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1987-88 cricket season opens Saturday

Warragul District cricket opens a new season next Saturday with 41 teams in four senior grades.

There has been dropping of an overall team down by about one side this season. There has been two teams in the area taking over a manning and Warragul and Warragul in previous seasons. It will be interesting to see the role of Drouin in this controversial role. Clubs have been advised to finish on the previous service. Formerly the results must be left at the 'Gazette' office as soon as possible. The matches on Saturday morning cricket for publication is going to start on a very early start on the mornings as it will be finished by noon on the following afternoon. The 'Gazette' will continue to give Gippsland's coverage of local cricket. Clem Pitt will be in the 'Gazette' office from 8 am on Saturdays to 7 pm to ensure the new system is running smoothly. The usual results style is for caught, b for bowled, stumped, run out, n.o. for not out, but wkt for hit wicket, and sub for substitute. Names should be spelt correctly and interesting highlights should be included on a separate piece of paper and dropped in with the results. This week's items could include names of captains, vice captains and details of new players, or well known players retired or cleared.

NOTES

Trafalgar and Yarragon clubs may furnish notes for the Trafalgar 'News' on Wednesdays (copy needed first thing Tuesdays) and other clubs for the Warragul 'Trader' on Thursdays (copy needed first thing Wednesday). Details of Gippsland Cricket League matches will be required after matches on Sunday evenings. These details will be sent first thing next morning. It will be evident that our sports department is prepared to sacrifice Saturday evenings and Sundays for cricket. We hope that cricket is also prepared to cooperate by getting its results in as early as possible after matches — including juniors who finish before noon on Saturdays. Cricket is only a part of our sports coverage. Many other sports are desirous of getting it in on time, and they will get any available space that shows up through

lethargy in cricket results. Draws:

- A GRADE**
Round 1: October 3-10
 Nilma Dusties v Drouin (1)
 Trafalgar v Warragul
 Drouin (2) v Western Park
 Ellinbank v Neerim Dist.
 Garfield-Bunyip v Yarragon
- Round 2: October 17-24**
 Warragul v Nilma Dusties
 Western Park v Trafalgar
 Neerim Dist. v Drouin (2)
 Yarragon v Ellinbank
 Drouin (1) v Garfield-Bunyip
- Round 3: Oct 31-Nov 7**
 Nilma Dusties v Western Park
 Trafalgar v Neerim Dist
 Drouin (2) v Yarragon
 Ellinbank v Garfield-Bunyip
 Warragul v Drouin (1)
- Round 4: November 14-21**
 Neerim Dist. v Nilma Dusties
 Yarragon v Trafalgar
 Garfield-Bunyip v Drouin (2)
 Drouin (1) v Ellinbank
 Western Park v Warragul
- Round 5: Nov 28-Dec 5**
 Nilma Dusties v Yarragon
 Trafalgar v Garfield-Bunyip
 Drouin (2) v Ellinbank
 Warragul v Neerim Dist.
 Western Park v Drouin (1)
- Round 6: December 12-19**
 Garfield-Bunyip v Nilma Dusties
 Ellinbank v Trafalgar
 Drouin (2) v Drouin (1)
 Yarragon v Warragul
 Neerim Dist. v Western Park
- Round 7: January 9 (one day games)**
 Drouin (1) v Nilma Dusties
 Warragul v Trafalgar
 Western Park v Drouin (2)
 Neerim Dist. v Ellinbank
 Yarragon v Garfield-Bunyip
- Round 8: January 16 (one day games)**
 Nilma Dusties v Warragul
 Trafalgar v Western Park
 Drouin (2) v Neerim Dist.
 Ellinbank v Yarragon
 Garfield-Bunyip v Drouin (1)
- Round 9: January 23-30**
 Nilma Dusties v Ellinbank
 Trafalgar v Drouin (2)
 Warragul v Garfield-Bunyip
 Western Park v Yarragon
 Drouin (1) v Neerim Dist.
- Round 10: February 6-13**
 Drouin (2) v Nilma Dusties
 Trafalgar v Drouin (1)
 Ellinbank v Warragul
 Garfield-Bunyip v Western Park
 Yarragon v Neerim Dist.
- Round 11: February 20-27**
 Nilma Dusties v Trafalgar
 Warragul v Drouin (2)
 Western Park v Ellinbank
 Neerim Dist. v Garfield-Bunyip
 Drouin (1) v Yarragon
- Semi finals: March 5-6**
Grand final: March 12, 13, 19

- B GRADE**
Round 1: October 3-10
 Warragul v Nilma Dusties
 Western Park v Ellinbank
 Neerim Dist. v Garfield-Bunyip
 Yarragon v Jindivick
 Longwarry v Buln Buln
 Darnum v Hallora
- Round 2: October 17-24**
 Nilma Dusties v Longwarry
 Ellinbank v Neerim Dist.
 Garfield-Bunyip v Warragul
 Hallora v Yarragon
 Buln Buln v Western Park
 Jindivick v Darnum
- Round 3: Oct 31-Nov 7**
 Western Park v Hallora
 Garfield-Bunyip v Buln Buln
 Darnum v Warragul
 Trafalgar v Drouin
- Round 4: November 14-21**
 Western Park v Hallora
 Garfield-Bunyip v Buln Buln
 Darnum v Warragul
 Trafalgar v Drouin
- Round 5: Nov 28-Dec 5**
 Hallora v Warragul

- C GRADE**
Round 1: October 3-10
 Garfield-Bunyip v Warragul
 Drouin v Western Park
 Hallora v Darnum
 Buln Buln v Trafalgar
- Round 2: October 17-24**
 Warragul v Drouin
 Western Park v Garfield-Bunyip
 Darnum v Buln Buln
 Trafalgar v Hallora
- Round 3: Oct 31-Nov 7**
 Buln Buln v Western Park
 Hallora v Garfield-Bunyip
 Drouin v Darnum
 Warragul v Trafalgar
- Round 4: November 14-21**
 Western Park v Hallora
 Garfield-Bunyip v Buln Buln
 Darnum v Warragul
 Trafalgar v Drouin
- Round 5: Nov 28-Dec 5**
 Hallora v Warragul



Former 3UL radio and HSV7 television personality Madeline Burke (left) was at the St Paul's Anglican Grammar School debutante ball with her daughter Meredith (right) and close friend Maree Wolfendon, of Newborough, whose daughter Sharyn was one of the debs.

- Buln Buln v Drouin
 Western Park v Darnum
 Garfield-Bunyip v Trafalgar
- Round 6: December 12-19**
 Trafalgar v Western Park
 Buln Buln v Warragul
 Garfield-Bunyip v Darnum
 Drouin v Hallora
- Round 7: January 9 (one day games)**
 Western Park v Drouin
 Warragul v Garfield-Bunyip
 Trafalgar v Buln Buln
 Darnum v Hallora
- Round 8: January 16 (one day games)**
 Garfield-Bunyip v Western Park
 Drouin v Warragul
 Darnum v Buln Buln
 Hallora v Trafalgar
- Round 9: January 23-30**
 Warragul v Western Park
 Drouin v Garfield-Bunyip
 Trafalgar v Darnum (at Traf High School)
 Hallora v Buln Buln
- Round 10: February 6-13**
 Warragul v Trafalgar
 Buln Buln v Western Park
 Darnum v Drouin
 Garfield-Bunyip v Hallora
- Round 11: February 20-27**
 Western Park v Hallora
 Buln Buln v Garfield-Bunyip
 Warragul v Darnum
 Trafalgar v Drouin
- Semi finals: March 5-6**
Grand final: March 12, 13, 19.

Buln Buln Football Club senior award winners are (l to r) Mick Jenkins (runner up best and fairest), Graham Sell (most determined), Anthony Baker (best and fairest and coach's award) and Trevor Eastwell (club coach and runner up best and fairest).

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By Clem Pitt

Warragul District cricket officials for 1987. 88 are front (l to r) Dan Gleeson, Robert Piner president, Rod Pollock secretary-treasurer, Ross Gaff. Back (l to r) Chris Pharoah, Alan

Ross, Steve, Mick, Warren, Pierran, Maplesse, Greg, Kelvin



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C GRADE

A-GRADE

Round 1: Western Park def. Drouin (2) by 42 runs (3 - 10/10/87)

<i>Drouin</i>			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
R. Piner	b. S. Bravington	33	3
T. DeVries	Run Out	17	1
D. Bryce	c & b. G. Purton	50	2
M. Hamilton	c. W. Skate b. G. Purton	19	-
G. Davies	b. G. Purton	0	-
C. Caldwell	c. S. Bravington b. G. Purton	18	-
B. McGillivray	c. W. Skate b. G. Purton	21	2
W. Pepper	Not Out	24	1
Ph. Wyatt	b. G. Purton	1	-
T. Rippon	LBW. S. Bravington	1	-
D. Hynes	c. G. Glen b. G. Purton	19	2
Extras		17	
		220	
FOW: 37 - 93 - 126 - 126 - 136 - 170 - 182 - 184 - 187 - 220			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	20	0	0	87
A. Ross	11	1	0	60
S. Bravington	8	1	2	23
G. Purton	13.2	2	7	48

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
Gr. Edwards	b. G. Davies	118
S. Bravington	c. Caldwell b. D. Hynes	16
S. Byrne	b. B. McGillivray	5
W. Skate	Not Out	85
A. Ross	Not Out	25
Extras		13
		3/262
FOW: 56 - 67 - 204		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Rippon	11	1	0	44
W. Pepper	12	1	0	44
B. McGillivray	19	2	1	51
G. Davies	16	4	1	34
D. Hynes	20	4	0	58
D. Bryce	3	0	0	15
M. Hamilton	2	0	0	8
K. Piner	1	0	0	4

ME Credit

No clearance for

By Clem Pitt

Western Park has refused to clear Saturday A grade century maker Graham Edwards back to Nilma-Dusties.

Western Park claim they are not strong enough to release a player of his calibre.

Edwards made 118 against Drouin (2) to give Western Park an easy seven wickets victory — and also possibly quash his claims for a clearance.

Rodney Vincent made 111 for Drouin (1) who revealed batting strength against Nilma-Dusties. Keith Alger made 60 and Phillip Dent 57 and the Nilma-Dusties attack was really pounded.

Graham Rankin's 75 was a one-man stand against Warragul for Trafalgar, who were dismissed for 141.

On this effort it can be said Rankin has arrived in local cricket as he will not be playing against any team stronger than Warragul.

Not far behind him in ability is Steve Hopkins, the young Garfield-Bunyip alrounder, who made 54 n.o. against Yarragon.

We are also watching with interest Nicky Mazza (16) and brother Peter (15) who made 20's in their A grade debut with Yarragon. Peter also plays in the juniors.

KEENNESS

10 runs short of Warragul's tally.

Another B grade highlight was the 3/20 by Christine McMaster for Neerim District. Christine is claimed as the first woman to take wickets in WDCB B grade. Results:

A GRADE

Warragul v Trafalgar
Warragul - 1st innings 6(cc)301

Trafalgar - 1st innings

L. Chaproniere b T. Giffin	1
G. Ward c D. Morling b T. Giffin	8
G. Johns c and b Canobie	8
G. Rankin c T. Hogan b Mason	75
N. Grimshaw c P. Hogan b Canobie	1
N. Rankin c Baldry b Canobie	9
R. Burgess c T. Giffin b Canobie	3
T. Rankin lbw T. Hogan	15
P. Coombes b T. Hogan	14
J. Asmussen n.o.	4
G. Foster absent	0
Sundries	3
Total	141

Fall: 5, 20, 73, 75, 102, 105, 106, 132, 141, 141.

Bowling: M. Ridgway 10/4/0/14, T. Giffin 7/3/2/19, J. Sennett 5/0/0/26, W. Canobie 22/5/4/54, J. Mason 15/3/1/19, T. Hogan 5.2/2/2/6, P. Hogan 1/1/0/0.

Warragul won on first innings by 160 runs.

Neerim District won on first innings by two wickets and six runs.

Nilma-Dusties v Drouin (1)

Nil-Dusties 1st innings 234

Drouin (1) 1st innings

R. Vincent c Dalrymple b McGrath	111
K. Alger c and b McGrath	60
P. Dent c J. Wallin b Kneebone	57
N. Robertson c and b Kneebone	0
P. Harper n.o.	48
W. Pyle run out	5
S. Nottage c Hogan b D. Gleeson	1
J. Lehman n.o.	8
Sundries	8
Total	6/298

Fall: 96, 187, 189, 268, 281, 284.

Bowling: G. Kneebone 17/0/2/64, D. Smith 19/2/0/72, R. Hogan 10/1/0/40, J. McGrath 16/0/2/77, M. Vick 5/0/0/21, D. Gleeson 3/0/1/17.

Drouin (1) won on first innings by four wickets and 64 runs.

B GRADE

Yarragon v Jindivick

Yarragon 1st innings 122

Jindivick 1st innings 5 (dec) 138

Yarragon - 2nd innings

G. Clancy b R. Thomas	5
M. Derrick b B. Mason	27
P. Towns c K. Powell b R. Thomas	8
R. Thomas	79

Fall: 54, 71, 77
Bowling: D. G. McDonald 7/1/1/21, K. P. Taylor 12/4/0/14, 1/2/44, N. 18, T. Lowth 3/0/1/10/0/8, A. Blac

Longwarry 1st innings by 44

Neerim District

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Neerim District

Round 2: Trafalgar def. Western Park by 5 wickets (24/10/87)

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
Gr. Edwards	b. G. Foster	1	-
P. Croft	c. L. Chaproniere b. G. Foster	4	-
W. Naylor	c. T. Rankin b. P. Coombes	7	-
W. Skate	c. Bader b. G. Foster	8	-
S. Byrne	c. G. Rankin b. G. Foster	2	-
T. Skate	Run Out	9	-
G. Glen	b. G. Foster	36	3
I. Bowman	c. N. Grimshaw b. G. Ward	16	3
M. Gahan	c. G. Rankin b. G. Foster	24	4
R. Ross	Run Out	13	1
G. Purton	Not Out	14	-
Extras		10	
		144	
FOW: 3 – 13 – 13 – 21 – 36 – 36 – 94 – 116 – 116 – 144			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Coombes	11	1	1	41
G. Foster	17	1	6	65
G. Ward	7	1	1	35

Trafalgar				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
L. Chaproniere	LBW. I. Bowman	0	-	-
G. Ward	c. I. Bowman b. G. Purton	25	3	-
G. Rankin	st. R. Ross b. G. Purton	68	10	1
T. Rankin	c. P. Croft b. G. Purton	2	-	-
N. Rankin	Not Out	29	1	-
N. Grimshaw	b. S. Byrne	3	-	-
R. Burgess	Not Out	15	1	-
Extras		17		
		5/159		
FOW: 2 – 105 – 109 – 117 – 136				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	17	3	1	54
I. Bowman	6	0	1	61
G. Purton	12	1	3	37

Round 3: Nilma Dusties def. Western Park by 6 runs (31/10 – 7/11/87)

Nilma Dusties				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
A. Dalrymple	c. W. Skate b. S. Byrne	18	3	-
M. Kleeven	c & b. S. Byrne	48	4	1
G. Kneebone	c. T. Skate b. S. Byrne	0	-	-
M. Vick	Run Out	50	4	-
R. Cameron	LBW. I. Bowman	25	1	-
D. Gleeson	b. I. Bowman	8	-	-
J. McGrath	c. P. Croft b. W. Skate	0	-	-
I. Decker	b. I. Bowman	50	6	-
C. Collis	Not Out	71	7	3
R. Hogan	Not Out	2	-	-
Extras		20		
		292		
FOW: 40 – 40 – 89 – 150 – 155 – 155 – 165 – 278				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	20	2	3	60
I. Bowman	24	3	3	89
P. Croft	8	0	0	47
G. Purton	9	1	0	34
W. Skate	9	0	1	48

<i>Western Park</i>			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
W. Naylor	c. I. Decker b. R. Hogan	18	1
Gr. Edwards	b. R. Ballingall	70	5
G. Glen	c. R. Cameron b. R. Hogan	0	-
W. Skate	c. R. Ballingall b. J. McGrath	47	8
S. Byrne	Run Out	25	5
M. Gahan	b. J. McGrath	0	-
P. Croft	c & b. G. Kneebone	53	6
I. Bowman	Run Out	34	4
T. Skate	b. R. Ballingall	3	-
R. Ross	Run Out	2	-
G. Purton	Not Out	1	-
Extras		24	
		286	
FOW: 36 – 45 – 132 – 165 – 165 – 205 – 278 – 280 – 285 – 286			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Ballingall	23	6	2	67
J. McGrath	12	2	2	48
G. Kneebone	22	2	1	95
R. Hogan	7	0	2	24
M. Vick	6	0	0	29

Round 4 vs. Warragul: Match Drawn (14 – 21/11/87)

<i>Warragul</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
B. Lea	c. C. Ayres b. S. Byrne	6	-	-
K. Matthews	b. I. Bowman	11	2	-
T. Hogan	b. S. Byrne	52	7	-
R. Baldry	c. T. Skate b. P. Croft	120	7	3
D. Gahan	LBW. S. Byrne	2	-	-
J. Sinnett	c. S. Byrne b. P. Croft	26	3	-
R. Welsh	c. Gr. Edwards b. S. Byrne	1	-	-
P. Hogan	c. S. Byrne b. P. Croft	0	-	-
W. Canobie	Run Out	4	-	-
J. Gahan	c & b. P. Croft	9	1	-
T. Giffin	Not Out	8	-	-
Extras		23		
		262		
FOW: 20 – 42 – 103 – 117 – 169 – 190 – 201 – 212 – 228 – 262				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	22	3	4	55
I. Bowman	18	2	1	76
G. Purton	11	1	0	60
P. Croft	18.3	1	4	59

<i>Western Park</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
Gr. Edwards	c. D. Gahan b. T. Hogan	45	7	-
W. Naylor	st. K. Matthews b. W. Canobie	53	2	1
C. Ayres	c. J. Gahan b. P. Hogan	5	-	-
P. Croft	Not Out	26	2	-
S. Byrne	b. J. Gahan	24	2	-
W. Skate	Not Out	0	-	-
Extras		7		
		4/160		
FOW: 83 – 92 – 122 – 152				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Giffin	4	1	0	15
J. Sinnett	6	0	0	20
D. Gahan	8	2	0	23
P. Hogan	11	2	1	27
T. Hogan	5	0	1	15
W. Canobie	6	1	1	26
J. Gahan	5	0	1	25
B. Lea	2	0	0	2
R. Baldry	2	0	0	5



tosh b J. Cornwall	40
A. Bottoms b T.	
Lowther	0
M. Leighton n.o.	1
Sundries	15
Total	204

Fall: 57, 60, 60, 87, 109, 132,
142, 202, 202, 204

Robbie Ross takes up his position behind the stumps in A grade cricket with Western Park.

