



# GRAFTON UNITED CRICKET CLUB

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## MISSION

Grafton United Cricket Club creates lifelong friendships and memories by being Auckland's most enjoyable cricket club, developing its community members to achieve their own personal and cricketing potential.

## VISION

To be a model of excellence in sporting clubs, with members working together to benefit and support our players and our community.

## VALUES

- Pride. A Grafton United lion for life.
- Striving for excellence in everything we do.
- Respect, teamwork, fair play, and trust.
- Commitment to our players and our supporters.
- The importance of being financially viable.
- Conducting all our business with integrity.

## KEY STRATEGIC AREAS

**PARTICIPATION** - To provide the opportunity for our community to play and enjoy cricket as 'a game for everyone', in a format that they enjoy.

**DEVELOPMENT** - To deliver development pathways and create a sense of belonging within the Grafton United community.

**COACHING & PERFORMANCE** - To provide coaching and performance systems to enable members to maximise their cricketing potential.

**FACILITIES** - To provide fit for purpose facilities on and off the field for the enjoyment of the Grafton United community.

**GOVERNANCE & COMMUNICATION** - To provide innovative and clear governance and communications in all aspects of the Club.



# AUCKLAND CRICKET ASSOCIATION PREMIER CHAMPIONS

1862 - 2024

|         |                  |                          |
|---------|------------------|--------------------------|
| 1887/88 | 1978/79          | 2003/04 (1D)             |
| 1896/97 | 1979/80          | 2003/04 (W)              |
| 1897/98 | 1979/80 (1D)     | 2006/07 (W1D)            |
| 1898/99 | 1991/92 (1D)     | 2006/07 (WT20)           |
| 1899/00 | 1992/93          | 2007/08 (W1D)            |
| 1900/01 | 1992/93 (W1D)    | 2008/09(WO/all)          |
| 1905/06 | 1993/94 (1D)     | 2009/10(W1D)             |
| 1921/22 | 1994/95 (Nat.1D) | 2010/11 (W1D)            |
| 1931/32 | 1994/95 (1D)     | 2011/12(Minor 2D)        |
| 1945/46 | 1994/95 (W)      | 2016/17(Minor 2D)        |
| 1946/47 | 1994/95 (W1D)    | 2019/20(Minor 2D)        |
| 1950/51 | 1996/97 (1D)     | <b>2023/24(Minor 2D)</b> |
| 1951/52 | 1997/98          |                          |
| 1952/53 | 1997/98 (W)      |                          |
| 1970/71 | 1997/98 (W1D)    |                          |
| 1971/72 | 1998/99 (1D)     |                          |
| 1976/77 | 1998/99 (W1D)    |                          |

## Front Cover Photo

Premier Men's Tom Hellaby 2-day champions

Photo by Mark Bird

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## OFFICE BEARERS

|  |   |
|--|---|
| PATRON   | Mike de Lautour   |
| LIFE MEMBERS                                     | Stewart Wilson MNZM, Mike de Lautour, Jeff Meltzer, Nick Albrecht, Richard Irving, Peter Meads, Andrew Alderson, Adrian Smith, Mark Burgess, Mike Currie, Chris McQuaid   |
| PRESIDENT  | Stewart Wilson MNZM   |
| VICE PRESIDENTS                                  | Tom Baker, Mark Bird, Jim Center, Guy Coleman, Gary Cunningham, John Cushen, Chris de Lautour, Thushan Dodampegamage, Bevan Donovan, Ian Fisher, Shelley Fruin, Jane Gold, Paula Gruber, Ben Handy, Mark Harlen, Tim Heath, Mark Hodge, Russ Hodge, Shelley Hodge, Glenn Horne, Matt Horne, Phil Horne, Ron Horne, Denis Jeram, Alastair Lee, Chris Liddell, Brent McAnulty, John McIntyre, Ankur Mistry, Peter Nightingale, Austin Parsons, Hiren Patel, Bill Scott, David Simcock, Mike Simm, Nick Smith, Garth Sullivan, Grant Thorpe, Lyall Tozer, Sharon Watts, Martin Webster, Grant Weston, Barry Wither, John Youdale |
| HON SECRETARY                                    | Mike Currie   |
| HON TREASURER                                    | Peter Meads   |
| THE BOARD  | Mark Bird (Chair, ACA, Staff), Stewart Wilson MNZM (President, Trust, Clubrooms), Peter Meads (Treasurer, Finance), Mike Currie (Secretary, Fundraising), Alastair Lee (Judiciary, Women and Girls), Glenn Horne (Grounds, Facilities), Martin Webster (Funding), Hiren Patel (Indo Kiwi), Ross Deans (Senior representative), Bridget Smith (Sponsorship), Garrick Sutherland (Junior Committee, EDCA)   |
| CLUB MANAGER                                     | Phillip Dunn  |
| CLUB ADMINISTRATOR                               | Tanya Reynolds  |
| VICTORIA PARK SPORTS AND CULTURAL TRUST TRUSTEES | Nick Albrecht (Chair), Alastair Lee (Treasurer), Stewart Wilson MNZM  |



## JUNIOR COMMITTEE AND OTHER CLUB VIPS

### Junior Committee

|                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Chair              | Garrick Sutherland |
| Year 2             | Henry Willis       |
| Year 3             | Simon Velvin       |
| Year 4             | Garrick Sutherland |
| Under 10           | Bridget Smith      |
| Under 11           | Catherine Irving   |
| Under 12           | Tanya Reynolds     |
| Under 13           | Alana O'Neill      |
| Girl's Coordinator | Frances Sweetman   |

### EDCA Representatives

Glen White (Chair) and Garrick Sutherland

### JT Sparling Coordinator

Bridget Smith

### Club Administrator

Tanya Reynolds

### Premier Scorer

Chris McQuaid (Life Member)

### Club Coaches

|                                |  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Premier Men's Coach            | Raja Sandhu                            |
| Premier Reserves Men's Coach   | Thushan Dodampegamage (Vice President) |
| Premier Reserves Women's Coach | Nikheil Bhana                          |
| Head of Junior Coaching        | Mishaan Doolabh                        |



## CLUB CHAIR'S REPORT

Dear Grafton United members,

I welcome the opportunity to present my fifth chair's report and 162nd of the Grafton United Cricket Club.

### Overview

During the 2023/24 season, Grafton United enabled over 5,000 Aucklanders to experience the social and physical benefits of cricket. Your club stands proudly within the Auckland and New Zealand cricket communities.

The GUCC junior club saw over 518 junior members participant in cricket. This season saw us continue our school programmes with visits to 16 schools helping thousands more Aucklanders to experience cricket. Our senior numbers were stable with 15 teams.

A real highlight of the season has been our return to women's cricket - it had been a decade since our last side, so it has been wonderful to see our Premier Reserve Women's lionesses come through from our junior ranks into senior cricket.

Our Premier Men's side gaining promotion to the top flight of two-day cricket after winning the Tom Hellaby Trophy was also a stand out.

Continuing our strategy to provide fit-for-purpose facilities, we invested in our indoor school with replacement nets and re-engineering. This was enabled through greater focus and success with grant funding applications.

### Playing

The season saw some big championship wins and recognition.

Congratulations to the six senior teams who brought home championships - Premier Reserve Women, Premier Men, Friends XI, Allan's XI, Incredibles Gold and the Beige Brigade.

It was a huge thrill to see the Lionesses win a title in their first season of senior cricket, and also share in the Premier Men's two-day title achievement up in Hibiscus Coast on a rain affected last day of the season. Both teams represented Grafton proudly.

Topping off the season, Grafton saw success at the Auckland Cricket awards:

- Taine Bayly was named the Men's Club Cricketer of the Year with 45 wickets and 531 middle order runs
- Brad Morrow was awarded Community Coach of the Year for his efforts above and beyond for the U11 Jaguars and a JT Sparling side.

Well done to those who reached big milestones or higher honours -

The Premiers added three new baggy cap wearers:

- Baggy #179: Jack Duffy
- Baggy #180: Taine Bayly - also played a match for Auckland A.
- Baggy #181: Raja Sandhu

Special Grafton United baggy caps were also awarded to three legendary lions in recognition of their contribution to the premier side and wider club - Mike De Lautour (#65), Stewart Wilson MNZM (#92) and Thushan Dodampegamage (special recipient for coaching contribution).

Fellow baggy wearers brought up rare playing milestones - Nikheil Bhana (150 Premier matches), Dylan Taylor and Alex Edwards (both 100 Premier matches).

