player contributing to a good 11-7 win over Dandenong.

The Grand Final was against Frankston in pretty appalling conditions but the boys and girl took the game by the scruff of the neck in the first inning scoring six runs and didn't look back. Highlights were Darren Smith's great performance on the mound in very trying conditions and Tina Ivanous's great fly ball and throw culminating in a double play in the third innings. Final score was 10-0.

In closing, I would like to thank the stalwart parents who came to every game and helped with transportation and also Bobbie Burton for taking over the scoring for me through the season.

Finally a message to the players, thank you for a great season and I hope you all gained something from it.

D.B.A. representatives at U/18 Championship at Ballarat were:

Mark Lewis
Darren Smith
Glen Allen
Leigh McHarry

James Morgan made D.B.A. U/16.

GARY HICKS

UNDER 16 REPORT

The Under 16 had a rocky season with fifteen players one week and nine the next. All but four had played little or no baseball. Our first win was a walk over and our second over Dandenong was a good team effort, 6-2. A couple of personal achievements, Ben Wenke making the Under 14 D.B.A. side and the Under 16 Victorian side, Adam Lewis for making the Under 14 D.B.A. side and picking up M.V.P. for the carnival and making the Under 13 Victorian side. I know I learnt a lot this season and I hope the team did as well. Thanks to all the parents for their support and to mum for scoring.

STEVE LEWIS
UNDER 16 COACH

T-BALL REPORT

Cheltenham's first ever T. Ball team made their debut to the winter competition with a 52-5 run victory against Bonbeach. From the exhibition of home run hitting and double play fielding they displayed on that day, it seemed inevitable we were in for an astonishing season.

The talent and enthusiasm they displayed on their first outing carried on throughout the entire season, as too did the victories. By the end of the season we had scored close to 300 runs compared to a combined opposition total of just over 80. The team batting average was above .900 with one particular player, Jarrad Hansford, batting 1.000 throughout the entire season. We went on to win the Grand Final 32-9, also against Bonbeach. It was an excellent season by an excellent team.

In closing, I would like to thank Mika Tossavainen for all his help throughout the season. He deserved more credit for his commitment than he has received.

DEAN SMITH

PAST & PRESENT GENERAL COMMITTEE

	<u>PRESIDENT</u>	<u>VICE PRES.</u>	<u>SECRETARY</u>	<u>TREASURER</u>	<u>COACH</u>
1978	K.Roberts		J.Landry	C.Peacock	S.Bott
1979	K.Roberts		S.Bott	C.Peacock	S.Bott
1980	P.Stanford		T.Hogben	S.Jamieson	G.Siddel
1981	P.Stanford		D.Roulston	S.Jamieson	S.Bott
1982	P.Stanford		R.Ginns	D.Beven	S.Bott
1983	S.Bott	M.Johnson	T.Hogben	R.Knevitt	T.Hogben
1984	S.Bott	K.Roberts	T.Hogben	P.Babidge	S.Scott
1985	S.Jamieson	D.Beven	S.Edgeworth	J.Babidge	D.Kettle
1986	S.Jamieson	D.Beven	S.Jamieson	M.Johnson	T.Hogben
1987	S.Jamieson	G.Peterson	J.Babidge	M.Johnson	T.Hogben
1988	D.Beven	G.Wheeler	J.Babidge	M.Johnson	G.Hicks
1989	D.Beven	P.Burnett	J.Babidge B.Holman	R.Ingram	D.Clarkson
1990	D.Beven	O.Reid	B.Holman	R.Ingram	D.McConnon

PREMIERSHIPS

A GRADE - 1958, 59, 60, 65, 67, 68, 69, 71, 73, 87, 89.
A RESERVE - 1987.
B GRADE - 1960, 61, 65, 71, 76, 78, 89.
C GRADE - 1975, 76, 80, 87, 90.
D GRADE - 1989.
UNDER 18'S - 1969, 73, 76, 90.

CLUB CHAMPIONS

1977, 1983, 1988, 1989, 1990.

DANDENONG BASEBALL ASSOCIATION - BEST & FAIREST

A GRADE 1971 G. SIDDEL
1980 L. HALL
1981 L. HALL
1986 T. REID
1989 D. CLARKSON

A RESERVE 1983 T. REID

B GRADE 1981 S. BABIDGE

C GRADE 1976 F. BABIDGE JNR
1981 F. BABIDGE JNR
1987 P. INNES

D GRADE 1989 C. UPFILL

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