Round 5: Drouin (1) def. Western Park by 16 runs (28/11 – 5/12/87)

Drouin		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
K. Alger	b. I. Bowman	19
R. Vincent	c. I. Bowman b. P. Croft	26
P. Dent	c. R. Ross b. I. Bowman	9
R. Harper	c. D. Holl b. P. Croft	39
D. Bryce	c. R. Ross b. R. Breeden	12
P. Harper	c. I. Bowman b. R. Breeden	16
N. Robertson	c. I. Bowman b. P. Croft	0
J. Lehman	Run Out	29
S. Ward	c. A. Ross b. I. Bowman	14
D. Hynes	c. T. Skate b. P. Croft	11
J. Kane	Not Out	1
Extras		8
		184
FOW: 38 – 52 – 58 – 76 – 122 – 124 – 154 – 156 – 181 – 184		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Bowman	17.4	6	3	41
A. Ross	4	0	0	28
P. Croft	23	6	4	69
R. Breeden	19	3	2	44

Western Park – 1st Innings – 168 (N. Robertson 27/5/5/52, S. Ward 10/2/2/14)

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Four fight is down to five

The WDCA A grade finals fight seems to be down to five teams after Saturday's pre-season round.

Two one-day and three two-day rounds remain before the finals. Neerim District v Ellinbank is the main January 9 encounter and it's a pity that it's a one-day match as these two teams could play off this season. Drouin (1) v Nilma-Dusties is also vital. Other games are Warragul v Trafalgar, Drouin (2) v Neerim District and Yarragon v Garfield-Bunyip.

Ladders, as supplied by score recorders Steve Pratt and Richard Price, are as follows:

LADDERS		
A GRADE	%	Pts
Neerim Dist	1.67	32
Gar-Bunyip	1.66	30
Ellinbank	1.77	26
Drouin 1	1.15	26
Warragul	1.15	20
Nil-Dusties	.86	14
Trafalgar	.58	12
Western Park	.94	8
Drouin 2	.69	8
Yarragon	.53	0
B GRADE	%	Pts
Longwarry	2.24	36
Jindivick	1.31	30
Darnum	1.30	26
Gar-Bunyip	1.03	24

C GRADE	%	Pts
Drouin	1.37	34
Western Park	1.13	28
Hallora	1.11	24
Trafalgar	1.07	18
Buin Buin	.72	18
Darnum	.71	12
D GRADE	%	Pts
Jindivick	1.86	40
Nil-Dusties	1.94	32
Hallora	1.31	28
Yarragon	1.24	28
Longwarry	1.60	26
Ellinbank	.68	26
API	1.30	18
Neerim Dist	.47	12
Drouin	.63	10
Western Park	.41	0
Darnum	.33	0
JUNIORS	%	Pts
Yarragon	2.13	36
Drouin	1.50	36
Ellinbank	1.06	30
Buin Buin	1.62	24
Western Park	1.06	24
Warragul	1.39	18
Gar-Bunyip	1.16	12
Neerim Dist	.82	12
Longwarry	.39	12
Darnum	.52	6
Trafalgar	.48	6

Round 6: Neerim District def. Western Park by 68 runs (12 – 19/12/87)

Neerim District		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
B. Sell	c. R. Breeden b. N. Byrne	74
M. Fusinato	c. S. Byrne b. A. Ross	21
G. Fusinato	c. N. Byrne b. A. Ross	33
P. Gavin	Not Out	131
S. Clarke	Run Out	0
P. Fusinato	c. D. Holl b. P. Croft	31
K. Pratt	c. R. Ross b. C. Ayres	18
N. Fawcett	b. S. Byrne	2
S. Hickey	Not Out	11
Extras		30
		7/352

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	17	1	1	86
T. Skate	1	0	0	10
A. Ross	17	1	2	78
R. Breeden	9	1	0	33
N. Byrne	3	0	1	26
P. Croft	12	0	1	48
C. Ayres	9	0	1	39
D. Holl	2	0	0	21

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
Gr. Edwards	b. S. McGillivray	1
P. Croft	c. P. Gavin b. G. Fusinato	28
A. Ross	b. S. Hickey	39
C. Ayres	LBW. S. Hickey	59
S. Byrne	Run Out	40
D. Holl	c. P. Gavin b. G. Fusinato	53
M. Gahan	c. K. Pratt b. G. Fusinato	16
R. Breeden	Run Out	3
R. Ross	Not Out	12
N. Byrne	c. S. Clarke b. P. Gavin	14
Extras		19
		284
FOW: 6 – 95 – 115 – 182 – 211 – 247 – 254 – 272 – 284 – 284		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. McGillivray	8	2	1	25
S. Hickey	17	2	2	67
P. Fusinato	9	0	0	43
N. Fawcett	8	0	0	26
M. Fusinato	5	0	0	21
G. Fusinato	12	0	3	50
P. Gavin	10	0	1	39

Round 7: Western Park def. Drouin (2) by 156 runs (9/1/88)

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Ayres	b. G. Davies	43
W. Naylor	c. R. Piner b. C. Hickford	1
D. Holl	c. R. Piner b. M. Leighton	6
A. Ross	c. M. Leighton b. G. Davies	84
W. Skate	Run Out	65
S. Byrne	Not Out	25
M. Gahan	b. G. Davies	7
R. Ross	Not Out	2
Extras		22
		6/255
FOW: 2 – 30 – 89 – 210 – 223 – 229		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
C. Hickford	5	0	1	41
M. Leighton	6	0	1	32
G. Davies	11	0	3	56
R. Fairlie	4	0	0	25
M. Rippon	6	0	0	41
B. McGillivray	2	0	0	25
M. Surman	1	0	0	20

<i>Drouin (2)</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Hamilton	b. R. Breeden	4
M. Carmody	b. S. Byrne	7
G. Davies	c. R. Ross b. R. Breeden	17
B. McGillivray	c. R. Ross b. R. Breeden	10
R. Piner	c. T. Skate b. R. Breeden	2
M. Rippon	b. S. Byrne	7
C. Caldwell	b. R. Breeden	0
M. Surman	c. Byrne b. C. Ayres	10
C. Hickford	Run Out	28
R. Fairlie	Not Out	4
M. Leighton	c. Byrne b. D. Holl	2
Extras		8
		99
FOW: 13 – 13 – 27 – 43 – 44 – 50 – 50 – 92 – 95 – 99		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	8	1	2	45
A. Ross	3	0	0	12
R. Breeden	10	1	5	31
D. Holl	2	0	1	6
C. Ayres	1	0	1	1

From the Gazette (by Dwight Smith): “**Wicket Woes Hit Western Park Again** – Wicket woes have again hit the Western Park Cricket Club as it has been unable to play any of its home games at the park this year. The carpet pitch which was laid three seasons ago after the conclusion of an unsuccessful experiment in turf, has proven unsatisfactory. It has provided variable bounce and aroused complaints of danger by batsmen. Because of this, the carpet was lifted last season and the concrete material treated with Ardit – a material carpet layers use to level off that material. This did not work as the Ardit tended to flake off and complaints about the pitch were again voiced at the annual meeting just before the beginning of the season.

At the meeting, club president Doug Holl said the carpet would be lifted again to see what could be done. Doug said this week when the club checked the level of bumps and dips in the concrete, it decided to re-concrete the pitch. Because of the variation it was decided an extra eight centimetres of concrete was needed. He said because the club had difficulty in locating a concreter, the work had not been done and games had to be rescheduled elsewhere.

Western Park’s A and B-Grade sides have their home games at the park while its C and D-Grade sides play their home games at Warragul High School. Doug said A and B-Grade home games had to be rescheduled to the Marist No. 2 Oval, Warragul High School, and Logan Park. The Logan Park pitch was not really suitable for an A-Grade cricket side. He hoped the upgraded Western Park pitch would be ready for the round beginning on January 30.

He estimated the cost of \$500 for the concrete and \$1100 for new carpet. With other preparation, the total cost of the project would be about \$2000. By rescheduling its home games away from Western Park, Mr. Holl believes the club has lost about \$100 a week in profits from the bar. The loss in morale and recruitment of players could not be estimated. The old carpet has been laid in the nets where bowlers and batsmen report startling spin and variable bounce. Doug explained that this was probably because the carpet had not been stretched. He said the new carpet would not be of as high quality as the old because of the club finances, but he hoped in a few years it could be replaced by quality carpet.”

Round 8: Western Park def. Trafalgar by 40 runs (16/1/88)

Trafalgar		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
L. Chaproniere	b. R. Breeden	29
T. Bowler	b. R. Breeden	12
G. Rankin	LBW. S. Byrne	11
N. Grimshaw	c. P. Croft b. S. Byrne	3
N. Rankin	b. R. Breeden	2
J. Asmussen	c. C. Ayres b. R. Breeden	0
D. Bowler	b. R. Breeden	9
R. Burgess	c. P. Croft b. S. Byrne	18
G. Foster	c. Byrne b. R. Breeden	0
I. Cocksedge	c. T. Skate b. S. Byrne	2
W. Robinson	Not Out	0
Extras		21
		105
FOW: 32 – 55 – 59 – 61 – 65 – 97 – 97 – 97 – 100 – 105		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	15	2	4	38
R. Breeden	14.2	1	6	60

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Ayres	b. G. Foster	9
W. Naylor	b. G. Foster	17
D. Holl	c. G. Rankin b. G. Foster	5
A. Ross	c. N. Rankin b. D. Bowler	4
W. Skate	b. T. Bowler	27
S. Byrne	b. G. Foster	16
P. Croft	b. N. Grimshaw	30
T. Skate	Not Out	16
N. Byrne	b. T. Bowler	4
G. Davine	c. W. Robinson b. N. Grimshaw	0
R. Breeden	st. G. Rankin b. N. Grimshaw	0
Extras		13
		145
FOW: 16 – 34 – 44 – 45 – 67 – 113 – 124 – 141 – 144 – 145		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
D. Bowler	11	3	1	35
G. Foster	13	3	4	34
N. Grimshaw	7	0	3	39
T. Bowler	4	0	2	25

From the Gazette: “**Breeden Find** – While it appears too late to help Western Park to grab a place in the A-Grade Top Four, the team has come up with a great mid-season bowling find in Rod Breeden. Rod took six wickets to help his team to a 40-run win over Trafalgar. He was ably supported by Simon Byrne – who took four for 38 – to limit Trafalgar to 105 runs. Rod adds his six wickets to the five taken in the previous round against Drouin. L. Chaproniere top-scored for Trafalgar with 29 before being bowled by Breeden. The most successful bowler for Trafalgar was Gary Foster who took four for 34 from 13 overs. Top score for Western Park was Peter Croft.

Round 9: Western Park def. Yarragon by 88 runs (23 – 30/1/88)

Yarragon		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Deane	c. C. Ayres b. S. Bravington	0
L. Wheller	c. D. Bailey b. S. Byrne	0
B. Kingwill	c. D. Holl b. P. Croft	49
N. Mazza	LBW. S. Byrne	15
S. Webster	c. D. Holl b. P. Croft	32
M. O'Toole	c. C. Ayres b. R. Breeden	16
S. Battley	c. W. Skate b. P. Croft	5
P. Mazza	b. S. Bravington	44
J. Malacarne	b. R. Breeden	48
G. Kingwill	c. C. Ayres b. S. Byrne	11
W. Kilday	Not Out	24
Extras		14
		258
FOW: 2 – 10 – 42 – 86 – 98 – 106 – 156 – 213 – 217 – 258		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	9	1	3	28
S. Bravington	10	2	2	49
R. Breeden	12	0	2	68
P. Croft	10	1	3	71
C. Ayres	4	0	0	18
T. Skate	2	0	0	18

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
W. Naylor	c. P. Mazza b. G. Kingwill	3
C. Ayres	c. B. Kingwill b. M. O'Toole	10
D. Holl	c. B. Kingwill b. J. Malacarne	71
T. Skate	b. W. Kilday	15
W. Skate	c. – b. J. Malacarne	21
S. Byrne	b. S. Battley	120
P. Croft	Run Out	3
D. Bailey	st. B. Kingwill b. P. Mazza	53
R. Breeden	Not Out	10
S. Bravington	LBW. J. Malacarne	7
G. Davine	Not Out	4
Extras		27
		9/346

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. O'Toole	17	2	1	64
G. Kingwill	7	0	1	22
W. Kilday	12	0	1	64
J. Malacarne	15	0	3	66
S. Webster	5	0	0	35
P. Mazza	10	0	1	71
S. Battley	2	0	1	8
B. Kingwill	1	0	0	3
M. Deane	1	0	0	3

Round 10: Garfield-Bunyip def. Western Park by 42 runs (6 – 13/2/88)

Garfield-Bunyip		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
L. McMillan	Run Out	42
W. Tymensen	c. P. Croft b. P. Hughes	109
A. Matthews	b. P. Hughes	55
S. Hopkins	b. C. Ayres	12
P. Monahan	c. W. Skate b. C. Ayres	5
E. Preston	Run Out	1
J. Serong	c. W. Naylor b. C. Ayres	0
N. Kinder	c. P. Croft b. C. Ayres	4
M. Cussen	c. D. Holl b. P. Hughes	1
I. McConnell	c. P. Croft b. C. Ayres	1
P. Heywood	Not Out	1
Extras		24
		265
FOW: 122 – 200 – 230 – 244 – 247 – 248 – 248 – 253 – 253 – 265		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	14	0	0	58
P. Hughes	26	5	3	88
P. Croft	7	0	0	23
W. Naylor	6	0	0	20
T. Skate	2	0	0	17
C. Ayres	16.2	1	5	49

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Ayres	c. P. Monahan b. P. Heywood	1
W. Naylor	b. W. Tymensen	47
S. Byrne	b. I. McConnell	38
D. Holl	c. P. Heywood b. W. Tymensen	11
W. Skate	c. L. McMillan b. A. Matthews	11
P. Croft	b. M. Cussen	70
A. Cusden	b. W. Tymensen	6
P. Hughes	LBW. M. Cussen	8
M. Osmond	c. J. Serong b. M. Cussen	8
Extras		20
		223
FOW: 4 – 66 – 97 – 118 – 136 – 150 – 169 – 207 – 218 – 223		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Heywood	8	2	1	24
J. Serong	17	3	0	36
I. McConnell	9	0	1	38
W. Tymensen	15	3	3	44
A. Matthews	8	0	1	38
M. Cussen	8	1	4	25

From the Gazette: “A top effort by Garfield-Bunyip’s W. Tymensen was the main individual contribution to the side’s 42-run WDCA A-Grade victory over Western Park. Tymensen scored 109 runs and bowled well to take three for 44 from 15 overs to give him three votes. Western’s Park’s P. Croft earned two votes for his fine 70 and three catches. Other main scores for Western Park were notched by opening batsmen W. Naylor (47) and number three S. Byrne (38).”

Round 11: Ellinbank def. Western Park by 221 runs (20–27/2/88)

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Ayres	b. R. Pratt	22
W. Naylor	Run Out	16
R. Ross	c. L. Cutler b. R. Pratt	0
D. Holl	b. J. Pierrehumbert	41
S. Byrne	LBW. M. Jostlear	0
I. Bowman	c. B. Aitken b. J. Pierrehumbert	25
M. Osmond	c. S. Pratt b. J. Phillips	11
G. Purton	c. S. Pratt b. L. Cutler	4
T. Skate	Not Out	8
G. Byers	b. J. Pierrehumbert	0
S. Dunn	b. L. Cutler	1
Extras		12
		140
FOW: 40 – 40 – 50 – 50 – 124 – 124 – 130 – 133 – 135 – 140		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Pratt	9	0	2	31
M. Jostlear	12	2	1	40
B. Aitken	7	0	0	20
L. Cutler	12.2	5	2	17
J. Pierrehumbert	10	3	3	22
J. Phillips	1	0	1	5

Ellinbank		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Masterson	b. S. Byrne	27
B. Robertson	c. W. Naylor b. I. Bowman	93
M. Sharman	Run Out	16
J. Pierrehumbert	b. M. Osmond	161
B. McPhan	st. R. Ross b. T. Skate	27
M. Jostlear	Not Out	5
L. Cutler	c. M. Osmond b. T. Skate	16
Extras		16
		6/361
FOW: 43 – 80 – 242 – 333 – 340 – 361		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Byrne	11	0	1	62
I. Bowman	9	2	1	25
C. Ayres	16	3	0	70
R. Ross	7	0	0	39
W. Naylor	15	3	0	47
T. Skate	5	0	2	37
G. Byers	9	0	0	46
M. Osmond	4	0	1	28

From the Gazette: “**No Surprises in A-Grade** – With only two points separating first from fourth place in the WDCA A-Grade, and third scheduled to play fourth, the season looked set for an exciting finish. In the end there were no surprises, with the first, second, and third-placed teams winning easily and all retaining their places. After hitting a respectable 270 the previous week, the Garfield-Bunyip attack was torn apart by a 358-run onslaught from the Neerim District batsmen. Garfield-Bunyip needed to win the match to improve on its fourth placing. Leading Neerim batsman was P. Gavin who was unbeaten on 106. He was ably support by M. Fusinato (44), S. Clarke (48), P. Fusinato (52), and N. Fawcett (49). The only Garfield-Bunyip bowler to take more than one wicket was opener J. Serong who took two for 78 from only 14 overs...”

Western Park – who a couple of rounds before the end of the season looked to have an outside chance of making the four showed where it belonged – on the outside. After making a paltry 140 runs the previous week, it was crushed by league-leader Ellinbank who scored 361. J. Pierrehumbert who the previous week had been the most effective bowler with 3/22, showed his all-round ability by top-scoring with 161. He was supported by an excellent 93 from opener B. Robertson. Best of the Park bowlers was T. Skate who took 2/37.”

