

East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club



2017 – 18 Annual Report and Financial Statements

East Christchurch - Shirley Cricket Club Inc.

Office Holders 2017/2018 Season

<i>Patrons</i>	Mr Neil Ockwell
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<i>ESCC nominated directors of Shirley Sports Club Ltd.</i>	John Grocott, Tim Grocott, Paul Cottam



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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the **113th Annual General Meeting** of the East Christchurch-Shirley Cricket Club Incorporated will be held at the Pavilion, Burwood Park at 6.00 pm on Thursday 13 September 2018.

The Annual report of the Management Committee will be submitted to the members for consideration, and the following ordinary business will be transacted:

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the 112th Annual General Meeting held on the 25th day of September 2017.
2. Adoption of the Annual report, Statement of Income and Expenditure and Balance Sheet as at 31st May 2018.
3. Election of Officers, Management Committee and Honorary Auditor for the coming season.
4. To consider the following Notice of Motion to be proposed by Jeff Cope and seconded by Donn Leckie.

That subscriptions for the 2018/19 season will be at the rates set out below.

<i>Senior players - Men</i>	\$260
<i>Senior players - Women</i>	\$130
<i>U18 / Secondary students</i>	\$125
<i>Twenty 20 Grade players - Men</i>	\$160
<i>Junior players - boys</i>	\$95
<i>Junior players - girls</i>	\$50
<i>Junior family membership</i>	\$155
<i>Year 5 player</i>	\$50
<i>Year 8 player, pre-Xmas</i>	\$50
<i>Social member</i>	\$20

5. General business.

Jeff Cope
SECRETARY

COMMITTEE OPERATIONS

At the 2017 AGM:

- As has become the norm these days, attendance numbers at the AGM were again low, with the required quorum only just being met. As noted last year, finding sufficient members with the time and inclination to stand for the Committee is an ongoing issue. This makes it doubly difficult to institute some form of succession planning for the key Committee positions, as the appropriate candidates are not coming forward.
- In the absence of an elected President at the date of the AGM, Donn Leckie, Vice President, chaired the meeting.
- Tim Grocott was elected President for the 2017/18 season, continuing the long tradition of Grocott family members volunteering to manage club affairs.
- Some stability in committee membership was achieved, with only Mitch Petheram and Jacinta Savage standing down due to other commitments – in Jacinta's case, as the club no longer had a Premier Women's team she had reluctantly transferred to the Lancaster Park Club to continue her playing career. New members elected to the committee were Blake Coburn and Hamish Teale.
- Jeff Cope was elected a Life Member of the club.

At the first committee meeting Steve Graham was elected Chairperson.

Four subcommittees operated throughout the season. Their responsibilities are given below, with convenors as noted.

- **Activities Subcommittee** (social and cricket events, publicity and promotion; communications: convenor – *Mike Johnston*)
- **Business Subcommittee** (finance, sponsorship & fund raising, subscriptions, planning & club management, membership, club records, liaison with SSCL board: convenor – *Jeff Cope*)
- **Cricket Subcommittee** (training & coaching, player recruitment, team entries, grounds & practice facilities, gear, school liaison, awards, disciplinary; convenors – *Donn Leckie / Steve Graham*)
- **Junior Subcommittee** (managing the operations of the Junior cricket section; convenor – *Paul Cottam*)

Committee Attendances

During the year, until the printing deadline for this report, seven meetings were held and attendance is recorded below (with apologies tendered recorded in parentheses). Playing and work commitments affected the attendance record of a number of committee members. Mike Johnston resigned from the Committee on 14 August 2018.

H. Burson	6 (1)	B. Hanham	5 (2)
B. Coburn	2 (4)	M. Johnston	3 (3)
J. Cope	7	D. Leckie	5 (2)
P. Cottam	5 (2)	N. McNicol	5 (1)
T. Dixon	3 (4)	J. Roberts	1 (3)
S. Graham	7	H. Teale	4 (3)
J. Grocott	6 (1)	J. Van Eyk Menkman	5 (2)
T. Grocott	6 (1)		

Jeff Cope
SECRETARY

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Important Notice for all Players

Registering with CricHQ

Before you play your first game of the 2018/19 season you must be registered with CricHQ. This applies whether you are a current or intending member of the Club. By registering with CricHQ you will also automatically register with the club and we will be using the CricHQ system to monitor membership.

The CricHQ system is also set up to allow you to pay your ESCC subscription and provides another option to the payment methods set out below.

To access CricHQ go to <https://www.crichq.com/clubs/99456/teams>

Subscriptions

Payment of your subscription outside the CricHQ system can be made at time of registration. You can make payment by:

- **Direct credit** to our bank account
[ESCC bank account # 03 1700 0111638 00. Remember to state player's name.]
- Complete the online registration form and **post payment** to East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club, PO Box 990, Christchurch.
- Payment in person at the clubrooms (Eftpos available)

Note that the Club also offers alternative methods of payment of subscriptions for those who cannot meet the one-off payment at the start of the season, including Eftpos and instalments via automatic payments.

Resignations

Please Note

Resignations must be in the hands of the Secretary no later than the date of the Annual General Meeting.

PRESIDENTS REPORT

The 2017-18 season was another successful season for the club. We had seven men's teams entered in competitions, as well as sixteen Junior teams. Overall, the club has performed very well on the field with three teams winning CMCA trophies. Congratulations to the Shirley Sheas who won the Cavaliers T20 Grade; the Punjab Kings XI won the 3A grade; and the Featherstone Firebirds won the 3B grade. In some other good results, the men's Premier side made the final in the T20 competition but unfortunately lost to a very good St Albans side. These excellent results led to us winning two club awards which were the Melhuish Shield, and the Petersen Shield which goes to the Premier Club with the best performance across all teams in CMCA grades.

While the playing side remains strong so does the administrative side of the club, and I would like to acknowledge the work of our Senior Club and Junior Club Committees. These people put in hours of voluntary work to keep our club running and without their dedication and commitment the club would not be what it is today. It was pleasing to see a number of these people recognised at our club awards, with Nicola Smith and Kristi Daly winning the Dr. A J Orchard Memorial Trophy for outstanding administrative service on the Junior Committee; and Nathan McNichol, who had his season ruined by injury, but made an excellent contribution to the life of the club, being awarded the President's Award Grocott Trophy. Steve Graham was also awarded the Ana Rouse Cup for Services to Women's Cricket at the CMCA Awards.

While the club is in good heart, the committee members continue to have to deal with off-field issues. The poor financial situation of Canterbury Cricket has had a significant trickle-down effect, the change of competition structure in the CMCA grades, the continued upkeep and maintenance of grounds and facilities, and the endless chasing up of subs is a thankless task. Player subs are essential to keep the club running and I thank Donn Leckie, Harry Burson and John Grocott for their work in this area. A big thank you must go to our key sponsors Alan Stroud at O'Sheas and Andy Innes from Cricket Express, as well as Dean Hanham and Heather Warne who sponsored playing and training kit for the Premier and 2A squad.

There are challenges ahead and East-Christchurch Shirley has a lot to consider over the next couple of years. Key workers on the committee will need replacing, we need to develop more income streams and be less reliant on pub charity funding, and we need to continue providing high quality facilities for our cricketers, many of whom are performing at a high level.

It is great to see the success of people associated with our club. Ken McClure, Leo Carter, Tim Johnston and Blake Coburn all played for Canterbury, with Tim being named as bowler of the year. Tim Hampton-Matehe capped off a superb season by being named in the CMCA Team of the Year. Craig Gibb has been selected in the Over 50's New Zealand team and Pavi Nagra and Punjab Kings XI won the ethnic festival in Christchurch and won the New Zealand title in Auckland.

It is a pleasure to serve as the President of East-Christchurch Shirley and I look forward to another year in 2018-19.

Tim Grocott
PRESIDENT

SENIOR CLUB : TEAM RESULTS IN THE CMCA COMPETITIONS

		<u>Place</u>	<u>Teams</u>
Premier Grade	Two - day Competition	4	8
	One - day Competition	7	8
	Twenty20 (Dick Motz Series) ¹	2	11
2A Grade	Two - day Competition	5	6
	One - day Competition	5	6
	Twenty20 (Nathan Astle Series)	7	12
3A Grade Kings XI Punjab	Championship competition	1	8
3B Grade Featherstone Firebirds	Championship competition	1	7
Cavalier T20 Shirley Sheas	Championship competition (Section 2)	1=	14
	Top 4	3=	6
Presidents Grade Gold ²	Cup competition	4=	11
Presidents Grade Blue	Cup Competition	8=	11

1. Lost final.

2. Joint team with Old Boys-Collegians

18th Golden Oldies World Cricket Festival

At the end of March, Christchurch hosted the Golden Oldies Festival, and East-Christchurch Shirley volunteered to host three days of cricket at Burwood Park.

Sixteen teams played at Burwood over the three days, coming from within New Zealand and from Australia and USA. Most of the games were non-competitive but the players thoroughly enjoyed themselves, and the bar was very well frequented at the end of the day.

The club received a huge number of compliments about our pitches, grounds and clubrooms, the quality of the food, and the hospitality that we provided.

A huge thank you must go to those volunteers who helped out over the week - Steve Graham, John Grocott, Harry Burson, Pete Dunell, Donn Leckie and Roger Parlane.

CHRISTCHURCH METROPOLITAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION

AWARDS 2017/18

Club Awards:

Peterson Shield

(To the Premier Club with the best performance across all teams in CMCA Grades)

Melhuish Shield

(Highest combined points of two nominated teams playing in the CMCA competitions)

Kings XI Punjab (3A) and Featherstone Firebirds (3B)

Grade Awards:

The 3A Championship

East Christchurch Shirley Kings XI Punjab

The 3B Championship

East Christchurch Shirley Featherstone Firebirds

Cavaliers Twenty20 Grade Section 2 Championship

East Christchurch Shirley Sheas

Individual Awards:

Ana Rouse Cup for Services to Women's Cricket

Steve Graham

CMCA Team of the Year

Tim Hampton-Matehe



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The club would like to acknowledge and thank the following club sponsors

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A Big THANK-YOU to our Raffle Sponsors!

The lucky winner of our major raffle this year took away a handcrafted "Seaton" cricket bat, generously donated by club stalwart **Murray Seaton**.

Thanks Murray. This was very much appreciated by the club and, I'm sure, the raffle winner.

Other raffle prizes were donated by our long-time supporter **O'Sheas, Tim Johnstone and Arfur Daly**. Our thanks to them all.

We would encourage members and their friends to **SUPPORT** all of the businesses that support us.

TROPHIES – 2017/2018 SEASON

<i>Player of the Season</i>	Tim Hampton-Matehe
<i>Player of the Season - Runner Up</i>	Brijesh Patel
<i>Max International College of Fitness Team of the Year</i>	3A Kings XI Punjab
<i>Dr A.J. Orchard Memorial Trophy</i> <i>[outstanding administrative service]</i>	Nicola Smith & Kristi Daly
<i>President's Award (Grocott Trophy)</i> <i>[greatest all round contribution]</i>	Nathan McNicol
<i>Dick Pannell Trophy</i> <i>[most improved player below Premiers]</i>	Ben Michel
<i>Richard Hayes Memorial Trophy</i> <i>[most improved player under 21]</i>	Harrison Richards
<i>Natasha Carruth Cup</i> <i>[upholding the spirit of cricket in Women's grades]</i>	Ashley-Jane Whittaker
<i>Women's Most Improved Under 21</i>	Ashley-Jane Whittaker
<i>Women's Most Improved Below Premiers</i>	no award
<i>Women's Most Promising Youth Grade</i>	no award
<i>Batting Trophy – Men</i>	Tim Hampton-Matehe
<i>Bowling Trophy – Men</i>	Blake Coburn
<i>Fielding Trophy – Men</i>	Ben Hanham
<i>O'Shea's Public House T20 Player of the Year</i>	Ken McGlure
<i>Batting Trophy – Women</i>	no award
<i>Bowling Trophy – Women</i>	no award
<i>Fielding Trophy – Women</i>	no award
<i>Afternoon Batting Trophy - Men</i>	Pavneet Singh Nagra
<i>Afternoon Bowling Trophy - Men</i>	Brijesh Patel
<i>Afternoon All Round Performance Trophy - Men</i>	Brijesh Patel
<i>Eddie Parsons Shield</i> <i>[most notable performance at Burwood Park]</i>	Will Abell
<i>Hartley Trophy</i> <i>[most promising Junior player, year 8]</i>	Reuben Williams
<i>Paul Sullivan Memorial Trophy</i> <i>[most promising Junior player, year 7]</i>	Chris Ellison
<i>Howzat Trophy</i> <i>[most promising Junior player, year 5/6]</i>	Seamus Gallagher
<i>Tracey O'Neill Cup</i> <i>[Junior girl player of the season]</i>	no award
<i>Ray Anderson Memorial Trophy</i> <i>[Junior coach of the year]</i>	Steve Saunders

COACHING AND SELECTION

Men's Grades

Selectors

Premier / 2A grades: Captains, Dave Grocott

Other grades: Captains and Donn Leckie

The bulk of the Premier and 2A playing squad returned from last season. There was a change of captaincy for both teams with Tim Hampton-Matehe appointed as the new captain for the Premier Team and Chris Duggan as 2nd Grade captain. Both Tim and Chris did an excellent job leading their teams, often leading from the front with their quality batting performances. The squad welcomed new players Mark Otley, a young pace bowler from Timaru, and Will Abell, an all-rounder and English import.

