

AT THE CREASE

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Welcome to the revival of Carnegie South Cricket Club Newsletter **AT THE CREASE**, it is hoped that this will become a worthy newsletter to all concerned, it will only survive if we all can make it work, by contributions from all associated with the club, it will include match reports from the Captains & Junior Managers for all grades as well as Coaches notes, committee notes, upcoming social events, pics, bio's past and present, Birthdays, Marriages, etc For any contributions <mailto:mmcswain@bigpond.net.au> note: all match reports to be in no later than the following Tuesday after the completion of each match.

EDITORIAL MATTERS

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NEWS AND MATCH REPORTS

Longmuir Shield –Bruce Haley

ROUND 1 v ELWOOD

Carnegie South 257 Daniel Black 118, David Norris 36 lost Elwood 9/291

Our Longmuir Shield side opened the new season with a home fixture against Elwood. Acting captain Glenn Gallagher lost the toss and we were bowling on the newly laid Lords deck.

A terrific start saw us have Elwood 2-6 with Noombie getting both wickets LBW courtesy of retiring umpire Frank 'Trigger' Robinson.

Elwood got on top of us after that and we struggled to bowl a consistent length to build pressure on them. Their captain batted very well after a shaky start and he found a couple of willing helpers to create a couple of damaging partnerships. At one stage it looked like we'd be chasing 350 but we fought back well late in the day to have them 9-291.

A tough chase we needed to start well but young opener Simon Kulikov was run out without scoring. Kevin Pereira looked good for 15 and David Norris batted well for his 37 before he was triggered by Robbo's replacement.

Daniel Black played shots all around the wicket and with good support from Carl Schleiger we were in a great position at 4-155 with one ball to go to tea when disaster struck with Polly's dismissal.

Chicken kept going after the break and despite losing 3 more partners he went on to make a brilliant 118.

Unfortunately we still needed 60 to win after his dismissal and despite some lusty late order hitting from Mark McSwain we fell 34 short of the target.

Positives from the game include Glenn Gallagher's bowling, 3-38 from 20 overs, a magnificent effort in the conditions, David Norris, Daniel Black and Carl Schleiger's batting and our ground fielding and commitment in the field which was good.

Our other bowlers need to work on bowling a more consistent length and we had too many non contributors with the bat.

We batted 9 overs less than our opponents, if we can bat for 72 overs we will win games, starting with Hampton Central next week.

Second Eleven – Luke Adams

Elwood 6/172 def Carnegie South 163

As the season started for the 2nd XI down at the bright and sunny Elwood cricket club, things were looking up for the team with the recruitment of left arm opener "Sunny" Sanjeev and speedy outswinger Nick Barda. After promising pre seasons, Nick Hulston and Dom Cerreto were looking to cement their spots while the inclusion of the injury prone Scott Adams and Andrew Miles was an encouraging sign.

Winning the toss, A Miles and H Nicholson took to the middle to face a young but spirited Elwood attack.

Both departed shortly after where new comer Lachie Briody and A Hulston looked to settle proceedings. Both players seem to get themselves "in" before a top order batting collapse saw us 5/47. Some consolidation was required which both D Cerreto and L Adams provided. We built a strong partnership of 63 runs before L Adams departed for 28 and D Cerreto departed not long after for an impressive and powerful 36. Young guns N Barda and N Hulston then combined and with some very hard running and confident strokeplay, took the score to 157. We were all out for a low but still competitive total of 163. Having 2 overs to bowl we fancied our chances at picking up a quick wicket or 2. Our bowlers created these chances however we weren't quite able to convert. This left Elwood 0/10 with next week to play.