Batting & Bowling Averages

Player	M	I	NO	R	Avg.	50	100	0	HS	Ct/St
<i>S. Byrne</i>	10	10	1	295	32.77	-	1	1	120	5
<i>W. Skate</i>	8	8	2	264	44.00	2	-	-	85*	5
<i>Gr. Edwards</i>	5	5	-	235	47.00	1	1	-	118	1
<i>P. Croft</i>	8	7	1	214	35.66	2	-	-	70	8
<i>D. Holl</i>	7	6	-	187	31.16	2	-	-	71	4
<i>W. Naylor</i>	8	8	-	162	20.25	1	-	-	53	2
<i>A. Ross</i>	5	4	1	152	50.66	1	-	-	84	1
<i>C. Ayres</i>	7	7	-	149	21.29	1	-	-	59	3
<i>I. Bowman</i>	5	3	-	75	25.00	-	-	-	34	6
<i>D. Bailey</i>	1	1	-	53	53.00	1	-	-	53	1
<i>T. Skate</i>	8	5	2	51	17.00	-	-	-	16*	5
<i>M. Gahan</i>	4	4	-	47	11.75	-	-	1	24	-
<i>G. Glen</i>	3	2	-	36	18.00	-	-	1	36	1
<i>R. Ross</i>	7	5	2	30	10.00	-	-	1	13	5/2
<i>S. Bravington</i>	2	2	-	23	11.50	-	-	-	16	1
<i>M. Osmond</i>	2	2	-	19	9.50	-	-	-	11	1
<i>G. Purton</i>	5	3	2	19	19.00	-	-	-	14*	1
<i>N. Byrne</i>	2	2	-	18	9.00	-	-	-	14	3
<i>R. Breeden</i>	5	3	1	13	6.50	-	-	1	10*	1
<i>P. Hughes</i>	1	1	-	8	8.00	-	-	-	8	-
<i>A. Cusden</i>	1	1	-	6	6.00	-	-	-	6	-
<i>G. Davine</i>	2	2	1	4	4.00	-	-	1	4*	-
<i>S. Dunn</i>	1	1	-	1	1.00	-	-	-	1	-
<i>G. Byers</i>	1	1	-	0	0.00	-	-	1	0	-

Player	O	M	R	W	Avg.	S/R	E/R	5	10	BB
<i>S. Byrne</i>	153	13	582	19	30.63	48.31	3.80	-	-	4/38
<i>R. Breeden</i>	64.2	6	236	15	15.73	24.12	3.77	2	-	6/60
<i>P. Croft</i>	78.3	8	317	12	26.41	39.25	4.05	-	-	4/59
<i>G. Purton</i>	44.2	5	179	10	17.90	26.60	4.05	1	-	7/48
<i>I. Bowman</i>	74.4	13	292	8	36.50	56.00	3.92	-	-	3/41
<i>C. Ayres</i>	46.2	4	177	7	25.29	34.75	3.83	1	-	5/49
<i>S. Bravington</i>	18	3	72	4	18.00	27.00	18.00	-	-	2/23
<i>P. Hughes</i>	26	5	88	3	29.33	52.00	3.38	-	-	3/88
<i>T. Skate</i>	10	0	82	2	41.00	30.00	8.20	-	-	2/37
<i>A. Ross</i>	35	2	178	2	89.00	105.00	5.09	-	-	2/78
<i>N. Byrne</i>	3	0	26	1	26.00	18.00	8.66	-	-	1/26
<i>D. Holl</i>	4	0	27	1	27.00	24.00	6.75	-	-	1/6
<i>M. Osmond</i>	4	0	28	1	28.00	24.00	7.00	-	-	1/28
<i>W. Skate</i>	9	0	48	1	48.00	54.00		-	-	1/48
<i>R. Ross</i>	7	0	39	0	-	-		-	-	0/39
<i>G. Byers</i>	9	0	46	0	-	-		-	-	0/46
<i>W. Naylor</i>	21	3	67	0	-	-		-	-	0/20

B-GRADE

Round 1: Western Park def. Ellinbank by 83 runs (3 – 10/10/87)

Western Park				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
D. Purton	b. M. Dixon	21	3	-
R. Breeden	c. K. Lewry b. R. Mihailovic	18	1	-
D. Bailey	b. M. Dixon	4	-	-
P. Croft	Not Out	119	7	3
B. Archer	c. S. Blundell b. R. Mihailovic	7	1	-
J. Accardi	c. Price b. P. Couch	50	4	-
S. Symes	b. P. Couch	7	-	-
G. Minns	b. M. Dixon	5	-	-
S. Commadeur	Not Out	0	-	-
Extras		19		
		7/250		
FOW: 32 – 46 – 51 – 65 – 160 – 171 – 250				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Farthing	11	0	0	35
J. Tyrrell	3	1	0	7
M. Dixon	27	6	3	67
R. Mihailovic	17	9	2	21
S. Blundell	7	0	0	46
P. Couch	7	0	2	24
R. Gallagher	2	0	0	21
S. Notman	2	0	0	18

Ellinbank				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
P. Couch	c. R. Breeden b. P. Croft	19	2	-
M. Dixon	c & b. P. Croft	34	4	-
J. Tyrrell	b. P. Croft	0	-	-
M. Cross	st. B. Archer b. P. Croft	41	6	-
G. Farthing	Run Out	9	1	-
K. Lewry	b. R. Breeden	40	4	1
R. Mihailovic	c. R. Breeden b. S. Symes	6	-	-
S. Blundell	b. R. Breeden	4	-	-
S. Notman	c & b. S. Symes	3	-	-
R. Gallagher	b. S. Symes	1	-	-
T. Nicholas	Not Out	0	-	-
Extras		10		
		167		
FOW: 45 – 45 – 60 – 75 – 121 – 147 – 162 – 165 – 167 – 167				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Breeden	15.1	3	2	38
D. Bailey	6	0	0	36
P. Croft	16	4	4	55
S. Commadeur	6	0	0	23
S. Symes	4	1	3	9

Western Park				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	
S. Dunn	b. G. Farthing	1	-	
S. Commadeur	b. G. Farthing	0	-	
D. Bailey	c. T. Nicholas b. G. Farthing	22	2	
G. Minns	b. G. Farthing	4	-	
S. Symes	b. J. Tyrrell	7	1	
D. Purton	Not Out	15	2	
B. Archer	Not Out	10	-	
Extras		9		
		5/67		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Farthing	8	3	4	23
M. Dixon	8	2	0	18
J. Tyrrell	3	1	1	5
P. Couch	3	1	0	6
M. Cross	1	0	0	7
T. Nicholas	1	0	0	6

Round 2: Buln def. Western Park by 14 runs (17 – 24/10/88)

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
D. Purton	c. D. Pierrehumbert b. G. McDonald	3	-
B. Waters	c & b. K. Pratt	8	-
D. Bailey	b. K. Pratt	4	-
R. Breeden	c. J. Hoare b. G. McDonald	11	1
A. Cusden	c. Black b. K. Pratt	4	-
N. Byrne	LBW. K. Pratt	25	3
J. Accardi	b. G. McDonald	2	-
B. Archer	c. B. Vroegrop b. G. McDonald	12	-
K. Morland	Not Out	12	-
M. Eyles	b. K. Pratt	6	-
J. Laffy	b. K. Pratt	0	-
Extras		13	
		100	

FOW: 5 – 17 – 22 – 31 – 38 – 40 – 68 – 86 – 100 – 100

Bowler	O	M	W	R
K. Pratt	16	6	6	42
G. McDonald	15	3	4	50

Buln			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
J. Hoare	c. N. Byrne b. J. Laffy	4	-
D. Pierrehumbert	c. N. Byrne b. J. Laffy	1	-
K. Pratt	c. K. Morland b. J. Laffy	44	3
J. Rowe	c. B. Archer b. R. Breeden	0	-
B. Vroegrop	c. B. Archer b. J. Laffy	1	-
A. Black	Not Out	23	1
T. Lowther	c. N. Byrne b. J. Laffy	20	1
N. Tyrrell	b. M. Eyles	10	2
C. Taylor	Not Out	1	-
Extras		10	
		7/114	

FOW: 5 – 9 – 10 – 28 – 62 – 100 – 113

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Breeden	10	1	1	37
J. Laffy	15	2	5	40
D. Bailey	5	0	0	19
M. Eyles	3	0	1	13
N. Byrne	2	1	0	1

Round 3: Western Park def Hallora by 31 runs (31/10 – 7/11/87)

Western Park				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
D. Purton	Run Out	3	-	-
B. Waters	c. D. Allen b. S. Milne	19	-	-
D. Bailey	c. G. Bourke b. A. Campbell	0	-	-
R. Breeden	c. D. Allen b. S. Milne	2	-	-
N. Byrne	c. M. Wardle b. A. Smethurst	18	-	-
C. Ayres	b. S. Milne	23	2	1
B. Archer	Not Out	17	-	-
K. Morland	c. G. Bourke b. B. McDonald	0	-	-
M. Eyles	c. G. Bourke b. S. Milne	4	-	-
J. Laffy	b. S. Milne	45	3	1
D. Davine	c & b. B. McDonald	6	-	-
Extras		29		
		166		
FOW: 3 – 3 – 14 – 53 – 82 – 84 – 85 – 96 – 157 – 166				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Campbell	8	2	1	9
B. McDonald	15.3	4	2	26
S. Milne	18	7	5	34
N. Styles	4	0	0	12
D. Allen	3	1	0	5
A. Smethurst	7	1	1	37
T. Youngman	4	0	0	16

Hallora				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	
A. Smethurst	c. B. Archer b. R. Breeden	0	-	
M. Wardle	c. B. Archer b. R. Breeden	20	1	
D. Allen	c. D. Davine b. K. Morland	14	-	
G. Bourke	b. C. Ayres	32	2	
B. McDonald	b. M. Eyles	13	1	
P. Frangos	c. B. Archer b. J. Laffy	13	-	
N. Pratt	LBW. C. Ayres	3	-	
N. Styles	c. D. Purton b. C. Ayres	3	-	
S. Milne	c. M. Eyles b. C. Ayres	20	3	
T. Youngman	c. B. Archer b. J. Laffy	2	-	
A. Campbell	Not Out	0	-	
Extras		15		
		135		
FOW: 0 – 29 – 43 – 70 – 92 – 101 – 110 – 112 – 135 – 135				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Breeden	12	4	2	21
J. Laffy	15.3	0	2	33
M. Eyles	13	3	1	28
K. Morland	5	0	1	16
C. Ayres	12	4	4	32

Round 4: Western Park def Warragul by 121 runs (14–21/11/87)

Warragul				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	
R. Parsonage	c. Morland b. R. Breeden	2	-	
D. Hendrikse	Run Out	4	-	
J. Wenzel	c. Bailey b. J. Laffy	8	-	
A. Best	c. Laffy b. M. Eyles	21	-	
P. Lyon	b. R. Breeden	18	1	
J. Mason	c. B. Archer b. S. Bravington	12	1	
V. Gleeson	c. B. Archer b. M. Eyles	1	-	
C. Weitering	b. S. Bravington	3	-	
J. Nisbet	Not Out	0	-	
Extras		16		
		85		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Breeden	11	2	2	27
J. Laffy	7	0	1	17
M. Eyles	4.3	0	2	13
S. Bravington	8	1	2	19

Western Park				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	
B. Waters	b. J. Nisbet	7	-	
S. Bravington	c. M. Dixon b. J. Nisbet	4	-	
M. Gahan	b. M. Dixon	1	-	
N. Byrne	c. R. Parsonage b. V. Gleeson	23	1	
R. Breeden	st. J. Wenzel b. J. Mason	13	-	
D. Bailey	c. Hogan b. J. Mason	43	5	
G. Davine	c. A. Best b. J. Mason	10	-	
J. Laffy	c. A. Best b. J. Mason	32	5	
K. Morland	Not Out	28	-	
B. Archer	c. Hogan b. J. Mason	10	1	
M. Eyles	c. V. Gleeson b. J. Nisbet	16	-	
Extras		19		
		206		
FOW: 12 – 13 – 19 – 52 – 72 – 88 – 135 – 154 – 172 – 206				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Dixon	17	3	1	43
J. Nisbet	17.5	3	3	42
V. Gleeson	8	2	1	12
J. Mason	24	4	5	79
P. Lyon	5	1	0	19

Warragul					
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's	
D. Hendrikse	b. M. Eyles	28	1	-	
P. Lyon	c. N. Byrne b. J. Laffy	1	-	-	
J. Wenzel	b. D. Bailey	31	1	1	
A. Best	st. N. Byrne b. B. Archer	23	-	-	
R. Parsonage	Not Out	14	-	-	
J. Mason	c. K. Morland b. B. Archer	4	-	-	
C. Weitering	st. N. Byrne b. G. Davine	0	-	-	
M. Dixon	st. N. Byrne b. G. Davine	12	1	-	
Extras		13			
		7/132			
FOW: 7 – 50 – 75 – 107 – 115 – 116 – 132					

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Breeden	3	0	0	17
J. Laffy	7	0	1	24
M. Eyles	8	1	1	33
D. Bailey	7	2	1	13
B. Archer	7	0	2	20
G. Davine	5	0	2	19

Round 5: Longwarry def. Western Park by 5 runs (28/11 – 5/12/87)

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
B. Waters	Ret.	28	2
G. Glen	c. P. Molan b. R. Thomas	18	-
J. Laffy	c. S. Cook b. I. Peterson	26	-
D. Bailey	c. S. Flynn b. R. Thomas	23	-
K. Morland	Not Out	22	-
B. Archer	c. E. Meggetto b. I. Peterson	0	-
M. Eyles	b. I. Peterson	2	-
M. Spencer	st. E. Meggetto b. R. Thomas	0	-
G. Minns	b. I. Peterson	0	-
Extras		11	
		128	
FOW: 45 – 50 – 96 – 110 – 110 – 114 – 119 – 128			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
B. Ross	9	2	0	21
I. Peterson	16.4	2	4	44
R. Thomas	17	2	3	42
P. Molan	6	1	0	15

Longwarry			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
G. Rumble	c. G. Glen b. M. Eyles	16	-
E. Meggetto	c. B. Archer b. M. Eyles	14	-
L. Coster	c. B. Archer b. M. Eyles	2	-
R. Thomas	b. M. Eyles	31	-
S. Flynn	b. J. Laffy	11	-
I. Peterson	c. G. Glen b. B. Archer	2	-
S. Cook	st. D. Bailey b. B. Archer	0	-
B. Ross	c & b. B. Archer	5	-
S. Lieshout	Run Out	25	-
P. Molan	Not Out	6	-
G. Pask	Run Out	0	-
Extras		21	
		133	
FOW: 31 – 33 – 44 – 66 – 69 – 79 – 89 – 126 – 129 – 133			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
J. Laffy	23	4	1	39
M. Eyles	19.4	6	4	44
D. Bailey	2	1	0	2
G. Glen	1	1	0	0
B. Archer	18	3	3	28

Round 6: Yarragon def. Western Park by 27 runs (12 – 19/12/87)

Yarragon				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
C. Pharaoh	c. B. Archer b P. Hughes	12	1	-
M. Derrick	b. J. Laffy	4	1	-
L. Marston	c. M. Eyles b. P. Hughes	5	-	-
G. Lake	b. P. Hughes	0	-	-
N. Asmussen	b. J. Laffy	11	-	-
G. Clancy	c. J. Laffy b. R. Weiderman	39	5	-
P. Kilday	c. K. Morland b. J. Laffy	8	2	-
P. Mazza	c. G. Krygger b. J. Laffy	56	8	1
C. White	c. P. Hughes b. B. Archer	1	-	-
B. Riddle	LBW. J. Laffy	9	1	-
A. Green	Not Out	13	2	-
Extras		16		
		174		
FOW: 12 – 20 – 24 – 27 – 83 – 107 – 125 – 161 – 174				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
J. Laffy	18.5	5	5	36
P. Hughes	18	5	3	44
M. Eyles	9	3	0	22
R. Weiderman	6	1	1	25
B. Archer	7	1	1	32
A. Cusden	1	0	0	8

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
B. Waters	c. G. Clancy b. C. Pharaoh	10	1
B. Archer	c. P. Mazza b. C. Pharaoh	24	2
G. Glen	b. C. Pharaoh	4	-
J. Laffy	b. P. Mazza	59	9
D. Bailey	c. C. White b. L. Marston	4	1
K. Morland	c & b. P. Mazza	15	3
A. Cusden	Not Out	17	3
R. Weiderman	Run Out	0	-
M. Eyles	c. G. Clancy b. M. Derrick	2	-
P. Hughes	c. G. Clancy b. M. Derrick	0	-
Extras		12	
		147	

FOW: 18 – 31 – 68 – 77 – 117 – 140 – 143 – 147 – 147

Bowler	O	M	W	R
C. Pharaoh	11	1	3	26
L. Marston	13	1	1	74
P. Mazza	5	0	2	30
M. Derrick	5.4	2	2	10

Round 7: Western Park def. Nilma Dusties by 172 runs (9/1/88)

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
B. Waters	Run Out	33	1
J. Laffy	c & b. S. Craven	20	3
D. Bailey	c. M. Christie b. S. Craven	25	1
K. Morland	b. S. Craven	3	-
B. Archer	Ret. Hurt	67	10
R. Weiderman	st. M. Christie b. B. Gleeson	26	2
G. Davine	b. M. Ridgway	18	3
M. Eyles	b. M. Ridgway	0	-
S. Commadeur	Not Out	15	2
M. Spencer	Not Out	5	-
Extras		12	
		7/224	

FOW: 23 – 72 – 110 – 186 – 206 – 207

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Ridgway	12	0	2	75
S. Craven	11	0	3	55
G. Kneebone	8	0	0	50
B. Gleeson	3	0	1	29

Nilma Dusties			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
G. Kneebone	b. P. Hughes	21	2
M. Gargan	Ret. Hurt	0	-
M. Ridgway	c. P. Hughes b. J. Laffy	4	-
B. Gleeson	c. M. Eyles b. P. Hughes	7	-
M. Christie	c. M. Eyles b. P. Hughes	1	-
S. Craven	Run Out	6	-
D. Collis	c. B. Archer b. P. Hughes	0	-
S. Miller	c. J. Laffy b. D. Bailey	0	-
C. Ziebell	Not Out	0	-
Extras		13	
		52	

Bowler	O	M	W	R
J. Laffy	7	3	1	15
P. Hughes	8	1	4	27
D. Bailey	1.2	0	1	6



Paul Hughes appears to have a peculiar bowling action as he sends one down in a B grade match for Western Park against Nilma Dusties. Despite the action, he had the excellent results of four for 27.



Checking the score sheet in the match between Nilma Dusties and Western Park in B grade are (from left): Matt Ridgway, Rod Gallagher, Peter Wind, Simon Commadeur and Billy Archer.