When all our players are available we are able to field two very strong teams in Premiers and 2A. However, when players were lost to representative commitments, work commitments or injury, numbers for the 2nd grade side were very tight. Unfortunately, this meant the 2nd grade team had to play some games with an undermanned team. One contributing factor to this problem is having no 'feeder' team below 2nd Grade and I appreciate the efforts of the lower grade captains, especially Pavi from 3A, for helping out by finding extra players on occasions. Hopefully this coming season we can consolidate a Premier and 2A squad that has enough players to cover the times when the squad is short.

Once again coaching was focused around the Tuesday and Thursday night trainings. We continue to have excellent practice facilities and I believe we train as hard as any club team in town. Steve Taylor an Australian coach over in Christchurch working with the Canterbury Kings also helped out with our trainings over the first part of the season. He was impressed with how hard the squad trained. The players certainly enjoyed his input and experience even if they did grumble somewhat about the physical demands of his fielding drills. Many thanks to Steve for his efforts. Will Abell, our English Import, helped coach some of our club's junior teams and also did some coaching on the Clubs behalf at local Primary schools and Shirley Boys High.

Congratulations to our Canterbury 'First Class' Representatives Tim Johnston, Ken McClure, Leo Carter and Blake Coburn. Nathan McNichol was also destined to play for Canterbury but unfortunately a serious injury in a pre-season game saw him side-lined for the season. Hopefully he will get his chance this coming season. It was pleasing to see a couple of exceptional first class performances by our players with Ken McClure scoring his maiden double century and Blake Coburn taking 7 wickets for 67 runs. Tim Johnston was also named 'Bowler of the Year' by Canterbury Cricket.

Congratulations also to Tim Hampton-Matehe, Hamish Teale and Mark Otley who were selected for Canterbury 'A'. Mark was also selected for Canterbury Under 19 and was in the wider squad for the New Zealand Under 19 Team but disappointingly was not selected for the final team that played in the U19 World Cup.

Also congratulations to Tim Hampton Matehe who was named in the Christchurch Metro Premier Team of the Year.

It is great to see these players being recognised for their achievements and it reflects the talent we have in the Club. It is a testament to the 'good character' of these players they always play for East Shirley and attend club practices whenever possible. The other squad members really appreciate the commitment and loyalty these guys show to the squad and the club overall.

Premier Team

Overall, it's fair to say the Premier Team had a good season despite a disappointing One Day campaign.

Probably the highlight of the season was making the T20 final. The team was unbeaten during section play and convincingly beat Burnside West in the semi-final at Burwood Park. Unfortunately, in the final we were beaten by an outstanding St Albans side whose tight bowling 'strangled' our batting and we failed to set a truly competitive score. The loss was frustrating as the team were not quite at their best 'on the day'.

In the Two Day competition we finished 4th overall which achieved one of our team goals of improving our performances in two-day cricket. The team had outright wins over Marist and Riccarton in addition to drawing three games. There are still further improvements to make and with more experience, mental toughness and 'cricket smarts' this team can develop into a Two Day title contender.

In the One Day competition cricket we were top of the points table after 3 rounds but faded badly over the 2nd half of the competition, eventually finishing 7th in a very tight competition. With one more win we would probably have qualified for the semi-finals. Frustratingly, we had convincing wins over 2 of the top 4 teams. In a number of games, we played ourselves into a winning position but then faltered under pressure and failed to finish the game off. This will be a 'work on' for the coming season. With the all-round talent in our squad there is no reason why East can't continue to be a force in one-day cricket over the coming seasons.

The end of the season saw a couple of 'old heads' retire and the loss of Tim Johnston to Wellington. While Tim may return in the future, three long serving team members Darren Broom, Nick Johnston, and Jared Roberts, have all decided it is time to hang up their boots after distinguished Premier careers.

- Darren's career stats are very impressive – 144 games (Two Day and One Day games combined), 4620 runs including 6 hundreds and 24 fifties, 69 wickets, and 120 catches. His all-round abilities, experience, dry sense of humour and classic cover drive will be missed.
- Nick's career stats also make impressive reading – 123 games (Two Day and One Day games combined), 2190 runs including 7 fifties, 3 wickets [believe it or not], 120 catches and 27 stumpings. Nick's fine keeping ability, enthusiasm, and 'work stories' will be missed as well.
- Jared who is now working overseas has been a leading pace bowler in the team for several years. He has played 105 Two Day and One Day games combined, taken 225 wickets with 9 'five wicket bags' and 1 ten wicket bag in a match. Jed's stirring team speeches, fitness sessions and classic 'out-swingers' action will be missed.

All three players have made invaluable contributions to Easts performances over the years and have set a high standard for other players to aspire to. They have been great 'team

men' and are 'real characters' in the team. All the best guys! Stay fit, you might get the odd phone call!!

Second Grade A

It was a difficult season for the 2A team who basically had a different team each week. This made it difficult for players to settle into their team role and resulted in some inconsistent performances. However, the team did produce some good wins and there were some excellent individual performances. The one wicket win over Lancaster Park when Will Abell scored 194 not out was a particular highlight. Overall, the team finished 5th in the One Day competition and 5th in the 2 Day Competition.

I want to acknowledge the patience and perseverance of Chris Duggan (the captain) and the regular 2nd grade players who had to put up with the continual disruption/changes to their side and occasionally field players who are not up to 2nd grade standard. The club will continue to try and strengthen the player base for this team over the next season and seek improved performances.

I would like to acknowledge the contribution of a couple of 2nd Grade stalwarts, Gareth Saunders and Hayden Clark who have now retired from 2nd Grade. Thanks guys for your efforts over the years. Your experience, skill and wise heads will be missed.

I would like to finish by making some big thank-yous to people in the club for their efforts in the 2017/18 season.

- The premier squad players – for your ongoing commitment to developing their game and to the club. 'Cheers' for your efforts over the past season.
- Jared Larsen ('statsman') – the Premier team scorer, statistician and best scorer in Canterbury. We are very lucky to have Jared doing this thankless yet important role.
- Pete Dunell - for the great pitches he prepares for both games and practices. East Shirley continues to have the best ground in Christchurch.
- Donn Leckie and other committee members - for their help with selection and organisation of the teams.
- Harry Burson and others – for doing all those little jobs for the teams behind the scenes that often go unnoticed such as organising drinks and lunches.
- The committee – for their hard work in providing cricket for our club members and providing the opportunity for the Premier/2nd grade players to play, enjoy and develop their game.
- The 'parent supporters' for turning up every week to support the boys. Saturdays wouldn't be the same without you guys.

Finally, I have really enjoyed being actively involved with the club once again this season and am looking forward to working with everyone again next season. It time to win some silverware!!!

Dave Grocott
CLUB COACH

PREMIER GRADE

I hope everyone has enjoyed some well-deserved time off during the winter. However, the new season is slowly creeping up on us, so I hope to see you all back at the club soon.

Last season was a bit bumpy with many highs and lows. We made the T-20 final, which was a great achievement, but sadly lost to St Albans. Having won all of the game's leading up to the final, we went into the final in a strong position. Unfortunately, on the day we didn't get the outcome we all hoped for, but as a group we took away the positives of playing some great cricket and making the finals.

The one-day campaign was a bit of a roller-coaster ride. We placed ourselves in some good situations to win games but unfortunately slipped up on our skills, and didn't win games we should have. This resulted in us missing out on the semi-finals. We eventually finished up near the bottom of the table, which was a real kick in the teeth for the team, especially after a string of good performances from several team players, but we just couldn't quite put the pieces together.

The two- day campaign was slightly better than last season, finishing 4th on the table. We got off on the wrong foot but eventually played some great cricket and showed some signs of the great team we can be. Perhaps if the games had started off differently, we could have had a real chance at pushing for a higher position.



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This season we had some good performances with both bat and ball. Strong contributions with the bat came from Tim Hampton Matehe, Leo Carter and Darren Broom. Jeremy Duncan also scored his first Premier hundred (112 not out) against Marist sharing in a partnership of over 200 with Ken McClure who also made a hundred!

We also saw some great performances with the ball from Josh Milne who consistently took wickets and Blake Coburn who was our leading wicket taker. Blake featured with two 6 wicket bags. Jed Roberts had one outstanding performance against Lancaster Park when he captured 7-29 off his 10 overs to record one of the best ever One Day figures in Premier Club cricket. Another highlight was Darren Brooms' first ever 5 wicket haul in Premiers against Riccarton.

Looking forward to the season ahead, we are not too far away from bringing some titles home to the cage!

I would like to thank a few people for their tremendous efforts this year. To Dean and Heather Hanham for the sponsor and training kits, it was much appreciated. Also, to all the people behind the scenes who make the club run smoothly, and a special mention to Dave Grocott for all his hard work and dedication he puts into the club.

I would also like to mention Darren Broom and Nick Johnston who have hung up their boots! You will be thoroughly missed on and off the pitch. You have been a great part of the team.

Lastly, thank you to everyone for your support throughout the season. It has been a pleasure to be the captain. I look forward to getting back out there and doing it all over again. Here's to a great season ahead.

Tim Hampton Matehe
CAPTAIN

Premier Grade Player of the Season: DARREN BROOM



AVERAGES – PREMIER TWO-DAY COMPETITION**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
K.McClure	5	2	120*	254	84.7	2	1	2
T.Hampton-Matehe	7	1	93	251	41.8	2	0	4
L.Carter	5	1	56	155	38.8	2	0	3
D.Broom	8	1	64	271	38.7	2	0	4
J.Duncan	9	2	112*	262	37.4	0	1	2
H.Teale (wk)	10	1	66	231	25.7	1	0	8/3
T.Dixon	4	1	26	68	22.7	0	0	3
N.Johnston	7	0	45	106	15.1	0	0	3
W.Abell	7	0	39	75	10.7	0	0	7
J.Milne	6	3	13*	27	9.0	0	0	0
T.Johnston	3	0	10	24	8.0	0	0	2
B.Hanham	8	0	16	62	7.8	0	0	5
J.Van Eyk Menkman	7	0	14	43	6.1	0	0	1
M.Otley	4	2	2*	3	1.5	0	0	1

ALSO BATTED:

J.Roberts	2	0	12	21	10.5	0	0	2
B.Coburn	2	0	12	17	8.5	0	0	3
W.Grocott	2	0	16	16	8.0	0	0	0
R.Sheehan	1	0	7	7	7.0	0	0	0
C.Duggan	1	0	4	4	4.0	0	0	0
B.Michel	2	2	24*	24	..	0	0	0

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
B.Hanham	30.0	6	80	6	13.3	2.67	2/4
T.Johnston	41.0	11	87	6	14.5	2.12	5/62
B.Coburn	90.2	13	341	22	15.5	3.77	6/56
J.Milne	103.4	17	361	22	16.4	3.48	5/52
D.Broom	78.4	11	323	17	19.0	4.11	5/49
J.Roberts	79.4	18	215	11	19.6	2.70	4/52
M.Otley	31.0	5	116	3	38.7	3.74	1/17
B.Michel	27.0	2	88	2	44.0	3.26	2/24
J.Van Eyk Menkman	56.0	11	217	4	54.3	3.88	1/20
T.Dixon	13.0	0	67	1	67.0	5.15	1/28

ALSO BOWLED:

T.Hampton-Matehe	4.1	0	27	3	9.0	6.48	3/27
K.McClure	6.2	2	18	2	9.0	2.84	2/12
W.Grocott	7.0	1	26	2	13.0	3.71	2/26
N.Johnston	6.0	0	36	2	18.0	6.00	2/36
R.Sheehan	5.0	1	19	1	19.0	3.80	1/19
L.Carter	5.0	1	25	0	..	5.00	0/25
J.Duncan	7.0	0	46	0	..	6.57	0/46
W.Abell	4.0	0	30	0	..	7.50	0/30

