

The Third Man's Report

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The site will be updated regularly, and the club history is being added to as time permits.

There have been some changes to the committee this season. You can find a list of the committee members on the website

To all Captains, Coaches and Managers

Match Results

I need match results in **following the conclusion of the game**, so they can be submitted to the PDCA. You can either drop them off at the club or email them to me at results@baulkocricicket.com.au. If no results are submitted you get **NO POINTS and may be fined!** It is up to you to get the results to me – I will not be chasing anybody. When putting in players' names, can you put in their first name as well so that I can pass this onto the PDCA.

Team Reports

Team reports for this newsletter can be put in the box at the Club or emailed to me at results@baulkocricicket.com.au by Tuesday night after the game. Newsletters will be published during the week after a game.

Team Performances:

B10	Premiers
B11	Premiers
11/1	Premiers

Individual Achievements

The President's Roundup

Another season is over and Baulko was successful in winning three finals – B10 & B11 in seniors and the U11/1 in juniors. We were also runners up in A Grade, B4 & B12 in seniors and with the U15/1 and U13/1 Gold teams in juniors. Well done to all teams!

The B10's were successful in a comfortable victory over Winston Hills. Captain Tony Senior produced a great captain's knock of 70 when the ship was rocking at 5 for not too many. We were able to get to 160, which proved too much for our opponents who managed only 77 in reply. A great result for the self titled "orphans" and especially sweet for our Junior Secretary Ian Chatman who was a team member, along with his sons James & Daniel.

The B11's managed to score 99 in their first innings and then restricted the opposition to just 75 in reply to seal their victory. Well done to skipper Nirav, Charuka and all the team!

The U11/1's produced the closest result – a tie. After bowling Hills Barbarians out for 70, our guys slumped to 6/28 or so and were looking in trouble. A good partnership then got us close before the inevitable happened and a few wickets fell. We still needed a couple of runs with the last pair together and we managed to tie the game up before the last wicket fell. As we were minor premiers, we won. How close, bit congratulations to our team for a great result. No sour grapes from Hills Barbarians, whose effort in the field, from my watching of the game, was really good. Well done to them! And would you believe it – this was the second successive year that our U11/1 team tied a final and won as minor premiers. Manager Mitchell Smith was involved in both games. I think that both Mitchell & our coach Phil Waddups aged a few years during this game!

So on to our defeated teams. The A Grade team put up a great effort in the semis to roll minor premiers Wenty Leagues. In the final, played at Charles McLaughlin, we won the toss and put Greystanes in. The pitch was very good and Greystanes proceeded to make 219 on day 1. We tried hard on day 2, but fell well short, making 122 in reply. But this season was a big turn around for A Grade – making the final after finishing last in season 2006/2007. Well done the team, led by Sumit Kalia and Robert Simpson in the final, which produced the best result for some 10 years or so. We look forward to going one better next year. And congratulations to the Greystanes team, who won their first ever A Grade premiership with this victory!

The B4's really lost out in the first hour or so on Saturday, when a batting collapse saw us dismissed for just 59. Some pretty hot bowling (or was it oh so batting) saw 7 of our wickets go bowled! Whilst our bowlers toiled hard and dismissed the opposition Guildford Bowling Club for 117, we were always chasing our tail and a slog-a-thon in the second innings fell short and we lost outright. That makes two successive final losses, so maybe third time lucky next year guys! Well done to stand in captain Greg McLoughlin, who we understand was just keeping the seat warm until the next season, when the improved slim line 2008/2009 model of Dave Banks is released for public viewing!

The B12's were looking a chasing a bigger total than the final 181, until Kamil arrived from Uni exams. Unable to bowl until 3.30pm, he then took 7/33 to get us back into the game. However, our batting was not up to it and we were dismissed for 149. Captain Tim Chesher did a great job with the team this year and we are sure the boys will be back bigger and better again next season

The U15/1 team did very well this year, considering the talented players lost from last year's team. To make the final was a great effort, but then we lost Gabriel Joseph for the final, as he has rep commitments with the NSW Schoolboys team. We managed to make 110 and were hopefully of some early wickets. But Kings Langley's batting was solid and the passed out total with just one wicket lost. Still, it was a good effort by our coach Ian Chatman and all the boys.

