

Warringah Cricket Club  
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Welcome to the Owen Phillips page. At this rate he'll have more beer mugs in his trophy cabinet than the Steyne Hotel has in Ivy's Bar! Another 6 wickets (taking his total for the year to 19) has brought up his third consecutive Man of the Match award.

The season has continued on a great note for the mighty Bs and Ds, with the Ds recording a convincing outright win, and the Bs fighting out a solid win over the Blacktown PWCs. Well done.

Unfortunately the As batted poorly and fell twenty runs short and the Cs were washed out and had to settle for a draw. I'm sure the record will be set straight against Epping this round.

#### Man of the Match Awards

A reminder that after each Saturday you're invited back to the club for a

quiet drink and something to eat. On the final Saturday of each round a special effort should be made to attend the after-match presentations. If you're

lucky enough to win a Man of the Match Award, you must be present to collect your prize. The same goes for the Man of the Round Award which

includes a dinner for two at the Steyne Hotel, a \$30 voucher from Sportscene, and the large beer mug.

#### Subscriptions

For all those who have paid their subs, you can collect your membership card from Mike Fittler. Remember that subs are discounted \$50 if paid prior to 1st November. That's this week! The membership cards give you free admittance to any NSWCA games, including the Mercantile Cup and Sheffield Shield matches.

*Don't forget the Trivia  
 Night  
 Its tonight!  
 Sat 28th October*

## Trivia Night

The Trivia Night is on tonight, Saturday 28th October. By now you should have arranged your tables but its not too late. See your skipper today. Tickets are

\$10 each. You don't need to be a genius, in fact it will probably go against you. Categories will include such things as sport, entertainment, sport, local knowledge and sport, plus more. So be in it. See below for further details.

*\$50 discount on  
yearly  
subscriptions ends  
1st November*

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

### TRIVIA FRENZY

**DATE:** Saturday 28th October 1995

**WHERE:** Freshwater Surf Life Saving Club

**TIME:** 7:30 pm for 8:00 pm start

**COST:** \$10.00 (includes nibbles and prizes)  
Drinks will be sold at usual prices.

Come along and support the club in what promises to be a huge night. Organise your own table with your mates and test your knowledge of trivia. Tables will be made up of 8-10 people, and the club is expecting a big turn out.

See someone from the Social Committee to reserve your table.

**MATCH REPORT****GRADE:** 1sts**ROUND:** 3**WARRINGAH****V****BLACKTOWN**

1st Innings 10 For 165

10 For 193

2nd Innings For

For

**RESULT:** Loss on First Innings

1st Innings:

Batsmen	Runs	Bowlers	O	M	R	W
Peter Banbury	42	Dave Millar			28	3
Mark Stewart	24	Steve Ware			26	3
Sean Monahan	26*	Rex Wightley			24	1

We lost the toss and fielded first on a windy, overcast day, and rolled the cowboys from Blacktown for 193. Although there were good performances with the ball by Doogie (before his ageing bones broke down), Rex (I'd shoot my mother for a wicket), Ids, as well as Beachey taking 5 behind the stumps, we should have got them for about 160. Lucky we didn't lose by 2 Errol! (Great skills Errol....funniest thing I'd seen for years..Ed.)

We had 25 overs to bat and finished at 4 for 84 (Errol "cheaply" and Pete a quickfire 42). Day 2 on a drizzly day, a good wicket, and shit fielding conditions, we crumbled, with Sean the only one to do the conditions justice. Losing 8 for 60 is not good enough. It's time to put the hard work in!

**Best Fieldsman:** Chris Melville, Ian Bassett.**Man of the Match:** (The Idiot is still making up his mind)

The Idiot

**MATCH REPORT****GRADE:** 2nds**ROUND:** 3**WARRINGAH****V****BLACKTOWN**

1st Innings 5 For 205

10 For 191

2nd Innings For

For

**RESULT:** Won on First Innings

1st Innings:

Batsmen	Runs	Bowlers	O	M	R	W
Stewart Ryan	51*	Owen Phillips	16	3	84	6
Steve Cole	54*	Chris Wyatt	9	0	49	3
Michael Day	34	Stewart Ryan	11	2	46	1
Gavin Peart	27					

Playing Blacktown on a day where the wind blew at gale force, and I failed to win the toss, we were forced to face the elements on a field where the areas around it are paddocks. Our bowlers failed to handle the conditions as well as I would have expected, while Blacktown were not afraid to play their shots although all not strictly from the text book. At 1 for 91 (off 17 overs) we looked in a lot of trouble, but our fielding kept us in the game with some inspirational work in the outfield from Michael Day, before taking over the gloves with an injury to Scott Chapman. Owen Phillips bowled from the 7th over of the day, and while Blacktown kept playing their shots, Owen kept taking wickets as they fell at 2-92, 3, 4 and 5 at 123, 6-124, 7-163, and 8-175. Chris Wyatt took the last 2 wickets in a row to end their innings at 191.

With 40 overs to bowl till stumps and on a track that was keeping low, we got through to 4 for 96 with Stewart Ryan (night watchman) on 4 and Gavin Peart on 22. Back in the pavillion, Michael Day had scored an impressive 34. We lost Gavin for 27 in the fourth over of the morning but our night watchman and Steve Cole put on an unbeaten partnership of 92 to see us through to an important victory when it appears not many points were gained by opposing players.

**Best Fieldsman:** Michael Day  
**Man of the Match:** Owen Phillips

**MATCH REPORT****GRADE:** 3rds**ROUND:** 3**WARRINGAH V****BLACKTOWN**

1st Innings 10 For 171

0 For 49

2nd Innings For

For

**RESULT:** Draw - Washout

1st Innings:

Batsmen	Runs	Bowlers	O	M	R	W
Monty	60					
Andrew Evans	27					
Matt Macoustra	24*					

Monty and Andrew Evans both batted impressively to put on over 60 runs after we had started poorly to be 2 for 16 after losing the toss. The only other batsman to succeed was late in our innings when Matt Macoustra was left not out on 24. Once again we failed to bat for our full 85 overs. We had about 1 hour's play left and I was hopeful of gaining an early breakthrough. Our fielding and bowling were very ordinary in that last hour and Blacktown got away to a solid start being 0 for 49.

**Best Fieldsman:** Neville Nobody**Man of the Match:** Monty

**MATCH REPORT****GRADE:** 4ths**ROUND:** 3**WARRINGAH****V****BLACKTOWN**

1st Innings 10 For 172

10 For 130

2nd Innings 3 For 105

7 dec For 143

**RESULT:** Won Outright

1st Innings:

Batsmen	Runs	Bowlers	O	M	R	W
Michael Hawkins	39	Grant Thompson	10		33	4
Matthew Balch	31	Roy Formica	5		18	2
Marcus Emery	21	Louie McMillan	8		30	2
Louie McMillan	16	Richard Rainey	6		47	2
Grant Thompson	15					

2nd Innings

Scott Ward	32*	Roy Formica	9		39	3
Ben Johnson	29					
Andrew Shearer	18*					

Excellent win by Warringah - good team performance. The fielding and catching in the first innings was exceptional. Another good performance with the bat by Michael Hawkins. Matthew Balch showed a glimpse of what I'm sure he's capable of and hopefully he'll go on and score a lot more runs. Grant thompson bowled well and kept a good line and length, and was rewarded with 4 wickets. Roy, Louie and Richard all bowled well and were rewarded with two wickets each.

**Best Fieldsman:** Team Effort**Man of the Match:** Grant Thompson