Round 8: Western Park def. Jindivick by 11 runs (16/1/88)

<i>Jindivick</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
K. Powell	c & b. M. Eyles	7	1	-
D. Bagnall	c & b. M. Eyles	14	2	-
I. Norman	b. P. Hughes	5	-	-
D. Hardy	c. B. Archer b. M. Eyles	22	2	-
B. Mason	Run Out	22	-	-
M. Ward	Run Out	24	1	1
C. Hardy	b. M. Eyles	7	-	-
W. Petschack	Not Out	20	3	-
N. Mason	Hitting the Ball Twice (Interference)	6	-	-
D. Burridge	Not Out	5	-	-
Extras		21		
		8/155		
FOW: 33 – 34 – 43 – 78 – 95 – 114 – 118 – 140				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
J. Laffy	9	0	0	50
P. Hughes	10	2	1	23
M. Eyles	17	3	4	72

<i>Western Park</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
J. Laffy	c. K. Powell b. N. Mason	57	7	1
B. Waters	b. B. Mason	3	-	-
D. Bailey	c. N. Mason b. M. Ward	27	2	-
G. Glen	Not Out	29	2	-
B. Archer	c. W. Petschack b. K. Powell	38	3	1
Extras		15		
		4/166		
FOW: 21 – 90 – 100 – 166				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
D. Bagnall	9	1	0	29
B. Mason	5	0	1	27
D. Burridge	2	0	0	21
M. Ward	8	1	1	34
N. Mason	4	0	1	24
K. Powell	3	0	1	21

Round 9: Western Park def. Neerim District by 122 runs (23-30/1/88)

<i>Neerim District</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
S. Litaize	c & b. M. Eyles	14	-	-
N. Olsson	b. J. Laffy	39	3	-
D. Sheehan	b. J. Laffy	17	-	-
G. Pinkerton	c. S. Baker b. J. Laffy	33	4	-
D. Wagner	c. J. Laffy b. I. Bowman	15	1	-
G. Bayne	c. B. Archer b. I. Bowman	0	-	-
M. Talbot	b. I. Bowman	6	1	-
M. Bayne	c. M. Gahan b. I. Bowman	12	2	-
R. Sutton	b. M. Eyles	11	2	-
M. Whitford	Not Out	4	-	-
J. Cumming	c. M. Gahan b. I. Bowman	0	-	-
Extras		17		
		168		
FOW: 49 – 78 – 91 – 131 – 131 – 139 – 153 – 165 – 168				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Bowman	12.5	3	5	44
J. Laffy	16	0	3	59
M. Eyles	13	1	2	27
R. Weiderman	3	0	0	17
N. Byrne	3	0	0	13

<i>Western Park</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	6's
J. Laffy	b. D. Sheehan	82	14	-
B. Waters	c. – b. D. Sheehan	8	1	-
G. Glen	c. – b. M. Bayne	74	6	1
N. Byrne	c. N. Olsson b. D. Sheehan	0	-	-
B. Archer	c. R. Sutton b. D. Sheehan	24	4	-
M. Gahan	c. M. Bayne b. D. Wagner	70	11	1
R. Weideman	b. M. Whitford	14	2	-
K. Morland	Run Out	6	1	-
M. Eyles	Not Out	0	-	-
S. Baker	Run Out	0	-	-
I. Bowman	Abs.			
Extras		12		
		290		
FOW: 81 – 94 – 94 – 142 – 255 – 285 – 290 – 290 – 290				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Bayne	8	0	1	61
G. Bayne	13	3	0	54
D. Sheehan	12	1	4	52
M. Talbot	6	1	0	16
N. Olsson	4	0	0	29
D. Wagner	4	0	1	33
R. Sutton	2	0	0	24
M. Whitford	2	1	1	10
J. Cumming	0.4	0	0	0

Round 10: Western Park def. Garfield-Bunyip by 6 runs (6–13/2/88)

<i>Garfield-Bunyip</i>				
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's	
G. Begg	c. B. Archer b. R. Breeden	0	-	
Art. Begg	b. I. Bowman	2	-	
K. Halvy	b. M. Eyles	25	-	
M. Reilly	Not Out	94	2	
W. Jackson	Run Out	3	-	
D. Light	c. B. Archer b. M. Gahan	0	-	
S. Begg	b. M. Gahan	3	-	
M. Payne	c. B. Archer b. M. Gahan	5	-	
G. Payne	c. N. Byrne b. I. Bowman	16	1	
D. Cole	b. I. Bowman	2	-	
S. Taylor	Run Out	6	-	
Extras		18		
		175		
FOW: 2 – 2 – 69 – 78 – 82 – 96 – 111 – 148 – 153 – 175				

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Bowman	19	2	3	57
R. Breeden	11	2	1	18
J. Laffy	11.3	1	0	29
M. Eyles	9	1	1	22
M. Gahan	9	1	3	23
S. Kinder	4	0	0	22

<i>Western Park</i>			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
N. Byrne	c & b. S. Taylor	0	-
J. Laffy	c. D. Light b. D. Cole	10	1
D. Bailey	b. G. Payne	18	1
G. Glen	b. S. Begg	24	-
K. Morland	c. W. Jackson b. G. Payne	25	2
M. Gahan	c. M. Payne b. G. Payne	14	2
B. Archer	c. S. Taylor b. G. Begg	42	3
I. Bowman	c. G. Payne b. S. Begg	5	1
R. Breeden	c & b. S. Begg	16	2
M. Eyles	c. D. Cole b. S. Begg	7	1
S. Kinder	Not Out	2	-
Extras		18	
		181	
FOW: 10 – 13 – 41 – 83 – 101 – 105 – 116 – 146 – 166 – 181			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
D. Cole	7	0	1	21
G. Payne	14	2	3	38
S. Taylor	19	6	1	31
M. Payne	4	0	0	17
S. Begg	16	1	4	52
M. Reilly	5	3	0	6
G. Begg	0.1	0	1	0



Round 11: Darnum def. Western Park by 8 runs (20-27/2/88)

Western Park			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
J. Laffy	c. R. Barnes b. L. Pitt	1	-
N. Byrne	c. J. Kaljouw b. M. Roberts	10	1
P. Croft	c. L. Pitt b. A. Fennell	23	4
K. Morland	c & b. M. Roberts	1	-
G. Glen	c. E. Dessent b. M. Roberts	36	4
B. Archer	c. L. Pitt b. S. Price	3	-
M. Gahan	b. M. Roberts	73	9
R. Breeden	Run Out	8	-
M. Eyles	b. L. Pitt	4	-
P. Hughes	Run Out	0	-
S. Kinder	Not Out	1	-
Extras		55	
		214	
FOW: 1 – 41 – 42 – 53 – 70 – 128 – 160 – 204 – 206 – 214			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Fennell	27	6	1	64
L. Pitt	12	1	2	39
M. Roberts	22.2	6	4	54
S. Price	4	0	1	20
R. Barnes	3	0	0	11

Darnum			
Batsmen	How Out	Runs	4's
R. Barnes	b. P. Hughes	9	-
E. Dessent	c. B. Archer b. P. Croft	59	9
T. Lindsey	c. K. Morland b. M. Gahan	7	1
N. Robertson	c. B. Archer b. M. Eyles	60	2
L. Pitt	c. B. Archer b. P. Croft	7	1
M. Roberts	st. B. Archer b. P. Croft	3	-
A. Fennell	c. P. Hughes b. P. Croft	35	4
S. Price	b. M. Eyles	1	-
K. Heenan	c. M. Gahan b. P. Croft	2	-
J. Kaljouw	Not Out	7	-
J. Watson	Not Out	8	1
Extras		24	
		9/222	
FOW: 13 – 29 – 122 – 139 – 143 – 197 – 199 – 204 – 207			

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Hughes	9	2	1	18
M. Gahan	6	0	1	15
R. Breeden	7	0	0	31
J. Laffy	17	5	0	48
P. Croft	23	1	5	70
M. Eyles	8	2	2	18

From the Gazette: “Fifth-placed Darnum won its WDCA B-Grade match against third-placed Western Park by only eight runs, but it was enough to replace the Parkers in the four. The Parkers were always in trouble when they scored only 214 in the first half of the round. Darnum got off to a bad start, losing its first two wickets for 29 before opener E. Dessent (59) and N. Robertson (60) put on a 93-run partnership which turned the match around. The only other substantial contribution was a 35 from A. Fennell with the other batsmen failing to make more than single figures. P. Croft with 5 for 77 from 23 overs was by far the best of the Western Park bowlers while M. Eyles took two for 18 from eight overs.”

Batting & Bowling Averages

Player	M	I	NO	R	Avg.	50	100	0	HS	Ct/St
<i>J. Laffy</i>	10	10	-	326	32.60	3	-	1	82	4
<i>B. Archer</i>	11	12	3	254	28.22	1	-	1	67*	22/2
<i>G. Glen</i>	6	6	1	185	37.00	1	-	-	74	2
<i>D. Bailey</i>	9	10	-	170	17.00	-	-	1	43	1/1
<i>M. Gahan</i>	4	4	-	158	39.50	2	-	-	73	3
<i>P. Croft</i>	2	2	1	142	142.00	-	1	-	119*	2
<i>B. Waters</i>	8	8	-	116	14.50	-	-	-	33	-
<i>K. Morland</i>	9	9	3	112	18.66	-	-	1	28*	5
<i>N. Byrne</i>	6	6	-	76	12.66	-	-	2	25	5/3
<i>R. Breeden</i>	6	6	-	68	11.33	-	-	-	18	1
<i>J. Accardi</i>	2	2	-	52	26.00	1	-	-	50	-
<i>D. Purton</i>	3	4	1	43	14.33	-	-	-	21	1
<i>M. Eyles</i>	10	9	1	41	5.12	-	-	1	16	7
<i>R. Weiderman</i>	3	3	-	40	13.33	-	-	1	26	-
<i>G. Davine</i>	3	2	-	28	14.00	-	-	-	18	-
<i>C. Ayres</i>	1	1	-	23	23.00	-	-	-	23	-
<i>A. Cusden</i>	2	2	1	21	21.00	-	-	-	17*	-
<i>S. Commadeur</i>	2	3	2	15	15.00	-	-	1	15*	-
<i>S. Symes</i>	1	2	-	14	7.00	-	-	-	7	1
<i>G. Minns</i>	2	3	-	9	3.00	-	-	1	5	-
<i>D. Davine</i>	1	1	-	6	6.00	-	-	-	6	1
<i>M. Spencer</i>	2	2	1	5	5.00	-	-	1	5*	-
<i>I. Bowman</i>	2	1	-	5	5.00	-	-	-	5	-
<i>S. Bravington</i>	1	1	-	4	4.00	-	-	-	4	-
<i>S. Kinder</i>	2	2	2	3	-	-	-	-	2*	-
<i>S. Dunn</i>	1	1	-	1	1.00	-	-	-	1	-
<i>S. Baker</i>	1	1	-	0	0.00	-	-	-	0	1
<i>P. Hughes</i>	3	2	-	0	0.00	-	-	2	0	3
<i>B. Garner</i>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>G. Krygger</i>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<i>S. Byrne</i>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Player	O	M	R	W	Avg.	SR	E/R	5	10	BB
<i>J. Laffy</i>	146.3	20	390	19	20.53	46.26	2.67	2	-	5/36
<i>M. Eyles</i>	104.1	20	292	18	16.22	34.72	2.80	-	-	4/44
<i>P. Hughes</i>	45	10	112	9	12.44	30.00	2.48	-	-	4/27
<i>P. Croft</i>	39	5	125	9	13.88	26.00	3.20	1	-	5/70
<i>I. Bowman</i>	31.5	5	101	8	12.62	23.87	3.21	1	-	5/44
<i>R. Breeden</i>	69.1	12	179	8	22.37	51.87	2.59	-	-	2/21
<i>B. Archer</i>	32	4	80	6	13.33	32.00	2.50	-	-	3/28
<i>C. Ayres</i>	12	4	32	4	8.00	24.00	2.66	-	-	4/32
<i>M. Gahan</i>	15	1	38	4	9.50	22.50	2.53	-	-	3/23
<i>S. Symes</i>	4	1	9	3	3.00	8.00	2.25	-	-	3/9
<i>S. Bravington</i>	8	1	19	2	9.50	24.00	2.37	-	-	2/19
<i>G. Davine</i>	5	0	19	2	9.50	15.00	3.80	-	-	2/19
<i>D. Bailey</i>	21.2	3	76	2	38.00	64.00	3.59	-	-	1/6
<i>K. Morland</i>	5	0	16	1	16.00	30.00	3.20	-	-	1/16
<i>R. Weiderman</i>	9	1	42	1	42.00	54.00	4.66	-	-	1/25
<i>G. Glen</i>	1	1	0	0	-	-	0.00	-	-	0/0
<i>A. Cusden</i>	1	0	8	0	-	-	8.00	-	-	0/8
<i>N. Byrne</i>	5	1	14	0	-	-	2.80	-	-	0/1
<i>S. Kinder</i>	4	0	22	0	-	-	5.50	-	-	0/22
<i>S. Commadeur</i>	6	0	23	0	-	-	3.83	-	-	0/23

C-GRADE

Round 1: Drouin def. Western Park by 121 runs

<i>Drouin</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
Paul Wyatt	c & b. I. Clark	60
M. Carmody	c & b. R. Penna	26
M. Surman	c & b. P. Barson	4
M. Bradshaw	b. B. Taylor	209
M. Leighton	b. I. Clark	0
C. Hickford	c & b. B. Taylor	28
N. Wyatt	b. B. Taylor	1
D. Evans	b. B. Taylor	1
R. Nolentini	Not Out	4
R. Fairlie	b. W. McMartin	3
S. Ward	c & b. B. Taylor	1
Extras		16
		352
FOW: 39 – 45 – 203 – 205 – 207 – 287 – 310 – 327 – 345 – 351 – 352		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	9	1	2	51
B. Taylor	11.3	0	5	56
R. Penna	13	2	1	64
P. Barson	17	1	1	71
B. Lemon	11	0	0	93
P. Graham	1	0	0	15
W. McMartin	2	0	1	4

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	b. M. Bradshaw	22
J. Bradley	c. N. Wyatt b. C. Hickford	0
M. Gahan	c. N. Wyatt b. S. Ward	39
W. McMartin	c. M. Carmody b. S. Ward	8
P. Graham	b. M. Bradshaw	0
B. Taylor	c. Bourke b. D. Evans	37
P. Barson	b. D. Evans	29
B. Lemon	LBW. C. Hickford	52
I. Clark	c. M. Carmody b. C. Hickford	12
R. Penna	Not Out	6
D. Boyer	c. S. Ward b. P. Wyatt	8
Extras		15
		231
FOW: 2 – 65 – 67 – 67 – 111 – 119 – 180 – 208 – 216 – 231		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
C. Hickford	11	3	3	28
M. Bradshaw	14	3	2	38
S. Ward	15	2	2	66
M. Surman	4	0	0	21
D. Evans	9	0	2	43
M. Carmody	3	1	0	15
P. Wyatt	2	0	1	5

Round 2: Western Park def. Buln by 34 runs

Buln		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
J. Stuckey	Run Out	24
M. O' Neill	b. P. Hughes	2
P. McDonald	c. A. Cusden b. P. Hughes	0
P. Black	c. A. Donnellon b. B. Donnellon	12
A. Grant	b. M. Spencer	3
J. Rasmussen	c. C. Guerts b. B. Donnellon	6
G. McIntosh	c. A. Donnellon b. P. Hughes	13
J. Cornwall	LBW. A. Cusden	0
M. Cox	Not Out	10
J. McIntosh	c. B. Donnellon b. M. Spencer	14
P. Dawson	c. J. Donnellon b. M. Spencer	2
Extras		20
		103
FOW: 4 – 4 – 36 – 39 – 46 – 68 – 73 – 75 – 89 – 103		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Cusden	12	1	1	28
P. Hughes	14	6	3	12
M. Spencer	12	2	3	31
B. Donnellon	7	1	2	22

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Cusden	Run Out	76
J. Donnellon	c. P. Dawson b. A. Grant	2
J. Accardi	b. J. Rasmussen	15
P. Hughes	c. M. O' Neill b. J. Rasmussen	3
C. Guerts	b. J. Rasmussen	2
A. Donnellon	b. J. McIntosh	19
S. Baker	b. M. Cox	2
M. Spencer	c. P. McDonald b. J. McIntosh	2
S. Kinder	Not Out	0
Extras		16
		8/137 dec.
FOW: 8 – 58 – 76 – 87 – 127 – 133 – 137 – 137		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Grant	9	0	1	44
M. O'Neill	4	0	0	15
J. Rasmussen	10	1	3	38
J. Cornwall	2	0	0	4
J. McIntosh	4	0	2	7
M. Cox	6	1	2	20

Buln		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. O' Neill	c. A. Donnellon b. A. Cusden	2
A. Grant	c. P. Hughes b. M. Spencer	12
P. Black	c. A. Donnellon b. A. Cusden	7
P. McDonald	b. P. Hughes	60
J. Rasmussen	c. A. Cusden b. S. Baker	15
J. McIntosh	b. S. Baker	5
J. Cornwall	Not Out	11
G. McIntosh	Not Out	4
Extras		27
		6/143
FOW: 5 – 19 – 57 – 119 – 119 – 125		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Cusden	6	1	1	11
P. Hughes	10	3	1	16
J. Donnellon	2	0	0	14
J. Accardi	2	0	0	5
C. Guerts	2	0	0	13
M. Spencer	3	1	1	12
G. Minns	2	0	0	19
S. Kinder	1	0	0	14
S. Baker	4	0	2	24

Round 3: Hallora def. Western Park by 82 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Osmond	c & b. S. Milne	20
A. Cusden	b. N. Styles	10
P. Hughes	b. S. Milne	4
R. Weiderman	b. N. Styles	10
J. Accardi	c. R. Cameron b. S. Milne	11
J. Donnellon	b. S. Milne	0
G. Minns	c & b. S. Brooks	5
C. Guerts	b. S. Brooks	1
A. Donnellon	c & b. S. Brooks	2
M. Spencer	Not Out	3
S. Dunn	LBW. R. Cameron	1
Extras		19
		86
FOW: 13 – 20 – 38 – 57 – 57 – 71 – 73 – 76 – 85 – 86		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Styles	9	0	2	32
S. Brooks	4	1	3	6
S. Milne	12	4	4	36
R. Cameron	1.4	0	1	4

Hallora		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
B. Youngman	c. G. Minns b. R. Weiderman	16
P. Frangos	c. A. Donnellon b. A. Cusden	3
K. Ross	Not Out	44
N. Styles	c. P. Hughes b. R. Weiderman	18
T. Youngman	Run Out	6
S. Milne	c & b. R. Weiderman	6
D. Wright	c. C. Guerts b. R. Weiderman	3
S. Brooks	b. P. Hughes	35
T. Philips	b. R. Weiderman	2
R. Cameron	b. P. Hughes	15
K. McDonald	b. R. Weiderman	3
Extras		7
		168
FOW: 30 – 32 – 52 – 73 – 80 – 92 – 136 – 141 – 164 – 168		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Hughes	16	3	2	37
A. Cusden	6	2	1	12
R. Weiderman	20	1	6	91
M. Spencer	3	1	0	2
J. Donnellon	4	0	0	19

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Osmond	c. T. Phillips b. S. Milne	8
A. Cusden	c & b. S. Brooks	26
R. Weiderman	st. D. Wright b. B. Youngman	61
P. Hughes	b. S. Milne	5
J. Donnellon	b. S. Milne	4
J. Accardi	LBW. S. Milne	6
M. Spencer	b. S. Milne	3
G. Minns	b. P. Frangos	3
C. Guerts	st. T. Phillips b. T. Youngman	41
A. Donnellon	Not Out	18
S. Dunn	b. P. Frangos	8
Extras		10
		205
FOW: 35 – 40 – 51 – 62 – 74 – 87 – 101 – 166 – 185 – 205		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Milne	14	2	5	38
S. Brooks	10	0	2	38
T. Youngman	2	0	1	14
R. Cameron	7	1	0	22
P. Frangos	5	0	2	21
K. Ross	3	0	0	13
K. McDonald	2	0	0	21
B. Youngman	1	0	1	11
D. Wright	1	0	0	7

From the Gazette: “**WDCA Has New Draw In C-Grade** – The WDCA has made a new C-Grade draw to cover the withdrawal of two teams. Points won so far stand with six points compensation for those teams drawn to play the forfeit teams. Averages and votes also stand. Here is the new draw:

Round 5 (Nov. 28 – Dec. 5) – Hallora vs. Trafalgar, Buln vs. Drouin, Western Park vs. Darnum.

Round 6 (Dec. 12 – 19) – Trafalgar vs. Western Park, Buln vs. Darnum, Drouin vs. Hallora.

Round 7 (Jan. 9) – Western Park vs. Drouin, Trafalgar vs. Buln, Darnum vs. Hallora.