The U13/1 Gold team also ran into a pretty good Kings Langley team in the final. We restricted them to 6/157 and this was an achievable target. Our batting was looking quite solid, but in the end some of those typical cricket happenings got us and we fell for 97. Well done to Peter, Jyrki and all the boys

To celebrate the end of the season, we held a function back at the Sporto on the Sunday night. It was well attended and the celebrations from some players, winners and losers, continued well into the early morning (not at the Baulkham Hills Cricket Club

Sporto). Lucky that daylight saving was still in operation or the revellers may well have seen the first rays of Monday appearing on the horizon as they wandered home! I understand a couple of the more “senior” players were not part of the workforce on Monday!

Don't forget the Gala Open Day which will be held on Sunday 20 April to celebrate the opening of the Sports Club after the renovations. Come along and see the “all new” Club.

Don't forget the Presentations, which will be held on the last weekend in May, both at Northmead Bowling Club. Seniors will be on Saturday night 31 May and juniors on Sunday 1 June. Then there will be the PDCA awards night in late June, our AGM also in late June and before we know it go for the 2008/2009 season!

As noted above, Gabriel Joseph was selected in the NSW U15 Schoolboys team for the Australian Championships held in Queensland over the first week of April. Nicholas Bertus, who played a few games for our U15's this year, as well as grade for Parramatta, was also a member of the squad. The team was undefeated and won the final against Victoria. Nick made a century in one game and 59 in the final and was rewarded with selection in the Australian team. Congratulations to Nick on this achievement and to Gabriel for selection for NSW.

Thanks to everyone who has played a part in running the club this season. The committee deserve a big thank you for their work. A lot of work goes into just getting the teams onto the park. To all our senior captains, junior coaches and managers thank for you efforts this season. To the players, we hope you enjoyed the season, even if it was remarkable for its rain interruptions! We hope to see you back next year. To all parents and friends, thanks for your support this season. Next year will mark our 90th anniversary, so make sure you are part of a special year.

Enjoy the winter sports season!
Peter McLoughlin
President

Match Results and Reports

11/1

10 for 70

Hills Barbarians

10 for 70

First innings TIE

A crisp, bright sunny day and an un-tampered pitch greeted us on Day 1 of the big one versus Hills Barbarians at the beautiful Hazel Ryan venue. Everyone was on edge – being undefeated going into the grand final placed additional pressure on the team. But if the players felt it they didn't show it. In contrast, the strain was clearly evident on the faces of the parents and associated spectators. We were confident – but this was going to be a tough two days!

Baulko won the toss and duly sent the opposition into bat.

As had been the case all year, our top order bowling kept a stranglehold on the oppositions scoring. At 2 for 14 off 16 overs we had the Baa Baa's in deep trouble, with both their gun batsmen back in the pavilion. Both had been dismissed to excellent catches – one to Liam at fine leg, and one to a scorcher from Tom at square leg.

However, a couple of the lesser know opposition batsmen put their heads down, and it took us until the 46th over to capture all 10 of their wickets – after them having amassed a total of 70 runs. Unfortunately, they had only scored 38 off the bat and we had “gifted” them an additional 32 sundries. This was a problem we had experienced throughout the year, and would be a telling statistic in the wash-up.

Ten players got to bowl in the grand final, and the spoils were shared across the team. Best figures came from Liam Dunshea (2 for 6 off 8), Owen Smith (2 for 8 off 6), James Gardiner (2 for 13 off 6), Brad Ripps (2 for 4 off 3) and Troy Black (0 for 2 off 5). The bowlers were ably supported by some excellent fielding. Some of the catches (6 in all) were pearlers, and a direct-hit run out by Brad with only one stump to aim at from deep point was a highlight. We hardly missed a chance all day, and Daniel's keeping behind the wickets was rock solid.

A target of 71 to win was achievable, and we were quite pleased to have restricted them to such a low score.

Our run chase started on fire, with Ryan taking 9 runs off the first over, including 2 smashing boundaries. Unfortunately, we lost Jimmy in the next over to an unfortunate top-edge, but we progressed to 1 for 20 off 6 overs with one over left in the days play. A disaster in the last over, losing Michael, saw us finish the day on 2 for 20, and with our best 2 batsmen in the pavilion, the game was well and truly in the balance. A sleepless night ensued.

Day 2 and a different umpire – this caused some consternation in the camp. Let's just say that we thought Baa Baa's were effectively wind-assisted on Day 1, where we found ourselves running into a gale force headwind on Day 2. The vagaries of “playing conditions” a coach's nightmare!