AVERAGES – PREMIER ONE-DAY COMPETITION**BATTING:**

	INNS	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
T.Hampton-Matehe	7	0	63	337	48.1	3	0	8
J.Roberts	5	4	21	33	33.0	0	0	1
K.McClure	3	0	76	98	32.7	1	0	2
H.Teale (wk)	7	1	80*	155	25.8	1	0	7/1
D.Broom	6	0	52	149	24.8	1	0	1
W.Abell	5	1	46*	96	24.0	0	0	2
J.Duncan	7	0	42	140	20.0	0	0	2
J.Van Eyk Menkman	5	2	21*	55	18.3	0	0	0
B.Hanham	7	1	31	104	17.3	0	0	6
N.Johnston	6	0	51	88	14.7	1	0	0
M.Otley	3	0	3	6	2.0	0	0	2

ALSO BATTED:

L.Carter	1	0	55	55	55.0	1	0	0
J.Milne	2	1	30*	31	31.0	0	0	0
B.Coburn	2	0	16	19	9.5	0	0	2
T.Dixon	2	0	11	15	7.5	0	0	1
B.Michel	2	0	9	13	6.5	0	0	1

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
T.Dixon	17.0	1	61	5	12.2	3.59	4/24
B.Coburn	20.0	3	72	5	14.4	3.60	3/28
J.Van Eyk Menkman	36.0	2	141	8	17.6	3.92	2/10
M.Otley	44.2	4	179	8	22.4	4.04	3/27
J.Roberts	58.2	2	274	12	22.8	4.70	7/29
B.Michel	34.0	2	142	6	23.7	4.18	2/22
B.Hanham	34.0	1	121	4	30.3	3.56	2/36
D.Broom	45.0	3	162	5	32.4	3.60	2/36
K.McClure	16.0	2	57	0	..	3.56	0/19

ALSO BOWLED:

W.Abell	8.0	1	30	1	30.0	3.75	1/18
N.Johnston	1.0	0	8	0	..	8.00	0/8
J.Milne	9.0	0	79	0	..	8.78	0/19

AVERAGES – PREMIER TWENTY20 COMPETITION**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	STRIKE RATE	50s	CATCH / STUMPING
L.Carter	5	2	53*	186	62.0	130.1	2	0
D.Broom	7	5	42*	93	46.5	131.0	0	1
K.McClure	6	1	36	144	28.8	111.6	0	5
J.Milne	2	1	13*	24	24.0	104.4	0	2
T.Hampton-Matehe	7	0	28	146	20.9	81.6	0	2
B.Hanham	2	1	13*	19	19.0	86.4	0	3
W.Abell	3	1	19*	34	17.0	125.9	0	4
T.Johnston	2	0	23	33	16.5	194.1	0	1
J.Duncan	4	0	23	42	10.5	87.5	0	2
B.Coburn	3	1	10*	17	8.5	77.3	0	6
H.Teale	4	1	14	19	6.3	79.2	0	4/3
N.Johnston	2	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
M.Otley	1	1	0*	0	0	2

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	STRIKE RATE	BEST
B.Hanham	18.0	1	62	12	5.2	3.44	9.0	4/11
B.Coburn	24.1	0	111	12	9.3	4.59	12.1	2/9
K.McClure	13.0	2	82	10	8.2	6.31	7.8	4/15
M.Otley	14.1	1	85	7	12.1	6.00	12.1	3/5
J.Milne	17.2	0	132	7	18.9	7.62	14.9	2/20
T.Johnston	7.0	2	25	5	5.0	3.57	8.4	3/11
D.Broom	13.5	1	72	5	14.4	5.20	16.6	1/6
L.Carter	11.0	0	45	2	22.5	4.09	33.0	1/18



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Michael Papps calls time on a distinguished career

One of the best players to come out of Easts announced his retirement from first class cricket in April.

Michael played for the club for 16 seasons, from 1995/6 to 2010/11, until he moved to Wellington. During this time he amassed 6005 runs in the trophy and cup competitions at an average of 42, including 12 centuries. A more than useful 'keeper, he also claimed 201 wickets.



Michael wasn't just a great player, but also a great club man. As was noted in the 2011 annual report: *"He won us so many trophies with his performances and always helped the young members feel welcome."*

Canterbury selection came in 1999, and he was a regular for the next 12 seasons during which he continued to rack up the runs at first class level. He scored a (then) record 6,663 runs for Canterbury, including 19 centuries. The runs continued with Michael's move to Wellington, with a further 4,837 runs and 13 centuries. He became the first player to score 10,000 Plunket Shield runs and sits at second on the "Most Runs" list. Although now 38, age did not slow him down in his last season for Wellington, when he was the leading scorer in the competition, running up an impressive 814 runs at 50.1, including a magnificent 316* against Auckland.

Blackcaps selection came in 2004 against South Africa, and over the next three years he played 8 tests and 6 ODIs for New Zealand, with highest scores of 86 and 92* in the respective formats. His ODI average is 51.75. I think it would be fair to say that injury played a part in shortening Michael's test career.

Michael won quite a few honours over the years, being Canterbury "batsman of the year" on a number of occasions. After a super season in 2007, he also won the Redpath Cup at the NZC Cricket Awards, presented to the top batsman in First Class Cricket.

But possibly one of the greatest honours he achieved was his selection in East's "Team of the Century", announced during our Centennial celebrations in 2005.

I think that all who knew and played with Michael would agree that he wasn't just a champion player, but also a champion person.

The game will miss you Michael.

AVERAGES – PREMIER ALL COMPETITIONS COMBINED**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES / STUMPINGS
L.Carter	11	3	56	396	49.5	5	0	3
K.McClure	14	3	120*	496	45.1	3	1	9
T.Hampton-Matehe	21	1	93	734	36.7	5	0	14
D.Broom	21	6	64	513	34.2	3	0	6
J.Duncan	20	2	112*	444	24.7	0	1	6
H.Teale (wk)	21	3	80*	405	22.5	2	0	19/7
B.Michel	4	2	24*	37	18.5	0	0	1
J.Roberts	7	4	21	54	18.0	0	0	3
T.Dixon	6	1	26	83	16.6	0	0	4
J.Milne	10	5	30*	82	16.4	0	0	2
W.Abell	15	2	46*	205	15.8	0	0	11
N.Johnston	15	0	51	194	12.9	1	0	3
B.Hanham	17	2	31	185	12.3	0	0	14
T.Johnston	5	0	23	57	11.4	0	0	3
J.Van Eyk Menkman	12	2	21*	98	9.8	0	0	1
B.Coburn	7	1	16	53	8.8	0	0	11
M.Otley	8	3	3	16	3.2	0	0	5

ALSO BATTED:

W.Grocott	2	0	16	16	8.0	0	0	0
R.Sheehan	1	0	7	7	7.0	0	0	0
C.Duggan	1	0	4	4	4.0	0	0	0



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AVERAGES – PREMIER ALL COMPETITIONS COMBINED**BOWLING:**

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
T.Johnston	48.0	13	112	11	10.2	2.33	5/62
B.Hanham	82.0	8	263	22	12.0	3.21	4/11
K.McClure	35.2	6	157	12	13.1	4.44	4/15
B.Coburn	134.3	16	524	39	13.4	3.90	6/56
J.Milne	130.0	17	572	29	19.7	4.40	5/52
D.Broom	137.3	15	557	27	20.6	4.05	5/49
M.Otley	89.3	10	380	18	21.1	4.25	3/5
J.Roberts	138.0	20	489	23	21.3	3.54	7/29
T.Dixon	30.0	1	128	6	21.3	4.26	4/24
B.Michel	61.0	4	230	8	28.8	3.77	2/22
J.Van Eyk Menkman	92.0	13	358	12	29.8	3.89	2/10
L.Carter	16.0	1	70	2	35.0	4.38	1/18
W.Abell	12.0	1	60	1	60.0	5.00	1/18

ALSO BOWLED:

T.Hampton-Matehe	4.1	0	27	3	9.0	6.49	3/27
W.Grocott	7.0	1	26	2	13.0	3.71	2/26
R.Sheehan	5.0	1	19	1	19.0	3.80	1/19
N.Johnston	7.0	0	44	2	22.0	6.29	2/36
J.Duncan	7.0	0	46	0	..	6.57	0/46

Canterbury Cricket Association Honours 2017/18**Representative Honours****Canterbury**

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Blake Coburn
Tim Johnston
Ken McClure

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Tim Hampton –
Matehe
Mark Otley
Hamish Teale

Canterbury U19

Mark Otley

Representative Awards**CCA Men's Bowler of the Year**

Tim Johnston

CCA Special Awards

Blake Coburn
Ken McClure

7/64 vs ND
210 vs Auckland

2A GRADE

This year I was handed the 'poisoned chalice' of second grade captaincy, which has proved to be an enjoyable, and challenging gig.

The season kicked off with a lot of promise down at Burnside Park in the 1-day format, and we were quickly bought back down to earth with an early finish and a 7-wicket loss.

We finished 5th out of 6th in the 1-day competition which was a disappointing but fair reflection of an inconsistent start to the season. The highlight of the 1-day campaign was a come from behind win against LPCC after chasing 300 on Burwood 2, thanks to a once in a lifetime knock from Will Abell, finishing on 196*. Fair to say we lost his services for the rest of the season after this, being deservedly promoted to the senior team.

The 2-day competition began with a single round before Christmas and the lads managed to grind out a satisfying win thanks to some outstanding batting from Connor Arnold and Regan Sheehan, both scoring big in both innings. Connor ending up 100* in the first innings, being our only century maker for the season. Casey Marsh finishing the match with 9-146 was a great reward for some hard work with the ball.

After the break, we got straight into the T20 competition and after making the final in the previous season, the goal was to repeat the dose and go one step further by taking home the silverware. One win and a tie from four games saw us narrowly miss out on the semi-finals after a slow start.

The remaining four rounds of the 2-day competition saw us sitting on top of the table and in a strong position to finish the season strongly. Unfortunately, due to a regular lack of players and a lot of player rotation, we were never able to gain momentum and put a consistent 11 on the park.

The season wrapped up with four losses and some really disappointing cricket with us rarely being able to compete with some full strength opposition. Again we ended up 5th of 6th teams in the 2-day competition.

A big thank you to the massive list of cricketers who had a crack for us this year and gave up their time, sometimes at very late notice.

Thank-yous have also got to go out to Dave Grocott for his coaching and tireless work behind the scenes, often texting and calling players late on a Friday night. You have got to feel for his wife! Donn Leckie and everyone else involved behind the scenes in running this club and making things happen, a massive thank you to you all too.

Enjoy your winter and I will see you all around the club next season.

Chris Duggan
CAPTAIN

2A Grade Player of the Season : WILL GROCCOTT

AVERAGES – 2A GRADE ALL COMPETITIONS COMBINED**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s
W. Abell	5	1	196*	288	72.0	0	1
N. Johnston	6	0	38	147	24.5	0	0
C. Arnold	17	2	100*	352	23.5	2	1
C. Sheehan	4	0	45	90	22.5	0	0
C. Duggan	18	0	75	328	18.2	2	0
J. Roberts	3	1	22	35	17.5	0	0
T. Dixon	11	0	45	191	17.4	0	0
B. Michel	10	1	30	139	15.4	0	0
W. Grocott	17	0	48	251	14.8	0	0
T. Murphy	20	1	60*	275	14.5	1	0
J. Van Eyk Menkman	7	0	39	82	11.7	0	0
H. Richards	20	2	20	169	9.4	0	0
G. Sanders	9	2	23*	64	9.1	0	0
H. Patel	8	0	25	63	7.9	0	0
H. Clark	10	1	23	53	5.9	0	0
R. Shannon	4	0	16	21	5.3	0	0
C. Marsh	7	1	11*	28	4.7	0	0
N. Harry	7	0	13	18	2.6	0	0
A. Wylaars	3	0	1	1	0.3	0	0

ALSO BATTED:

R. Sheehan	2	1	91*	169	169.0	2	0
J. Milne	2	0	20	25	12.5	0	0
E. Khalid	1	0	7	7	7.0	0	0
T. Music	2	0	8	14	7.0	0	0
D. Cunningham	1	0	5	5	5.0	0	0
A. East	1	0	3	3	3.0	0	0
J. Chalklen	2	0	4	4	2.0	0	0
H. France	2	1	1	1	1.0	0	0
J. Singh	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
T. Adikari	2	2	2*	3	..	0	0

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
R. Shannon	13.0	2	49	7	7.0	3.77	5/34
J. Roberts	32.0	6	126	11	11.5	3.94	6/72
J. Van Eyk Menkman	43.1	2	201	12	16.8	4.66	5/15
N. Marsh	11.0	2	40	2	20.0	3.64	2/40
T. Murphy	77.0	8	372	18	20.7	4.83	4/27
T. Dixon	76.5	4	318	15	21.2	4.16	3/16
G. Sanders	62.0	12	194	8	24.3	3.13	3/15

**BOWLING ctd:**

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
N. Harry	12.0	0	49	2	24.5	4.08	2/5
C. Marsh	75.0	7	398	16	24.9	5.31	6/67
H. Clark	77.0	7	353	14	25.2	4.58	3/46
H. Patel	40.1	4	164	6	27.3	4.09	3/27
B. Michel	53.2	8	202	7	28.9	3.80	4/63
W. Grocott	79.0	7	344	11	31.3	4.35	3/29
C. Arnold	12.0	1	63	2	31.5	5.25	1/28
R. Sheehan	17.0	2	63	2	31.5	3.71	2/20
H. Richards	21.0	0	103	2	51.5	4.90	1/27
J. Milne	10.0	0	57	0	-	5.70	0/57

ALSO BOWLED:

W. Abell	8.0	0	28	2	14.0	3.50	2/28
D. Cunningham	6.0	0	34	2	17.0	5.67	2/34
E. Khalid	9.0	1	53	1	53.0	5.89	1/13
C. Duggan	8.0	1	59	0	0.0	7.38	0/10
C. Sheehan	2.0	1	1	0	0.0	0.50	0/1

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3A GRADE: KINGS XI PUNJAB

What a stellar year for the 3A Kings XI Punjab boys.