Round 8 (Jan. 16) – Darnum vs. Trafalgar, Hallora vs. Drouin, Western Park vs. Buln.

Round 9 (Jan. 23 – 30) – Drouin vs. Western Park, Trafalgar vs. Darnum, Hallora vs. Buln

Round 10 (Feb. 6 – 13) – Buln vs. Western Park, Darnum vs. Drouin, Hallora vs. Trafalgar.

Round 11 (Feb. 20 – 27) – Western Park vs. Hallora, Buln vs. Darnum, Trafalgar vs. Drouin.”

Round 5: Western Park def. Darnum Outright by 10 Wickets

<i>Darnum</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
P. Dessent	c. A. Donnellon b. P. Hughes	13
S. Tyson	c. J. Accardi b. P. Hughes	4
L. Pitt	b. A. Cusden	1
S. Beasley	c. A. Donnellon b. P. Hughes	4
J. Majcherzak	b. G. Byers	12
R. Coster	b. P. Hughes	1
K. Heenan	Not Out	7
G. Price	c & b. G. Byers	0
R. Lindsay	b. G. Byers	0
D. Kelly	Run Out	0
T. Shatwell	b. G. Byers	0
Extras		19
		61
FOW: 15 – 21 – 29 – 52 – 53 – 54 – 54 – 54 – 55 – 61		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Hughes	15	5	4	22
A. Cusden	11	2	1	25
G. Byers	3.2	1	4	2

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Cusden	c. P. Dessent b. L. Pitt	1
D. Purton	c. R. Coster b. L. Pitt	26
J. Accardi	c. J. Majcherzak b. R. Lindsay	1
G. Byers	b. R. Lindsay	1
B. Donnellon	LBW. L. Pitt	1
P. Hughes	c. J. Majcherzak b. R. Lindsay	11
J. Donnellon	st. P. Dessent b. J. Majcherzak	11
A. Donnellon	Run Out	40
D. Wright	b. R. Lindsay	11
S. Dunn	LBW. R. Lindsay	0
C. Guerts	Not Out	4
Extras		18
		123
FOW: 3 – 14 – 20 – 21 – 42 – 54 – 77 – 111 – 123 – 123		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Lindsay	15	1	5	36
L. Pitt	20	3	3	34
J. Majcherzak	18	2	1	43

Darnum		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
L. Pitt	b. P. Hughes	33
P. Dessent	c. A. Cusden b. J. Donnellon	6
S. Beasley	st. A. Cusden b. J. Accardi	5
J. Majcherzak	b. P. Hughes	5
K. Heenan	c. C. Guerts b. J. Donnellon	10
R. Coster	c. P. Hughes b. G. Byers	2
R. Lindsay	Not Out	0
D. Kelly	b. P. Hughes	3
T. Shatwell	Abs.	
S. Tyson	Abs.	
G. Price	Abs.	
Extras		7
		71
FOW: 21 – 28 – 43 – 58 – 68 – 71 – 71		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Hughes	14	2	3	29
G. Byers	8.3	2	1	13
J. Donnellon	8	0	2	34
J. Accardi	2	0	1	4

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Cusden	Not Out	5
D. Purton	Not Out	5
Extras		2
		0/12

Bowler	O	M	W	R
L. Pitt	2	0	0	3
R. Lindsay	2	0	0	7

Round 6: Western Park def. Trafalgar by 115 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
D. Purton	c. I. Cocksedge b. P. Coombes	9
N. Waters	c. J. Asmussen b. P. Coombes	39
J. Accardi	c. J. Malady b. P. Coombes	19
J. Donnellon	b. I. Cocksedge	27
C. Guerts	c. A. Vanyai b. P. Coombes	3
B. Donnellon	b. D. Hill	72
G. Byers	c. J. Asmussen b. I. Cocksedge	4
A. Donnellon	c. J. Malady b. I. Cocksedge	0
G. Minns	Not Out	19
M. Spencer	c. P. Kitch b. P. Coombes	4
S. Kinder	c. J. Malady b. D. Hill	1
Extras		24
		221
FOW: 10 – 67 – 85 – 91 – 166 – 177 – 177 – 205 – 210 – 221		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Coombes	22	3	5	57
I. Cocksedge	16	0	3	77
J. Asmussen	11	2	0	40
C. Chaproniere	10	0	0	35
D. Hill	10	4	2	8

Trafalgar		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Cocksedge	c. J. Accardi b. N. Waters	0
J. Asmussen	Run Out	15
D. Hill	b. N. Waters	0
D. Wallace	b. N. Waters	19
C. Chaproniere	LBW. M. Spencer	2
P. Kitch	b. N. Waters	11
A. McDonald	c. A. Donnellon b. B. Donnellon	7
P. Coombes	Not Out	26
J. Malady	b. B. Donnellon	4
W. Claridge	c. A. Donnellon b. J. Accardi	7
A. Vanyai	b. B. Donnellon	2
Extras		13
		106

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Waters	15	4	4	30
M. Spencer	10	3	1	22
B. Donnellon	11.3	0	3	32
C. Guerts	2	0	0	6
J. Accardi	5	0	1	10

Round 7: Western Park def. Drouin by 79 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Waters	Run Out	6
A. Cusden	b. A. Mussared	42
S. Bravington	LBW. D. Evans	14
D. Purton	c. D. Evans b. A. Mussared	2
B. Donnellon	c. N. Wyatt b. D. Evans	29
J. Accardi	LBW. A. Mussared	1
J. Donnellon	c. M. Bradshaw b. D. Evans	30
G. Purton	b. D. Evans	5
G. Minns	c. W. Hoogenwerf b. A. Mussared	13
A. Donnellon	Not Out	3
S. Baker	Not Out	0
Extras		18
		9/163
FOW: 34 – 53 – 58 – 76 – 77 – 120 – 132 – 153 – 160		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Bradshaw	7	0	0	35
W. Hoogenwerf	3	0	0	25
A. Mussared	14	2	4	49
D. Evans	11	1	4	41

<i>Drouin</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
J. Piner	b. N. Waters	8
A. Radcliffe	c. S. Baker b. G. Purton	30
M. Bradshaw	c. A. Donnellon b. S. Bravington	5
N. Wyatt	b. S. Bravington	11
W. Hoogenwerf	c. D. Purton b. G. Purton	1
P. Finnegan	c. A. Cusden b. G. Purton	1
A. Mussared	c. J. Donnellon b. S. Bravington	10
D. Evans	b. G. Purton	1
N. Kelly	c. G. Minns b. G. Purton	8
B. Leighton	Not Out	3
Extras		6
		84
FOW: 16 – 29 – 57 – 58 – 60 – 60 – 64 – 71		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Waters	7	1	1	17
S. Bravington	13	3	3	40
G. Purton	7	0	5	22

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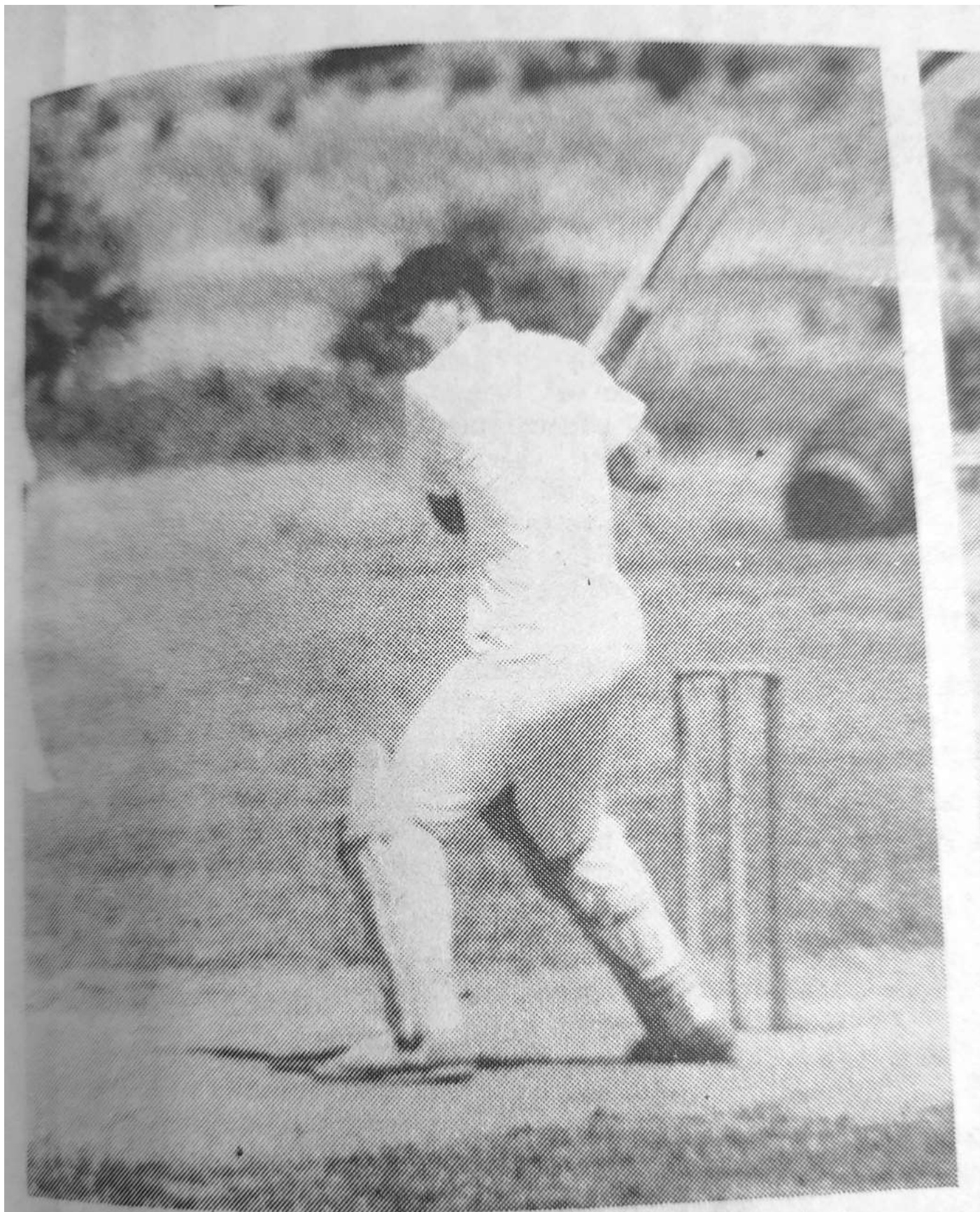
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Veteran spinner George Purton (right) of Western Park C grade, chats with captain Jeff Accardi before going into bat. George took five wickets to lead his team to victory against Drouin.

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Western Park C grade batsman John Donnellon prepares to smash a ball to the boundary against Drouin. John went on to make 30.



Veteran George Purton of Western Park attempts a sweep shot in a C grade match against Drouin. George made more impression with the ball than with the bat, taking five wickets.

Round 8: Buln def. Western Park by 4 wickets

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Waters	c. M. Sweeney b. T. Lowther	23
A. Cusden	c. M. Cox b. M. Sweeney	9
S. Bravington	c. M. O'Neill b. T. Lowther	18
S. Wallington	b. M. Cox	2
B. Donnellon	b. M. Cox	2
J. Donnellon	b. M. Cox	0
J. Accardi	b. M. Cox	0
G. Purton	b. M. Cox	14
A. Donnellon	Not Out	28
D. Davine	b. A. Grant	19
S. Kinder	c. A. Grant b. M. Cox	0
Extras		14
		129
FOW: 20 – 40 – 50 – 52 – 53 – 62 – 75 – 79 – 114 – 129		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Lowther	13	1	2	47
M. Sweeney	4	0	1	21
M. Cox	12.2	3	6	34
A. Grant	4	0	1	21

<i>Buln</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Grant	c. A. Donnellon b. B. Waters	13
M. O'Neill	b. S. Bravington	3
M. Sweeney	c. D. Davine b. G. Purton	23
N. Tyrrell	c. J. Accardi b. S. Bravington	14
P. McDonald	Run Out	24
P. Dawson	b. S. Wallington	12
T. Lowther	Not Out	13
T. Robbins	Not Out	5
Extras		24
		6/131
FOW: 17 – 26 – 45 – 84 – 92 – 120		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Waters	11	0	1	41
A. Cusden	1	0	0	7
S. Bravington	11	0	2	36
G. Purton	7	0	1	34
S. Wallington	1	0	1	4

From the Gazette: “Six wickets by Michael Cox of Buln prevented Western Park from taking advantage of Drouin’s loss. Five of his victims were bowled and he finished with the figures of six for 34 from 12.2 overs. Thanks to Cox, Western Park was dismissed for 129 with A. Donnellon top-scoring with 28 not out. In reply, Buln required only 31 overs to get the required runs to win. Top score for Buln was P. McDonald on 24.”

Round 9: Western Park def. Drouin by 89 runs

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Waters	b. R. Fairlie	132
M. Osmond	c. T. Phillips b. R. Fairlie	3
G. Minns	c. P. Finnegan b. R. Fairlie	8
G. Byers	b. P. Finnegan	60
S. Wallington	Not Out	11
G. Purton	b. P. Finnegan	0
J. Accardi	b. P. Finnegan	3
Extras		14
		6/232 dec.
FOW: 4 – 18 – 218 – 222 – 222 – 232		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Vincent	12	4	0	40
R. Fairlie	21	5	3	57
T. Phillips	9	0	0	66
A. Mussared	7	2	0	17
J. Piner	6	0	0	37
P. Finnegan	1.3	0	3	4

<i>Drouin</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
P. Wyatt	Run Out	64
J. Piner	c. M. Spencer b. N. Waters	14
C. Caldwell	c. N. Waters b. G. Purton	8
G. Vincent	c. M. Osmond b. G. Purton	5
W. Hoogenwerf	b. G. Purton	0
A. Mussared	st. S. Wallington b. G. Purton	16
P. Finnegan	b. G. Purton	4
R. Fairlie	c. P. Hughes b. G. Purton	19
T. Phillips	b. G. Purton	2
J. Birt	c. P. Hughes b. G. Purton	0
D. Evans	Not Out	2
Extras		9
		143

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Hughes	15	2	0	37
N. Waters	13	4	1	36
M. Osmond	2	0	0	17
G. Purton	17.1	2	8	36
J. Accardi	4	1	0	8

Round 10: Western Park def. Buln by 90 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
S. Bravington	c. A. Mason b. T. Lowther	8
N. Waters	c. A. Mason b. P. McDonald	181
D. Purton	st. A. Mason b. J. Cornwall	10
S. Wallington	b. M. Cox	3
G. Minns	c. P. Dawson b. M. Sweeney	9
J. Donnellon	c. J. Rasmussen b. P. Dawson	3
J. Accardi	c. M. O' Neill b. P. McDonald	10
M. Spencer	Run Out	2
A. Donnellon	c. A. Mason b. A. Grant	4
G. Purton	b. M. Cox	10
B. Donnellon	Not Out	5
Extras		31
		276
FOW: 39 – 68 – 89 – 118 – 123 – 231 – 237 – 259 – 260 – 276		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Lowther	15	2	1	60
A. Grant	6	1	1	26
J. Rasmussen	9	1	0	20
J. Cornwall	10	1	1	62
M. Cox	13	3	2	33
M. Sweeney	6	0	1	15
P. Dawson	5	1	1	20
P. McDonald	3	0	2	13

Buln		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Grant	c. Ross b. S. Bravington	76
J. Stuckey	c. S. Wallington b. S. Bravington	1
M. Sweeney	c. D. Purton b. S. Bravington	6
P. McDonald	b. N. Waters	1
M. O' Neill	c. M. Spencer b. S. Bravington	15
J. Rasmussen	LBW. S. Bravington	0
P. Dawson	c. S. Bravington b. G. Purton	11
M. Cox	b. G. Purton	1
J. Cornwall	Not Out	48
T. Lowther	LBW. N. Waters	10
A. Mason	c. G. Purton b. N. Waters	0
Extras		11
		186
FOW: 5 – 23 – 34 – 98 – 98 – 111 – 112 – 151 – 186 – 186		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Waters	9.2	0	3	23
S. Bravington	16	4	5	41
S. Wallington	5	0	0	25
J. Accardi	2	0	0	11
G. Purton	12	2	2	45
B. Donnellon	2	0	0	15
G. Minns	4	0	0	18

From the Gazette: “Western Park went on its winning ways, easily accounting for Buln Buln. Having been dismissed for 276 on the first day, it was able to remove the Buln batsmen for a total of 186. Pick of the Parker bowlers was opener S. Bravington who took 5/41. The other opening bowler – Neil Waters – made it a fine all-round performance, following up his 181 off the bat with 3/23 from 9.2 tight overs.”

Round 11: Western Park def. Hallora by 1 wicket

Hallora		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
G. Ross	b. G. Purton	12
T. Youngman	b. G. Purton	18
T. Thomas	st. A. Donnellon b. G. Purton	30
K. Ross	Not Out	78
B. Youngman	b. A. Cusden	97
P. Frangos	c. A. Donnellon b. A. Cusden	22
S. Brooks	Not Out	1
Extras		18
		5/271
FOW: 36 – 41 – 82 – 226 – 264		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Bravington	18	2	0	55
S. Wallington	3	0	0	9
N. Waters	17	3	0	69
J. Accardi	2	0	0	18
G. Purton	26	3	3	82
A. Cusden	4	0	2	28

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Waters	b. S. Milne	0
S. Bravington	LBW. S. Brooks	28
A. Cusden	b. S. Milne	14
J. Accardi	b. K. Ross	13
B. Donnellon	b. K. Ross	50
J. Donnellon	c. B. Youngman b. S. Milne	50
S. Wallington	b. S. Brooks	34
G. Minns	b. T. Thomas	28
G. Purton	Run Out	7
A. Donnellon	Not Out	6
M. Spencer	Not Out	2
Extras		42
		9/274
FOW: 0 – 20 – 65 – 86 – 171 – 220 – 235 – 267 – 272		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Milne	18	6	3	52
T. Thomas	15	0	1	71
S. Brooks	13	0	2	47
P. Frangos	9	0	0	41
K. Ross	15	3	2	51

From the Gazette: “When WDCA C-Grade ladder leader Western Park passed third-placed Hallora’s first innings total of 271, the players must have breathed a sigh of relief, believing they had retained top spot. Unfortunately for the Parkers, that did not take into account second-placed Drouin taking full points from an outright win against fifth-place Trafalgar. Instead of finishing the season two points ahead of the opposition, Western Park finds itself two points behind Drouin.

Western Park got off to a bad start when opener Neil Waters – who had torn the opposition apart with 181 in his previous match – was bowled for a duck by Steve Milne. Top scorers for the Parkers were father-and-son combination Barry and John Donnellon who were both dismissed at 50. S. Wallington contributed 34 runs, whilst S. Bravington and G. Minns both added 28. Milne with 3/52 from 18 overs was the best of the Hallora bowlers. Western Park’s win was nearly the narrowest possible with a three-run margin with one wicket left standing after the maximum 70 overs.”