Baa Baa's were intent to throw everything at us, and bowled their best bowlers up front. Their rep-playing leg spinner bowled sublimely, and highlighted a real gap in our batting preparation. Not having a leg spinner to train against, our guys struggled with the turn and bounce, and we lost a number of quick wickets. He finished with 5 for 11 off his 8 overs, and at 6 for 28 off 17 overs we were in a bind, with our backs well and truly against the wall. It looked like our worst fears were going to be realised, and we were heading out the backdoor in the decider.

However, the Baa Baa's had to turn to their “second string” bowlers, and our lower middle order batsmen (Troy and Owen) set about turning the tables and put the pressure right back on them. Some really excellent strokeplay and courageous and intelligent running between the wickets saw this pair put on a lightening 26 run partnership off 8 overs. When Owen was finally run out after chancing his arm once too often, we were 7 for 54 and (ever so slightly) back in the hunt. I can't stress enough how much impact this partnership had on turning the game on its head.

What was to happen next is still a bit of an emotional blur, and for me personally, will be remembered for a lifetime. Suffice to say it ended up in a thrilling tie! One minute we were almost across the line, next we were going to fall just short, then the exciting climax and ensuing celebration.

Michael Bellam was simply sublime under intense pressure – his boundary when we were still 10 runs shy was spectacular. Would be the type of guy you want packing down in the second row with you – calm, gritty and ruthless! Top effort from one of our youngest.

Tom Waddups' effort with him in that 13 run 9th wicket partnership was gutsy – (although his shot selection and subsequent dismissal with 2 runs still left to win will be a talking point between father and son for many years to come!) – and it showed that he has the ability when he puts his mind to it. Loved what he did.

And finally, witnessing the courage of little Daniel striding to the wicket, taking guard with one run still required to force the tie, and handling whatever the express-bowling gorillas could throw at him (and experiencing the noise of support from the hill when each ball was kept out) is what being involved in your kids sport is all about. Priceless.

A tie was a fitting result. We didn't deserve to lose the premiership, and Baa Baa's didn't deserve to lose this particular game. It couldn't have been scripted better. There was a lot for the boys to learn out of this game, and I hope it will be as fond a memory for them in the years to come as it will be for me.

A couple of thank-you's are in order:

- 1) to Brad and Nicholas – we had to try and fit 12 players into 11 for the grand-final, and someone had to miss out on a bat or a bowl. Thanks to both of you for doing it so graciously;
- 2) To all of the Baulko supporters – we had grandparents, aunts, friends and club representatives. A massive crowd. I hope you all enjoyed the experience as much as we did having you there; and
- 3) To the Baulko team of boys – it was a wonderful effort. You did us all proud. Congratulations – UNDEFEATED PREMIERS !!!

13/1 Gold	10 for 98	Kings Langley	6 for 157	First innings loss
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It was Grand Final weekend and our Baulko team decided to turn up, what an outstanding performance by the team over the 2 days.

We lost the toss and bowled, after 30 minutes we had them 2-8 off 10 overs, with Brent bowling a beautiful in swinging yorker and clean bowling the inform batsman. With consistent accurate bowling by Brent, Anoop, James and Blake for the first 20 overs we restricted the score to barely 2 an over. Mitch came on and bowled 10 overs of fantastic spin. All the bowlers chipped in with consistent lines and length. The bowlers were appreciative for the dazzling out fielding, including great efforts by our 2 fill in players Tomas Lockhart and Taylor Stewart.

In the end we bowled 60 overs and had Kings Langley 6 for 157. We were in with a opportunity here!!

We started our batting positively our left hand, right hand opening combination of Jonno and James doing a great job early before James fell LBW. Mitch came in and batted very well before misjudging a full toss and hitting it straight to midwicket. Blake came in to join Jonno and they put on a few before Jonno drove a ball straight to cover. What an innings by Jonno getting 18 on a very slow dewy outfield to help set the side up for getting the runs. Brent joined Blake and these two didn't look like getting out, they pushed the score on to put on about 20. At morning tea we were 3 for 54, just the position I asked the boys to be in at the start of the day. Not long after morning tea we had two run outs of Blake & Jack Mitchie both of which were trying to push the run rate up! Jack Farrell scored a quick fire 18 holing out to deep mid wicket. Then at the end Joel, Tassy and Tom went out swinging and were all caught trying to get the team over the line. We finished with 98 but the score does not reflect the closeness of the game.