Another trio represented Tāmaki Makaurau Māori - Ben Brady, Fraser Campbell and Jack Duffy.





We also had a host of age group Auckland reps from different generations:

- Championship winning Auckland U17 Girls: Charli Dunn and Casey McAnulty
- Championship winning Auckland Over 40s: Farhan Mirza, Vishal Dube and Ryan Thakar
- Auckland Over 50s: Thushan Dodampegamage, Ben Handy and Stephen Schaapveld
- Auckland Over 60's: Peter Meads.

Farhan Mirza of the Beige Brigade went on to represent New Zealand in the Over 40s World Cup in Cape Town, appearing in the grand final against eventual champions South Africa. Fizz took 9 wickets (including 5 against India) at an average of 16.1 in 5 appearances. To acknowledge Grafton's support of his campaign, he gifted the club a stump from the grand final.

During the season, I was part of an Auckland Cricket grade cricket review working group that sought to ensure we are delivering fit-for-purpose competitions. As a result, the 2024/25 season will see new competitions for current third to fifth grade sides. While there will be some adjustment, I believe these competitions are an exciting change with multiple playing formats and finals cricket - every day of cricket will be meaningful and more likely to get a result.

Our junior committee, coordinators, coaches and managers did an amazing job to provide cricket for our younger members. Thank you all. You can read more about the season in our senior club captains report, Garrick Sutherland's junior chair report and our coordinators other reports in this booklet.

### Governance

I am grateful for the guidance and support of an experienced board, both in and out of cricket.

You are well served by your board, with each board member having oversight of a key area - Stewart Wilson (President, Trust and clubrooms); Mark Bird (Chair, ACA, staffing); Peter Meads (Hon Treasurer, finance); Mike Currie (Hon Secretary, fundraising); Alastair Lee (judiciary, women and girls cricket); Martin Webster (grants); Bridget Smith (juniors and sponsorship); Hiren Patel (Indo-Kiwi and seniors); Ross Deans (seniors); Glenn Horne (grounds and facilities); and Garrick Sutherland (junior chair, EDCA).

An addition to the board was Garrick Sutherland, who continued into his second season as Junior Chair. Alongside Bridget Smith, Garrick Sutherland represents our junior club.

### Finance

As you will see later in this report, the club made a loss of \$9,275 driven by investment in our indoor school and the postponement of the Super Sixes. Despite this, the club is financially secure. My thanks to Honourable Treasurer Peter Meads for his continued oversight in this area of the club, a role he has done for 20 years.

Unlocking grant funding to support projects has been a focus and continues to be an opportunity area for the club. We doubled the number of applications year-on-year and receiving three grants, exceeding our target.

Despite this, we are seeking further support to advance the indoor school upgrade. If you are able, we would be incredibly grateful for your donation, either directly to the club or via the Grafton Cricket Development Trust. Details are at [graftoncricket.co.nz/donate](http://graftoncricket.co.nz/donate).

On behalf of the club, I would like to thank Auckland Cricket for their ongoing support of the community game through the Club is the Hub programme.

### Grounds and Facilities

The board continues to actively engages with Auckland Council and the Waitematā Local Board over Victoria Park, the clubrooms and Cox's Bay.

The Victoria Park Sports and Cultural Trust (VSP&CT) has successfully renewed the clubroom lease on our behalf. This included formalisation of the VSP&CT's ownership of the building. This positions the club well for whatever





the future (stadium or not!) may hold for Victoria Park. My thanks to VSP&CT board members, including Nicholas Albrecht, Stewart Wilson and Alastair Lee.

We continue to take a stewardship position and work proactively to highlight the needs of our club, organised sports and recreation for the local community. Our ongoing position is that Victoria Park's primary purpose is sport and recreation.

The commercial music event Plane Sailing is likely to return in January 2025. We objected to this event given previous sport fields damage. A more extensive ground protection plan has been designed. We will continue to focus on limiting the impact and pushing for any damage to be rapidly remediated.

As part of our strategy to provide fit for purpose facilities we are investing in our indoor school. Stage 1 included net replacement and net rails re-engineering. A modern booking system will follow during the offseason. We want a facility that we're all proud of, is safer, and gets better utilisation across the community.

### **Club Management**

Alongside Phil Dunn and Tanya Reynolds in the office, the team was joined by new junior coach Mishaan Doolabh. It is great to have such a passionate coach on his journey and involved in developing the cricketing potential of our young members.

This is part of our continued focus in coaching which provides our players with opportunities to develop their skills. We now have four professional coaches - Mish, Raja and Thush were joined by Nikheil Bhana, our Women's coach.

As you will see later in our report, Phil has executed a business plan aligned to our strategic plan, with a particular highlight being his leadership of the indoor school project and increased grant success.

I want to acknowledge and give a big thanks to Phil, Tanya, Mish and the team for their tireless contribution to Grafton United.

### **Thank you**

On behalf of the club, I want to thank everyone who has played, coached, captained, scored, umpired, organised and supported. A special thanks to our board, committees and volunteers who shared their Grafton spirit, time and skills with the club.

Grafton United remains grateful to our sponsors and funders. Thank you to Steve and New World Victoria Park team; Jarrod and the Cricket Express team; Andrew, Hannah and the Behemoth Brewing Company team; and all our other club sponsors - you will find details of them in this annual report. I ask members to support these local businesses who support us.

G'ton for the Cup!

Mark Bird - Board Chair



# SENIOR CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

## Premier Club Captain Report

The 2023/24 campaign was a successful one for the senior squad, both on-field and off. A disappointing early exit at the semi-final stage of the Richard Jones Cup one-day competition was overshadowed by a successful red-ball campaign, which will see the Premier Men's side return to the Headley Howarth majors next season. Despite a difficult first half of the season, the Premier Reserve Men recovered strongly in the back half to solidify their place in the major red and white ball divisions. Many incredible performances and milestones were celebrated, which I'm sure will be detailed in the captains' reports.

- Along with the usual pre-season planning and goal setting, the squad set several off-field targets:
- Establish a presence amongst the Junior Club - Connect with the wider Senior Club
- Boost timely registrations and fee payments
- Fundraise & contribute towards a mobile training net for the club

It was particularly pleasing to see senior players getting out amongst the numerous junior games early on Saturday mornings, mingling with parents & kids at the junior musters days and helping with the end of season junior prize giving. I know this means a lot to many young lions aspiring to lead the senior club in years to come.

Thank you to Phil, Tanya, Mark and all of The Board for your support of the squad this season. We really appreciate your support and understanding around the desire for an outdoor net, we cannot understate how much this will help the quality of our training session as we tackle another big season ahead!

Thanks to Nick Gavigan for his efforts in organizing several great events across the club this season, in particular launching a monthly Club Night. It's a great initiative and we hope to see it continue to bring players from all across the club closer together. This will be a big focus for the season squad next season.

Congratulations to the many players and teams who picked up awards for the season's successes. Look forward to celebrating many more in 2024/25.

G'ton for the Cup

Kyle Ruffell - Premier Club Captain

## 3rd and 4th XI Club Captain Report

Another highly enjoyable and enriching season of cricket under the belt. For my group (which is largely the 3rd and 4th XI squad) it was characterized by big highs and big lows. The results themselves were somewhat disappointing for teams that were both at the top of grade last season.

4th XI had been in position to win the comp halfway through, and certainly held their ground finishing mid table. Given the team was promoted up 2 grades from 6th to 4th grade, this was basically a satisfying result. However, I know Ravi and the boys backed themselves to win it.

Highlights being two derby wins against Friends XI - which is a great achievement given Friends' XI standing as back to back 4th grade champions. Winning became near impossible following the bans handed to the team and several key players following a "passionate episode" late in a game vs Suburbs New Lynn, which was contrary to standards of conduct. This incident was a valuable catalyst for some deep discussions in the group around the way we play our cricket, and it has made us stronger.

3rd XI never really got off the ground and narrowly avoided a bottom place finish in 3rd grade. There were many factors contributing to our demise last season. From a high level I think the team is in a transition and is seeking an identity which befits all its players. There were lots of good ideas and intentions across our playing group and a very good level of skill, however these always seemed to work at odds with the ideas and intentions of others and



we lost critical moments in games. I would also suggest the level of competition in the grade was higher than it had been in previous years. There are some adjustments needed in the way of playing cricket. As always adversity is a great catalyst for development.