What started of not so well with a first up loss to Halswell, out at Halswell Domain, was also to be one of only two losses, in what was to become an all-conquering season. Aply led by Pavi Nagra the team, in various guises, was to win a total of 5 different competitions that they took part in during the 2017-18 year.

Many of the players seemed to play cricket 24/7, as they successively took part in the:

- Howzat Indoor Open Championship - Winners.
- Super 8 Cricket Tournament, a shortened version of the game sponsored by the Multi-Cultural Council under CMCA control. Winners again.
- Another tournament specifically run by CMCA was the Metro Ethnic Cricket Tournament where the Kings XI dominated and won easily.
- During the year the international Last Man Standing Competition was run nationwide, with local centres running their own groups, and each team competing in the national table run concurrently. The Kings XI team won the Christchurch group and was in overall first place when they went to Auckland in March to compete in the finals against another 7 qualifying teams from Auckland, Hamilton and Wellington. The team won all their section matches and won through to the final against a Wellington side, which they won easily. Pavi was selected in the NZ team to play in an international LMS tournament in Australia in March 2019, featuring a dozen countries from Asia, Australia and NZ.
- The CMCA 3A Competition.



Having a number of players away during the LMS finals weekend put pressure on the remaining players in the team who were not involved in LMS. So along with a few judiciously selected fill-ins, they won the match, while Pavi and co were away, and held onto their slim lead in the 3A grade.

Needing to win what became the final game of the season (due to a washout on the final day, the 24th) against Richmond at Clare Park on March 17, the easy win confirmed their first place in 3A for the season. So, after that hiccup at the start, the rest of the season was basically a procession of wins, (less one) and a highly successful culmination to a high-performance year.

Pavi was the mainstay of the side in both batting and bowling, scoring 611 runs @ 47.00 with two centuries and three 50's with a highest score of 107*. His bowling figures were 26 wickets at 10.38 with a best of 6/24.

The next best performers were:

- Balkeet (Ballu) Singh 470 @ 52.22.
- Sahibdeep (Sabi) Singh 395 @ 43.89.
- Jaspreet(Ankit) Singh 21 wickets at 19.48.
- Xavi Rajput 13 wickets at 11.15.

Congratulations to Pavi and his team for a highly competitive and successful year.

Donn Leckie
for
Pavneet Singh Nagra
CAPTAIN

3B Grade Player of the Season: PAVNEET SINGH NAGRA

AVERAGES – 3A GRADE

BATTING:

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	100s	50s
Balkeet (Ballu) Singh	9	0	110	470	52.2	1	4
Pankaj Pankaj	3	1	70	98	49.0	0	1
Harries Harries	3	1	48	95	47.5	0	0
Pavneet (Pavi) Singh Nagra	14	1	107*	611	47.0	2	3
P R Singh	4	1	76	137	45.7	0	2
Sahibdeep (Sabi) Singh	10	1	107*	395	43.9	1	2
Harpreet Singh (Happy) Virk	12	3	86	337	37.4	0	3
Ramandeep Singh	6	0	40	103	17.2	0	0
Rahul Kumar	4	1	33*	50	16.7	0	0
Sandeep Singh	3	2	12	16	16.0	0	0
Gurdas Singh Dhillon	15	4	44	161	14.6	0	0
Navdeep (Navi) Singh	12	2	61*	145	14.5	0	1
Parmeet Singh	3	2	11*	12	12.0	0	0
Xavi Rajput	11	2	26*	100	11.1	0	0
Jeewandeep (Jeewan) Singh Brar	12	1	32	116	10.6	0	0



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BATTING ctd:

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	100s	50s
Gurpreet (Garry) Singh Rana	8	0	32	75	9.4	0	0
Jaspreet (Ankit) Singh	9	2	19	44	6.3	0	0
Jeewan Singh Jr	3	1	2	2	1.0	0	0

ALSO BATTED:

Jashan Singh	1	0	34	34	34.0	0	0
Shivam Khan	1	0	33	33	33.0	0	0
Gurpreet (Gogy) Singh	1	0	22	22	22.0	0	0
Narinder Singh	1	0	17	17	17.0	0	0
Tali Singh	1	0	2	2	2.0	0	0
Harvinder (Harry) Singh	1	0	1	1	1.0	0	0
Inder Singh	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Masood Chakari	1	1	4*	4	-	0	0
Sunny Singh	1	1	1*	1	-	0	0

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
Pavneet (Pavi) Singh Nagra	62.3	6	270	26	10.4	4.33	6/24
Xavi Rajput	40.5	3	145	13	11.2	3.58	3/4
Sandeep Singh	30.8	3	109	9	12.1	3.54	4/2
Parmeet Singh	14.5	2	68	5	13.6	4.69	3/26
Sahibdeep (Sabi) Singh	18.8	0	97	6	16.2	5.15	2/6
Jaspreet (Ankit) Singh	92.0	9	409	21	19.5	4.45	5/31
Harvinder (Harry) Singh	10.0	1	41	2	20.5	4.10	2/24
Harpreet Singh (Happy) Virk	42.5	6	130	6	21.7	3.06	3/7
Harries Harries	13.0	2	44	2	22.0	3.38	1/22
Navdeep (Navi) Singh	60.0	8	270	10	27.0	4.50	3/31
Gurdas Singh Dhillon	39.0	4	226	8	28.3	5.79	2/14
Rahul Kumar	23.0	1	90	3	30.0	3.91	1/15
Jeewandeep (Jeewan) Singh Brar	42.0	0	281	6	46.8	6.69	2/45
Masood Chakari	13.0	1	52	1	52.0	4.00	1/27

ALSO BOWLED:

Narinder Singh	6.0	0	31	3	10.3	5.17	3/31
P R Singh	4.0	0	17	1	17.0	4.25	1/17
Pankaj Pankaj	7.0	0	31	1	31.0	4.43	1/31
Ramandeep Singh	9.0	0	37	1	37.0	4.11	1/26
Gurpreet (Garry) Singh Rana	7.0	0	68	1	68.0	9.71	1/26
Jeewan Singh Jr	6.0	1	32	0	-	5.33	0/13

3B GRADE: FEATHERSTONE FIREBIRDS

Another wonderful season for the 3b Featherstone Firebirds, winning the grade and contributing to the club winning the Melhuish Shield.

We have now won back to back, taking out 3C last season which earned us promotion, and now topping the 3B grade. A great achievement for the team. We enjoyed some good cricket on the field and social team gatherings off the field.

We started our season with a huge win over Burnside at home. After scrambling to a not so impressive total of 95, after a good start of 52-2, with Balvant's top score of 33, Brijesh then broke the back of the confident Burnside team claiming 6 for 2 as they were dismissed for a miserable all out 16. Danny also claimed 4 for 10.



After that confident win we never looked back and put on great performances week after week, winning until the 24th February 2018, twelve games in a row.

Our aim for the season was to bat 40 overs sensibly and put on a competitive total and use our destructive bowling strength to our advantage. It worked out perfectly. For that responsible batting, the team put on some good partnerships and some good individual performances. We fielded well but we can improve in that department.

There were some notable performances with bat and ball and good partnerships that are worth mentioning. Batting first or second we put our team goals first, and sensible and calculated batting put the team in a strong position, and the results followed.

Alpesh 102 no against Marist-Harewood, and Brijesh 102 no against Burnside were the top scores for the season. Against New Brighton, Alpesh also batted through the whole inning as wickets were falling at the other end. Partnerships were important, and the following provided a good base for the team totals:

- Brijesh -Alpesh 112 vs MH
- Govind -Alpesh 49 vs NB
- Balvant - Danny 135 VS MH
- Alpesh -Balvant 56 vs SD
- Balvant- Alpesh 46 vs MH
- Alpesh- Brijesh 64 vs Syd
- Balvant- Alpesh 80 vs Heathcote
- Mayank -Brijesh 104 vs MH
- Balvant - Brijesh-64 vs NB
- Mayank - Alpesh 40 vs MH
- Mayank-Brijesh 42 vs Heathcote
- Balvant- Brijesh 60 vs Heathcote

There were also some handy partnerships formed with Mahesh, Nimesh, Sagar, Girish and Latish which helped the team totals.

With the ball Brijesh is a lethal weapon. Alpesh also did a good job when required and got a few 5 wicket bags. Mayank, Danny, Rahul, Balvant, Nimesh and Sandeep also took handy wickets.

Players of note:

- Once again our STAR of the show **BRIJESH PATEL** bowled beautifully keeping the opposition batsmen guessing and claimed the most wickets. He had four 5-wicket bags. Brijesh struggled with the bat early in the season but came back and with good technique and patience scored valuable runs. He also scooped up well earned prizes at the club prize giving. His all-round ability is valuable to the team.
- Newly contracted player **MAYANK PATEL** improved as the season progressed. He bowled some good spells and had some handy batting in the middle order. He played one wonderful knock against Marist-Harewood in a good partnership with Brijesh. Also a good fielder, he has shown he has good, all round capability even at the party scene with unbeatable attitude with a glass in his hand.
- **GOVIND PATEL** took on full time the job as a wicket keeper and did it well. Keeping to pace and spin he took some good catches and nice stumpings. Promoted to open the inning few times, he showed he can be a good wicket keeper-batsman with bit of patience.
- Our captain **ALPESH PATEL** did an awesome job with the bat and with his new Honda S9 phone, getting the social events happening regularly. Alpesh batted with responsibility and patience, waiting for the right opportunity to strike. He scored valuable runs consistently and also bowled well, taking three 5-wicket bags. Alpesh needs to work harder as his younger brother got more runs, wickets and more 5-wicket bags. According to one spectator, Mr Dick Jones, Alpesh is the best batsman he has seen. HAHA.
- No one can match **NIMESH PATEL** with his social media skills. With Go pro, Drone and mobile in his hand, he updates and keeps everyone informed about the status of the game, adding after match and social selfies. He's still working hard on his batting and also took a valuable wicket to break the threatening partnership against Marist Harewood to clear the road for Brijesh to clean up the tail.
- **BALVANT SHIVLAL** had the responsibility of batting at the top of the order, and he took it seriously, giving the team a steady start. He had a memorable opening partnership of 135 with Danny Cunningham which was the highest for the first wicket. Balvant also bowled some handy overs to claim few wickets. He helped Alpesh to manage and captain the team.
- Master of off-the-field socials, **GIRISH KOSHIYA** was away for few weeks with business and family commitments so missed a few games. He played a couple of steady innings and bowled some good leg spin. Girish took some wonderful catches to give the team great fun on the field.
- This was the first full season for **MAHESH PATEL** and was a good learning experience. He has some good skills with the bat and can improve with practice. His talking on the field also encouraged the team to perform at their best.
- With bit of fitness **SANDEEP PATEL** bowled much better line and length this season. Sandeep also struggled with job commitments to fully participate in all games. He too has some skills with the bat which can improve.

- **DANNY CUNNINGHAM** once again showed some good rhythm with the ball and a good, steady straight-bat technique. That great partnership with Balvant for 135 runs for the first wicket was a highlight for the team. He also did a great job in the field and as a part time keeper.
- New boy on the block, **NILAY CHOUHAN** left our windy capital for the green Christchurch pitches. While he only played few games, they were enough to show his all-round capability with some good defence and lovely drives. He is also mastering his social skill with a deck of cards, which will be valuable in the coming season.
- Another new player **RAHUL GADA** enjoyed his first season with the team. Due to work and business commitments he did not play many games but, when he did, he showed some good skills with the ball. He tried a few times to hit the ball way out of the park.