The one thing I must stress is, this team really engaged as a team this game. Every single one of them putting in and I as a coach and parent, as well as all the other parents of the boys, were stoked with their performance.

Well done boys and I certainly hope you will all be with us again next year!!

15/1	10 for 111	Kings Langley	1 for 115	First innings loss
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B12	10 for 149	Wenty Waratahs	10 for 181	First innings loss
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B11	10 for 99, 2 for 50	Xenium Crusaders	10 for 75	First innings win
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Baulkham Hills All out 99
 Rajitha Wijesekera 33
 Prasad Chelliah 27
 Nirav Goradia 22

Xenium all out 77
 Chani Lokuge 3/21
 Rajitha Wijesekera 3/25
 Nirav Goradia 2/21
 Sacha Fernandez 1/18

Baulkham hills 2/42
 Prasad 18 Not out
 Chani 15 Not out

Xenium won the toss and put us in to bat.....not sure why, but they did and we willingly obliged. The D-L formula didn't quite work as it has done all season, calling on Prasad to do what he does best in the first over of the match. From then on poor shot selection and communication resulted in regular wickets kept us under pressure throughout. Rajitha played a critical innings down the order with a valuable contribution from Sam to help us get to a respectable total of 99. Given the ground conditions, this was very defendable as the only scoring options were 1's and 6's. A superb opening spell by Chani and Sacha put us marginally ahead at the end of Day 1 with the opposition at 2/14.

Day 2 started well for us with Ndias making amends for his poor showing with the bat by taking a pearler of a catch at short mid wicket. Not to be outdone by his batting partner, Las latched on to a difficult chance at point sending us into the first break at 4/39 and the game still in the balance. Ndias then partnered with Charuka to effect a crucial runout that saw the back of the Xenium captain who was starting to look very dangerous. Rajitha then worked his magic with the ball and delivered the next breakthrough with Ricky taking a catch at mid-wicket. Yes, thats right, Ricky took a catch. The umpire then rewarded the captain with an lbw decision just so he would take himself off and give someone else a go with the ball. Rajitha continued at the other end and got one to sneak through the batsman's defences and knock over his stumps. With only a couple of wickets left, the opposition decided that it was time to use the long handle and started going after everything. At the main break they were 8/69 and by now the nerves had well and truly set in. The captain got himself back on and was once again the recipient of a sympathetic lbw decision. The last pair weren't going to leave anything to the imagination and after a couple of big slogs, the last wicket was appropriately effected by Rajitha taking a return catch. Further controversy was to follow but you can read all about that and the ensuing celebrations in the next edition of Howz that!

All in all a brilliant team effort and fitting finale to an enjoyable season. It's only appropriate to acknowledge the support of everyone who has helped us out throughout the season, particularly those of you that weren't able to make it to the finals:
 Baner - Architect in chief. If it weren't for Baner, this team wouldn't have come together.

Stiffy - We missed you mate, particularly Ricky.

Aneesh - Slotted into the side with ease. Thanks for helping us out in dire times.

Nuwan - Ever willing to take time out from brain surgery.

Pranav - Thanks accepting my last minute invitations

Neshan - The Wall/Editor in Chief.....can bat a bit too. He also took sledging to a whole other level in the finals. Terrific!

Las - Mr. Calm, not fazed by much. Possesses the classiest cover drive in the comp.

Prasad - Came in as a reserve for Game 1, . Now that we've beaten the Kenyan team, he's sleeping better too.

Chani - All class with bat and ball. Put his MBA studies at risk (& a potential divorce) to get us through to the finals

Charuka - Retired one day, back the next.....and we're glad you did too mate. He's been dreaming about this for 6 years - enjoy it mate!

Rajitha - Well, the guy can bat too.....was our trump card in the finals. For the record, he's not married, he doesn't drink and doesn't know the 3 kids that keep calling him Dad.

Ayesh - Chief Sledger. Played some good knocks throughout the season and displayed maturity well beyond his years.

Dilshan - Love the enthusiasm, not sure what he's injured after the finals though. Hope he's got good health cover.

Sacha - Chief photographer - Is that a big lens on your camera, or you just happy to see me. Super efforts with the new ball every time.

