

## The Third Man's Report

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Have a look at the Baulko web site. All the news about club events, fixtures, results, ladders etc are all available at the following web site - [www.baulkocricicket.com.au](http://www.baulkocricicket.com.au) To see your team's results, go to [baulkocricicket.com.au](http://baulkocricicket.com.au), select 'Team Pages' then select your team. From there you can see the ladder by selecting 'Ladder'.

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](mailto: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](mailto:results@baulkocricicket.com.au) by Tuesday night after the game. Newsletters will be published during the week after a game.

### Team Performances:

B3	Outright win	10R	Batting average = 59.0
14/1B	Outright win		

### Individual Achievements

Jack Townsend	A	6/39	Blake Stafford	15/3	3/4
Ben Dooley	A	65	Samuel Bennetts	14/1B	45
Jono Bocking	B2	85	James Senior	14/1B	32
Brad Murpy	B2	3/39	Antonio Castellarin	14/1B	4/5
David Cope	B3	6/43 & 6/33	Sam Shiel	14/1B	4/18
Mitch Walters	B3	4/40 & 59	Josh Monks	14/3	44
Mark Ritchie	B7A	31	Alex Linco	14/3	3/19
Harry Izmirlian	B7A	3/52	Jackson Manning	13/2A	2/4
Glen Eades	B10	57	Blaine Cuneo	13/2A	2/7
Grant Korny	B10	57	Luke Bertus	13/2A	31no
John Young	B10	41	D. Gallage	13/2B	32
John Mclean	B10	4/39	T. Engdahl	13/2B	3/14
Chris Soares	B14	5/22	S. Dar	13/2B	3/16
Matt Toomey	B14	3/21	Liam Graham	12/1	3/4
O Fernando	16/1	51	Michael French	11/1	53no
M Bennetts	16/1	4/6	Jake Smith	11/1	50no
James Galofaro	15/2	5/45	Arsh Kapila	11/1	25
Blaine O'Brien	15/2	62	Aaditya Gholkar	11/2	25
Karanbir Singh	15/3	41 no & 2/5	Jack Engdahl	11/2	3/7

## Team Rosters

### Canteen Roster - Ted Horwood Oval

Teams are reminded to have people available to man the canteen at Ted Horwood Reserve. The canteens raise valuable funds for our club, which help us to keep the fees down. The following teams are rostered in the next few weeks -

DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON
February 7 2009	B13	15/1
February 14 2009	B3	15/3
February 21 2009	B7A	14/1A
February 28 2009	B14	14/1B

### Meat Raffle Roster

The following teams have been rostered to sell tickets for the Saturday Night Raffle, to be held back at the club after the game. Please make every effort to ensure your team helps out in this important fundraiser for the club.

This season the raffles are only being held on the first week of every senior game.

Ticket sales are to start by 6:30pm.

DATE	TEAM
February 7 2009	B7A
February 21 2009	B10
March 7 2009	B13

### PDCA U11 J H Creak Shield Team Wins NJDCA Ron Arendts Shield (Newcastle)

12-15 January 2009. PDCA's Under 11 Creak Shield team recently played in the Ron Arendts Shield, a tournament put on for representative teams in the under 11 age group by the Newcastle district junior cricket association (NDJCA). Played over four days in extreme heat (36° to 44°), the 40 over per side one game per day schedule saw each team play three days of round games and a fourth day final, with PDCA's team going through undefeated and winning the shield in fine form.

Baulkham Hills Cricket Club normally has two players in this representative side, Jimmy Gardiner (U12's) and Jake Smith (U11's). However, due to holiday absences, Chris Blinman (U11's) also played thus increasing BHCC's representative presence.

Jimmy Gardiner's highlights included some excellent batting (as usual) topping it off with four days of excellent wicket keeping in the absence of the team's normal wicket keeper. A really super effort.

Jake Smith's highlights included two middle order scores and a 50 not out (forced retirement) when opening the batting in the final. Jake also bowled well picking up a few wickets over the four days and fielding well in all four games.