Losing Sunny overnight meant we were short an opening bowler with M Hulston coming to sub field for the side. L Briody stepped up to the mark in his replacement and provided a more than serviceable return. Lachie picked up 2/17 with a sharp catch at 2nd slip and a beautiful bowled. The other end saw S Adams make his long awaited return. He also picked up quick wickets with a sharp catch taken at gully and a trademark middle stump bowled. At 4/28, we really had Elwood on the ropes. The Elwood middle order provided some resistance, however still offering regular chances. Unfortunately we couldn't take these chances and Elwood went on to win, 7 wickets down. Fantastic bowling efforts from N Barda 1/29 (11) and N Hulston 1/30 (10) and with the smell of victory so close, we won't let these chances slip in the future.

Third Eleven

Where is the report moory??

Dingley 169 def Carnegie South 141 Shane Dobson 64.

Fourth Eleven

Carnegie South def Cheltenham Park on walkover

Next Round

Round	Date	Team	Against	Ground
3	3/10 th November	Longmuir	Mackie	Mackie Rd Reserve
		2 nd s	Mackie	Lords Reserve
		3 rd s	ESBC	ESand Sec College
		4 th s	NthCaul/Glenhuntly	Caulfield Park No 5

JUNIOR REPORTS

Unfortunately time was against us in getting all reports in from all the junior managers, as well, the draw will be finalised by the CMCA this week.

The next edition of ATC will have more detailed reports for the juniors.

Under 12's

Under 14's Brighton 90 lost to Carnegie South 8/116 Tim Snape 38 no,
A Bradley 32 no. T Snape 2/12, W. Bows 2/8, T Anderson 2/12

Under 16's Round 1. Jim Nicholson
14.10.07

Carnegie South Cricket Club 7/134 defeated Brighton CC 4/132

The U16's first game was played last Sunday morning against Brighton CC and it was a 25 over game. Carnegie South had only 9 players and fortunately was the same with the opposition.

Carnegie South this year comprises of some experienced junior cricketers and some who have never played competitive cricket.

The captainship this season was awarded to Hugh Nicholson and the vice captain this year is George Angelopoulos which is a tribute to his enthusiasm and team spirit.

CSCC won the toss and elected to bat, Nicholson and Grech started with a sparkling 83 run partnership in 10 overs with both players making 40 and 47 runs respectively, unfortunately with the exception of Jacob Curtis (25) the other batsman struggled, this was due to in some cases rustiness and some inexperience. Still the side made 134 and Brighton had to make them.

With Brighton batting CSCC bowling was tight; Grech was fast and hard to score from and was well backed up by Gullan, Curtis and Pennacchia. Brighton's early batsman found it hard to score as the bowlers were backed up by some solid fielding. The bowling in the middle and latter part of the innings was a bit loose and the Brighton batsman's took advantage by scoring quick runs, but a good run out by first gamer Kuang, a good catch by Scolyer, and two good stumpings by Nicholson put on enough pressure to give CSCC a close 2 run win.

It was a good start to the season by CSCC, the fielding was solid and the bowling was generally good, but the bating needs to improve as they must take advantage of good opening starts.

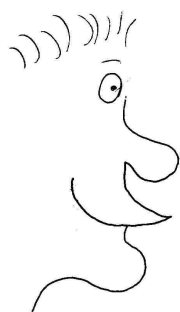
Batting L Grech 47, H Nicholson 40 , J Curtis 25

Bowling J Curtis 1/19 , A Kuang 1/15, D Scolyer 1/20

Two premierships for the club in 51 years

Under 14's Premiers. Against Highett West, amongst the stars was Arie Dekel & David Norris an opening stand of 56, with David not out 97, when the side was dismissed for 207. Mark McSwain was the youngest team member at 10 years of age.

Third Eleven Premiers against All Nations, Carnegie South 320 All Nations 229
Captain Matt Kirkwood.



Introducing....

CHUKKA YORKA

his mouth. "How do you do. My name is Robert M. Hess. Never mind what the M stands for. I am the current Honorary Secretary of the sporting club known hereabouts and in other places too as the Carnegie South Cricket Club. You are entitled to refer to the aforementioned club as the 'Negies whilst participating in a match, i.e. 'Carn the Negies'. What is your name?" With this he whips out some forms and starts writing and firing questions. "With whom have you played during the preceding two years?" was one. I told him I'd made thirty runs on Elwood beach last summer but was out when the ball went in the water on the full. He put his papers away. "I shall take you to our leader." He grabs me by the arm and leads me towards one of the most gruesome sights I've ever clapped eyes on.