Sam - Mr. Selfless. Always put the team ahead of himself. Hats off to him. He's also my nomination for "Best Fielder".

Ricky - Ricky! Every team needs one.....and we had the best one of the lot. Good onya mate.

And finally, Ravs - One wicket at a time fellas!

Enjoy the moment boyzzzz!

B10	10 for 160	Winston Hills	10 for 77	First innings win
Cap'n Cranky	70			
Richie Benno	23			
The Wily Old Fox	4-19 (14 overs)			
Son of God	2-13			

The Holy grail was in sight.

The Father, Son & Holy Ghost were in attendance and the weather was as perfect as Divine Intervention could arrange.

To confirm the alignment of the Planets was correct Cranks won the toss and elected to bat – surely the result was inevitable. As you may recall the two regular season games were second day washouts where the team batting first had a strangle-hold after day one.

And then we stuffed up – a bit. At 6-50 things weren't looking good. Enter stage left Captain Cranky. They say the moment maketh the man – well doing his best to channel the original Captain Cranky, er – our Captain Cranky set about making the game his as he variously snicked, plundered and fought his way to 70 and a team total of 160 – more than either team had scored against each other before.

In a spooky imitation of the other games we had around an hour to bowl before stumps – the die was about to be cast.

In 5 arthritis ridden overs The Wily Old Fox put the Winston Hills upstarts to the sword with a mixture of guile, skill & experience that had the spectator gallery in awe.

Despite D-Fumble dropping a regulation slips catch first ball that had many wondering if his expensive Round 2 drop was about to be repeated, Winston Hills whimpered to 4-13 at stumps (a combined total of 9-25 from the last 2 games against us!)

Not wanting to take the win for granted the Team spent Saturday night at a Blue Mountains Zen resort having full body massages and aura readings in order to be right for Sunday.

Day 2 dawned fine &, to be honest, your scribe is having trouble getting too worked up about the remainder of the game because, frankly, we just rolled over the buggers – all out for 77 – thanks for coming!

So there we were, a team of orphans with a first up title! Celebrations continued well into the next morning with some cross-dressing and garden fertilising occurring towards the end. At last count all survived and already plans are being made for next season.

I think we'd all like to thank Cranks for taking on the challenge of leading us at the start of the year – at around Round 4 he must have been wondering what he'd got into but we came home with a particularly wet sail which must have made his hard work seem worthwhile.

STOP PRESS: Congratulations to The Motivation Coach and his partner Monika on the birth on the 4th of April of their first child Angelina.

SEMI FINAL

The Motivation Coach	61
AG	44n.o.
Easy & Mr Cricket	DUCKS
Cap'n Cranky	5-30
The Wily Old Fox	2-15

We had beaten them comprehensively outright the week before to give ourselves the Minor Premiership by 2 points.

The thought in everyone's minds as we faced Wenty Leagues again was "It's in the bag"

Cranks got things off to a good start by winning the toss and electing to bat. Knowing that, if we batted out our overs, we had to be near certainties The Wily Old Fox and the Motivation Coach got things off to a good start with an 88 opening partnership. In a complete role reversal it was The Motivation Coach (AKA Raul Dravid) scoring the lions share of the runs finishing with 61.

Going the way of so many long-term marriages when one partner dies, The Wily Old Fox fell shortly afterwards with the score on 98. This brought about a shuffle in the batting order to allow Rowdy Fernando to have a bat before rushing off to a vitally important Lasertag birthday party. Rowdy showed plenty of confidence for a 10 year old and scored a quickfire 10 before rushing off to the Cheezels & Fanta.

Cap'n Cranks was next and got off the mark with a 4. Unfortunately that was to be it – the Skippers knock was not to be. While far from dire we weren't in the commanding position we expected - 4-107 from 42 overs.

Just Evan was getting his eye in and, when joined by the D-Meister, set about putting the ship right. Together they advanced the score by 45 in 14 overs. JJ went for 27 and Holy G followed soon after on 20 including one of the sweetest sixes over mid-off you'd ever hope to see. 6-160.

AG then slipped into the comfortable role of Plunderer clubbing 44 no, including 3 sixes & 4 fours.

As the last wicket fell we had managed 207 in 66 overs. Seemingly invincible considering we had rolled them twice in the

60's the previous game.