Chris Blinman's highlights included fine spells of bowling in each game including a couple of wickets, four terrific catches at mid-off and some important runs, particularly late in the run chase in the shield final.

Worthy of note is the effort that was required of the team in winning this shield. In total the side played approximately 310 overs of very competitive cricket in only four days and at a standard well above their age group. The maturity that was shown in chasing a target of more than 180 runs in only forty overs and to win with only one ball to go in their first game showed a level of skill and maturity rarely seen, even in seniors cricket.

Although the shield victory was the result of a true team effort, all three Baulkham Hills players contributed enormously to the end result and all three should be really proud of their efforts. So too should all members of BHCC be proud to have these young cricketers at our club. Well done boys. Keep up the good work and good luck with your cricketing futures.

## The President's Roundup

Well, it is all happening. The competition is heating up and so is the weather! Gee, what 42 deg on day 1 of the last round and the same again this Saturday. Maybe we should change to winter? The competition has 3 rounds to go and lots of teams are right up there. Some good wins last round in seniors, with A grade winning a close match to move to 2nd place. This week they play competition leaders Hills Barbarians and a win would move them to first. Good luck guys. The enigmatic B3's produced an easy outright, winning by 10 wickets against UTY & VOT. At least they turned up, which their mates in B9 did not do - so they forfeited!

The social calendar is also heating up. Just look at what is coming up:

- Sunday 8 February. Bankstown games - seniors & U11's - players are wanted for the seniors. If you want a game please call me. Plenty of food and refreshments will be on tap, so come along.
- Saturday 21 & 28 February - Team photos. Ian Chatman has put out the roster.
- Sunday 22 February - Junior Double Wicket. Early start at Ted Horwood - 8.30 for a 9.00 am start.
- Saturday 28 February - Trivia night at the sports Club. 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Cost: \$20 adults & \$10 juniors. This cost includes some nibbles on the tables. Please note that you CANNOT bring nibbles into the club. Tables must be booked - there are only a limited number of tables - 8 persons per table. Book a table by calling Peter McLoughlin on 0413 495513 or email me at [president@baulkocricicket.com.au](mailto:president@baulkocricicket.com.au). Don't think you can just turn up, as you may be disappointed
- 8 March. Seniors v Colts T20 match at Charles McLaughlin. The selectors are looking closely at form to select any budding Phillip Hughes or maybe some slightly older players!
- 14 March. 90th Anniversary Dinner at the Sports Club. 7pm start. Cost \$60 per head & this includes a three-course dinner and some of our wonderful 90th Anniversary wine. Special guest speaker is Kerry O'Keefe! Again, numbers are limited, so don't leave it and miss out. Again bookings to Peter McLoughlin. You can book for 1 person up to a table or whatever. First come, first served!

So how's that for a busy month or so. And all that before the finals!

And don't forget the meat raffle this Saturday - starting around 6.30pm. The member's jackpot is \$400! Now that's an incentive to be there!!!!

Congratulations to The U12/1 & U16/1's who have made the semis of the Michael Clarke Twenty/20 comp. These will be played at Eric Mobbs on Sunday 15 February.

Best of luck to all teams.

Peter McLoughlin,  
President

### Baulkham Hills Netball Club – Young players wanted

Baulkham Hills Sports Club Netball Division needs 8 & 9 Years girls to play in their second 9 years team. We train at Ted Horwood Reserve courts & play at Kellyville Netball Complex. For further information please contact our Registrar Viv Thurlow on 9620 4645 or 0439 456 045.

## Match Results and Reports

<b>10 Blue</b>	<b>7 for 95</b>	<b>Winston Hills</b>	<b>5 for 86</b>	<b>Loss on averages</b>
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The boys finally completed a game since Round 6. As week 7 was a washout and 8 being a bye. The boys struggled through the heat in the first week but luckily won the toss and batted. Unfortunately we were short 3 players but managed 95 runs for the day. The boys batted well after their break, with Cody top scoring with 9 off the bat followed by Alex with 7. Bowling in the second week also was promising with great improvements from all. We still need to concentrate on the Extras by bowling the ball straighter. Alex ended with 2/6 with Alec, Joshua and Aidan also taking wickets. Alec, Rufus and Cameron took fabulous catches and there were also run out by Sam, Matt and Cameron.