In general, the group continues to grow and flourish with each season as we establish leaders and key components. Our preseason was very strong and the turnout of players and level of commitment was brilliant. As I have reported previously, we are very much a values-based group - and what matters most to us is sharing the community of our brothers and enjoying our sport in the spirit of good fair competition. Special mention to Mark Bird for his overseeing and support which is highly appreciated. And to our captains Ravi Pal and Tyler Haslemore who carried the flag superbly for the club.

Nick Gavigan - 3rd and 4th XI Club Captain



## JUNIOR CHAIR'S REPORT

It is with immense pleasure that I present the season report for our Junior Club's 2023/24 season. Once again, we have witnessed a strong and successful season for our junior cricketers.

This season, we were thrilled to have 468 registered players, forming a total of 51 teams within our junior club. Additionally, we facilitated 52 cricketers who represented Waiheke Island under the administration of Grafton. It is encouraging to note continued growth in our numbers, particularly among our youngest players in the Year 1-2 grade and Year 4 grade, indicating significant development.

Our youngest members begin their journey by learning the basics in our Cub program on Thursday evenings at Cox's Bay. They then progress through our Saturday morning softball grades. Starting from Year 5 (Under 10), our teams transition to hard ball cricket and engage in matches against clubs outside our district. At the Under 12 level, our players have the opportunity to experience afternoon cricket, playing extended 30-over matches.

We welcomed to the club our new Junior Coach, Mishaan Doolabh, who brings amazing energy, passion, and the latest coaching techniques and skills. It was fantastic to see Mish jump right in from the get-go and support our parent coaches with great advice and mentorship. He brought the community together with his ability to share ideas and methods with the team.

Girls' cricket continues to grow, with participation starting in mixed junior grades and migrating to school or friendship-based teams in the Under 11s competition, where we have 3 teams. Then progressing through to Under 13s and Under 16s Auckland Cricket competitions. This is a key area of focus for the junior club to continue to foster and strengthen.

Our Sunday cricket program includes composite age group teams that compete in the JT Sparling Super Series against Parnell, University, Cornwall, and Howick Pakuranga. Our Under 11 Black team, in particular, has continued their success, maintaining an unbeaten record and securing the U11s title.

A highlight of this season was our U11 Jaguars and U11 JTS Black team coach, Brad Morrow, winning Auckland Cricket Community Coach of the Year. This award recognizes him going above and beyond as a team coach.

From the nomination:

*"Brad has a knack for spreadsheets that allows him to pinpoint areas of improvement and tailor his coaching, resulting in remarkable development and growth of the players. Always going the extra mile for his players, our winner showcases genuine care, consideration, and passion to inspire teams at Grafton United Cricket Club."*

A huge congratulations from Grafton for his continued passion and commitment to coaching our young aspiring cricketers.

We increased our Friday night events this season to great success and feedback. Thank you to the senior club and senior teams for their support and great work on the BBQ. Our Jr coach Mish ran a fantastic girls' blitz evening, attracting over 30 girls and creating an electric atmosphere!

This year, our prize-giving ceremony was held in the evening after the final evenings play at Cox's Bay, providing a fitting stage to honour players who excelled in their teams. Congratulations to the raffle winners, and we express our deep appreciation to our sponsors for their continued support.

In January, several of our teams represented the club at the Hawkes Bay cricket camps, providing invaluable experience on grass wickets in a tour environment.

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to the Junior Committee for their unwavering dedication and energy throughout this season, navigating uncertainties regarding season dates and conditions.



Many thanks to the families and friends who coached, umpired, scored, managed, transported, and supported our teams throughout the 2023/24 season. Your involvement is crucial to the thriving of cricket in our community, and we sincerely appreciate your dedication.

Lastly, I would like to extend my gratitude to Phil and Tanya for their exceptional organization and assistance throughout the season.

Thank you all for another remarkable season.

Garrick Sutherland - Junior Chair



## CLUB MANAGER'S REPORT

Another magic season at Grafton. As always, there are ups and downs throughout the season, this season was no exception. We approached the season feeling pretty good about ourselves, we had our premier coaching team locked in, we'd added Nikheil Bhana as our Women's Coach to compliment the team of Raja Sandhu and Thushan Dodamegamage. Unfortunately, our incumbent junior coach had opted late for other pastures, you got to love a few challenges early, helps get you focused. Step up Mishaan Doolabh and we are off! Mish had just finished his Bachelor of Sport and Recreation in Coaching and had been doing a marvellous job in our in-school coaching. We are super pleased to have Mish on board and our coaching and development programmes taking shape.

### Business Plan

The core focus on this business plan was focused on consolidation, embed the successes of the previous season, and improvement of the following: our programmes, how we engagement our community, our facilities, our revenue position.

### Registrations

We managed to continue to grow the number of our youngest members, still struggle a little in the youth space, though had great success in the collage girls training and hung in there nicely in the senior space. We are particularly proud of our new Women's Premier Reserves team.

### Teams

| SENIORS TEAMS                            | 2019-20   | 2020-21   | 2021-22   | 2022-23   | 2023/24   |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Premier                                  | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         |
| Premier Reserves                         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         |
| Premier Reserve Women                    |           |           |           |           | 1         |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade | 5         | 4         | 4         | 4         | 4         |
| Presidents                               | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         |
| One Day Teams                            | 9         | 7         | 6         | 4         | 3         |
| T20 Teams                                | 2         | 2         | 3         | 4         | 4         |
| <b>TOTAL SENIOR TEAMS</b>                | <b>19</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>15</b> |
| <b>JUNIOR AND YOUTH TEAMS</b>            |           |           |           |           |           |
| Junior Soft Ball                         | 22        | 25        | 18        | 22        | 25        |
| Youth Hard Ball                          | 25        | 26        | 26        | 25        | 19        |
| Girls only                               | 1         | 2         | 3         | 4         | 3         |
| Club Summer Series*                      | 2         | 3         | 3         | 1         | 4         |
| Waiheke Junior Cricket**                 | 4         | 6         | 5         | 5         | 6         |
| <b>TOTAL JUNIOR TEAMS</b>                | <b>54</b> | <b>62</b> | <b>55</b> | <b>57</b> | <b>57</b> |
| <b>TOTAL TEAMS</b>                       | <b>73</b> | <b>78</b> | <b>71</b> | <b>72</b> | <b>72</b> |

\*Formally Club of Origin

\*\*Waiheke softball and hardball teams

### Grounds

There isn't a year without challenges at Victoria Park or Cox's Bay. This year we managed to go without a dedicated groundsman for the majority of the season, this led to a rather poor experience at Cox's Bay and the need for a bucket or two of PVA glue to hold our #1 at Victoria Park together in March.



## Successes

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Premier Men   | Champions. We've had a couple of close seconds over recent years but this time around our boys earned promotion. Super proud.   |
| Premier Reserves Women  | First season in women's cricket and women won Reserves Tier 2 pre Christmas and were the only team to beat the eventual Tier 1 Champs post Christmas.   |
| 4th Grade - Indo-Kiwi Friends XI                              | Champions - Three years in a row! This time they left their run late, but you can't hold back the quality in this team. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade next year 🙄   |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Allans X1                             | Champions - Should it ever have been in doubt!  |
| Grafton Tigers  | After 15 Years the Grafton Tigers have called it a day. It was a tough season last season but you have been a pleasure to deal with and a joy to watch. There have been many titles along the way. We are proud of you, and you will be missed.   |
| Grafton Beige Brigade   | Champions - No unbeaten this season but still champions and winners of the 'Beige Trophy'. 🏆  |
| The Shockers  | Another champion team calls it a day. X titles and X years. It has been great to see the passionate and fun style of the Shockers. Personally, I have always loved the 8 slips in the opening over. You will be missed here at Grafton, as will be your presence pre-match at Swashbucklers 🍷   |
| JTS Under 11 Gold   | Champions - conquerors again! Another unbeaten season for this marvellous team.   |
| District Selection  | Grafton had multiple players selected for the Eastern Districts (EDCA) teams and the Western Districts (WDCA) teams for the annual ACA Districts Tournament: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Eastern Under 19 Boys      Ohm Patel, Hamish Reid</li> <li>Eastern Under 19 Girls      Charli Dunn</li> <li>Western Under 17 Girls      Casey McAnulty, Ella Cross, Lily Cuttriss</li> </ul> <p>Ella Cross was the top run scorer at the Under 17 Girls tournament with 123 runs at an average of 41 and strike rate of 69.49</p> |
| Auckland U17s Selection                                       | Charli Dunn and Casey McAnulty were selected for the Auckland U17s who won the National Tournament in Palmerston North with Charli top scoring in the final with 31 (off 28) and bowling 3 overs 2 for 3.   |
| Auckland A Selection  | Taine Bayly was selected and played for the As over the summer. Recognition of his impressive form.   |
| Auckland Cricket Premier Men Club Cricketer of the Year Award | And the winner is ... Taine Bayly. What a great season for Taine, acknowledged here at Grafton and then at Auckland Cricket. What an accolade.  |
| Nick Gavigan's Club Nights                                    | Cheers Nick, a love your drive to connect and bring everyone together. A great initiative and well organised.   |
| Senior Club Engagement  | Thanks to all the Premier Men, Premier Reserve Men and Women, 3rds and 4ths for taking time to be part of the junior club events. You are all roll models to our younger members and having you there on BBQ nights, walking the wickets pre games at Victoria Park, selling raffle tickets or dishing out awards at Junior Prize Giving, outstanding. It is the most connection I have seen in my time as Club Manager. Your help connect our junior and senior club, we are One Club through your efforts. 🙌                        |