The team also got help from some other keen cricketers when required, and we really appreciated their help. They also learnt some good skills and enjoyed the successful season with the team: Mathew got one useful innings against New Brighton; Dylan is always keen to help the team whenever required; Hamish and Andrew also showed some good skills when they filled in for a few games; Sagar Patel played one handy innings to help the team to a good total on the day; Manoj was only able to play a few games due to study and work commitments; our aviator Captain Ajay also managed only few games due to work transfer, an awesome person; and Lathish could only play one game due to work in Wellington.

The Featherstone Firebirds, as a team, thanks East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club for an enjoyable and successful season and especially Donn Leckie for his support.

Thanks to all our players for their commitment and support, which made for an enjoyable season. May this continue for the coming year. More team work to be done before we look ahead for the new challenges.

Alpesh Patel
Balvant Shivlal
CAPTAINS

3B Grade Player of the Season: BRIJESH PATEL

AVERAGES – 3B GRADE**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
Brijesh Patel	15	4	102*	572	52.0	5	1	8
Alpesh Patel	15	1	102*	556	39.7	4	1	8
Balvant Shivilal	14	1	39	265	20.4	0	0	4
Mayank Patel	15	4	35	181	16.5	0	0	7
Danny Cunningham	9	1	87	115	14.4	1	0	5
Govind Patel	12	0	22	63	5.3	0	0	3/1
Girish Koshiya	8	1	12	36	5.1	0	0	2
Mathew Roswell	5	1	27	36	9.0	0	0	1
Rahul Gada	7	0	19	33	4.7	0	0	1
Nimesh Patel	8	2	15	33	5.5	0	0	1
Mahesh Patel	9	2	10	30	4.3	0	0	3
Nilay Chauhan	3	0	23	26	8.7	0	0	0
Sager Patel	5	2	14	14	4.7	0	0	1
Sandip Dave	4	0	1	1	0.3	0	0	1

ALSO BATTED:

Hamish Ross	2	0	17	21	10.5	0	0	0
Ajay Vignesh	1	0	2	2	2.0	0	0	0
Lathish Tm	1	1	7*	7	..	0	0	0
Dhilan Patel	2	2	4*	4	..	0	0	0

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
Brijesh Patel	102.3	40	168	53	3.2	1.64	7/6
Alpesh Patel	72.2	15	196	33	5.9	2.74	6/31
Danny Cunningham	44.0	7	156	12	13.0	3.57	4/10
Mayank Patel	59.2	5	206	14	14.7	3.48	4/23
Rahul Gada	34.0	5	202	8	16.4	3.89	3/16
Sandip Dave	20.0	3	72	4	18.0	3.60	2/28
Balvant Shivilal	56.2	1	245	12	20.4	4.36	3/13

ALSO BOWLED:

Girish Koshiya	6.0	0	20	2	10.0	3.33	1/4
Hamish Ross	4.0	0	25	2	12.5	6.25	2/25
Nilay Chauhan	7.0	1	14	1	23.0	3.29	1/11
Nimesh Patel	6.0	1	23	1	23.0	3.89	1/10
Dhilon Patel	4.3	1	14	0	..	3.11	0/2
Ajay Vignesh	1.0	0	5	0	..	5.00	0/5
Mahesh Patel	1.3	0	11	0	..	7.33	0/3
Lathish Tm	2.0	0	17	0	..	8.50	0/17

CLUB HONOURS BOARD				
2016-17 SEASON				
BATTING		BOWLING		
Will Abell	196	n.o.	Brijesh Patel	7/6, 6/2, 6/13, 5/14
Ken McClure	120	n.o.	Jared Roberts	7/29, 6/72
Jeremy Duncan	112	n.o.	Pavi Nagra	6/24
Balkeet (Ballu)	110		Alpesh Patel	6/31, 5/6
Craig Gibb	107		Blake Coburn	6/56, 6/70
Pavi Nagra	107	n.o.	Casey Marsh	6/67
Sahibdeep (Sabi) Singh	107	n.o.	Tony Gray	5/12
Bernard Rose	106	n.o.	Jared Van Eyk	
Alpesh Patel	102	n.o.	Menkman	5/15
Brijesh Patel	102	n.o.	Jaspreet (Ankit)	5/31
Pavi Nagra	101		Rhys Shannon	5/34
Connor Arnold	100	n.o.	John Robson	5/36
			James O'Connor	5/36
			Darren Broom	5/49
			Josh Milne	5/52
			Tim Johnston	5/62

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CAVALIERS TWENTY20: SHIRLEY SHEAS

Unfortunately, this year the boys couldn't quite get the job done.

We easily had the talent, but it came down to lack of commitment from players and not enough training. If we had a solid squad week in week out then no doubt in my mind we would've taken it out again.

We would like to thank Donn for his commitment in providing us with new balls and gear each week and managing our team well.

This coming season we will be having a sabbatical as it's too hard for me to get solid numbers each week. Hopefully I can get a team sorted for the following years as a majority of us love the game.



Our thanks to East-Shirley cricket for having us and all the best for the year to come.

From a playing perspective Sam Inglis topped the runs with 270 at 20.76, brother Zach had the best average at 35.00 from 210 runs, with Joey Berry and Levi Inglis the other major batting contributors.

In the bowling, wickets were shared around. Joey Berry was the leading wicket taker with 12 at 12.75, showing his all-rounder capabilities.

Our games continuity was badly hit by the weather with five matches lost to rain. Two games won by default and a bye thrown in for good measure. So that, on average, we only played two out of every three weeks.

Cheers

Sam Inglis
CAPTAIN

Cavaliers Twenty20 Player of the Season: SAM INGLIS



AVERAGES – CAVALIERS TWENTY20**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s
Zach Inglis (Zing)	9	2	44	210	35.0	0
Joey Berry (Bez)	11	2	59*	220	24.4	1
Sam Inglis (Sol)	14	1	48	270	20.8	0
Braden Monk (Monkey)	9	2	46*	141	20.1	0
Levi Inglis (Ling)	7	0	46	134	19.1	0
Jeremy Power (Japes)	6	1	29	92	18.4	0
Taylor Direen (Tay)	6	1	41	89	17.8	0
Josh Vernall	1	0	16	16	16.0	0
Bouen Aranga (Bodge)	3	0	25	41	13.7	0
Seamus Murphy (Puss)	7	0	39	91	13.0	0
Wesley Farmer (Wez)	9	0	41	100	11.1	0
Jake Vernall	2	0	13	15	7.5	0
Nick Fisher (Fish)	5	0	18	36	7.2	0
Louis Smith (Mythy)	8	0	23	57	7.1	0
Logan Dyer (Dyer)	4	0	11	26	6.5	0
Chris Ellison (Chelly)	3	0	10	10	3.3	0

BOWLING

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER
Josh Vernall			33	4	8.3	
Sam Inglis (Sol)			58	7	8.3	
Zach Inglis (Zing)			153	12	12.8	
Wesley Farmer (Wez)			92	7	13.1	
Chris Ellison (Chelly)			56	4	14.0	
Braden Monk (Monkey)			105	7	15.0	
Taylor Direen (Tay)			33	2	16.5	
Louis Smith (Mythy)			154	8	19.3	
Levi Inglis (Ling)			150	6	25.0	
Joey Berry (Bez)			182	7	26.0	
Jeremy Power (Japes)			82	3	27.3	
Seamus Murphy (Puss)			132	4	33.0	
Logan Dyer (Dyer)			99	1	99.0	
Jake Vernall			36	0	..	



PRESIDENTS BLUE

After the best performance by our team in the 2016/17 season, we found that in 2017/18 it was a hard act to follow. In fact it was a mirror image, with this time five wins and ten losses being achieved as opposed to the other way around. We did book-end the season with wins, finishing on a strong note.

With several key players from last season playing more on a part time basis, and injury limiting appearances from Vinny Singh and Rob Leys, we were fortunate to be able to call on a network of Sri Lankan players to field teams, sometimes in the nick of time. The upside from a club perspective is that these usually younger players are hoping to form a new club team themselves next season. Some of them are very handy players and will acquit themselves well.

Most games were played in good spirit and most of the time we were reasonably competitive, with the usual close clutch of games, some we won and some we ought to have. Some teams still seem to have difficulty with the ethnic diversity of our team, to the extent that we chose to forfeit a game with Merivale-Papanui rather than not enjoying our Saturday. No-one likes playing Australia.

Highlights included a two wicket win against Sydenham Hospital after we let ourselves down a bit in the first round game with them, with Rajeev Varma scoring a very good 57* on a difficult Centennial Park surface.

An 88 run win against LPW saw Bernard Rose score the team's only century for the season.

Other batting performances of note were Randika Dissanayaka scoring three fifties in the six games he played, and myself (ahem) getting to 91* in a winning effort. Suga Wijewardene contributed well, leading the way in winning the first game of the season against Sumner, as did Bernard Rose as usual.

On the bowling front Ajith Bandara was just about always on the money, left arm around, topping the effort with fifteen wickets. Tony Gray took 14 wickets in just the five games he played, including the team's only five -for, making a difference whenever he played. Masood Chakari was reliable and accurate, and Bernard always threatened. Harshana Nanayakkara and Randika offered good support to help ensure we always had bowling options. Vajira Lasantha turned out regularly for us, always being a good team man. Paul Cottam played as often as he could, skipping the side to a good win in the last game when my ongoing knee problems finally ended my season.

So, a tougher season for us, often fielding second in hot weather, with the team doing their best in challenging circumstances. Nevertheless, we were far from being the wooden sooners. Credit to the guys who turned up and to those who helped us out.

Thanks again to Ann McLeod for scoring for us, it's really appreciated. Good to see our septuagenarian Angus McLeod play a couple of games as well to help us out. Several other equivalent milestones await a few other players as well! Bernie, Rajeev, Tony....

Lastly, I would like to say that we all aspire to be good people as cricketers, having a significant level of experience and goodwill to others. I trust you all come back with your

best sense of humour, and enjoy the cricket and time spent with your team mates.

Now looking forward to next season!

Cheers,

Kasun Dandeniya

CAPTAIN

Presidents Blue Player of the Season: RAJEEV VARMA

AVERAGES – PRESIDENTS BLUE

BATTING:

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPING
R Dissanayaka	6	2	68	279	69.8	3	-	2
B Rose	11	2	106*	299	33.2	-	1	4
R Varma	11	4	57*	221	31.6	1	-	0
K Dandeniya	12	2	91*	312	31.2	2	-	3
S Wijewardene	11	0	65	274	24.9	2	-	4
M Chakari	6	2	57*	90	22.5	1	-	4
H Nanayakara	10	0	39	148	14.8	-	-	2
A Bandara	7	1	22	74	12.3	-	-	1
T Adikara	5	0	28	61	12.2	-	-	1
P Cottam	5	2	7	18	6.0	-	-	5/1
V Lasantha	8	0	8	35	4.4	-	-	4
T McLurg	5	0	3	3	0.6	-	-	1

ALSO BATTED:

S Wijesinghe	1	1	56	56	56.0	1	-	-
M Seaton	2	0	63	88	44.0	1	-	1
N Cottam	2	0	34	56	28.0	-	-	-
R Dali	1	0	22	22	22.0	-	-	-
N Rawson	1	0	18	18	18.0	-	-	-
K Mendis	1	0	17	17	17.0	-	-	-
V Singh	1	0	17	17	17.0	-	-	-
R Singh	1	0	11	11	11.0	-	-	-
Yogash	1	0	10	10	10.0	-	-	-
G Panapipiya	3	0	20	24	8.0	-	-	-
Dinesh	1	0	6	6	6.0	-	-	-
G Hooper	1	0	6	6	6.0	-	-	-
Nuwan	1	0	5	5	5.0	-	-	-
D Jayasinghe	3	0	9	11	3.7	-	-	-
A Nadem	1	0	4	4	4.0	-	-	-
Chirath	1	0	2	2	2.0	-	-	-
A Needs	1	0	2	2	2.0	-	-	-
S Singh	1	0	0	0	0.0	-	-	-

BATTING ctd.:

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPING
P Williams	1	0	0	0	0.0	-	-	-
T Gray	3	3	20*	24	...	-	-	-
J Sayaru	2	2	12*	20	...	-	-	-
R Leys	2	2	8*	10	...	-	-	-
J Morrison	1	1	9*	9	...	-	-	-
A McLeod	2	2	2*	2	...	-	-	-