<b>10 Red</b>	<b>2 for 118</b>	<b>Rouse Hill Rams</b>	<b>9 for 84</b>	<b>Win on averages</b>
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Performances

Dilshan Wijesena - 2 stumpings & 10 n.o

Stephen Burns - 14 n.o

Armaan Dhaliwal - 10 n.o

Emil Nissanka - 8 n.o

A loss of the toss saw us fielding in the extreme heat. This made no difference to the performance of our team. We bowled tight, did great in the field & did well to restrict them to 84 on a lightning fast ground. Just about everyone pitched in with a wicket & our ground fielding & backing the stumps was superb. Stephen's bullet arm returns snapping into the keeper's gloves from the boundary was a highlight & certainly made them think about running. Dilshan's wicket keeping was brilliant. With 2 stumpings & 4 more attempts given not out, it certainly made the opposition batsmen stay in their crease.

Day 2 saw the most disciplined performance by our team in the entire season. The game plan was simple. We were not to worry about scoring runs, just bat sensibly, no silly shots, protect your wicket & the runs will come. The entire team followed this plan with accuracy. The best thing to come out of this was that we did not lose any wickets to silly shots.

Our first wicket did not fall until the 20th over which got us off to a great start. Emil's job as opener saw the little bloke stand up & deliver his best batting performance this season. Armaan, Dilshan & Stephen really showed their experience with their batting & were all over the opposition with their placement of shots & running between the wickets. Unluckily, we lost wicket on the last ball of the innings which halved our batting average from 118 to 59. An excellent result boys, all your exceptional hard work at training & concentration on game day is showing results & this is why you are undefeated after 9 rounds. Well done & keep up the hard work!

<b>10 White</b>	<b>8 for 78</b>	<b>Rouse Hill Rams</b>	<b>9 for 93</b>	<b>Loss on averages</b>
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First game back after the Xmas break and with school holidays not yet over and a long weekend to boot we were short and could only muster up 8 players.

Baulko won the toss and elected to bat?

Malachi (20 n.o.) and Sheehan (16) opened the batting and got us off to a great start with some good shots and aggressive running between wickets. Next in were Harrison (11) and Johan (9) who kept the momentum going. Then came Blake (8) and Sarthak (5 n.o.) followed by Jaelyn (3) and Yasith (3) which saw us end with a total of 8 for 78.

Baulko's turn to bowl and Malachi (1 for 8) and Blake (0 for 18) opened the bowling. The Rouse Hill Rams openers were batting well and it wasn't until the 3rd over that we got our first wicket when Malachi bowled one of the openers. The next few wickets to fall were due to some great fielding with a total of 3 run outs. Sheehan combined with Harrison to get the first run out, then Sheehan combined with Malachi to claim another run out and Blake's throw from near the boundary to catch another Rouse Hill Ram batsmen short of his ground was a beauty. Bowlers to take wickets were Sarthak (2 for 12), Jaelyn (1 for 4) and Nicholas (2 for 3). All the other bowlers bowled well and we were unlucky not to get more wickets. After the drinks break, Malachi had a turn behind the stumps and managed to take 2 catches and secure a great stumping off Nicholas's bowling.

Best performances:

Batting: Malachi 20 not out; Sheehan 16 and Harrison 11.

Bowling: Sarthak 2 for 12; Nicholas 2 for 3

<b>11/2</b>	<b>6 for 169</b>	<b>Kings Langley B</b>	<b>10 for 61</b>	<b>First innings win</b>
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No report submitted.

**11/1****6 for 203****Winston Hills****10 for 135****First innings win**

Thank Goodness, it's back to cricket time again! The pain of four weeks of having nothing to do on a Saturday morning is finally over.

Round 9 put us up against Winston Hills who were in second last place, yet to win their first game. After Thursday's rusty training session, we were hoping for an easy game.