Semi-Final: Hallora def. Western Park by 188 runs

Hallora		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
T. Youngman	c. S. Bravington b. N. Waters	25
G. Ross	b. N. Waters	14
T. Thomas	b. G. Purton	3
K. Ross	b. A. Cusden	86
B. Youngman	c. M. Spencer b. G. Purton	16
S. Milne	b. N. Waters	28
P. Frangos	LBW. G. Minns	41
B. Heywood	c. S. Wallington b. N. Waters	32
G. Jarred	c. B. Donnellon b. N. Waters	15
T. Phillipi	LBW. A. Donnellon	0
S. Brooks	Not Out	0
Extras		25
		285
FOW: 26 – 33 – 57 – 92 – 147 – 221 – 245 – 285 – 285 – 285		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
N. Waters	24	3	5	45
S. Bravington	10	0	0	32
G. Purton	17	1	2	55
S. Wallington	6	1	0	17
J. Accardi	3	0	0	15
J. Donnellon	2	0	0	23
G. Minns	4	1	1	19
A. Donnellon	1	0	1	7
A. Cusden	4	0	1	17
M. Spencer	4	0	0	19

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Waters	b. S. Milne	3
S. Bravington	LBW. T. Thomas	9
A. Cusden	b. S. Milne	20
J. Accardi	c. B. Youngman b. S. Milne	0
B. Donnellon	c. B. Youngman b. S. Milne	5
S. Wallington	b. S. Milne	24
J. Donnellon	b. S. Milne	0
G. Minns	b. S. Brooks	13
G. Purton	c. T. Youngman b. S. Milne	0
A. Donnellon	c. B. Youngman b. S. Brooks	0
M. Spencer	Not Out	8
Extras		15
		97
FOW: 17 – 17 – 17 – 35 – 44 – 45 – 86 – 86 – 87 – 97		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Milne	14.2	3	7	47
T. Thomas	10	2	1	33
S. Brooks	3	2	2	9

Batting & Bowling Averages

Player	M	I	NO	R	Avg.	50	100	0	HS	Ct/St
N. Waters	7	7	-	383	54.71	-	2	1	181	1
A. Cusden	7	9	1	203	25.37	1	-	-	76	3/1
B. Donnellon	8	7	1	164	27.33	2	-	-	72	2
J. Donnellon	9	10	-	127	12.70	1	-	3	50	2
A. Donnellon	9	10	4	120	20.00	-	-	2	40	12/1
G. Minns	7	8	1	98	14.00	-	-	-	28	2
J. Accardi	10	11	-	79	7.18	-	-	2	19	3
S. Bravington	5	5	-	77	15.40	-	-	-	28	2
S. Wallington	5	5	1	74	18.50	-	-	-	34	2/1
R. Weiderman	1	2	-	71	35.50	1	-	-	61	1
G. Byers	3	3	-	65	21.66	1	-	-	60	1
B. Lemon	1	1	-	52	52.00	1	-	-	52	-
D. Purton	4	5	1	52	14.00	-	-	-	26	2
C. Guerts	4	5	1	51	12.75	-	-	-	41	3
M. Gahan	1	1	-	39	39.00	-	-	-	39	-
B. Taylor	1	1	-	37	37.00	-	-	-	37	2
G. Purton	6	6	-	36	6.00	-	-	2	14	1
M. Osmond	2	3	-	31	10.33	-	-	-	20	1
P. Barson	1	1	-	29	29.00	-	-	-	29	1
M. Spencer	7	7	3	24	4.80	-	-	-	8*	3
P. Hughes	4	4	-	23	5.75	-	-	-	11	5
I. Day	1	1	-	22	22.00	-	-	-	22	-
D. Davine	1	1	-	19	19.00	-	-	-	19	1
I. Clark	1	1	-	12	12.00	-	-	-	12	1
D. Wright	1	1	-	11	11.00	-	-	-	11	-
S. Dunn	2	3	-	9	3.00	-	-	1	8	-
W. McMartin	1	1	-	8	8.00	-	-	-	8	-
D. Boyer	1	1	-	8	8.00	-	-	-	8	-
R. Penna	1	1	1	6	-	-	-	-	6*	1
S. Baker	2	2	1	2	2.00	-	-	-	2	1
S. Kinder	3	3	1	1	0.50	-	-	1	1	-
J. Bradley	1	1	-	0	0.00	-	-	1	0	-
P. Graham	1	1	-	0	0.00	-	-	1	0	-

Player	O	M	R	W	Avg.	S/R	E/R	5	10	BB
G. Purton	86.3	8	274	21	13.04	24.71	3.18	2	-	8/36
N. Waters	96.2	15	261	15	17.40	38.53	2.71	1	-	5/45
P. Hughes	84	21	153	13	11.77	38.77	1.82	-	-	4/22
S. Bravington	68	9	204	10	20.40	40.80	3.00	1	-	5/41
A. Cusden	44	5	128	7	18.29	37.71	2.90	-	-	2/28
R. Weiderman	20	1	91	6	15.16	20.00	4.55	1	-	6/91
G. Byers	11.5	3	15	5	3.00	14.20	1.33	-	-	4/2
B. Taylor	11.3	0	56	5	11.20	13.80	4.95	1	-	5/56
B. Donnellon	20.3	1	69	5	13.80	24.60	3.39	-	-	3/32
M. Spencer	32	7	86	5	17.20	38.40	2.68	-	-	3/31
S. Baker	4	0	24	2	12.00	12.00	6.00	-	-	2/24
I. Clark	9	1	51	2	25.50	27.00	5.66	-	-	2/51
J. Accardi	20	1	71	2	35.50	60.00	3.55	-	-	1/4
J. Donnellon	16	0	90	2	45.00	48.00	5.62	-	-	2/34
W. McMartin	2	0	4	1	4.00	12.00	2.00	-	-	1/4
A. Donnellon	1	0	7	1	7.00	6.00	7.00	-	-	1/7
S. Wallington	15	1	55	1	55.00	90.00	3.66	-	-	1/4
G. Minns	10	1	56	1	56.00	60.00	5.60	-	-	1/19
R. Penna	13	2	64	1	64.00	78.00	4.92	-	-	1/64
P. Barson	17	1	71	1	71.00	102.00	4.18	-	-	1/71
S. Kinder	1	0	14	0	-	-	14.00	-	-	0/14
P. Graham	1	0	15	0	-	-	15.00	-	-	0/15
M. Osmond	2	0	17	0	-	-	8.50	-	-	0/17
C. Guerts	4	0	19	0	-	-	4.75	-	-	0/6
B. Lemon	11	0	93	0	-	-	8.45	-	-	0/93

D-GRADE

Round 1: Western Park Forfeit

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Three forfeits upset cricket opening round

By Clem Pitt

There were three forfeits in the opening round of Warragul District cricket on Saturday.

Neerim District (D grade), Garfield-Bunyip (B grade) and Western Park (D grade) could not raise teams in a competition already weakened by the loss of about seven teams including two clubs from last season.

In addition, Nilma-Dusties have had to drop out of the juniors now down from 13 teams to nine.

It's a gloomy picture to paint about local cricket at a time when it is the reigning GCL and under 23 champions, and also back in the Provincial section at Country Week.

Three forfeits and a bye are a headache as while four teams could not muster numbers, four others are deprived of a fortnights cricket.

Hopefully, with football trips and other holidays over, the next round will see all teams in action.

Reigning A grade champions Warragul made 6/301 against Trafalgar and Country Week captain Bob Baldry did not bother to bat.

CENTURY

Tim Hogan made an opening 111, Kelvin Matthews 58 and then after losing his cricket gear (stolen) and sporting a new outfit Mark Ridgway hit up

78. Trafalgar face a big chase.

Ellinbank has recruited Mick Jostlear from Western Park and a new player B. McPhan from Wy Yung. They also recruited John Pierrehumbert and B. Aitken on permit from Buln Buln.

Despite this their 173 may not be enough to beat Neerim District. McPhan looked good making 67 against a hostile attack.

Ellinbank were 5/114 but the last two wickets contributed 59 valuable runs.

Western Park's B grade captain Peter Felstead, recently married, made 118 n.o., which included three mighty sixes and eight boundaries.

Greg Beck made 117 n.o. for Warragul API and one of his partners was Rocky Fraser, who ended a run of ducks with a sound 41.

Captain of the Longwarry junior team is Grant Pask and vice captain is brother Glenn.

All scores came in on time at the weekend, except Neerim District v Garfield Bunyip B grade whose scores went to 3UL.



Good start by Drouin's two A grade sides

Drouin made a very commendable debut with its two teams in Warragul District A grade cricket on Saturday.

The club has accepted that without prior consultation, it has two teams in the senior competition.

Warragul and Garfield-Bunyip were glad to forego the honor, but Drouin has responded with a more positive attitude.

They faced some aggressive bowling from Simon Byrne and Alan Ross on Saturday.

Byrne finished with 0/87 but had at least five chances missed. He tested out Chris Caldwell, who made 51 with the juniors and then 18 in A grade in

S. Pratt c P. Fustinato b N. Fawcett 2
B. Aitken lbw P. Fustinato 0
F. Felstead c Clarke b N. Fawcett 13
C. Masterson n.o. 10
Sundries 13
Total 173

Fall: 35, 49, 56, 84, 95, 108, 114, 114, 141, 173.

Bowling: D. Harris 17.2/3/2/37, P. Fustinato 15/2/1/40, S. Hickey 9/3/2/18, S. Clarke 7/1/1/30, N. Fawcett 19/5/4/41.

Bowling: M. Roberts 12/6/20, L. Pitt 11/1/1/24, Robertson 5/0/2/22, R. Bar 6/1/2/20, S. Price 1/1/0/0.

Darrium - 1st inning

E. Dessent b B. McDonald
R. Barnes c G. Bourke b B. McDonald
N. Robertson c M. Wardie b D. Fustinato
G. Williams b P. Mitchell
L. Pitt n.o.
M. Roberts n.o.
Sundries
Total

Fall: 44, 51, 73, 109.

Bowling: P. Mitchell 10, B. McDonald 16/10, A. Campbell 10/1/0/0, Fustinato 3/0/1/15.

Garfield-Bunyip v Yarragon

Yarragon - 1st innings

M. Dean lbw J. Serong 8
L. Wheeler c S. Hopkins b J. Serong 10
B. Kingwill c S. Hopkins b J. Serong 8
G. Lake b W. Tymensen 20
C. Pharoah lbw J.

Yarragon v Jind

Yarragon - 1st in

M. Derrick b Thomas

Round 2: Hallora def. Western Park by 57 runs

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	Run Out	26
I. Clark	c. D. Allen b. I. Kearney	18
P. Barson	LBW. B. Heywood	8
B. Taylor	b. B. Heywood	3
P. Grayham	b. I. Kearney	2
P. Edwards	LBW. D. Allen	6
R. Bravington	c. B. Heywood b. D. Allen	9
J. Walters	Run Out	4
B. Lemon	b. S. McDonald	7
R. Penna	Not Out	17
D. Smith	b. S. McDonald	0
Extras		17
		117
FOW: 40 - 52 - 64 - 68 - 68 - 92 - 97 - 101 - 108 - 117		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Kearney	11	2	2	40
B. Heywood	10	2	2	26
D. Allen	5	0	2	26
S. McDonald	6	0	2	11

Hallora		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
S. Masterson	c. P. Edwards b. P. Barson	4
G. Ross	c. J. Walters b. I. Clark	63
D. Allen	c. P. Edwards b. P. Barson	23
G. Jarred	c. J. Walters b. P. Barson	49
S. McDonald	Not Out	15
F. Allen	Not Out	4
Extras		14
		4/174
FOW: 18 – 102 – 107 – 166		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Penna	11	3	0	26
P. Barson	11	1	3	49
B. Taylor	3	0	0	18
I. Clark	7	1	1	47
B. Lemon	3	0	0	28

Round 3: Warragul API def. Western Park by 88 runs

Warragul API		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
D. Alaimo	c. J. Walters b. B. Taylor	111
R. Clay	b. R. Penna	2
R. Vermay	c. I. Day b. I. Clark	6
D. Kellam	b. P. Edwards	6
J. Barr	b. R. Penna	28
N. Clements	c. P. Barson b. J. Walters	20
R. Fraser	c. J. Walters b. B. Taylor	6
D. Kilmartin	Not Out	6
T. King	b. J. Walters	0
G. Giles	Not Out	22
Extras		9
		8/224 dec.
FOW: 29 – 47 – 55 – 112 – 183 – 189 – 195 – 195		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Penna	14	2	2	54
P. Barson	6	2	0	17
I. Clark	5	1	1	22
P. Edwards	5	0	1	27
B. Lemon	3	0	0	24
B. Taylor	11	2	2	41
J. Walters	7	1	2	26

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	b. G. Giles	8
I. Clark	b. R. Clay	14
P. Edwards	b. D. Kellam	13
W. McMartin	b. R. Vermay	21
B. Taylor	b. R. Clay	0
B. Lemon	b. R. Clay	0
P. Grayham	b. R. Clay	16
P. Barson	c & b. D. Kellam	26
R. Penna	c & b. D. Alaimo	22
J. Walters	Not Out	5
Extras		11
		136

Bowler	O	M	W	R
D. Kellam	9.2	1	2	27
G. Giles	9	2	1	14
D. Kilmartin	4	0	0	37
R. Vermay	7	3	1	10
R. Clay	5	1	4	27
D. Alaimo	2	0	1	10

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	Not Out	49
I. Clark	c. Barr b. D. Kellam	8
W. McMartin	Not Out	0
Extras		19
		1/76

Bowler	O	M	W	R
D. Kellam	7	1	1	39
D. Alaimo	1	0	0	5
G. Giles	7	3	0	12
R. Clay	2	1	0	1

Round 5: Yarragon def. Western Park by 47 runs (Round 4: Bye)

Yarragon		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Anderson	c. B. Taylor b. P. Barson	19
S. Bell	c. J. Bradley b. I. Clark	40
B. Kilday	c & b. R. Penna	52
R. Follett	c. P. Barson b. W. McMartin	61
P. Kilday	Not Out	91
R. Gleeson	c. P. Grayham b. B. Lemon	3
P. Erbs	st. I. Day b. B. Lemon	10
C. Jolly	c. W. McMartin b. P. Grayham	4
T. Briggs	Not Out	7
Extras		12
		7/299
FOW: 35 – 68 – 147 – 219 – 229 – 262 – 267		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
R. Penna	16	2	1	47
P. Barson	12	0	1	52
I. Clark	6	0	1	24
B. Taylor	11	1	0	44
B. Lemon	15	0	2	75
P. Edwards	4	0	0	14
W. McMartin	4	0	1	18
P. Grayham	2	0	1	4

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Clark	c. P. Erbs b. B. Kilday	3
I. Day	Run Out	11
P. Edwards	b. R. Gleeson	30
W. McMartin	c. Batterby b. S. Bell	41
P. Barson	c. N. Anderson b. R. Gleeson	3
J. Bradley	c. P. Kilday b. R. Gleeson	15
B. Taylor	c. B. Kilday b. S. Bell	4
P. Grayham	Run Out	43
R. Penna	c. R. Gleeson b. S. Bell	27
B. Lemon	c. R. Gleeson b. S. Bell	60
D. Smith	Not Out	3
Extras		12
		252
FOW: 7 – 26 – 93 – 93 – 109 – 110 – 119 – 171 – 228 – 252		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
B. Kilday	11	1	1	38
R. Follett	8	0	0	32
R. Gleeson	14	1	3	62
S. Bell	19.2	1	4	96
P. Erbs	6	1	0	17

Round 6: Jindivick def. Western Park by 14 runs

Jindivick		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
D. Gorman	c. I. Day b. R. Penna	6
M. Robinson	c. I. Day b. R. Penna	47
M. Freeman	c. I. Day b. B. Taylor	4
C. Ward	c. P. Barson b. R. Penna	92
S. Rowe	b. P. Barson	12
R. Bagnall	b. P. Barson	0
S. Gorman	b. R. Penna	5
J. Pederson	b. R. Penna	0
D. Horsburgh	c. I. Day b. B. Taylor	9
S. Goodwin	Not Out	0
Extras		15
		190
FOW: 0 – 28 – 40 – 119 – 149 – 149 – 180 – 180 – 181 – 190		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	8	1	1	31
R. Penna	22	5	5	37
P. Barson	13	1	2	59
B. Taylor	9.4	2	2	29
B. Lemon	5	0	0	26

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Clark	b. R. Bagnall	8
I. Day	c & b. J. Ward	46
J. Bradley	b. J. Ward	1
W. McMartin	b. J. Ward	0
B. Lemon	b. J. Ward	9
B. Taylor	b. S. Gorman	48
P. Barson	b. J. Ward	0
P. Grayham	c. C. Ward b. S. Gorman	2
J. Walters	c. J. Pederson b. D. Gorman	6
R. Penna	b. S. Gorman	11
D. Smith	Not Out	1
Extras		44
		176
FOW: 42 – 45 – 45 – 61 – 148 – 150 – 150 – 161 – 170 – 176		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
J. Ward	28	13	5	42
D. Gorman	11	2	1	22
M. Freeman	6	1	0	9
R. Bagnall	6	1	1	16
S. Rowe	3	0	0	18
D. Horsburgh	8	2	0	21
C. Ward	4	0	0	12
S. Gorman	6.4	2	3	16

Round 7: Longwarry def. Western Park by 52 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	c. G. White b. S. Hickford	0
J. Bradley	Run Out	2
B. Lemon	b. D. Stevens	1
B. Taylor	b. D. Stevens	3
P. Grayham	b. S. Hickford	0
P. Barson	c. L. White b. S. Hickford	8
J. Walters	c. G. White b. D. Stevens	1
D. Smith	c. L. White b. D. Stevens	0
R. Penna	Not Out	2
N. Johnson	c. C. Worstling b. D. Warnock	2
Extras		13
		32
FOW: 0 – 1 – 8 – 10 – 11 – 25 – 27 – 27 – 32		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Hickford	9	2	3	16
D. Stevens	8	1	4	14
D. Warnock	0.4	0	1	2

Longwarry		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Worstling	c. R. Penna b. P. Barson	19
K. Peterson	b. J. Walters	25
S. Hickford	st. I. Day b. B. Lemon	19
D. Stevens	Not Out	8
D. Warnock	Not Out	3
Extras		10
		3/84 dec.
FOW: 33 – 73 – 81		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
B. Taylor	5	0	0	41
P. Barson	5	0	1	25
J. Walters	1	0	1	9
B. Lemon	1	0	1	6

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
J. Bradley	LBW. C. Worstling	11
B. Lemon	LBW. S. Hickford	13
J. Walters	c. G. White b. C. Worstling	3
B. Taylor	Not Out	29
I. Day	c. G. White b. D. Stevens	4
P. Grayham	c. M. Kerr b. C. Worstling	18
P. Barson	c. M. Kerr b. C. Worstling	0
D. Smith	Not Out	3
Extras		17
		6/98

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Hickford	7	0	1	30
D. Stevens	8	0	1	28
C. Worstling	7	0	4	37
M. Kerr	1	1	0	0

From the Gazette: “Western Park avoided a humiliating outright defeat in the D-Grade match on Saturday when its batsmen held on for time in its second innings against Longwarry. The Park – which had managed 252 runs against Yarragon only two rounds previously – was all out against the Longwarry attack for only 32. The side was weakened by absences, playing one short and with two juniors, but the regular batsmen did not fire with three ducks and Phil Barson top-scoring with eight.