## Looking ahead

We continue to forge the Grafton Way. Last season we were able to update the nets in our indoor training facility, now we need to finish this project with the turf and a lick of paint. Add to that we need to make sure we offer the best equipment and experience to ensure our members, our players, can train and perform to the best of their ability.

## Thanks

We are so grateful to our loyal sponsors and those that give so others can succeed. Special kudos to our sponsors; New World Victoria Park, Cricket Express, Kookaburra, Auckland Cricket, Behemoth, Auckland Ventilation, the grant funding organisations that have got in behind us; NZ Community Trust, Four Winds Foundation, Pub Charity Limited. We are proud to have you on our team.

Lastly, extra special thanks to Tanya Reynolds, we would be lost without you, the tireless Junior Committee, Club Captains Kyle Ruffell and Nick Gavigan, the Grafton Board, our club coaches; Raja Sandhu, Thushan Dodamegamage, Nikheil Bhana and Mishaan Doolabh, and lastly to all those volunteer coaches, managers and team helpers that help make this an amazing club to be part of. We are lucky to have you all working for the better of our members and our cricketing community.

## Hot of the press

Just as we finalise this report Auckland Cricket have announced the Auckland Academy Squads, and we are proud that the following Grafton players have been selected.

### Men

- Auckland As - Taine Bayly
- Auckland Under 17s - Luis Kerrigan and Sam Openshaw (Luis and Sam grew up playing junior cricket here at Grafton)

### Women

- Auckland Under 19s - Charli Dunn and Ella Cross
- Auckland Under 17s - Lily Cuttriss

Phil Dunn - Club Manager



## TREASURER'S REPORT

### For the Twelve Months Ended 30 April 2024

I am pleased to present the financial reports of the Grafton United Cricket Club (Inc.) for the year ended 30 April 2024. It should be noted that at the time of preparing the annual report the annual review had not been signed off.

The enclosed financial statements show that the club generated a loss for the year of \$9,274.

It should be noted that there is a loan from the Eastern Districts Cricket Association of \$25,000. This is being treated as a liability in the accounts. The loan may convert to income a later date but as at Balance Date we had not meet all of the conditions of the loan to allow conversion to income.

Our budget for the 2024 year has not yet been finalised. The ACA has confirmed that our grant for the 2024 year will be similar the grant we received in the 2024 year.

Our cash position decreased during the financial year by \$57,175 (2022 increase, \$6,630). This trend will be reversed in the 2025 year.

The Club is the Hub programme funded by the Auckland Cricket Association continues to be a sound initiative as it supports the provision of administrative support to the members and the attendance to a range of compliance matters.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our sponsors New World, Victoria Park, Cricket Express, Auckland Cricket, Behemoth, Kookaburra and AVS Air Systems. Their support greatly assists us to foster and grow the game of cricket in Auckland.

The accounting and administration processes once again worked well during the year. The club's compliance costs remain low.

Grafton United remains on a secure financial footing and will be able to withstand any significant environmental changes and the Board is committed maintaining this security.

Peter Meads

HON TREASURER

3 July 2024



## SENIOR TEAM RESULTS

| GRADE AND TEAM                     | COMPETITION                          | POSITION         |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>PREMIER AND RESERVES</b>        |                                      |                  |
| Premier Men                        | Two Day Minor - Tom Hellaby          | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |
|                                    | One Day Minor - Richard Jones Trophy | 3 <sup>rd</sup>  |
|                                    | T20 Championship                     | 4 <sup>th</sup>  |
| Premier Reserves                   | Two Day Majors                       | 5 <sup>th</sup>  |
|                                    | One Day Majors                       | 6 <sup>th</sup>  |
|                                    | T20 Championship                     | 5 <sup>th</sup>  |
| Premier Reserve Women              | Tier One - Limited Overs             | 4 <sup>th</sup>  |
|                                    | Tier Two - T20 (pre Christmas)       | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |
| <b>GRADE CRICKET</b>               |                                      |                  |
| Third Grade - 3rds                 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Championship   | 7 <sup>th</sup>  |
| Fourth Grade - Grafton Friends XI  | 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Championship   | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |
| Fourth Grade - Grafton 4ths        | 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Championship   | 4 <sup>th</sup>  |
| Fifth Grade - Allan's X1           | 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Championship   | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |
| <b>PRESIDENTS</b>                  |                                      |                  |
| Presidents                         | Presidents Grade                     | 8 <sup>th</sup>  |
| <b>MEN'S ONE DAY GRADES</b>        |                                      |                  |
| Grafton Indo Kiwi Incredibles Gold | 1B - One Day Major                   | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |
| Grafton Tigers                     | 1B - One Day Major                   | 10 <sup>th</sup> |
| Grafton Indo Kiwi Gujaratis        | 2A - One Day Major                   | 10 <sup>th</sup> |
| <b>MEN'S TWENTY20 LEAGUES</b>      |                                      |                  |
| Grafton Free Ballers               | Saturday 1A                          | 4 <sup>th</sup>  |
| Beige Brigade                      | Sunday 1A                            | 1 <sup>st</sup>  |

## SENIOR CLUB AWARDS

| AWARD                           | DESCRIPTION                          | WINNER  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| Sel Shirley Trophy              | Two Day Player of the Season         | Taine Bayly (Premier Men)                     |
| Stew Wilson Cup                 | One Day Player of the Season         | Jack Duffy (Premier Men)                      |
| Ian Fisher Trophy               | Captain of the Year                  | Alex Edwards (Premier Men)                    |
| The De Freatus Bat              | Highest score in any grade           | Luke Howlett (Allans X1)                      |
| H. Levy Memorial Cup            | Most Improved Player - Senior Men    | Thomas Drumm (Premier Reserves Men)           |
| Karen Plummer Cup               | Women's Player of the Year (MVP)     | Madde Stanton (Premier Reserves Women)        |
| Phil Woodward Cup               | Premier Player of the Year           | Taine Bayly (Premier Men)                     |
| 2nd Team Player of the Year Cup | Reserves Player of the Year          | Shaan Vaidya (Premier Reserves Men)           |
| 3rds Player of the Year         | 3rds Player of the Year              | Abby Sharma (3rds)                            |
| 4ths Player of the Year         | 4ths Player of the Year              | Pradeep Kumar (4ths)                          |
| Premier Cup                     | Premier Players' Player of the Year  | Renay Meadows (Premier Men)                   |
| Team Man Trophy                 | Reserves Players' Player of the Year | Will Kindley & James Pickering (Reserves Men) |
| Youth Player of the Year        | Youth Playing Senior Cricket         | Ella Cross (Premier Reserves Women)           |
| George Childs Cup               | Club Administrator of the Year       | Kyle Ruffell (Premier Reserves Men)           |
| Jack Williams Award             | Club Person of the Season            | Nick Gavigan                                  |



## JUNIOR CLUB INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM AWARDS

### Youth Grade Awards

|                           |                                   |                                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Girls' Player of the Year | <b>Grace O'Sullivan</b>           | McAnulty Cup                          |
| U12 Player of the Year    | <b>Flynn McGregor</b>             | Junior Afternoon player of the season |
| U11 Player of the Year    | <b>Max Smythe &amp; Sam Jisen</b> | Mrs Horspool Trophy                   |
| U10 Player of the Year    | <b>Oscar Berry</b>                |                                       |