Patrick Hassarati was Captain this game and after a brief team discussion he proudly strode to the toss and called correctly. My Goodness! That's three toss wins in a row! We'll bat was his cry.

Chris Blinman and Nathan Hamilton opened the batting. Chris batted with purpose and set about building an innings, seeing off the opening bowlers. Unfortunately, Chris over-concerned himself with run rates and the few early wickets that fell around him, leading him to rush his thoughts and his running between the wickets, once again taking more chances than necessary. Although he scored 14 runs, he shortened what could have been a very big score when he scooped a straightforward delivery to an in-close fieldsman. Nathan, on the other hand, learned an important lesson as to the consequences of trying to hit the first ball he faced for six over square leg boundary. To Nathan's horror it was a yorker on middle stump that stayed on its path all the way to middle stump.

Luke McGuinness batted at No. 3 and played well scoring 4 runs until a difficult ball caught the outside edge and was excellently caught at slip early in his innings. Blake Peisley followed at No. 4 and also scored a few but was bowled by a good length ball before he got himself set.

Jason Luther and Arsh Kapila came in at Nos. 5 and 6 respectively and immediately set about building a solid partnership of 53 runs, which was desperately needed with the score at 4 for 27. Both were excellent in defence and their shot play continues to improve each game. Jason made 19 runs before playing a good ball back onto his stumps from an inside edge. Arsh scored 25 runs at a good strike rate but yet again found an unlucky way of getting out, caught at backward square off one of only two balls in the over that weren't no-balls, and by a fieldsmen who had lost concentration, grabbing at the ball in surprise and not realising he had taken a catch (he was still attempting a run out when Arsh was leaving the field).

Michael French and Jake Smith batted at Nos 7 and 8, coming in only a few balls apart when the score was 6 for 82. Twenty-two overs later they left the field, again only a few balls apart, scoring 53 not out and 50 not out respectively and leaving the score at 6 for 201; a partnership of 119 off 145 balls. Simply excellent! Although each innings was of a different tempo, Jake scoring more freely with several 1's and 2's and four 4's and one 6, Michael showed great patience and waited for the right ball to hit to the boundary, ultimately more singles and eight 4's. In the heat, this partnership really took its toll on all Winston Hills boys.

At the end of the innings Ramal Rajapakse and Luke Jerome batted for only a few balls and each scored 1 run before play was closed at the end of the 52nd over. Yet again our opposition could not dismiss all our batsmen, a feat we have maintained since our only fully dismissed innings in Round 1.

Week 2 was our turn to bowl. Blake and Luke J opened the bowling and faced some determined batting. Luke J bowled a good line and length and was rewarded with economical figures. Unfortunately for Blake, Winston Hills' opening batters displayed a liking for his bowling and set their sights for the boundary. Although they scored a few, Blake will no doubt bounce back next game with a return to better form.

Michael and Luke M followed next and started the wicket tally. Michael's good bowling earning him 2 wickets early in his four overs and Luke's amazingly improved form earning him 1 wicket. Luke M continues to improve at a rapid rate and is really starting to develop his game. Keep it up Luke. You're going great! A run out to Patrick was also taken during this bowling spell.

Arsh and Jake were next to bowl but both found some resistance from Winston Hills' middle order. Both bowled well, but the most minor of errors in either line or length was all that Winston Hills needed to pounce. Ibteeda and Chris encountered similar resistance, as the next bowling pair, once again each bowling well but finding wickets hard to come by. Ibteeda finally managed to pick up 1 wicket in his last over, the result of continued and deadly accurate bowling.

Nathan, Jason and Ramal rounded out the bowling efforts and like the rest all bowled quite well. Nathan was very unlucky not to pick up a couple of wickets, although sustained good bowling lead to run out when the batsmen tried a desperate single. Jason and Ramal had better luck, each picking up two wickets, three bowled and one caught and bowled.