Longwarry in reply hit up a quick 3/84 off 12 overs before declaring at tea. Western Park – which lasted only 17.4 overs in the first innings – was given the task of surviving to stumps (including the compulsory 20 overs in the last hour before stumps) which worked out to 29 overs. Aided by some wayward bowling by S. Hickford and D. Stevens, Western Park held on for 6/98 off 23 overs when Longwarry conceded the possibility of an outright had been lost, and stumps were pulled. All-rounder Bert Taylor was 29 not out and he was aided by a hard-hit 18 from Paul Grayham.”



Round 8: Nilma Dusties def. Western Park by 19 runs

<i>Nilma Dusties</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
S. Goding	b. C. Grayham	23
R. Dunn	b. J. Walters	20
G. Glover	b. B. Taylor	61
R. Nuttall	c. B. Taylor b. J. Walters	3
P. Bright	c. P. Edwards b. J. Walters	0
J. Hibbert	Run Out	22
G. Burleigh	b. B. Taylor	0
C. Morris	c. I. Day b. J. Walters	2
M. Neilan	Not Out	18
R. Gaff	Run Out	7
J. Kearns	c. J. Walters b. B. Taylor	2
Extras		20
		178
FOW: 35 – 76 – 82 – 90 – 134 – 135 – 138 – 153 – 163 – 178		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Barson	12	1	0	62
C. Grayham	7	0	1	32
J. Walters	10	0	4	43
B. Taylor	5.3	0	3	31

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	c. R. Gaff b. C. Glover	4
B. Taylor	c. G. Burleigh b. R. Nuttall	28
P. Edwards	b. C. Glover	20
B. Lemon	c. P. Bright b. C. Morris	31
W. McMartin	b. J. Kearns	0
P. Grayham	b. C. Glover	0
P. Barson	Run Out	31
J. Walters	Run Out	13
D. Smith	Run Out	2
C. Grayham	Not Out	14
R. Penna	b. J. Hibbert	0
Extras		16
		159
FOW: 8 – 51 – 51 – 67 – 69 – 109 – 137 – 142 – 150 – 159		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Glover	9	1	3	34
J. Hibbert	9	2	1	23
J. Kearns	7	2	1	26
R. Nuttall	3	0	0	22
G. Burleigh	2	0	0	21
C. Morris	5	0	1	24

From the Gazette: “In the Western Park vs. Nilma Dusties match, four players were unlucky enough to be run-out from throws which hit the stumps – two being thrown from the outfield. For Dusties, John Hibbert and Ross Gaff were the unlucky victims, while Western Park players Phil Barson and Dwight Smith shared their fate. Western Park – who has yet to win this year – pushed second top side Dusties hard throughout the day and only in the last few overs after the dismissal of Barson did the task look beyond it. Gary Glover dominated the match for Dusties, scoring 61 and taking 3/34. Jason Walters took four wickets for Western Park while Brian Lemon and Barson both top-scored with 19. Dusties won by 19 runs.”

Round 9: Western Park def. Darnum Outright by 10 wickets

Darnum		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. White	b. I. Clark	11
S. Moloney	b. I. Clark	9
T. Shatwell	b. J. Walters	3
J. Taylor	b. I. Clark	0
S. Beasley	c. P. Edwards b. J. Walters	15
R. Coster	b. J. Walters	19
S. Barnes	b. J. Walters	2
D. Trewern	b. J. Walters	4
D. Walker	b. B. Taylor	5
S. Walker	c. Edwards b. J. Walters	0
B. Beasley	Not Out	7
Extras		12
		87
FOW: 24 – 25 – 27 – 29 – 48 – 57 – 61 – 79 – 79 – 87		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	7	0	3	34
C. Grayham	2	0	0	19
B. Taylor	3	1	1	13
J. Walters	7	2	6	18

From the Gazette: “**Parkers Seem Set For Easy Win** – Western Park D-Grade allrounder Ian Clark – who has gained himself a reputation over the past few years as the team’s slowest scoring batsman – hit his first six in a long career. Ian – aged 38 – also hit two fours in an innings of 18 not out after having hit only one four previously this season. Ian and D-Grade captain Ian Day were in an unbeaten partnership of 63 when rain halted play just before 4pm on Saturday. Barring more rain this week, Western Park seems certain to score its first win for the season against the also winless Darnum. Earlier Darnum was dismissed for 87 thanks to some excellent bowling by Jason Walters who took 6/18 from seven overs. He was helped by two good slips catches by Paul Edwards and good bowling support from Clark who took 3/34 from his seven overs.”

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	c. S. Moloney b. D. Trewern	28
I. Clark	b. D. Trewern	24
B. Taylor	c. C. White b. T. Shatwell	29
P. Grayham	c. J. Taylor b. D. Trewern	6
P. Edwards	b. C. White	8
B. Lemon	Not Out	14
P. Barson	b. T. Shatwell	0
W. McMartin	st. C. White b. S. Barnes	11
J. Walters	Not Out	5
Extras		34
		7/159 dec.

Bowler	O	M	W	R
C. White	8	1	1	36
S. Moloney	11	1	0	31
D. Trewern	7	0	3	44
S. Barnes	3	0	1	19
T. Shatwell	3	0	2	12

<i>Nilma Dusties</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. White	b. J. Walters	19
J. Taylor	b. J. Walters	1
T. Shatwell	Not Out	18
R. Coster	c. B. Taylor b. J. Walters	0
S. Moloney	b. J. Walters	5
S. Barnes	c. I. Clark b. J. Walters	0
D. Trewern	b. J. Walters	0
S. Walker	b. J. Walters	6
D. Walker	c. I. Day b. B. Lemon	7
B. Beasley	c. I. Clark b. J. Walters	4
Extras		14
		74
FOW: 11 – 26 – 26 – 32 – 33 – 35 – 46 – 58 – 74		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	3	1	0	9
J. Walters	12	5	8	30
P. Barson	5	1	0	19
B. Lemon	4	0	1	17

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
P. Barson	Not Out	5
P. Grayham	Not Out	0
Extras		1
		0/6

Bowler	O	M	W	R
C. White	1	0	0	6

Round 10: Neerim District def. Western Park by 19 runs

Neerim District		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Bransgrove	c. C. Grayham b. J. Walters	6
A. White	Run Out	60
T. Pinkerton	Run Out	15
G. Fawcett	c. J. Walters b. B. Taylor	55
R. Wilson	c. P. Edwards b. J. Walters	12
T. Goodwin	c. J. Walters b. B. Taylor	5
J. Cumming	b. B. Taylor	0
N. Marshall	b. I. Clark	38
P. Mitchell	c. I. Day b. B. Lemon	33
B. Bywater	Not Out	16
C. McMaster	c. D. Smith b. I. Clark	7
Extras		30
		280
FOW: 24 – 61 – 124 – 152 – 163 – 171 – 171 – 237 – 256 – 280		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	10	0	2	43
J. Walters	25	2	2	67
B. Taylor	24	1	3	74
B. Lemon	7	0	1	55
C. Grayham	4	0	0	23

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	c. – b. N. Marshall	50
I. Clark	b. C. McMaster	34
B. Taylor	c. R. Wilson b. T. Pinkerton	73
P. Edwards	c. T. Goodwin b. C. McMaster	13
J. Bradley	b. P. Mitchell	0
P. Grayham	b. C. McMaster	0
B. Lemon	Run Out	19
W. McMartin	c. T. Pinkerton b. P. Mitchell	19
J. Walters	c. R. Wilson b. White	22
C. Grayham	Not Out	12
D. Smith	Run Out	5
		261

From the Gazette: “**WDCA Likely to Drop D-Grade** – This move has been brought about by the number of teams disappearing from the competition and the possibility of more folding. At the beginning of the year, an E-Grade team and a D-Grade team – Warragul Centrals and Warragul Tech respectively – folded with many of the players joining other teams. Just after the season began, Warragul and Garfield-Bunyip withdrew from the C-Grade competition, reducing it from an eight to a six. It appears likely that API will not field a team in D-Grade next year, and Darnum could also be struggling to field a D-Grade side. With the likelihood of two top D-Grade teams – Jindivick and Nilma Dusties – promoted to C-Grade to bolster that competition and the possibility of two teams dropping out, that would leave only seven teams to contest D-Grade, which league officials might not think is a viable competition.

Reducing the competition to three grades would leave 80-100 players without a game. Most of these players are around the age of 40 and play for the fun and exercise rather than deadly serious competition. Others are marginal players who would not get a game in the upper grades and would drift to other sports or out of sport altogether if D-Grade were abandoned. Often the players are tied up in business or work and can't train more often than once a week. Dominic Alaimo of Warragul API suggest as an alternative a one-day competition for D-Grade players.

This would allow players who through work commitments could not appear every Saturday to have a game. It could attract back players who through work had to drop out. Western Park has successful catered to its occasional D-Grade players for some years by charging subs for each game played instead of on a seasonal basis...Many players don't favour one-day matches because they advantage the big-hitting teams and can be dominated by one or two players, but if obliteration of D-Grade is the only alternative, they may accept a one-day competition.”

Round 11: Ellinbank def. Western Park by 37 runs

Ellinbank		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
N. Bransgrove	c. I. Day b. J. Walters	40
G. Pratt	c. J. Walters b. I. Clark	84
J. Meggetto	Run Out	68
T. Robertson	c. J. Bradley b. I. Clark	14
S. Phillips	Run Out	0
G. Weller	c. W. McMartin b. P. Edwards	0
R. Pratt	b. J. Walters	10
R. Gallagher	Not Out	50
J. Hodder	c. I. Day b. P. Edwards	4
K. Marriott	c. J. Walters b. B. Lemon	8
M. Rogers	Not Out	10
Extras		42
		9/330
FOW: 72 – 199 – 230 – 231 – 232 – 246 – 255 – 275 – 305		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
I. Clark	15	2	2	53
J. Walters	16	0	2	81
R. Penna	8	0	0	45
B. Taylor	11	2	0	46
B. Lemon	7	0	1	38
P. Edwards	12	0	2	42

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
I. Day	c & b. G. Weller	44
B. Taylor	b. J. Meggetto	24
I. Clark	b. J. Hodder	44
P. Edwards	c. G. Weller b. R. Gallagher	100
B. Lemon	b. T. Robertson	1
W. McMartin	c. G. Pratt b. J. Meggetto	24
P. Grayham	c. R. Pratt b. J. Meggetto	13
R. Penna	b. R. Pratt	6
C. Grayham	c. T. Robertson b. R. Gallagher	3
J. Bradley	Not Out	7
Extras		24
		293
FOW: 37 – 100 – 191 – 207 – 209 – 251 – 269 – 286 – 293		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Robertson	14	0	1	76
J. Meggetto	11	0	3	36
J. Hodder	12	3	1	41
R. Gallagher	7.4	0	2	39
R. Price	4	0	0	25
G. Weller	4	0	1	28
R. Pratt	11	1	1	43

From the Gazette: “Western Park hit its highest score of the season with 293, but it was not enough to pass Ellinbank’s first innings total of 330. Both teams have had an up-and-down year with the bat, with Ellinbank scoring only 66 in the first innings in the previous round and the Parkers being dismissed for 32 earlier in the season. Top score for the Parkers was 100 from Paul Edwards. Edwards had previously had some good starts, but this was the first time this season he had gone on with it. Other good scores were 44’s from both opener Ian Day and Ian Clark. J. Meggetto was the best of the Ellinbank bowlers with 3/36 from 11 overs.”

Batting & Bowling Averages

Player	M	I	NO	R	Avg.	50	100	0	HS	Ct/St
<i>I. Day</i>	9	11	1	270	27.00	1	-	1	50	9/2
<i>B. Taylor</i>	9	10	1	241	26.77	1	-	1	73	3
<i>P. Edwards</i>	7	7	-	190	27.14	-	1	-	100	6
<i>B. Lemon</i>	9	10	1	155	17.22	1	-	1	60	-
<i>I. Clark</i>	7	8	-	153	19.12	-	-	-	44	2
<i>W. McMartin</i>	7	8	1	116	16.57	-	-	2	41	2
<i>P. Grayham</i>	9	11	1	100	10.00	-	-	3	43	-
<i>R. Penna</i>	7	7	2	85	14.16	-	-	1	27	2
<i>P. Barson</i>	7	9	1	81	10.12	-	-	3	31	3
<i>J. Walters</i>	7	8	2	59	9.83	-	-	-	22	9
<i>J. Bradley</i>	5	6	1	36	7.20	-	-	1	15	2
<i>C. Grayham</i>	3	3	2	29	29.00	-	-	-	14*	1
<i>D. Smith</i>	7	8	3	14	2.80	-	-	2	5	1
<i>R. Bravington</i>	1	1	-	9	9.00	-	-	-	9	-
<i>N. Johnson</i>	1	1	-	2	2.00	-	-	-	2	-

Player	O	M	R	W	Avg.	S/R	E/R	5	10	BB
<i>J. Walters</i>	78	10	274	25	10.96	18.72	3.51	2	1	8/30
<i>I. Clark</i>	61	6	283	11	25.72	33.27	4.64	-	-	3/34
<i>B. Taylor</i>	83.2	9	337	11	30.63	45.45	4.05	-	-	3/31
<i>R. Penna</i>	71	11	209	8	26.12	53.25	2.94	1	-	5/37
<i>P. Barson</i>	64	6	283	7	40.43	54.86	4.42	-	-	3/49
<i>B. Lemon</i>	42	0	245	6	40.83	42.00	5.83	-	-	2/75
<i>P. Edwards</i>	21	0	83	3	27.66	42.00	3.95	-	-	2/42
<i>P. Grayham</i>	2	0	4	1	4.00	12.00	2.00	-	-	1/4
<i>W. McMartin</i>	4	0	18	1	18.00	24.00	4.50	-	-	1/18
<i>C. Grayham</i>	13	0	74	1	74.00	78.00	5.69	-	-	1/32

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Missing mark with cricket criticism

By Dwight Smith

In a letter to the sporting editor last week, a correspondent who wished to remain anonymous made a number of suggestions on how to improve Warragul and district C and D grade cricket.

As a D grade cricketer myself, I can see that much of what he said had merit, but there is also considerable ground for disagreement.

He stated the C and D grade competitions were lop-sided which had done little to enhance the game.

While a lop-sided competition does not help the game, the inequity between the teams was not as great as it might first appear.

In C grade, the number five team was only .03 percentage behind Buin Buin which finished fourth. Had a couple of close games during the season gone the other way, Trafalgar might have found itself in the four instead of second last.

In D grade, fourth-place Yarragon finished 12 points ahead of fifth place API, yet API and Hallora who both finished out of the four both had positive percentages — they scored more runs than their opponents.

While the gap was 12 points in D grade, it was 10 points in A grade yet I have heard no complaints about

A grade being lop-sided. As well, only one A grade team out of the four had a positive percentage.

D grade ladder leader Jindivick was unbeaten all season while second placed Nilma Dusties was beaten only by Jindivick.

Despite this, both teams were beaten in the semi-finals and neither is appearing in the grand final.

In the case of Jindivick, the result was crushing — being beaten by 146 runs.

While Jindivick was unbeaten during the season, it could well have been rolled by Western Park which finished second last on the ladder, having won only one game.

In December, the Parkers finished within 20 runs of Jindivick and had ground conditions been the same on both days, the result might well have been different.

The grass was not mown on the day in which Western Park batted and the length of grass could well have robbed the Parkers of the needed runs.

The correspondent suggests that there should have been 10 teams in C grade this year and only seven in D grade instead of six in C grade and 11 in D grade.

This would have been better than the C grade situation where the team just out of the four also finished second last on the ladder.

His suggestion was the top four teams in D grade should have gone up. I might have disagreed with

him before the finals, believing two might have been sufficient, but with the numbers one and two being beaten by numbers three and four in D grade, it would be hard to separate them.

A C grade competition with 10 clubs would bring it more into line with A grade which has 10 and B grade which has 12.

In D grade, the size of competition is not as important.

Last year, six of the D grade sides were hived off to form an E grade competition, consisting of six teams. This competition operated without any real problems and was amalgamated back into D grade only because three teams dropped out — two of which were in D grade.

The writer suggests that to force the top D grade teams into C grade, no team should be allowed to skip a grade.

The top four D grade sides were represented in B grade but not in C grade.

While such a move might be valid in this case, it would be ridiculous in the case of Trafalgar.

A team which finished second last in C grade would be forced to play in B grade instead.

A better answer would be to promote the top four finishers in D grade to C grade. This would have desirable effect between C and D grade without putting Trafalgar in a hopeless position.

The correspondent suggests that the overall num-

ber of teams be reduced to improve the standard.

He says: "In fact the cricket in the lower grades is pathetic and is deteriorating fast, both in standard and presentation."

I disagree with him strongly on this point.

Having played in D and E grade in Warragul in the past three seasons, I have not noted any deterioration in standard or presentation. The quality of the competition D grade at least is about the same as it was in 1984-85.

It is not that much below the standard of B grade cricket in Warrnambool.

Not having seen a C grade match, I can't speak for that competition, but my team-mates who did play in C grade this year say the difference in standard between the two grades is only slight.

I do not believe it matters in D grade at least whether the quality of play is the highest competitive standard.

Many D grade players, like me, are over the age of 40 and play just for an interest and to maintain a reasonable level of fitness. The win-at-all-costs attitude is something reserved for the higher grades.

If 80 to 100 players want a game, who are they hurting?

They provide their own umpires and equipment and there are plenty of grounds available.

Surely with the emphasis on "Life, Be In It" these

days, it would not be better if these people were spectators rather than players.

The correspondent's final point was that the finishing time for games should be extended from 5 pm to 6 pm.

Having played in Warrnambool until 6 pm, I was surprised at the earlier finish here.

Time is lost in some weeks, but not always.

It is sometimes closer to 1 pm than the scheduled start of 12.30 so this is added to match time which means the matches may not conclude to nearer 5.30 than 5 pm.

As well, there is a minimum 70 overs which must be bowled in a day, unless there is rain.

In these cases, the match cannot finish until the end of the 70th over.

More than once this season, I have been in matches which have concluded about 6.15 because the minimum number of overs were not bowled.

If the competition was played on large grounds and spin bowlers were used extensively, the correspondent's assertion that a fifth of the season is lost due to the early finish might be valid, but under existing local conditions, the loss of play would be nothing like that figure.

While there is plenty of room for disagreement, letters like that from the correspondent are welcome as suggestions for improvements brought into the open can only be good for the game.