Having bagged the first wicket within the first over of the previous two games some frustration set in when Wenty managed 22 from the opening partnership. From that point on, however, the wickets fell pretty regularly. It was a measure of how dominant our bowling had been in those previous two games that a mid innings partnership of just 30 brought about more frustration & a few dropped heads but in the end we got them for 134.

So our ticket to the Final was booked. It was going to be against a team with which we had had two second day washouts for draws and on each occasion the team batting first pretty much had the game wrapped up on day one.

B4	10 for 59, 10 for 97	Guildford Bowling	10 for 127, 0 for 32	Outright loss
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Another toss won (5/5), but from here the day went downhill fast, with 3 of top four going with 1 between them and the score being 3/4. From there we needed to consolidate but the Guildford openers bowled wonderful spells to have us slump to 8/35. Ben and Will then put on 23 for the 9th wicket, but unfortunately we were bowled out for 59. Will (16), Ben (14no) and Sam (13) were the only ones who lasted long enough to cause any concern to the opposition.

Having the ball at 3pm on the 1st day was not on the plans, but the bowlers were fired up and we started well, as we had them 3/9 after 3.2 overs. They then did what we couldn't and consolidated there innings, with the next wicket falling at 43 in the 24th over, then 58 in the 28th over. In the next 20 overs, 39 runs were scored with slow but smart batting for the opposition killing time in the game. Our bowlers bowled superbly, and 3 quick wickets at the end of the day put us back in game at 8/97 off 48 overs at close of play on Day 1. The aim was to take to quick wickets then have a go at the outright. On day 2, the first 8 overs saw 3 runs scored and superb spells of bowling by Ben and Will. We eventually bowled them out in the 68th over for 127, after a painful 20 overs were bowled on Day 2. Superb bowling from Will 4/26 off 19, Aaron 3/14 off 5.1, Roger 2/22 off 12, Matt 1/24 off 9, and Ben 0/28 off 18 again being extremely unlucky with the ball. Good catches to Greg (2), Dave Danks (2) and Charles, Matt, Keith and Dooley.

The pursuit of quick runs was on the cards as we went from 0-22 off 9 balls to 4/31 off 4 overs, with Matt out for a diamond duck. A partnership off 37 took the score to 68 (effectively 5/0) as we evened their score for the loss of 5 wickets. Another partnership of 28 saw us 5/96 and possibly setting the opposition a decent total, but unfortunately, we lost 5/1 (not the first time this has happened) to be 97 all out, with an opposition bowler taking a hatrick to gain 10 wickets for the match, leaving the opposition with 30 for the outright victory. Sam 29 off 46 balls, Greg 20 off 11, and Will 18 off 22 the only real resistance. Guildford scored the required runs in 3.2 overs for a well earned outright victory.

Well done to Baulko for a good season, but a bizarre one. Without winning a game after Round 5, we somehow qualified for the semis, but in the bigger picture everyone is glad to see Banksy up and about looking forward to next season. Congratulations also to Dave and Tara Danks. Look forward to seeing all back for next season, although it looks unlikely at this stage, with some retiring, or travelling, and they will be sorely missed.

Semi Final Match Report

Won the toss (yes 4/4) we batted on a great day for cricket. After losing a wicket we consolidated with Sam and Greg putting on 74 for the 2nd wicket, before Greg (48) was out with the score on 83. 2 more quick wickets fell for us to be 4/85 when Aaron and Matt came together for a 48 run stand, before again slumping to 6/134. the last four wicket put on partnerships of 28, 46, 28 and 21 saw us all out for 257 early on day 2. Ben ended with 57 n.o in his first game back since injuring his hand in round 10, with Aaron (36), Roger (23), Sam (23), Dave Danks (19) and Will (13) all making solid contributions.

257 was always going to be a tough ask, but early wickets to Will (3/5 off 6) didn't help the Bulls in the run chase, with these 3 early wickets being the crucial ones we needed. With the opposition 4/15 and then 5/28 meant an uphill battle for the opposition. They then took the score along to 64 before losing 4/2. We had them all out in 37 overs for 82, with Roger Deane (B5s) taking a superb 5/31 off 14.1 overs. Reece Jones (B9s) took 1/7 off 3 and Charles also got his first bowl for the year, with the skipper dropping a chance off his bowling. Matt bowled excellently to go unrewarded with 0/20 off 11 overs. Great win guys.

A	10 for 122	Greystanes	10 for 219	First innings loss
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