All up this game was a good effort, all be it most boys were a little rusty from the holiday break. Most importantly though (in competition terms) the win keeps us right up there in the fight for first place come seasons end. Keep up the good work all.



rate to a slow pace, however we gave away more sundries that we would have liked, being half the runs they scored off the bat. Our initial plan wasn't realised on the day, however we had Kings Langley all out by the 54th over for 75 runs. Wicket takers were Jackson 2 for 4, Pavan 1 for 3, Tanveer 1 for 5, Jayden 1 for 8, Michael 1 for 16, Luke 1 for 4, Devin 1 for 9 and Blaine 2 for 7. Catches were taken by Luke (2) and Tanveer (2). Fielding award went to Jaden McGovern.

Day two saw another very hot day with a moist and spongy outfield. Although we lost a few early wickets, Blaine and Michael, and then Jaden M went on to build partnerships and settle play. By the 37th over we had secured the first innings win, with the winning runs scored from a great 4 from Jaden M. With the pressure off we continued to bat well, declaring in the 51st over at 8 for 142. Top run scorers were Luke 31 and Pavan 23 (both not out), Blaine 17 and Jaden M 15.

Well done boys. Another great team effort, continuing our undefeated streak. Let's hope it continues into the finals.

<b>13/1</b>	<b>10 for 103</b>	<b>Kings Langley</b>	<b>10 for 142</b>	<b>First innings loss</b>
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Baulko lost the toss and was sent to field. The day was the hottest in the season so far. Baulko started off well and was containing the opposition with just about 2.5 runs per over when their 1st wicket fell in the 10th over when the score was 26 when Ravi bowled their opener in his 2nd over. Following over from Ravi saw another wicket falling with Koski taking a neat catch. Opposition's third wicket partnership was the highest with 49 runs when the batsman fell to Michael's spin attack right in his 1st over. Michael earned his next wicket of the opposition's best batsman in the following over. George came into bowl his spin attack and also secured his 1st wicket in the 1st over itself and took another wicket in his following over. Kings Langley never recovered from the fall of these quick wickets and finished their innings scoring 142 runs in 50 overs. At the end of their innings George had 4 wickets for 13 runs, Michael 3 for 25, Ravi 2 for 11 and Koski 1 for 15. Koski held 3 catches, Michael 2 and Cody, Amar & Ishmam 1 each.

Baulko had the small advantage of making the required runs in 65 overs and was sent into bat with 6 minutes of the day left and closed the day with 0 for 3 runs. What was felt to be a very achievable score started off badly for us when Baulko lost 2 quick wickets when the score was only 8 in the 8th over. The opposition had some fine bowling and was also swinging the ball well and our players kept losing their wickets at regular intervals. With only ½ the overs used up and almost 2 hours of play left we were down 9 wickets for only 57 runs. Ishmam had just come into bat then and was joined by Joe. It looked as though we would be forced to follow-on soon. But the last wicket pair started taking over charge and started frustrating the opposition with superb defensive play and went onto take the score to 103 and lost the last wicket with just only 7 balls left for the day. Though we lost the match both Joe & Ishmam salvaged the match from a pathetic situation to a nail biting finish. Well done and great effort boys!!!

For their determined best effort both Joe & Ishmam were declared Men of the Match.

<b>14/3</b>	<b>10 for 136</b>	<b>Pendle Hill Colts</b>	<b>9 for 162</b>	<b>First innings loss</b>
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No report submitted.

<b>14/2</b>	<b>10 for 67</b>	<b>Kings Langley</b>	<b>10 for 144</b>	<b>First innings loss</b>
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No report submitted.

<b>14/1B</b>	<b>7 for 133</b>	<b>Wenty Waratahs</b>	<b>10 for 27, 10 for 41</b>	<b>Outright win</b>
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In the first round back, the boys played an understrength Wenty Waratahs and completed an easy outright win. All boys contributed to an excellent result, which we hope will give them some confidence going into the last 3 games.

In the 1st innings, Antonio Castellatin led the way with 4/5, well supported by James Senior (2/10) and Matt Sibley (1/3). The bowling was tight and the fielding very good. Samuel Bennetts (45) James Senior (32) led the batting in an excellent partnership! Josh Balzarolo (18) and Nick McConnell (15) offered good support.