"This is the Penguin". Things are really desperate now. The Penguin just looks at me for about a full minute. Finally he speaks. "Have you got an ugly sister?" I told him no but that I've got an aunty with leprosy. "Gimme her phone number and you can have a bat. And don't ask me what I got up to last night because none of it was my fault. I don't remember any of it anyway. Especially I don't remember the bit with the gunboot. I was home all night. Not like the mongrels I was out with. If you haven't got an ugly sister you'll have to start in the Fifties same as everybody else."

So here I am now, sitting in a madhouse on selection night with about fifty other blokes and not a straight jacket among them. I look around carefully. Gawd what have I let myself in for!

I'm walking home from the Rosstown pub one Thursday night, see, and I stop to draw breath at this grey pavillion. There's a mob of blokes in the middle of the park, some practising missing a cricket ball with a bat and some looking like pretty experienced council workers, only without a shovel to lean on. So I'm just minding me own business and next thing I know there's a voice comes out of me navel. "Looking for a game mate?" I look down to tell me navel to leave the talking to me mouth and strike me if there's not a funny looking little bloke standing in front of me. I've seen some loonies in me time but this one takes the cake.

"I'm Daryl Pitman," it says, "Club President and winner of the firsts batting average on three occasions. I once drank a bottle of Penfolds Tawny Port through a garden hose while I was asleep, but let's not go into that. Come with me and I'll introduce you to our secretary." I look around for a copper but naturally there's nothing, so I follow the looney out onto the ground and up to this head of hair. The looney says "Rob, this bloke came up to me and said he desperately wants to play with our club. I don't think he's the full quid so he should fit in all right. Can you look after him?" He took a bite out of his cap and walked off. The head of hair opened

150 UP

Yet another milestone will be reached on Saturday when Noel Dettman notches up his 150th game with Carnegie South. The big hitting batsman has had an illustrious career with the 'Negies, winning several batting averages and taking out the 1971-72 Ward Medal. Congratulations Noel, from all at the club.



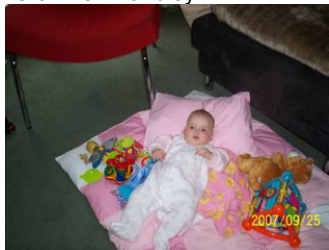
Relaxed as ever

AROUND THE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SOCIAL EVENTS PAGES



BIRTHS

Lara Ellen Handley



Congratulations goes to Scott & Natalie Handley on the birth of Lara Ellen on 12 April 2007.

And congratulations also to Brett Handley, brother of both Scott & Justine and former legend of CSCC, and his wife Sandy gave birth to Alysha Rose Handley on 4 September 2007.

The way the club is going with all the girls born by present players, viz Scott and Brett, Mark & Suzanne McSwain with Alannah & Sophie, Marty & Sharon Reid with Holly.

We are nearly half way there to fielding a girls team in future years

Alysha Rose Handley



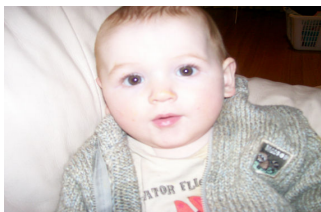
Alannah & Sophie McSwain



Holly Reid



Congratulations also to Mark & Suzanne McSwain on the birth of their Son Ryan John born 8 February 2007



BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO:

Congratulations Michael (Hulston) on reaching your 21st Birthday on 23 October 2007

SOCIAL CALENDAR - 24 November Trader Night (Flyer attached)



Carnegie South Cricket Club Presents

TRADER NIGHT

2007

SATURDAY 24TH NOVEMBER

7:30PM - 12AM

CSCC CLUBROOMS

\$10 entry + free drink!!

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