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
T Gray	38.2	6	127	14	9.1	3.32	5/12
A Bandara	60.0	15	181	15	12.1	3.02	3/16
B Rose	68.0	10	263	13	20.2	3.87	4/32
G Panapipiya	20.0	1	87	4	21.8	4.40	3/30
H Nanayakara	48.4	8	232	8	29.0	4.79	2/18
T McLurg	18.0	1	96	3	32.0	5.33	3/36
S Wijewardene	33.1	0	193	6	32.2	5.83	3/35
R Dissanayaka	29.0	2	136	3	45.3	4.69	3/38
M Chakari	34.0	3	142	3	47.3	4.18	2/41
R Leys	29.3	1	162	3	54.0	2.89	2/50
K Dandeniya	94.5	1	524	8	65.5	5.54	2/31
J Sayaru	16.0	2	78	1	78.0	4.90	1/53
Dulesh	10.0	1	48	0	...	4.80	0/15

ALSO BOWLED:

T Adikara	3.0	1	12	2	6.0	4.00	2/12
R Varma	8.0	0	33	2	16.5	4.13	1/7
N Rawson	9.0	0	46	2	23.0	5.11	1/18
A Nadem	2.0	0	23	1	23.0	11.50	1/23
Nuwan	9.0	0	44	1	44.0	4.90	1/22
S Jeye	8.0	2	25	0	...	3.13	0/25
J Singh	4.0	0	13	0	...	3.25	0/13
V Singh	3.0	0	12	0	...	4.00	0/12
S Wijesinghe	6.0	0	33	0	...	5.50	0/33
P Williams	2.0	0	12	0	...	6.00	0/12
G Hooper	3.0	0	18	0	...	6.00	0/18
A Needs	3.0	0	20	0	...	6.70	0/20
J Morrison	3.1	0	27	0	...	8.70	0/27
N Cottam	2.0	0	19	0	...	9.50	0/19
A McLeod	2.0	0	19	0	...	9.50	0/19
V Lasantha	3.0	0	31	0	...	10.30	0/15
S Singh	1.0	0	15	0	...	15.00	0/15

PRESIDENTS GOLD

It was the proverbial 'marriage of convenience' when through injuries, retirements, sackings, defections, and just old age it was clear we were not going to have enough numbers to get through the season. Fortunately, OBC Pressies were in the same boat and after some hasty off-season negotiations, we joined forces to make sure we had 11 on the field each week. It worked (theoretically) on a 6 /5 split, with numbers changing for each club each week - but on the odd occasions we had more batters than bowlers or vice versa and the split got really lopsided on a couple of occasions with one side providing 10 players! The captaincy was agreed to be shared by Arfur and Bully from OBC but with Bully injured early in the season Arfur ended up captaining most games.

While the new selector/manager/gear boy (Claw) did try to balance the sides, sometimes it was a bit like Forrest Gump's "box of chocolates" ie you never knew what you were going to get! Arfur did an admirable job, not only using the resources that were available on the day, but also in giving everyone a fair go with the batting and bowling selections during the game.

The matter of the uniform caused some concern: gone was the blue budgie uniform and we compromised on playing in white. This caused some grumbles either from the ignominy of having to purchase new gear or players trying to stuff themselves in whites they owned from twenty years ago (Robbo) - not a pretty sight!

We started with a slaughtering of the Pressies Park team at Elmwood Park and, with Hamish Anderson emptying his fridge, the after-match beers were a thing of beauty and signalled great things to come. The new manager wondered what he had let himself in for as he ferried two players, a bike, three gearbags, the team gear, a dog and a dog bowl home well after dark. Then, not only did he have to stop at the supermarket for one of the players to buy more beer to take home, he had to lend him the money to do it. Lecko never had to put up with this crap.

On the field we actually performed pretty well, achieving a top four finish. Even though we lost a couple of close ones to the top teams, we pushed them hard. The OBC boys were more than ecstatic with the results, one heard to remark they had won more games this season than about the previous four seasons put together.

Once again Craig Gibb was the star of the show. With the bat, he scored 525 runs @ 75, getting the only ton for the team along with three 50's, With the ball he took 22 wickets @ 12.2 and fielding, 5 catches and 2 runouts. If only he could keep It was no surprise then to learn that Gibby has been selected in the NZ Over 50's team to play in Australia later this year – well done Gibby!

Runs and Wickets were otherwise shared around among the group, Tom Music and Nick Wilby were the only other significant contributors with the bat.

As for the bowling, only Tim Grocott, Arfur Daly and James O'Connor achieved double figures in their wickets tally, at significantly greater cost than Gibby. The addition of an 8-foot-tall left arm fast bowler from OBC, who was also a brewer from Harringtons and bought plenty of samples to the games was an added bonus. Just a pity he only played a few games.

There were, as always, plenty of humorous moments on the field and off. Such as when two of the bowlers from Sydenham plotted tactics in Afrikaans not realising that one of our OBC batsmen at the crease was also of South African heritage and understood every word. There was also the time that James O'Conner dropped his car keys down a drain at Centennial Park and they had to get the Council truck out to open the drain to get them back.

While the joining of the two sides worked pretty well it was only ever meant to be a temporary measure and the East boys are pretty keen to get back into the budgie uniform.

To this end we are planning to maybe hold a final year under the Gold Banner. With this in mind a few players have shown interest in coming out of retirement and playing a couple of games. The incentive for this will be an end of season trip to Aus on the cards. We are also looking at having a reunion at some stage. So spread the word and let's see if we can make this happen. If you are interested Claw has contracts ready for signature, let him know.

Lastly our trip to Hanmer was a great success and this is what happened:

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 What goes on tour stays on tour!! (but we can report Tim didn't require any stitches this year)

Arfur and Claw
TEAM SCRIBES

Presidents Gold Player of the Season: STEVE DALY

Craig Gibb selected for the 'Greycaps'

Our congratulations to club stalwart Craig Gibb who has been named in the 16-man squad for the New Zealand over-50s cricket side to compete in the inaugural Over-50s World Cup in November this year. The Cup will be played for in Sydney and will feature eight national teams. Nine 45-over games will be played in 15 days, with the Grand Final scheduled for December 5.

Joining Craig will be a few "greying" players, well known in local cricket circles: Hamish Kember, Andrew Nuttall and ex-Cantab. Richard Petrie.

Here's hoping Craig takes his superb batting form of the last few seasons with him, and he has a great tournament.

AVERAGES - PRESIDENTS GOLD**BATTING:**

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	50s	100s	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
C. Gibb	9	2	107	525	75.0	3	1	5
S. Woodhouse	6	1	52	159	31.8	1	0	1
A. Hemingway	5	1	60	109	27.3	1	0	0
M. Wells	4	0	68	102	25.5	1	0	0
T. Music	8	0	62	200	25.0	2	0	5
D. Iggo	5	1	35	96	24.0	0	0	3/2
J. Robson	3	0	47	66	22.0	0	0	1/1
N. Wilby	10	1	53*	197	21.9	1	0	4
J. Barringer	3	2	17*	21	21.0	0	0	2/1
G. Hooper	5	1	30*	72	18.0	0	0	2
S. Daly	8	1	32	117	16.7	0	0	3
D. Lodge	3	0	31	47	15.7	0	0	1
R. Cherry	4	1	35*	40	13.3	0	0	0
T. Grocott	8	2	40	59	9.8	0	0	6
T. Rochford	4	1	19	23	7.7	0	0	1
G. Hall	3	0	18	19	6.3	0	0	0
J. O'Connor	6	2	6	19	4.8	0	0	2/1
T. Penny	3	1	5	6	3.0	0	0	2

ALSO BATTED:

G. Jones	2	1	37*	37	37.0	0	0	0
S. Akula	1	0	30	30	30.0	0	0	0
D. Bull	2	0	19	34	17.0	0	0	0
Other 1	1	0	9	9	9.0	0	0	0
N. Boyle	2	0	5	10	5.0	0	0	0
H. Anderson	2	0	4	4	2.0	0	0	0
P. O'Connor	2	1	2	2	2.0	0	0	1
D. Clayton	1	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	1
A. Albertson	1	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0
B. Hemingway	1	1	0*	0		0	0	0
Other 2	1	1	1*	1		0	0	0
S. Sharman	0							1/1



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AVERAGES - PRESIDENTS GOLD

BOWLING

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
D. Clayton	24.0	5	74	7	10.6	3.08	3/27
C. Gibb	59.4	2	268	22	12.2	4.49	4/24
J. Robson	17.0	2	71	5	14.2	4.18	5/36
S. Daly	59.3	4	265	13	20.4	4.45	4/32
G. Hooper	12.0	0	41	2	20.5	3.42	2/21
S. Woodhouse	49.0	9	193	8	24.1	3.94	3/10
M. Wells	31.0	4	113	4	28.3	3.65	1/3
J. O'Connor	59.0	1	284	10	28.4	4.81	5/36
P. O'Connor	48.0	2	204	7	29.1	4.25	2/6
T, Grocott	103.0	13	457	14	32.6	4.44	3/21
J. Barringer	16.0	2	82	1	82.0	5.13	1/8

ALSO BOWLED:

T. Rochford	6.0	3	8	2	4.0	1.33	2/3
S. Akula	6.0	0	47	3	15.7	7.83	3/47
N. Wilby	8.0	1	40	1	40.0	5.00	1/24
A. Hemingway	1.4	0	10	0	..	6.00	0/4
G. Jones	5.0	0	49	0	..	9.80	0/4
Other1	0.2	0	4	0	..	12.00	0/4



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WOMEN'S SECTION REPORT

The harsh reality is that there were no women's teams at East Shirley this season, for the first time in a few decades.

From the Premier level players, Jacinta Savage transferred to Lancaster Park partly on the basis that she would be the only Easts woman in the LP team if she didn't, although Liv McGoverne did play a few games for LP, and the Magicians. Without women's teams, the club would not re-sign Zimbabwean International Tasmeen Granger, who returned home to Bulawayo.

Gina Aldersley transferred to Sydenham, after Metro decided that our concept of her registering for Easts and Easts lending her to Sydenham might set a risky precedent.

So with another part-timer becoming pregnant and another returning to France, the only registered Easts player was Ashley-Jane Whittaker. Ashley is a shining light on how this whole women's zonal club system in Christchurch is supposed to work. She registers for Easts, and practises with and plays for LP's Youth team on Saturday mornings, and practises with and plays for Heathcote's Social T20 side in the afternoon. When Heathcote don't have a game, she plays for LP's Division 1 team. So it's not hard, and it can work.

Ashley has played most of her cricket for 'blended' teams, so she's used to it, but for playing effectively for three clubs and just getting on with it, and for constantly and fairly performing with bat and ball, and in the field including keeping, I was happy she was awarded the Natasha Carruth Cup, for upholding the spirit of cricket.

Playing two games most Saturdays, Ashley batted 20 innings and bowled 74 overs. Her best figures were in the field: she bowled 18 wickets at an average of 14.3, and took ten catches and one stumping. Her batting average was 13.3, but she sometimes has a tendency to loft catches to mid-on and mid-off!

Venetia Stoffers played a couple of Premier games for LP, and Alyssa Millard filled in for one Premier game and one Div1 game. Venetia's 5-1-10-4 shows she's still got it at Premier level. Alyssa has too, with a 3 for 22 tearing through an OBC top order in a Div1 game.

LP asked me to Saturday manage their Div1 side, as the players don't like umpiring and don't like the pre-game lottery discussions about rules, some of which opposition coaches seem to pluck out of thin air, and don't realise that I have had a hand in setting many of them, in the association's Women's Advisory Group.

One opposition player said to me before a game, "I'd like to meet the ... idiot that thought that ... stupid rule up!" "That ... idiot would be me; but I'm happy to listen to your criticisms." "Oh!"

Without a vested interest in what goes on in the Women's Advisory Group now, the passion to represent the women players across the city has waned, and I advised the association I would be stepping down from the group.

However, I was humbled to be awarded the Ana Rouse Cup, for services to women's cricket, by Metro at their prize-giving. It's also a little embarrassing, as I donated the cup four years ago! The late Ana Rouse, a Cantabrian wicket-keeper and opening bat, was the

first Maori woman to play for New Zealand. But for me she was the nice old lady who sat down the back of the church when I was a kid. I went to school with her son Billy, and worked with her daughter Lorraine.

During the season we started to establish some relationships with schools, through Will Abell's coaching sessions, including Avonside Girls' High and younger boys and girls at nearby primary schools. I aim to continue these relationships and hope that they'll eventually lead to increased girls' numbers at Easts.

Finally, while she plays her cricket in Canberra and in Australia's Women's Big Bash League now, it was fantastic to see former Easts Premier Woman Hayley Jensen's recall to the White Ferns, for their tour of Ireland and England.