In the second innings, Sam Shiel took 4/18, Matt Sibley 3/16 and James Benton 2/4 in another excellent display! Samuel Bennetts took 4 catches for the game.

In all, a great effort and a confidence booster going into the business end of the season. Good luck against Kings Langley next game!

<b>14/1A</b>	<b>9 for 120</b>	<b>Kings Langley</b>	<b>2 for 121</b>	<b>First innings loss</b>
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On the hottest day of the season Blake, to everyone's relief, won the toss and elected for us to bat.

Our openers James (9) and Jack M. (8) saw off the opening attack with a partnership of 27. This gave us an opportunity to build a respectable score and to keep Kings in the field on a day, when once again, we were one batsman short. Unfortunately our middle order was not up to the task. Most boys got a start and managed to spend a reasonable time in the middle, only to play a poor shot to get themselves out. It was left to our last wicket pairing of Jack F. (19) and Brent (17no) to fight a rearguard action and to get out score to 120. The pair batted for over an hour and put on 37 in 15 overs in very hot conditions that sapped the fielding side.

Kings Langley batted for 7 over on the first morning and made a quick fire 23 for no wicket.

The morning of the second day did not feel any cooler than the first. Defending 120 was always going to be a tough task and in the end Kings got the runs with just two wickets down. Pleasingly though our bowling effort on the morning was very good. Excellent spells by James (5 overs 0/9), Jack F. (5 overs 1/11), Anoop (5 overs 0/8) and Brent (5/ overs 0/13 and a great run out!) made sure that Kings had to earn the runs.

<b>15/3</b>	10 for 104, 6 for 87	Kings Langley	10 for 61	First innings win
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We turned up for our first game back for the year ready to play despite the heat and having only 9 players. Kings Langley won the toss and surprisingly elected to field. We went in with the aim to keep them out on the field in the scorching heat for as long as possible. We weren't off to a good start losing our first wicket in the second over and our second wicket in the 8th over and we only had 16 runs. Karanbir came in as our 4th batter and steadied the ship. Through some patient shots and five boundaries Karanbir ended the first innings with 41 not out. Kausthub (11) and Jack (19) also helped with the bat and Baulko ended up with a defendable score of 104. At 10.45 Kings Langley went in to start their first innings and were in for a rude shock when at the end of the first over they were 2/3 thanks to a run out and a wicket to Hugh. At the end of the first days play Kings Langley was 4/45 after some good bowling by Blake to finish the day with 2/2 off 4 overs.

The second day couldn't come quick enough for the boys who could see the chance to make this their first win of the season. The boys bowled well with wickets going to Hugh, Blake, Karanbir and Dineth. Some great fielding and backing up by Michael, Mahir, Dineth and Jack at wicketkeeper. Kings Langley was all out for 61 at 9.15. Some great bowling figures came out of the game with Blake 3/4 off 6 overs, Dineth 1/6 off 5 overs and Karanbir 2/5 off 4 overs. We went in to bat and scored 6/87 to finish the day. Brendan (11) and Kausthub (11) opened and had a 32 run partnership, well done boys. Mahir and Karanbir scored 7 runs each, Jack 17 runs with two boundaries including a 6, Hugh scored 13 not out and also scored a six (to which his mother commented he would probably talk about for the rest of the week). A great win to the boys and thoroughly deserved. Well done guys I knew you could do it if you could all put in a good performance at the one time. Congratulations and hopefully you can upset some more of the top 4 teams before the end of the season.

<b>15/2</b>	10 for 65, 10 for 117	Pendle Hill Colts	9 dec 186	Outright loss
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A combination of only 9 players on the first day and a disappointing batting performance had the team in trouble from the outset in this game. To be dismissed for 65 in favourable batting conditions was clearly not good enough. Only 3 players reached double figures, Ben Graham (14), Jon Coulter (12) and Chris Gunton (11). Pendle Hill then made proper use of the conditions to establish a 52 run lead on the first innings by the close of play on day 1. Some lusty hitting early on day 2 by Pendle Hill combined with some at times, untidy bowling, saw Pendle Hill reach 9 for 186 before declaring. James Galofaro with 5 for 45 off 12 overs was the pick of the bowlers.