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Round 1: Western Park def. Darnum by 21 runs

Darnum		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
S. Walker	c. C. Guerts b. G. Byers	6
M. Shearer	b. D. Davine	3
C. Davidson	b. G. Byers	35
T. Axford	c. C. Guerts b. S. Clark	8
A. Tyson	c. G. Byers b. S. Clark	11
J. Robertson	c. C. Guerts b. G. Byers	17
M. Vaughan	c. B. Penna b. M. Davie	6
J. Moon	c. S. Lindau b. M. Davie	1
D. Trewern	b. C. Guerts	0
J. Lawson	b. C. Guerts	0
Extras		11
		98

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	10	4	3	13
D. Davine	10	2	1	26
S. Clark	9	0	0	25
M. Davie	7	1	2	18
C. Guerts	5.2	1	2	7

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Roorda	c. C. Davidson b. T. Axford	10
A. Donnellon	b. M. Vaughan	46
G. Byers	c. J. Lawson b. J. Robertson	19
M. Davie	b. J. Robertson	13
C. Guerts	Run Out	8
D. Davine	b. J. Robertson	0
S. Lindau	c & b. A. Tyson	4
D. Clark	Run Out	4
S. Clark	b. A. Tyson	0
B. Penna	Not Out	1
N. Johnson	b. M. Vaughan	0
Extras		16
		119
FOW: 18 – 64 – 96 – 97 – 97 – 107 – 118 – 118 – 118 – 119		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Axford	5	0	1	16
M. Vaughan	8	0	2	36
J. Robertson	6	0	3	31
A. Tyson	2	0	2	5

Round 2: Western Park def. Buln by 29 runs

Buln		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Sweeney	b. M. Davie	23
A. Mason	c. D. Wright b. M. Osmond	14
M. Bourne	b. M. Osmond	0
R. Morgan	c. D. Davine b. M. Davie	19
L. Rasmussen	Not Out	15
R. Simpson	c. M. Roorda b. M. Davie	1
D. Oliver	b. C. Guerts	1
B. Anderson	b. C. Guerts	0
B. Glover	c. B. Penna b. M. Davie	9
P. Vickery	b. C. Guerts	1
M. Cornwall	c. G. Byers b. C. Guerts	0
Extras		10
		93

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	6	2	0	21
M. Osmond	6	1	2	22
C. Guerts	7.3	3	4	12
M. Davie	7	1	4	28

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	b. M. Sweeney	6
M. Roorda	c. A. Mason b. M. Sweeney	0
M. Osmond	Run Out	66
G. Byers	st. A. Mason b. M. Bourne	2
C. Guerts	b. M. Sweeney	19
M. Davie	c. A. Mason b. M. Bourne	7
S. Baker	b. L. Rasmussen	1
D. Davine	Not Out	6
D. Wright	c. B. Glover b. L. Rasmussen	4
B. Penna	b. P. Vickery	1
S. Clark	b. B. Anderson	0
Extras		10
		122

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Sweeney	10	3	3	20
R. Simpson	10	3	0	21
B. Glover	7	1	0	33
M. Bourne	7	1	2	33
L. Rasmussen	2	0	2	3
B. Anderson	2	1	1	1
P. Vickery	1	0	1	7

Round 3: Yarragon def. Western Park by 49 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	c. C. White b. P. Mazza	21
G. Byers	b. S. Battley	1
M. Osmond	c. T. Briggs b. C. White	27
C. Guerts	LBW. C. White	8
M. Roorda	b. C. White	0
D. Davine	b. S. Battley	13
S. Baker	b. S. Battley	1
D. Wright	b. C. White	2
S. Lindau	LBW. P. Mazza	4
D. Clark	b. C. White	0
N. Johnson	Not Out	4
Extras		16
		97
FOW: 15 – 54 – 67 – 67 – 83 – 85 – 87 – 90 – 90 – 97		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Battley	10	1	3	39
C. White	10	1	5	24
P. Mazza	6.1	4	2	13
A. Green	2	0	0	7
B. Wheller	1	0	0	7

<i>Yarragon</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
S. Battley	Ret.	20
C. White	LBW. G. Byers	5
P. Mazza	LBW. G. Byers	38
A. Green	b. G. Byers	5
T. Briggs	b. M. Osmond	7
D. Mazza	b. M. Osmond	0
B. Wheller	b. D. Davine	3
T. Roberts	b. G. Byers	3
A. Hanch	c. A. Donnellon b. C. Guerts	5
S. Kereks	Not Out	32
D. Battley	c. A. Donnellon b. C. Guerts	6
Extras		22
		146
FOW: 18 – 31 – 41 – 60 – 60 – 76 – 94 – 99 – 121 – 146		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	10	2	4	50
C. Guerts	9.3	1	2	37
M. Osmond	10	3	2	24
D. Davine	4	1	1	12
A. Donnellon	2	0	0	9

Round 4: Warragul def. Western Park by 34 runs

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
G. Byers	st. D. Best b. C. Roylance	14
M. Davie	b. P. Roberts	1
M. Osmond	b. P. Roberts	0
C. Guerts	c. T. Heenan b. P. Roberts	9
A. Donnellon	Run Out	10
M. Roorda	b. P. Roberts	17
S. Baker	b. C. Roylance	0
D. Wright	c. P. Mackay b. M. Dorling	4
B. Penna	LBW. P. Roberts	3
D. Clark	LBW. C. Roylance	3
S. Clark	Not Out	2
Extras		11
		74
FOW: 3 – 7 – 22 – 22 – 41 – 41 – 47 – 64 – 68 – 74		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Davies	9	2	0	20
P. Roberts	9	3	5	28
M. Dorling	5	2	1	10
C. Roylance	5	1	3	15

<i>Warragul</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Dorling	LBW. M. Osmond	14
C. Roylance	c. A. Donnellon b. C. Guerts	25
D. Best	b. G. Byers	0
T. Davies	c. – b. M. Davie	18
P. Mackay	b. M. Davie	3
C. Sach	b. M. Osmond	5
M. Sharman	b. C. Guerts	7
R. Mackay	c. – b. M. Davie	6
T. Heenan	Abs.	
Extras		17
		108
FOW: 7 – 29 – 48 – 75 – 86 – 91 – 100 – 108		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Osmond	8	0	1	23
G. Byers	8	1	1	24
M. Davie	9.4	0	3	32
C. Guerts	7	1	2	22

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Osmond	c. D. Best b. B. Mackay	37
C. Guerts	Run Out	11
G. Byers	c. T. Davies b. M. Dorling	4
A. Donnellon	Not Out	13
D. Wright	c & b. B. Mackay	0
Extras		2
		4/67
FOW: 26 – 42 – 65 – 65		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
T. Davies	2	0	0	14
P. Roberts	2	0	0	6
C. Minns	1	0	0	6
C. Sach	1	0	0	1
P. Mackay	1	0	0	12
M. Dorling	1	0	1	5
D. Best	1	0	0	12
M. Sharman	1	0	0	6
B. Mackay	1	0	2	4

Round 5: Western Park def. Trafalgar by 34 runs

Trafalgar		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
P. Gridley	b. G. Byers	34
R. Elwell	c. C. Guerts b. G. Byers	13
S. Hoare	b. M. Osmond	3
B. Edmondson	c. Donnellon b. G. Byers	0
D. Condon	c & b. G. Byers	8
B. Holdsworth	c. G. Byers b. M. Davie	0
C. Burgess	b. M. Osmond	7
R. McGown	LBW. C. Guerts	6
K. Asmussen	st. A. Donnellon b. M. Davie	6
D. Vanyai	b. M. Davie	11
D. Gridley	Not Out	1
Extras		12
		101
FOW: 28 – 41 – 42 – 57 – 60 – 60 – 70 – 85 – 87 – 101		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Osmond	9.4	1	3	26
G. Byers	10	4	4	27
M. Davie	7	0	2	35
C. Guerts	3	0	1	9

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Osmond	LBW. R. Elwell	2
C. Guerts	b. P. Gridley	3
G. Byers	b. P. Gridley	22
A. Donnellon	LBW. B. Edmondson	18
D. Davine	Ret. Not Out	50
S. Baker	c. Burgess b. S. Hoare	9
D. Wright	b. S. Hoare	2
D. Clark	b. S. Hoare	0
B. Penna	b. S. Hoare	3
N. Johnson	Not Out	0
Extras		26
		135

Bowler	O	M	W	R
B. Holdsworth	10	1	0	27
R. Elwell	10	4	1	29
P. Gridley	10	2	2	35
B. Edmondson	6	0	1	24
S. Hoare	5.1	2	4	5
R. McGown	1	0	0	1

Round 6: Bye

Round 7: Western Park def. Neerim District by 137 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Osmond	Ret. Not Out	52
G. Byers	b. P. Jensen	0
M. Roorda	c & b. B. Marshall	6
D. Wright	c & b. P. Jensen	33
D. Davine	c & b. M. Pinkerton	4
S. Baker	b. D. Wagner	6
G. Bridger	Not Out	33
B. Penna	Not Out	6
Extras		22
		5/162
FOW: 1 –19 – 89 – 116 – 118		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
P. Jensen	10	2	2	36
D. Wagner	10	2	1	25
B. Marshall	5	1	1	25
M. Pinkerton	8	0	1	63
W. Darcy	4	0	0	5

Neerim District		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
D. Wagner	c. M. Roorda b. G. Byers	1
J. Brajokiv	b. M. Osmond	9
B. Marshall	b. G. Byers	0
P. Jensen	b. G. Byers	0
M. Pinkerton	b. G. Byers	1
W. Darcy	c & b. M. Osmond	0
A. Sheehan	b. G. Byers	0
J. Hallogan	b. G. Byers	0
S. Chandler	b. M. Osmond	9
G. Marshall	b. M. Osmond	0
R. Anderson	Not Out	0
Extras		5
		25
FOW: 9 – 9 – 9 – 15 – 15 – 15 – 15 – 15 – 15 – 25		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	6	4	6	13
M. Osmond	5.4	2	4	7

Neerim District – 2nd Innings – 1/84 (D. Wagner 51, J. Brajokiv 9, B. Marshall 1)*

Round 8: Western Park def. Longwarry by 53 runs

Longwarry		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
D. Serong	Ret. Not Out	50
Gl. Pask	c. D. Davine b. M. Osmond	14
G. Trotman	c. M. Osmond b. G. Byers	0
S. McFarlane	Run Out	0
G. Mason	Run Out	0
W. Purvis	b. M. Osmond	4
A. Thomas	Not Out	11
Gr. Pask	b. G. Bridger	13
A. Lineham	b. G. Bridger	0
D. McFarlane	b. D. Davine	0
B. Kerr	Not Out	0
Extras		10
		8/102
FOW: 21 – 22 – 27 – 33 – 63 – 95 – 95 – 99		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Osmond	10	1	2	26
G. Byers	10	1	1	28
G. Bridger	8	1	2	19
D. Davine	7	1	1	24

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	b. S. McFarlane	46
G. Bridger	b. S. McFarlane	12
M. Osmond	c. S. McFarlane b. G. Trotman	25
G. Byers	b. S. McFarlane	10
D. Davine	c. Gl. Pask b. G. Trotman	19
S. Baker	c. Mason b. Gl. Pask	2
D. Wright	c. Grant Pask b. Kerr	10
B. Penna	c. Serong b. Gl. Pask	2
D. Clark	Run Out	0
S. Clark	Not Out	3
N. Johnson	Not Out	0
Extras		24
		9/155

Bowler	O	M	W	R
Gr. Pask	8	0	0	43
D. Serong	10	0	0	31
S. McFarlane	6	0	3	22
A. Thomas	3	0	0	15

Round 9: Western Park def. Garfield-Bunyip by 60 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	b. D. Hackett	40
G. Bridger	b. B. McNamara	2
M. Osmond	c. Breakwater b. D. Hackett	46
G. Byers	b. A. Bray	23
C. Guerts	LBW. A. Bray	17
D. Davine	c. J. Payne b. M. Kinder	14
D. Wright	b. A. Bray	0
M. Roorda	LBW. M. Kinder	1
S. Baker	Not Out	12
B. Penna	Not Out	2
Extras		8
		8/165
FOW: 14 – 71 – 106 – 126 – 137 – 137 – 140 – 161		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
A. Bray	10	2	3	32
B. McNamara	9	0	1	36
J. Bentley	4	0	0	16
D. Hackett	4	0	2	25
M. Kinder	5	1	2	24
J. Tymensen	5	0	0	28



<i>Garfield-Bunyip</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
M. Kinder	c. G. Bridger b. M. Osmond	7
A. Bray	Not Out	56
J. Bentley	Run Out	8
B. Schuurmans	b. G. Byers	2
B. Tymensen	LBW. G. Byers	2
A. Fliener	b. M. Osmond	3
D. Hackett	b. M. Osmond	0
M. Preston	b. C. Guerts	3
J. Payne	c. G. Byers b. M. Osmond	3
T. Lockwood	b. M. Osmond	2
Extras		21
		105
FOW: 18 – 47 – 60 – 62 – 85 – 85 – 85 – 101 – 105 – 105		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
M. Osmond	10.3	4	5	11
G. Byers	10	1	2	32
C. Guerts	3	0	1	11
G. Bridger	10	3	0	28
D. Davine	2	0	0	10

Semi-Final: Western Park def. Yarragon by 6 runs

Western Park		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	b. S. Battley	22
G. Bridger	b. S. Battley	1
M. Osmond	c. A. Green b. B. Wheller	105
G. Byers	c. – b. S. Battley	50
C. Guerts	c & b. S. Battley	0
D. Davine	c. A. Green b. S. Battley	0
D. Wright	LBW. P. Mazza	1
M. Roorda	c. S. Battley b. P. Mazza	5
S. Baker	b. C. White	5
B. Penna	Not Out	3
D. Clark	Not Out	0
Extras		16
		9/208
FOW: 15 – 25 – 128 – 128 – 128 – 153 – 159 – 190 – 207		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
S. Battley	15	2	5	89
C. White	10	2	1	33
P. Mazza	10	0	2	45
B. Wheller	4	0	1	21
A. Green	1	0	0	12

Yarragon		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
P. Mazza	c. C. Guerts b. G. Byers	95
S. Battley	b. M. Osmond	12
B. Wheller	LBW. M. Osmond	5
A. Green	b. G. Byers	20
C. White	b. G. Byers	16
A. Hanch	Not Out	17
T. Briggs	LBW. G. Byers	6
T. Roberts	b. M. Osmond	9
S. Kereks	c. G. Byers b. M. Osmond	0
D. Mazza	Not Out	3
Extras		19
		202
FOW: 42 – 56 – 93 – 144 – 170 – 180 – 195 – 195		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	16	0	4	95
M. Osmond	17	0	4	68
G. Bridger	5	1	0	24
C. Guerts	2	0	0	10

From the Gazette: “In the WDCA Juniors Semi-Final on Saturday and Sunday there were two closely fought contests. In the Yarragon – Western Park match, the Parkers amassed a total of 207, with fine individual performances from Matthew Osmond (105), ‘Rex’ Byers (50), and Andrew Donnellon (22), and Stuart Battley was the best bowler with 5/89. In Yarragon’s innings of 95, Peter Magyar was the best with 95. ‘Rex’ Byers with 4/95 and Matthew Osmond 4/68 were the best bowlers for Western Park. It was a fine effort for Western Park to topple the strong batting team of Yarragon... the final next weekend between Western Park and Drouin will be an interesting match as neither team has played each other due to the number of teams in the competition. The match will be played at Marist-Sion No.1 Oval.”

Grand-Final: Western Park def. Drouin by 4 wickets

<i>Drouin</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
C. Caldwell	c. D. Wright b. G. Bridger	58
P. Cottier	b. G. Byers	6
B. Leighton	c. D. Wright b. C. Guerts	10
E. Gray	b. G. Bridger	0
B. Cussens	c. D. Wright b. B. Penna	2
P. Eacott	c. G. Bridger b. B. Penna	0
B. Bourke	c. A. Donnellon b. G. Byers	33
M. Bibby	Not Out	5
M. Bourke	b. G. Byers	0
Extras		19
		133
FOW: 30 – 74 – 80 – 83 – 83 – 107 – 133 – 133		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
G. Byers	6.5	0	3	28
M. Osmond	9	2	0	32
G. Bridger	10	2	2	32
C. Guerts	1	0	1	11
B. Penna	6	0	2	27

<i>Western Park</i>		
Batsmen	How Out	Runs
A. Donnellon	b. B. Cussens	0
G. Bridger	b. B. Cussens	12
M. Osmond	LBW. B. Leighton	55
G. Byers	LBW. B. Cussens	2
C. Guerts	b. B. Leighton	27
D. Davine	Not Out	4
D. Wright	b. B. Leighton	0
M. Roorda	Not Out	0
Extras		36
		6/136
FOW: 2 – 49 – 51 – 126 – 131 – 131		

Bowler	O	M	W	R
B. Cussens	16	7	3	27
B. Leighton	14	5	3	28
E. Gray	6	1	0	20
C. Caldwell	7	1	0	22
P. Eacott	5	2	0	15

Batting & Bowling Averages

Player	M	I	NO	R	Avg.	50	100	0	HS
<i>M. Osmond</i>	9	10	1	415	46.11	3	1	1	105
<i>A. Donnellon</i>	9	10	1	222	24.66	-	-	1	46
<i>G. Byers</i>	10	11	-	138	12.54	1	-	1	50
<i>D. Davine</i>	9	9	3	110	18.33	1	-	2	50*
<i>C. Guerts</i>	8	9	-	102	11.33	-	-	1	27
<i>G. Bridger</i>	5	5	1	60	15.00	-	-	-	33*
<i>D. Wright</i>	9	10	-	56	5.60	-	-	3	33
<i>M. Roorda</i>	8	8	1	39	5.57	-	-	2	17
<i>S. Baker</i>	8	8	1	36	5.14	-	-	1	12*
<i>B. Penna</i>	8	8	4	22	5.50	-	-	-	6*
<i>M. Davie</i>	3	3	-	21	7.00	-	-	-	13
<i>S. Lindau</i>	2	2	-	8	4.00	-	-	-	4
<i>D. Clark</i>	6	6	1	7	1.40	-	-	3	4
<i>S. Clark</i>	4	4	2	5	2.50	-	-	2	3*
<i>N. Johnson</i>	4	4	3	4	4.00	-	-	1	4*

Player	O	M	R	W	Avg.	S/R	E/R	5	10	BB
<i>G. Byers</i>	92.5	19	331	28	11.82	19.89	3.58	1	-	6/13
<i>M. Osmond</i>	85.5	15	239	23	10.39	22.39	2.79	1	-	5/11
<i>C. Guerts</i>	38.2	6	119	13	9.15	17.69	3.11	-	-	4/12
<i>M. Davie</i>	30.4	2	113	11	10.27	16.72	3.72	-	-	4/28
<i>G. Bridger</i>	33	7	103	4	25.75	49.50	3.12	-	-	2/19
<i>D. Davine</i>	23	4	72	3	24.00	46.00	3.13	-	-	1/12
<i>B. Penna</i>	6	0	27	2	13.50	18.00	4.50	-	-	2/27
<i>A. Donnellon</i>	2	0	9	0	-	-	4.50	-	-	0/9
<i>S. Clark</i>	9	0	25	0	-	-	2.77	-	-	0/25