### Special Awards

|                   |                     |   |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|
| Coach of the Year | <b>Dave Murdoch</b> | U11 Lionesses and U11 Tigress Squad Coach |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|

### JUNIOR AND YOUTH TEAM AWARDS

| TEAM                                | COACH(ES)                      | BEST BATTER        | BEST BOWLER          | MVP               | MOST IMPROVED          |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| <b>GIRLS ONLY GRADES - UNDER 11</b> |                                |                    |                      |                   |                        |
| Lionesses/Tigress                   | Dave Murdoch                   | Grace O'Sullivan   | Alice Howard         |                   | Jasri Vallabh          |
| Lionesses/Tigress                   | Dave Murdoch                   | Minnie Donaldson   | Olivia Halpin        |                   | Isobel Beck            |
| Vixens                              | Mark Crysell                   | Cecelia Harmsworth | Charlotte Reeves     |                   | Sofia Hutchinson       |
| <b>UNDER 12</b>                     |                                |                    |                      |                   |                        |
| Dolphins                            | Sam Dickie<br>Sam White        | Walter Dickie      | Ed Brown             |                   | James Dedding          |
| Dragons                             | Rick Todd                      | Jack Rowan         | Luka Milina          |                   | Charlie Falloon        |
| Giants                              | Jason Fullerton-Smith          | Lachlan Reynolds   | Alex Fullerton-Smith |                   | Joe Graham             |
| Jets                                | Craig Priscott<br>Paul Roberts | Benji Roberts      | Joel Baguley         | Sam Priscott      |                        |
| Sharks                              | Tim Bates                      | Frank Crosbie      | Charlie Fa'afoi      | Noah Xharra Bates |                        |
| Stingrays                           | Mike Berry<br>Mike Reid        | Ollie Eriksen      | Fedde Berry          | Flynn McGregor    |                        |
| <b>UNDER 11</b>                     |                                |                    |                      |                   |                        |
| Cheetahs                            | Steve Will                     | Jamie Will         | Jack Bryden          | Harry French      |                        |
| Cougars                             | Brent Smythe                   | Max Smythe         | Harry McGregor       |                   | Aleph Reade-Shareef    |
| Jaguars                             | Brad Morrow<br>Callum Morrison | Arlo Morrison      | Alex Gitsham         |                   | Louis de Castro-Groves |
| Lions                               | Richard Yelash                 | Alby Richards      | Archie James         | Sam Jisen         |                        |
| Panthers                            | Tom Irving                     | Sam Eriksen        | Charles Wells        |                   | Remy Hart              |
| Pumas                               | Jeremy Sutton                  | Ed Neal            | Dean Milina          |                   | Oliver Moore           |
| <b>UNDER 10</b>                     |                                |                    |                      |                   |                        |
| Devine                              | Rick Foxwell                   | Benjamin Smith     | Oscar Berry          |                   | Julius (JJ) Court      |
| Jensen                              | Roman Kubala                   | Josh Taverna       | Daniel Dhanji        |                   | Pablo Bennington       |
| Mackay                              | Simon Gray<br>Zac Stephenson   | Tyler Stephenson   | Finn Gray            | Jax Munday        |                        |
| Penfold                             | Peter Lorimer                  | Theo Jansen        | Coen Cousins         | Tyler Keefe       |                        |



| TEAM          | COACH(ES)                  | BEST BATTER       | BEST BOWLER         | MVP               | MOST IMPROVED      |
|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| <b>YEAR 4</b> |                            |                   |                     |                   |                    |
| Bayly         | Glen Noble                 | Leo Johnson       | Sean Noble          |                   | Freddie Perrett    |
| Bhana         | Garrick Sutherland         | Leo Newport       | Harrison Sutherland |                   | Oliver Betts       |
| Duffy         | Nick Smyth<br>Howard Smith | Finn Crowhen      | Nico Woods          |                   | Stella Pettitt     |
| Edwards       | Tony Moyle                 | Rico Moyle        | James Miller-Ibos   |                   | Reggie Barrington  |
| Gunawardane   | Ben Shurr<br>Jono Swanston | Charlie Swanson   | Harry Penney        |                   | Henry Marett       |
| Kindley       | Scott Probett              | Reuben Brown      | Rupert Marcroft     |                   | Sam Patel          |
| Ruffell       | Ben Hurst                  | Louie Beagley     | Harrison Drury      | Henry King        |                    |
| Sandhu        | Jon Wild                   | Leo McCready      | Otis Wild           |                   | Theo Denham        |
| Taylor        | Jono Swanston              | Spencer Reid      | James Thompson      |                   | Ferguson Baker     |
| <b>YEAR 3</b> |                            |                   |                     |                   |                    |
| Bracewell     | Simon Velvin               | Joseph Pownall    | Stanley Wells       | Max Howard        | Sebastian Johnston |
| Milne         | Greg Loveridge             | Rufus Stonewall   | Ruairi Loveridge    | Sebastian Longley | Nate Nicol         |
| Neesham       | Scott Probett              | Alfie Owen        | Charlie Dick        |                   | Anya Johnson       |
| Santner       | Alex Campbell              | Basil Readon      | Charlie Campbell    | Beau Allen        | Dhevan Budhia      |
| Sodhi         | Simon Gray                 | Landon Reid       | Henry Ritchie       | Hugo Smith        | William Probett    |
| <b>YEAR 2</b> |                            |                   |                     |                   |                    |
| Border        | Hamish Herbert             | George Edlin      | Henry McAuley       |                   | Zach Johnson       |
| Botham        | Adam Weal                  | Jake Mavor        | Euan Fyfe           |                   | Khadijah Haji      |
| Bradman       | Simon Velvin               | Jasper Hinton     | Huxley Velvin       | Sid Hurst         |                    |
| Gayle         | Antony Leeuwen             | Seb Lyon          | Jasper Longley      |                   | Ray Dobson-Kircher |
| Gilchrist     | Cam Wallace                | Charlotte Wallace | Thomas Barber       |                   | Thomas McElhinney  |
| Hadlee        | Henry Willis               | Guy Bowkett       | Thomas Smyth        |                   | Oaklan Traill      |
| Lara          | Andrew Suggate             | Luca Tilley       | Patrick Walton      | Max Cooper        |                    |
| Lillee        | Barney Montgomery          | Otis Tetzlaff     | Jonty Montgomery    | Toby Allbon       |                    |
| Ponting       | Dave Tippett               | Will Hardy        | Arlo McKimmon       |                   | Max Sauter         |
| Richards      | Kim Shearstone             | Toby Halse        | Robert MacDonald    |                   | Harry Clifton      |












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## TEAM CAPTAIN SEASON REPORTS

### PREMIER MEN'S CAPTAINS REPORT

After a vastly different and incredibly enjoyable pre-season the Grafton Premier Men began their hunt for silverware with an initial six-week block of two-day cricket. First up was a trip out south to play recently relegated Papatoetoe for what would be a great measuring stick for our title aspirations. After losing the toss and being asked to bowl we hit the ground running and put in a dominant display. A maiden Premier five wicket haul from Nikheil Bhana (5-25) saw us dismantle Papatoetoe for 104 a total which we chased with ease on the back of a maiden Grafton Premier centuries for Jeremy Houghton (100\*) and Taine Bayly (105\*) at better than a run a ball, the partnership worth over 200 runs. This gave us a significant lead which was insurmountable for the southerners, who we beat by an innings and 74 runs - Taine Bayly the chief destroyer with (6-37). Our next outing, a return to home to play Ellerslie, saw us win the toss and bowl - wickets were shared amongst the bowlers before we found ourselves in significant trouble six down with the score showing 81 in pursuit of 184. This provided a chance for our youngest player Jack Duffy to steal the show, securing us first innings points on the back of some significant contributions from our lower order, our young wicketkeeper stole the show with a classy 95 to steal victory from the jaws of defeat. A washout in the first day of our final pre-Christmas two-day fixture saw the second day played as a one-day match using a red ball. Sineth Gunawardene made a patient 88 while wickets fell at the other end setting Waitakere 268 to chase. This proved to be more than enough as Nikheil Bhana took (6-13) blowing Waitakere off the park for 108.