This left the 10 player Baulko team with around 2 hours 45 minutes to bat to avert an outright defeat. The undoubted highlight of the second innings was a fine 62 from Blaine O'Brien, easily his personal best score. This innings featured shots on both sides of the wicket, 9 4s, and was proof of his substantial development as a batsman this season. However, as in the first innings only 3 batsmen reached double figures, Damian Wilks (16) easily his best effort with the bat, and Chris Gunton (10), meaning that Blaine received insufficient support and the final wicket fell at 117, with about 11 minutes remaining before stumps, and still trailing by 4 runs.

A much better second innings batting effort. However, this outright defeat probably means the team needs to win its last 3 matches to achieve its aim of making the semi-finals. You are good enough to achieve this, but consistency in all areas of the game is required.

<b>15/1</b>	10 for 90, 10 for 44	Hills Barbarians	10 for 140	Outright loss
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No report submitted.

<b>16/1</b>	5 for 109	Rouse Hill Rams	10 for 96	First innings win
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No report submitted.

<b>B14</b>	10 for 98, 10 for 45	Seven Hills RSL	10 for 84, 6 for 60	First innings win, Outright loss
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As the scores might suggest, this was a close, keenly contested game of cricket. It was great to have Dave Hugill back for this game and his 25 in the first innings was a reminder of how he has been missed. Simon Ruxton followed his good unbeaten effort against Kings Langley with a sound 25. However, as the all out 98 might indicate, the other batsmen did not contribute a lot. However, the Baulko bowlers were not to be denied despite the very hot conditions. Led by another outstanding performance from Chris Soares with 5 for 22 off 10 overs, Baulko took wickets at fairly regular intervals to dismiss Seven Hills for 84, a first innings lead of 14 runs. Matt Toomey, with 3 for 21, also a fine effort.

Baulko then had to return to the batting crease for a short period on the first day and finished the day a shaky 3 for 6. The

innings never really got any momentum on the second day, apart from a fine effort of 20 from Dave Hugill. This second innings all out for 45 left Seven Hills needing 60 for outright victory. Some good Baulko bowling provided some anxious moments for Seven Hills but they finally reached the target with 6 wickets down. Jeff Foskett, Bryce Jones, and Matt Toomey each took 2 wickets.

The first innings points still keeps Baulko in the hunt for the semi-finals.

<b>B13</b>	10 for 107	Kings Langley	10 for 146	First innings loss
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<b>B11</b>	10 for 160	Wenty Waratahs	6 for 353	First innings loss
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No report submitted.

<b>B10</b>	10 for 240	Guildford Leagues	10 for 171	First innings win
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No report submitted.

<b>B9</b>	UTY & VOT		Win on Forfeit
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We all arrived on time to the ground. Even Nirav and Prasad graced us with their presence. The toss was tossed with one of the four players of the opposition that decided to show up. We won the toss and argued with each other about ... well, just about everything... We then packed our gear and went home. We won by a couple of innings - got 10 points and didn't even sweat - even with 40 degree winds blowing in our faces... that was the hot wind of everyone whining about everything...

How'z that...

This is one of the most enjoyable match reports yet put together...

<b>B8</b>	BYE		BYE
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Nothing to report.

<b>B7A</b>	10 for 62, 4 for 78	UTY & VOT	10 for 181, 4 dec 76	First innings loss
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No report submitted.

<b>B3</b>	10 for 186, 0 for 22	UTY & VOT	10 for 138, 10 for 69	Outright win
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No report submitted.

<b>B2</b>	9 dec 249	Wenty Waratahs	10 for 145	First innings win
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No report submitted.

<b>A</b>	10 for 162	Wenty Waratahs	10 for 149	First innings win
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No report submitted.