Stephen Graham

WOMEN'S CLUB CAPTAIN



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AVERAGES – EASTS WOMEN

BATTING:

	INN	NO	HS	AGG	AVE	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
Ashley-Jane Whittaker	20	4	30	212	13.3	10/1
Venetia Stoffers	2	-	3	4	2.0	1
Alyssa Millard	-	-	-	-	-	1

BOWLING:

	OVERS	MDNS	RUNS	WKTS	AVE	R/OVER	BEST
Ashley-Jane Whittaker	74	8	257	18	14.3	3.5	3/7
Venetia Stoffers	5	1	10	4	2.5	2.0	4/10
Alyssa Millard	12	1	54	3	18.0	4.5	3/22

JUNIOR REPORT

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Once again we have been fortunate to have an excellent junior committee which made the job of convenor very manageable and enjoyable. A committee of about ten divided up responsibilities very well and pulled together for a well-run season.

This of course could not happen without all the junior coaches and the helpers within their teams, so a massive thanks to them for what certainly appeared to me to be an enjoyable season for the children which is of course what it's all about.

Special thanks to the parents (Michelle Dyer, Monique Rae, and Kylie Withell) for managing teams where we didn't have a parent coach. Fortunately the young professional player we had attached to the club, Will Abell, was able to help out with coaching. This was essential support for our junior teams, and we are likely to need it again next season.

Kristi Daly and Nicola Smith ran the administration and registration process extremely well, Ann McLeod took care of uniforms, and Angus McLeod oversaw the gear. The rest of the committee was largely made up of junior coaches – Scott Bennett, Scott Pawson, Des Haines, Glen Bongartz, – along with Kelly Lyons.

Providing great assistance to the committee and the coaches was Nev Lyons, our recent senior coach, who oversaw the Year 7 and 8 trials at the start of the season. We hope that Nev can continue this role next season.

Some of the activities we ran included a pizza night for families and the pie order fund raiser. The latter raised \$2,500 with the pies being supplied by The Naked Baker, who also ran the coffee van on Saturday mornings which was well appreciated by parents. It also raised some valuable funds for the club, with the aim of having an artificial junior pitch on the southwest corner of Burwood Park.

Our thanks to



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For their continuing support of our Junior Cricket Programmes

Other key sponsors for our juniors were O'Sheas, Subway Parklands, and McDonalds. Canterbury Junior Cricket were also helpful, supplying us with one of our Canterbury representatives and prizes to make our end of season prize giving another successful season end

Our Year Seven Premier team coached by Scott Pawson and Adam Prescott had nine players who went to trials. Seven made Development teams and two made Emerging teams, playing in Spring and Summer Tournaments. The Development boys also played in the Mandeville tournament in January. The most notable performance was from Joey Pawson who was the overall year seven MVP at the Mandeville tournament. Special thanks and acknowledgement to Scott and Adam for coaching teams at the tournaments.

From our Year 7 Section One team, four players went to trials. Benji Irvine represented emerging teams in both CJCA spring and summer tournaments. His team went through unbeaten in the summer tournament with Benji contributing well with bat and ball. William Woods made both Development and Emerging teams. for the spring tournament and emerging for summer. In addition, Benji and Ollie Meates were both selected to play for the Canterbury Black development team at the recent indoor cricket inter provincial championships.



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We had 160 juniors across seventeen teams which we thought was pretty solid. Look forward to seeing everyone again next season (we've already started planning for it!) to keep building on some great momentum.

Junior Awards

Hartley Trophy: Boys Year 8

Paul Sullivan Memorial Trophy: Boys Year 7

Howzat Trophy: Boys Year 6

Ray Anderson Memorial Trophy: Coach of the Year

Reuben Williams**Chris Ellison****Seamus Gallagher****Steve Saunders**

This year's teams and coaches were:

Coach/Manager	Team	Age level
Steve Saunders	Korimakos	Yr 8
Phil Washbourn	Takahe	Yr 8
Scott Pawson Adam Prescott	Ravens	Yr 7 Premiers
Adam Prescott	Makos	Yr 7
Andy Macgregor Ben Jury	Sea Hawks	Yr 6
Glenn Bongartz John Salkeld	Eagles	Yr 6
Richard Paynter	Moreporks	Yr 6
Scott Bennett	Moas	Yr 5
Des Haines	Blue Ducks	Yr 5
Tim McClurg	Black Stilts	Yr 5
Adam Smith Les Dowdle	Keas	Yr 5 softball
Michelle Dyer	Tui	Yr 4
Matt McLachlan Adam Bartram	Kiwis	Yr 3 Kiwi
Greg Mitchell	Wekas	Yr 2 Kiwi
Matt Davis	Condors	Yr 2 Kiwi
Paul Cottam Phil Black	Falcons	Yr 2 Kiwi
Paul Cottam Matt Goode	Pukekos	Yr 1 Superstars

*Paul Cottam*JUNIOR CONVENOR

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[ESCC bank account # 03 1700 0111638 00. Remember to state player's name.]
- **Mail**
 - Download a registration form from our website and post the completed form plus subscription to East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club, PO Box 990, Christchurch
- **Sign on**
 - Register and make payment in person at the **Clubrooms, Burwood Park** at the following times (Eftpos available):

Registration Day Saturday 15 September 10.00am – noon
or
Open Day Saturday 6 October 9.00am – noon

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Subscriptions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual - Year 1 \$50.00 • Individual – Other \$95.00 • Individual - Year 8, Pre Xmas \$50.00 • Family \$155.00 • Girls \$50.00 |
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Junior Open Day Saturday 6 October 9.00am to noon

- Meet your team.
- Cricket games. Come and try batting, bowling and target throwing.

- **Training**
 - Club training and practices open to all Juniors from the week beginning October 15 at 4.30 pm.
- **First Game**
 - Season starts on Saturday 20 October .
- **Coaches**
 - More Junior coaches needed .
 - You don't have to be a qualified coach, as training and support will be provided.

- **Enquiries?**
 - **Ring Nicola Smith 021-744-114 or**
 - **Kristi Daly 027-874-8622**

TREASURER'S REPORT

The financial result this year is a considerable improvement on 2017. With a reduction in expenses, we have recorded a small loss of \$817 compared to a substantial loss of \$25,760 last year. The accounts are subject to audit at the time of writing.

Total income is similar to 2017 with fundraising showing an increase, while subscriptions have reduced. The reduction in subs reflects a reduction in teams and players. Good efforts were made with fundraising from raffles. Thanks to the Junior committee for their efforts and the club for their support of these activities. We need to do a lot more. Unspent grants at balance date total \$5,987(2017: \$4,949). Sundry income includes fees for coaching programmes conducted by Will Abell – our visiting coach.

Expenditure is well down on 2017. Coaching costs, gear, and uniforms are the main reductions. Grounds are similar to 2017. Other costs are generally consistent with the previous year although there are some variations. Administration is up as we have written down the value of our merchandise stock. Pavilion running costs set by Shirley Sports Club Ltd are based on funds required to manage the clubrooms effectively. This is subject to consultation. Depreciation is the annual reduction in book value of our assets. This is a non-cash expense. The amount is up this year due to the purchase of a dangerous goods cabinet for our grounds shed.

The statement of financial position clearly sets out the situation at balance date. The liquidity position remains weak with funds in the bank less than current liabilities. GST is a recovery, received since balance date, and inventories are slightly down on last year. The trust reserves are on term deposit with Westpac and earn a small amount of interest. Details are shown in the notes. A small unsecured, interest free loan has been obtained to assist with liquidity. Our equity has reduced again, but to a lesser extent, and we need to generate more income to both cover costs and recover equity. A surplus position is essential to maintain equity and cash flow as losses are not sustainable in the long run. This is something the incoming committee will need to address.

The unaudited accounts of Shirley Sports Club Ltd are also included in the Annual Report. These show a loss after depreciation and reflect the matters regarding rents for member clubs mentioned above.

In conclusion, our thanks to the gaming trusts and Canterbury Metropolitan Cricket Assn for their support as set out in the notes. Also, Andy Innes of Cricket Express, Allan Stroud of O'Sheas and all others for their continued support and sponsorship. These are acknowledged in more detail elsewhere in the report. Thanks also to club members for their assistance during the year, particularly Harry Burson, Donn Leckie, Steve Graham, Mike Johnstone, Paul Cottam and the Junior committee for the work they do collecting subs, handling hospitality activities, the raffle fundraisers and helping with other matters. A good effort by all concerned and much appreciated. As some may recall, Tom Dixon was elected Treasurer at last year's AGM but for various reasons it took some time to set up the necessary changes and enable him to take over. I have continued to help in the meantime. Hopefully Tom is now in a position to take over fully. I would like to thank him for his patience

John Grocott

ASSISTANT TREASURER

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>INCOME</u>		
Donations	1,402	2,200
Fundraising and Grants (Note 8)	55,013	51,726
Interest Received	237	306
Subscriptions	23,183	27,430
Sundry Income	<u>3,877</u>	<u>2,565</u>
Total Income	83,712	84,227
<u>LESS EXPENSES</u>		
Administration & Management	7,793	5,457
Audit	940	940
Coaching	17,695	30,906
Depreciation	5,289	4,917
Gear	7,793	14,949
Grounds	22,134	22,832
Pavilion Maintenance & Running (Note 10)	10,000	10,000
Prize Giving & Social Functions	2,685	3,420
Team Fees and Levies	3,204	3,658
Travel – Visiting Coach	-	3,430
Uniforms	6,996	9,478
Total Expenses	84,529	109,987
SURPLUS (LOSS) FOR YEAR	(817)	(25,760)

These Financial Statements are to be read in conjunction with the Auditor's Report and Notes to the Financial Statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**AS AT 31 MAY 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>NON CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
<u>TRUST RESERVES</u>		
Westpac Term Deposit - Orchard Trust Deposit – 12M @ 2.5%	2,000	2,000
Westpac Term Deposit - Dean Memorial Fund Deposit – 12M @ 2.5%	5,000	5,000
Westpac Term Deposit - W Duncan Devpt Fund Deposit – 12M @ 2.5%	<u>2,053</u>	<u>2,053</u>
	9,053	9,053
<u>FIXED ASSETS (Note 6)</u>	21,827	24,325
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
Westpac Bank Account	4,067	1,740
Accounts Receivable and Prepayments	2,085	130
Goods and Services Tax	1,533	2,014
Advance - Shirley Sports Club Ltd (Note 7)	254,660	254,660
Inventories	<u>14,135</u>	<u>14,638</u>
	<u>276,480</u>	<u>273,182</u>
<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>	<u>\$307,360</u>	<u>306,560</u>
Represented by -		
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
Accounts Payable and Income in Advance (Note 8)	12,316	12,699
Goods and Services Tax	-	-
Loan (Unsecured and interest free)	<u>2,000</u>	<u>-</u>
	14,316	12,699
<u>MEMBERS' FUNDS AND RESERVES</u>		
Accumulated Members' Funds (Note 2)	283,991	284,808
Orchard Trust Reserve (Note 3)	2,000	2,000
W Duncan Development Fund (Note 4)	2,053	2,053
Russell Dean Memorial Fund (Note 5)	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>
	<u>293,044</u>	<u>293,861</u>
<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' FUNDS</u>	<u>\$ 307,360</u>	<u>306,560</u>

These Financial Statements are to be read in conjunction with the Auditor's Report and Notes to the Financial Statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2018****1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES****Reporting Entity**

East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club (Inc) is incorporated under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

Basis of Preparation

The financial reports of the East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club (Inc) are special purpose reports prepared for the Club Management Committee and Club members.

Measurement Base

The accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of financial performance on a historical cost basis have been followed by the Club. Reliance is placed upon the fact that the Club is a going concern and that accrual accounting is used to match expenses and revenues.

Specific Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements.

(a) Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are stated at their estimated net realisable value.

(b) Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value, on a first-in-first-out basis.

(c) Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation except for playing gear which is stated at valuation. Buildings have not been revalued to the registered market valuation. Depreciation is calculated using rates considered appropriate by the Committee.

(d) Goods and Services Tax

The financial statements have been prepared on a GST exclusive basis.

(e) Liabilities

Liabilities are stated at the estimated amounts payable and include obligations which can be reliably estimated.

(f) Grants and Donations

Grant and donation income is recognised as income on receipt unless the Society has a liability to repay if the requirements of the grant or donation are not fulfilled. A

liability is recognised to the extent that such conditions are unfulfilled at the end of the reporting period.

Changes in Accounting Policies

Apart from adopting the applicable new reporting requirements for incorporated societies, there have been no material changes in accounting policies. All policies have been applied on a basis consistent with those used in the previous year.