The middle of the season in the Premier grade is dedicated to the white ball campaigns. The highlight of this portion of the season was the one-day Richard Jones Championship. First up we travelled to Ellerslie, fifties from Jack Duffy (80) and Alex Edwards (57) gave us 260 to defend - newly appointed one-day Captain Dylan Taylor spun us to victory with (4-30). Next up was Papatoetoe at home where we were asked to bowl on a good Victoria Park track - wickets were shared as we managed to bowl the visitors out for 179 before Taine Bayly (83\*) and Jack Duffy (52\*) saw us home by six wickets. Our next game was at home against Kumeu, turned out to be one for the record books. A 231-opening stand between Taine Bayly (120) and a maiden Premier century from skipper Dylan Taylor (102) saw us pile on 345. The task too much for Kumeu, as Taine Bayly capped of a fantastic day with 4-36. Our first hiccup of the campaign saw us travel to Birkenhead, we fought hard for 196 before losing in the final over by one wicket. The fifth round saw us host Hibiscus Coast (eventual champions). We won the toss and bowled Hibiscus out for 174 - unfortunately we made tough work of it collapsing to 20-4 before a 130-run stand between Alex Edwards (86) and Jack Duffy (49\*) got us over the line. Our next game saw us travel to play competition favourites Eden Roskill in what was a rain affected 39 over affair. We lost the toss and only mustered 176 in bowler friendly conditions. Roskill were cruising in pursuit at 116-4 before a monumental collapse saw us bundle the hosts out for 168, 9 runs short of victory. This win secured our side a home semi-final with one round still to play. We closed out the round robin with a dominant win against Waitakere at home. Scoring 214 on the back of Kyle Ruffell's well made (5) in a rain affected 39 over fixture we bundled the westerners out for 147, with wickets once again shared.

We hosted Birkenhead in the Semi-Final - on a flat Victoria Park wicket we managed to bowl the opposition out for 218 which we thought was well below par. A thought that was well justified when we raced out to 173-3 on the back of twin fifties from our experienced middle order pairing of Kyle Ruffell (50) and Sineth Gunawardene (51). However, funny things happen in cricket with the added pressure of finals. Sadly, our men lost 7-37 falling 6 runs short with the penultimate ball being caught on the long-on boundary to end our campaign. A massive learning experience for our young group which we are positive we will correct in the 2024-25 season. In amongst this the boys placed 4th in our T20 pool - some highlights included Jack Duffy's scores of (53\* off 26) and (48\* off 18), Dylan Taylor's (43 off 24) and (52 off 47) and Fraser Campbell's maiden Premier men five-wicket haul (6-16).





After Christmas and back into two-day cricket, we headed out west to play Kumeu. A five-wicket haul from Taine Bayly (5-69) followed by twin fifties from Sineth Gunawardene and Jack Duffy got us first innings points before a brave spell of on a flat wicket by Fraser Campbell (4-31) left us 175 to chase late on day two. Another classy performance from Sineth (66\*) steadied the ship and saw us take home maximum points. On the back of a painful loss to Birkenhead in the one-day semi-final, round 5 in the two-day grade gave our squad a shot at redemption against Birkenhead. Losing the toss and being put into bat Dylan Taylor made batting look easy and piled on (126) at better than a run a ball, his second century of the season setting Birkenhead 253 for victory. Hard toil on a pitch which became incredibly favourable for batting, we secured first innings points with the attack sharing the wickets. A sporting declaration with a lead of 170 gave the visitors a sniff at outright in around 45 overs. As captain I must say I was feeling very nervous about the decision when Birkenhead raced out to 66-1 but as the story went for most of the season Taine Bayly (5-38) spun us to victory with an incredible spell. This left us sitting pretty with a 20-point lead going into the final two rounds. Our penultimate game against Howick Pakuranga, the boys from out east wiped us off the park as we conceded first innings points. Outright points were saved by youngster Garth Olliff (65\*), which come seasons end would become a pivotal performance in our campaign. Our final fixture of the season saw us travel to Hibiscus Coast to play the one-day title winners. Rain effected much of this match and after being put into bat on a green, wet pitch, the boys were reeling at 95-5. Thankfully coach and captain, Raja Sandhu (90) and Alex Edwards (67) combined to get a respectable 271. As previously mentioned much of this game and others were rain affected and with the standings only having a few points in it, the side badly needed first innings points to claim the Tom Hellaby. Ten minutes before the heavens opened for the final time of the season the Grafton boys pulled off first innings points on the back of a herculean 6-21) in 23 overs by Auckland Premier Club Cricketer of the Year - Taine Bayly and thus won promotion into the Hedley Howarth for 2024/25.

A special congratulations to debutants (Ryan Whelan, Pero Garlick, Thomas Drumm, Shaan Vaidya and Josh Brazendale)

Other huge congratulations to milestone players; Nikheil Bhana (150 matches), Dylan Taylor (100 matches), Alex Edwards (100 matches), Garth Olliff (50 matches) and Jack Duffy (50 matches).

A massive thank you to Coaches Raja Sandhu and Thushan Dodampegamage, scorer extraordinaire Chris McQuaid. A special thank you to those leaving us during the off season - Nikheil Bhana and Renay Meadows - both players with differing experience, have contributed massively to our culture and built the fabric of what it means to be a Grafton Lion. We wish you both all the very best with your future endeavours.

Alex Edwards and Dylan Taylor - Premier Men's Captains



## PREMIER STATISTICS

### BATTING AVERAGES

| Player             | Matches | Inns | N.O. | Best | Runs | Avg   | 100s | 50s |
|--------------------|---------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|
| Sineth Gunawardane | 21      | 24   | 4    | 88   | 710  | 35.50 | 0    | 5   |
| Taine Bayly        | 15      | 17   | 2    | 120  | 531  | 35.40 | 2    | 1   |
| Jack Duffy         | 21      | 23   | 4    | 95   | 642  | 33.79 | 0    | 5   |
| Dylan Taylor       | 18      | 21   | 0    | 126  | 601  | 28.62 | 2    | 1   |
| Raja Sandhu        | 14      | 12   | 4    | 90   | 220  | 27.50 | 0    | 1   |
| Kyle Ruffell       | 15      | 16   | 1    | 57   | 379  | 25.27 | 0    | 2   |
| Jeremy Houghton    | 12      | 11   | 1    | 100* | 252  | 25.20 | 1    | 0   |
| Garth Olliff       | 18      | 19   | 4    | 65*  | 343  | 22.87 | 0    | 1   |
| Alex Edwards       | 21      | 20   | 1    | 86   | 369  | 19.42 | 0    | 3   |
| Fraser Campbell    | 19      | 17   | 4    | 33*  | 199  | 15.31 | 0    | 0   |
| Renay Meadows      | 20      | 11   | 7    | 16   | 50   | 12.50 | 0    | 0   |
| Nikheil Bhana      | 21      | 14   | 2    | 23*  | 113  | 9.42  | 0    | 0   |
| Ryan Whelan        | 6       | 3    | 1    | 17   | 18   | 9.00  | 0    | 0   |
| Josh Brazendale    | 5       | 4    | 1    | 14   | 17   | 5.67  | 0    | 0   |

#### ALSO PLAYED

|              |   |   |   |     |    |       |   |   |
|--------------|---|---|---|-----|----|-------|---|---|
| Ben Brady    | 3 | 1 | 1 | 20* | 20 | -     | 0 | 0 |
| Tom Drumm    | 1 | 2 | 1 | 23* | 29 | 29.00 | 0 | 0 |
| Pero Garlick | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0*  | 0  | -     | 0 | 0 |
| Shaan Vaidya | 2 | - |   |     |    |       |   |   |
| Ben Brady    | 3 | 1 | 1 | 20* | 20 | -     | 0 | 0 |

### BOWLING AVERAGES

| Player             | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | 5i | Best | Avg   | R.P.O. |
|--------------------|-------|---------|------|---------|----|------|-------|--------|
| Alex Edwards       | 26.5  | 0       | 129  | 9       |    | 3-19 | 14.33 | 4.81   |
| Taine Bayly        | 198   | 35      | 674  | 45      | 4  | 6-21 | 14.98 | 3.40   |
| Fraser Campbell    | 125.5 | 18      | 484  | 32      | 1  | 6-16 | 15.13 | 3.85   |
| Renay Meadows      | 69.4  | 6       | 336  | 18      |    | 3-9  | 18.67 | 4.82   |
| Dylan Taylor       | 79    | 5       | 364  | 19      |    | 4-30 | 19.16 | 4.61   |
| Nikheil Bhana      | 186.2 | 24      | 723  | 36      | 2  | 6-13 | 20.08 | 3.88   |
| Ryan Whelan        | 29    | 4       | 131  | 6       |    | 2-19 | 21.83 | 4.52   |
| Sineth Gunawardane | 114.1 | 12      | 494  | 22      |    | 3-11 | 22.45 | 4.33   |
| Kyle Ruffell       | 65.5  | 15      | 227  | 7       |    | 3-31 | 32.43 | 3.45   |
| Raja Sandhu        | 25    | 3       | 120  | 2       |    | 1-8  | 60.00 | 4.80   |

#### ALSO PLAYED

|              |    |   |    |   |  |      |       |      |
|--------------|----|---|----|---|--|------|-------|------|
| Ben Brady    | 20 | 5 | 39 | 1 |  | 1-7  | 39.00 | 1.95 |
| Pero Garlick | 12 | 1 | 33 | 2 |  | 2-33 | 16.50 | 2.75 |
| Shaan Vaidya | 4  | 0 | 32 | 1 |  | 1-32 | 32.00 | 8.00 |

### WICKETKEEPING

| NAME       | WICKETS                 |
|------------|-------------------------|
| Jack Duffy | 33 catches, 2 stumpings |

### CATCHES

| #  | NAMES  |
|----|--|
| 13 | Sineth Gunawardane                                     |
| 12 | Alex Edwards   |
| 10 | Fraser Campbell, Garth Olliff, Dylan Taylor            |
| 6  | Taine Bayly, Nikheil Bhana, Renay Meadows, Raja Sandhu |
| 5  | Kyle Ruffell   |



|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 4 | Jeremy Houghton |
| 1 | Shaan Vaidya    |

## AVERAGES IN TWO-DAY GAMES (Minimum 5 innings or 40 overs)

### TWO-DAY BATTING AVERAGES

| Player             | Matches | Inns | N.O. | Best | Runs | Avge  | 100s | 50s |
|--------------------|---------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|
| Garth Olliff       | 4       | 7    | 2    | 65*  | 182  | 36.40 | 0    | 1   |
| Sineth Gunawardane | 6       | 9    | 1    | 66   | 271  | 33.88 | 0    | 3   |
| Taine Bayly        | 5       | 7    | 1    | 105* | 198  | 33.00 | 1    | 0   |
| Raja Sandhu        | 4       | 5    | 1    | 90   | 128  | 32.00 | 0    | 1   |
| Dylan Taylor       | 6       | 9    | 0    | 126  | 248  | 27.56 | 1    | 0   |

### TWO-DAY BOWLING AVERAGES

| Player          | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | 5i | Best | Avge  | R.P.O. |
|-----------------|-------|---------|------|---------|----|------|-------|--------|
| Renay Meadows   | 29    | 6       | 102  | 9       |    | 3-9  | 11.33 | 3.52   |
| Taine Bayly     | 124   | 28      | 379  | 28      | 4  | 6-21 | 13.54 | 3.06   |
| Fraser Campbell | 79.4  | 16      | 246  | 16      |    | 4-31 | 15.38 | 3.09   |
| Nikheil Bhana   | 98.2  | 22      | 291  | 12      | 1  | 5-25 | 24.25 | 2.96   |
| Kyle Ruffell    | 47.5  | 14      | 143  | 5       |    | 3-31 | 28.60 | 2.99   |

## AVERAGES IN ONE-DAY GAMES (Minimum 4 innings or 20 overs)

Note: White ball forms combined as there were only four games each in one-day and Twenty20 competitions

### ONE-DAY BATTING AVERAGES

| Player       | Matches | Inns | N.O. | Best | Runs | Avge  | 100s | 50s |
|--------------|---------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|
| Kyle Ruffell | 5       | 4    | 0    | 57   | 183  | 45.75 | 0    | 2   |
| Jack Duffy   | 9       | 9    | 2    | 80   | 307  | 43.86 | 0    | 2   |
| Taine Bayly  | 7       | 7    | 1    | 120  | 263  | 43.83 | 1    | 1   |
| Raja Sandhu  | 5       | 4    | 2    | 35   | 70   | 35.00 | 0    | 0   |
| Dylan Taylor | 8       | 8    | 0    | 102  | 249  | 31.13 | 1    | 0   |

### ONE-DAY BOWLING AVERAGES

| Player             | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | 5i | Best | Avge  | R.P.O. |
|--------------------|-------|---------|------|---------|----|------|-------|--------|
| Alex Edwards       | 23.5  | 0       | 107  | 8       |    | 3-19 | 13.38 | 4.49   |
| Dylan Taylor       | 57    | 4       | 242  | 15      |    | 4-30 | 16.13 | 4.25   |
| Taine Bayly        | 62    | 7       | 203  | 12      |    | 4-36 | 16.92 | 3.27   |
| Nikheil Bhana      | 71    | 2       | 306  | 18      | 1  | 6-13 | 17.00 | 4.31   |
| Sineth Gunawardane | 62.5  | 6       | 242  | 14      |    | 3-28 | 17.29 | 3.85   |

## PREMIER CENTURY

|      |  |                |
|------|--|----------------|
| 126  | Dylan Taylor v Birkenhead (two-day)    | 24/2/2024      |
| 120  | Taine Bayly v Kumeu (one-day)          | 16/12/2023     |
| 105* | Taine Bayly v Papatoetoe (two-day)     | 21, 28/10/2023 |
| 102  | Dylan Taylor v Kumeu (one-day)         | 16/12/2023     |
| 100* | Jeremy Houghton v Papatoetoe (two-day) | 21, 28/10/2023 |

## BEST PREMIER ONE-DAY BATTING PARTNERSHIPS

|     |      |   |            |
|-----|------|---|------------|
| 1st | 231  | Dylan Taylor (102) and Taine Bayly (120) v Kumeu          | 16/12/2023 |
| 2nd | 71   | Dylan Taylor (38) and Kyle Ruffell (50) v Birkenhead      | 11/2/2024  |
| 3rd | 66   | Kyle Ruffell (57) and Sineth Gunawardane (34) v Waitakere | 3/2/2024   |
| 4th | 82   | Jeremy Houghton (28) and Alex Edwards (57) v Ellerslie    | 2/12/2023  |
| 5th | 136  | Alex Edwards (86) and Jack Duffy (49*) v Hibiscus Coast   | 20/1/2024  |
|     | 103* | Taine Bayly (83*) and Jack Duffy (52*) v Papatoetoe       | 9/12/2023  |



|      |     |  |            |
|------|-----|--|------------|
| 6th  | 21  | Jack Duffy (34) and Garth Olliff (12) v Eden-Roskill       | 27/1/2024  |
| 7th  | 55  | Jack Duffy (80) and Fraser Campbell (15) v Ellerslie       | 2/12/2023  |
| 8th  | 51  | Sineth Gunawardane (88) and Nikheil Bhana (23) v Waitakere | 18/11/2023 |
| 9th  | 50  | Jack Duffy (80) and Ryan Whelan (17) v Ellerslie           | 2/12/2023  |
| 10th | 19* | Raja Sandhu (17*) and Renay Meadows (8*) v Birkenhead      | 13/1/2024  |
|      | 19  | Sineth Gunawardane (88) and Renay Meadows (1*) v Waitakere | 18/11/2023 |

Note: 1st wicket partnership is a new record for any wicket in a Premier one-day limited overs match

Note: 5th wicket partnership is a new record for this wicket in a Premier one-day limited overs match

## BEST PREMIER TWO-DAY BATTING PARTNERSHIPS

|      |      |   |                |
|------|------|---|----------------|
| 1st  | 80   | Alex Edwards (39) and Kyle Ruffell (47) v Howick-Pakuranga      | 09/03/2024     |
| 2nd  | 18   | Kyle Ruffell (29) and Alex Edwards (2) v Papatoetoe             | 21/10/2023     |
| 3rd  | 117  | Dylan Taylor (126) and Sineth Gunawardane (42) v Birkenhead     | 24/02/2024     |
| 4th  | 103  | Sineth Gunawardane (56) and Jack Duffy (51) v Kumeu             | 10/02/2024     |
| 5th  | 205* | Jeremy Houghton (100*) and Taine Bayly (105*) v Papatoetoe      | 21, 28/10/2023 |
| 6th  | 49*  | Sineth Gunawardane (66*) and Garth Olliff (26*) v Kumeu         | 17/02/2024     |
| 7th  | 90   | (36) Ben Brady (20 ret N.O.) and Jack Duffy (95) v Ellerslie    | 4/11/2023      |
|      |      | (54) Jack Duffy (95) and Renay Meadows (16) v Ellerslie         | 11/11/2023     |
| 8th  | 74*  | Garth Olliff (65*) and Fraser Campbell (33*) v Howick-Pakuranga | 10/03/2024     |
| 9th  | 37   | Raja Sandhu (90) and Nikheil Bhana (14) v Hibiscus Coast        | 16/03/2024     |
| 10th | 40   | Raja Sandhu (90) and Renay Meadows (7*) v Hibiscus Coast        | 16/03/2024     |