2. ACCUMULATED MEMBERS' FUNDS

	2018	2017
Opening Balance	284,808	310,568
Surplus (Loss) for Year	<u>(817)</u>	<u>(25,760)</u>
Closing Balance	<u>\$ 283,991</u>	<u>284,808</u>

3. ORCHARD TRUST RESERVE - \$2000

Opening Balance	<u>2,000</u>	<u>2000</u>
Closing Balance	<u>\$ 2,000</u>	<u>2000</u>

The Orchard Trust is a capital fund in perpetuity with the income arising from the investment paid to the Club as long as it remains in existence. If the club ceases the Trust capital reverts to the Canterbury Cricket Association. The Fund is currently invested in a Westpac Term Deposit Investment Account and interest income of \$50 was earned during the year.

4. W DUNCAN DEVELOPMENT FUND - \$2,053

Opening Balance	2,053	2053
Closing Balance	<u>\$ 2,053</u>	<u>2053</u>

This fund was established in 2002/2003 to assist junior development. The Fund is currently invested in a Westpac Term Deposit Investment Account and interest income of \$51 was earned during the year.

5. RUSSELL DEAN MEMORIAL FUND - \$5,000

This fund was established in 2003 following receipt of a legacy from the late Russell Dean, a former Club member, long-time supporter and cricket enthusiast. The Fund is currently invested in a Westpac Term Deposit Investment Account and interest income of \$125 was earned during the year.

Opening Balance	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5000</u>
Closing Balance	<u>\$5,000</u>	<u>5000</u>

6. FIXED ASSETS

Details are as follows -

	Cost	Accum Deprec	Book Value <u>31/5/18</u>	Book Value <u>31/5/17</u>
Pavilion and Buildings	9,549	3,343	6,206	6,332
Plant and Equipment	116,255	100,634	15,621	17,993
Playing Gear (At valuation)	<u>24,413</u>	<u>24,413</u>	-	-
	\$ <u>150,217</u>	<u>128,390</u>	<u>21,827</u>	<u>24,325</u>

7. PAVILION REDEVELOPMENT & SHIRLEY SPORTS CLUB LIMITED

The Club entered into a Heads of Agreement and Joint Venture Agreement with the Shirley Rugby Football Club Inc. for the redevelopment of the existing pavilion in 2004. The project commenced in March 2005 and was completed in November 2005. Under the agreement, the pavilion is managed by the Shirley Sports Club Limited, a non-profit company established for this purpose. Each Club has equal shareholding and appoints three Directors. Under the agreement, "ownership" of the pavilion passed to the company at an agreed value and a notional gain on sale resulted. This was treated as an increase in member's funds in the 2006 year. During the 2015 year a further advance of \$5,000 was made and, by agreement, rent owing totalling \$27,000, net of GST, was deducted from the advance. As a result, the amount of the advance to the company was reduced. There have been no transactions of similar nature during the 2016 financial year. At balance date advances made by the Club to Shirley Sports Club Limited totalled \$254,660 (last year \$254,660).

8. FUNDRAISING AND GRANTS

The following grants and donations are included in the Accounts.

Income

Lion Foundation	-	15,000
Pub Charity	-	10,000
Southern Trust	10,000	-
NZ Community Trust	6,000	-
CERT	6,000	-
Air Rescue Services Ltd	19,123	10,000
Canterbury Metropolitan Cricket Association	8,500	9,740
Canterbury Sports Foundation Inc	-	700
O'Sheas Public House	-	886
Fundraising – Net Proceeds	<u>6,428</u>	<u>5,349</u>
	56,051	51,675
<u>Add:</u> Unspent Grant carried forward – Lion Foundation	4,949	5,000
<u>Less:</u> Unspent Grants/Sponsorship in advance – Air Rescue	-5,987	-4,949
	<u>-1,038</u>	<u>51</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	\$ <u>55,013</u>	<u>\$51,726</u>

9. INCOME TAX

The Society has been granted a tax exemption under CW46 of the Income Tax Act 2007 and no income tax is payable.

10. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Society has related party transactions with the Shirley Sports Club Limited. In the current year the club was charged rent of \$10,000 (2017: \$10,000). This reflects the current arrangement whereby rents are determined by the directors in consultation with member clubs based on funds required to manage the company effectively. The current basis was introduced from the year commencing 1 April 2015.

During the year under review, East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club Inc. has transactions with committee members of the Society for expenditures incurred on behalf of East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club Inc. These transactions were on a normal commercial basis.

President, Tim Grocott, Assistant Treasurer, John Grocott and contracted club coach, David Grocott are related. During the year, David Grocott was paid \$11,900 for coaching services in accordance with the contract. (2017: \$5,750)

11. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The Club had no capital commitments as at 31 May 2018. (2017: \$Nil)

12. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Club had no contingent liabilities as at 31 May 2018. (2017: \$Nil)

13. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There are no events subsequent to balance date, which would materially affect the Financial Statements as at 31 May 2018. (2017: \$Nil)



SHIRLEY SPORTS CLUB LIMITED**BAR OPERATING ACCOUNT****YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>INCOME</u>		
Bar Sales	46,077	7,711
<u>LESS DIRECT COSTS</u>		
Opening Stock	4,033	4,531
Bar Purchases & Replacements	21,726	22,146
<u>Less</u> Closing Stock	<u>(4,933)</u>	<u>(4,033)</u>
	<u>20,826</u>	<u>22,664</u>
Gross Profit	28,251	35,067
<u>LESS OPERATING EXPENSES</u>		
Liquor Licence	1,538	550
Special Licences	305	-
Managers Certificate	550	-
Wages	<u>8,264</u>	<u>8,798</u>
	<u>10,657</u>	<u>9,348</u>
BAR OPERATING SURPLUS (LOSS) - Transferred to Statement of Financial Performance	\$ <u>17,594</u>	<u>25,719</u>

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**FOR YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</u>		
<u>INCOME</u>		
Interest	21	77
Rentals – Clubs (Note 8)	20,000	20,000
Rentals – Functions	3,915	2,255
Grant – Youthtown	-	20,000
Bar Operating Surplus	<u>17,594</u>	<u>25,719</u>
	41,530	68,051
<u>LESS EXPENSES</u>		
ACC	94	121
Audit	2,100	2,050
Bank Fees	454	302
Cleaning - Wages & Supplies	6,586	5,806
Consulting and Administration	1,740	1,450
Development Expenses	-	10,000
Directors' Expenses	-	1,304
Fire Protection Contract	1,088	678
General	625	651
Insurance	13,068	11,467
Interest	778	660
Lease - Eftpos	909	1,040
Lease - Property	300	235
Postages, Printing and Stationery	300	112
Power and Light	5,987	5,696
Repairs	7,418	5,503
Security	2,190	580
Sky Rentals and Installation	3,788	3,729
Telephone	<u>1,352</u>	<u>746</u>
	48,777	52,130
Surplus (Loss) for Year from Operations	(7,247)	15,921

The accompanying Notes and Audit Report form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE PAGE 2**FOR YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES</u>		
<u>INCOME</u>		
Donations – General	-	-
SURPLUS FOR YEAR FROM DEVELOPMENT	-	-
<u>Add</u> OPERATING SURPLUS (LOSS) BROUGHT FORWARD	<u>(7,247)</u>	<u>15,921</u>
TOTAL SURPLUS (LOSS) FOR YEAR	(7,247)	15,921
LESS DEPRECIATION	<u>29,906</u>	<u>29,909</u>
NET SURPLUS (LOSS) FOR YEAR	(37,153)	(13,988)
Shareholders' Equity at Beginning of Year	<u>85,807</u>	<u>99,795</u>
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY, 31 MARCH 2018	\$ <u>48,654</u>	<u>85,807</u>



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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**AS AT 31 MARCH 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</u>		
Paid Up Capital (Note 2)	-	-
Capital Development Reserve	143,72	143,721
Lift Development Reserve	219	219
Retained Earnings	<u>(95,286)</u>	<u>(58,133)</u>
TOTAL	\$ <u>48,654</u>	<u>85,807</u>
Represented by:		
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
Cash on Hand	1,030	1,030
Westpac Bank - Cheque Account	8,326	20,222
Westpac Bank - Imprest Account	455	4,209
Receivables (Note 7)	15,971	17,771
Stock	<u>4,933</u>	<u>4,033</u>
	30,715	47,265
<u>FIXED ASSETS - At Cost Less Depreciation as per attached Schedule</u>		
Building Costs	595,276	624,538
Hard Standing Areas	4,635	5,021
Plant and Equipment	754	1,013
Furniture and Fittings	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	600,665	630,572
TOTAL ASSETS	631,380	677,837
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
Payables	15,520	23,273
GST Payable	(32)	865
Loan - Short Term Interest Free (26 Months)	266	920
Advances - Shirley Rugby Football Club Inc. (Note 6)	312,311	312,311
Advances - East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club Inc. (Note 6)	<u>254,661</u>	<u>254,661</u>
	582,726	592,030

The accompanying Notes and Audit Report form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**AS AT 31 MARCH 2018**

	2018	2017
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES BROUGHT FORWARD</u>	582,726	592,030
<u>TERM LIABILITIES</u>	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>582,726</u>	<u>592,030</u>
<u>NET ASSETS</u>	\$ <u>48,654</u>	<u>85,807</u>

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018****1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES****Reporting Entity**

Shirley Sports Club Limited ("The Company") is a company registered under the Companies Act 1993. The Financial Statements of the Company are special purpose reports prepared for the Directors and Shareholders.

Accordingly, this special purpose report is not prepared in full compliance with generally accepted accounting practice (GAAP) and should not be relied upon for any other purposes or by anyone other than the Directors and Shareholders.

Measurement Base

The accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of financial performance and financial position on a historical cost basis are followed by the Company, with the exception of selected items for which specific accounting policies have been applied. Accrual accounting is used to match revenue and expenses. Reliance is placed on the fact that the company is a going concern.

Specific Accounting Policies

The following specific accounting policies which materially affect the measurement of financial performance and financial position have been applied:

a) Receivables

Receivables are recognised at estimated realisable value.

b) Stocks

Stocks are recognised at the lower of cost, determined on a first-in first-out basis, and net realisable value.

c) Buildings, Plant and Equipment

Buildings, plant and equipment are recognised at cost less aggregate depreciation. Depreciation has been calculated using the maximum rates permitted by the Income Tax Act 2004.

d) Leases

The Company leases the land on which the clubrooms are situated from the Christchurch City Council. The lease is for a 20 year term and there is an automatic right of renewal (to be negotiated). Lease payments are made on an annual basis and are recognised as an expense.

e) Goods and Services Tax

The financial statements have been prepared on a GST exclusive basis.

f) Income Tax

The Company has been granted a tax exemption under Section CW 46 of the Income Tax Act 2007 and no income tax is payable.

Changes in Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in accounting policies. All policies have been applied on bases consistent with those used in previous years.

2. SHARE CAPITAL

The Company has issued 100 ordinary shares. These are held equally by the Shirley Rugby Club Inc and the East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club Inc. At balance date, no share capital had been called up.

All shares have equal voting rights and share equally in dividends and surplus on winding up.

3. STOCKS

No stocks are specifically and separately pledged as security for liabilities. Stocks are subject to retention of title clauses.

4. BUILDINGS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

As per attached Fixed Assets and Depreciation Schedule

5. CAPITAL AND OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Capital Commitments		
Estimated capital expenditure contracted for at balance date but not provided for.	Nil	Nil
Operating Lease Commitments	909	892

6. ADVANCES - REDEVELOPMENT OF CLUBROOMS

The Shirley Rugby Football Club Inc (SRFC) and East Christchurch Shirley Cricket

Club Inc (ECSCC) have advanced funds for the redevelopment of the Clubrooms under terms set out in a Heads of Agreement and Joint Venture Agreement. The project was completed in November 2005. The advances are interest free and technically repayable on demand. However, under the agreement, repayment in the immediate future is unlikely. During the 2015 year, a further advance of \$5,000 from each club was received and, by agreement, rents owing, net of GST, totally \$30,761 for SRFC and \$27,000 for ECSCC were deducted from the advances reducing the balance. The advances are currently - SRFC \$312,311(2017: \$312,311) and ECSCC \$254,661 (2017: \$254,661).

7. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company has related party transactions with both the Shirley Rugby Football Club Inc and the East Christchurch Shirley Cricket Club Inc. By arrangement, rent of \$10,000 plus GST (2017: \$10,000) has been charged to each member club for the 2018 year. Future rents will be determined by the directors based on amounts considered appropriate by the directors to manage the company effectively. Rents have previously been based on an agreed formula. A new process for determining rents for member clubs was adopted from the year commencing 1 April 2015.

Board members were reimbursed for expenses incurred on behalf of the Company. These transactions were on a normal commercial basis. In 2017, Chairman, Roger Smith, received payments totalling \$12,000 for coaching, repairs and ground maintenance. There were no payments for these services in 2018.

8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There are no material subsequent events (2017: NIL)

9. CONTINGENT LIABILITY

There were no known contingent liabilities at 31/3/2018 (2017: Nil).