Note: 5th wicket partnership is a new record for this wicket in a Premier two-day match

## NEW RECORD TWENTY20 BATTING PARTNERSHIPS, 2022-23

|      |     |   |           |
|------|-----|---|-----------|
| 2nd  | 91  | Dylan Taylor (53) and Alex Edwards (54) v Papatoetoe      | 22/1/2023 |
| 4th  | 122 | Sineth Gunawardane (80) and Will Martin (55*) v Ellerslie | 22/1/2023 |
| 10th | 15  | Nick Robinson (7*) and Raja Sandhu (11) v Parnell         | 18/1/2023 |

## RECORD-EQUALLING TWENTY20 BATTING PARTNERSHIP, 2023-24

|     |    |   |            |
|-----|----|---|------------|
| 9th | 29 | Fraser Campbell (11) and Nikheil Bhana (23*) v Cornwall | 13/12/2023 |
|-----|----|---|------------|

## HAT-TRICK IN PREMIER INNINGS, 2023-24

|               |                       |            |
|---------------|-----------------------|------------|
| Nikheil Bhana | v Waitakere (one-day) | 25/11/2023 |
|---------------|-----------------------|------------|

## FIVE WICKETS IN A PREMIER INNINGS, 2023-24

|          |   |               |
|----------|---|---------------|
| 6 - 13 * | Nikheil Bhana v Waitakere (one-day)           | 25/11/2023    |
| 6 - 16 # | Fraser Campbell v Howick-Pakuranga (Twenty20) | 10/12/2023    |
| 6 - 21   | Taine Bayly v Hibiscus Coast (two-day)        | 16, 23/3/2024 |
| 6 - 37   | Taine Bayly v Papatoetoe (two-day)            | 28/10/2023    |
| 5 - 25   | Nikheil Bhana v Papatoetoe (two-day)          | 21/10/2023    |
| 5 - 38   | Taine Bayly v Birkenhead (two-day)            | 2/3/2024      |
| 5 - 69   | Taine Bayly v Kumeu (two-day)                 | 10/02/2024    |

\* Record in a Premier one-day limited overs match

# Record in a Premier Twenty20 match



## PREMIER RESERVES CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Premier Reserves had an honest season in the ACA's Major Premier Reserve competitions, finishing sixth in the Two-Day Comp, sixth in the 50-Over comp, and seventh in the Twenty20 competition.

The team enjoyed a positive turn-around in the new year, winning a number of games and showing the potential that this team has. The fourth-place finish in the two-day format could have easily been second if not for a washout on the final day of season.

Thomas Drumm solidified himself as the "rock" of the Reserves middle order throughout the season, tallying 400 runs at an average of 23.5. His calm temperament dug the Reserves out of many a tough situation, then putting the pressure back on the bowlers with his trademark pull shot. His form earned him a deserved call up to the Premiers late in the season.

Starting the season with the keeping gloves, Anurag Narula's rise to be one of the competition's top bowlers was quite remarkable. Anurag claimed a whopping 45 wickets at an eye-watering average of 7.3 - all in less than three quarters of a season. Anurag took more than 3 wickets on 8 occasions, and claimed two 5-wicket bags, including a season best 6/16. He combined with Pero Garlick to bamboozle many prem reserve batting units.

In his first full season with Grafton, Shaan Vaidya showcased his potential as an all-round cricketer. Shaan bagged 22 wickets including two 5-fa's - one of these coming in less than a session against Eden Roskill. Shaan also tallied a valuable 283 runs at an average of 23.5, showing his promise with the bat. A livewire in the field, Shaan caught 8 catches, 1 run out, and added a great deal of value to the squad as a true team man - sorting the chilly bin, ice, and the coveted iced animals.

Credit must also go to James & Tony Pickering, who brought some real energy to the squad on their return to the club. Not to forget the big jerry himself, Thushan Dodamegamage, who's time & contribution in coaching and managing are always appreciated. Many positives to reflect on and we look forward to singing the G'ton song more consistently next season.

Will Kindly - Reserves Captain



## PREMIER RESERVES STATISTICS

### BATTING

| Player                  | Inns | N.O. | Best | Runs | 4s | 6s | Avg   | 50s | 100s |
|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|----|----|-------|-----|------|
| Thomas Drumm            | 17   |      | 82   | 400  | 41 | 4  | 23.53 | 2   |      |
| Josh Brazendale         | 17   |      | 84   | 356  | 33 | 6  | 20.94 | 2   |      |
| Shaan Vaidya            | 19   | 7    | 59*  | 283  | 26 | 7  | 23.58 | 1   |      |
| Will Kindley ©          | 16   |      | 45   | 229  | 32 | 0  | 14.31 |     |      |
| Cory Henderson          | 19   |      | 42   | 221  | 17 | 5  | 11.63 |     |      |
| Archie Gothard          | 11   |      | 81   | 212  | 22 | 2  | 19.27 | 1   |      |
| James Pickering         | 11   | 2    | 34   | 184  | 14 | 0  | 20.44 |     |      |
| Ben Brady               | 14   | 3    | 70   | 179  | 15 | 6  | 17.90 | 1   |      |
| Abdullah Bangi          | 9    | 3    | 67*  | 175  | 15 | 0  | 29.16 | 1   |      |
| Garth Olliff            | 4    |      | 98   | 128  | 12 | 6  | 32.00 | 1   |      |
| Kyle Ruffell            | 4    |      | 51   | 117  | 10 | 2  | 29.25 | 1   |      |
| Anurag Narula (wk)      | 16   | 2    | 22*  | 101  | 9  | 1  | 7.21  |     |      |
| Muhammad Mulla          | 8    | 2    | 41   | 93   | 4  | 7  | 15.5  |     |      |
| Hanshul Singhania (wk)  | 10   | 1    | 13*  | 52   | 6  | 0  | 5.78  |     |      |
| Pero Garlick            | 11   | 4    | 15*  | 40   | 2  | 0  | 5.71  |     |      |
| Abby Sharma             | 4    | 2    | 10   | 14   | 0  | 0  | 7     |     |      |
| Sagar Raniga            | 2    | 1    | 9*   | 9    | 0  | 0  | 9     |     |      |
| Lahiru Madusanka        | 2    | 1    | 5    | 9    | 1  | 0  | 9     |     |      |
| Jerome Webby            | 4    | 1    | 4    | 4    | 0  | 0  | 1.33  |     |      |
| Raja Sandhu             | 1    |      | 2    | 2    | 0  | 0  | 2     |     |      |
| Isaac Hocking-Whitehead | 3    | 1    | 0*   | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0     |     |      |

### BOWLING

| Player                  | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | 3+ wkt<br>innings | 5+ wkt<br>innings | Best       | Ave   | Econ | SR    |
|-------------------------|-------|---------|------|---------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|-------|------|-------|
| Anurag Narula           | 138.1 | 40      | 327  | 45      | 8                 | 2                 | 6/11 (11)  | 7.27  | 2.37 | 18.42 |
| Pero Garlick            | 161.5 | 22      | 499  | 33      | 4                 | 2                 | 7/44 (16)  | 15.12 | 3.08 | 29.42 |
| Ben Brady               | 115.5 | 9       | 449  | 27      | 4                 |                   | 4/39 (9.3) | 16.63 | 3.87 | 25.74 |
| Shaan Vaidya            | 80.2  | 6       | 398  | 22      | 1                 | 2                 | 5/27 (8)   | 18.09 | 4.95 | 21.91 |
| Cory Henderson          | 97.1  | 18      | 328  | 17      | 1                 |                   | 3/32 (9)   | 19.29 | 3.37 | 34.29 |
| Thomas Drumm            | 56    | 3       | 246  | 10      | 1                 |                   | 3/45 (12)  | 24.60 | 4.39 | 33.60 |
| Kyle Ruffell            | 35    | 6       | 175  | 6       |                   |                   | 2/20 (7)   | 29.16 | 5.00 | 35    |
| Ross Deans              | 8     | 0       | 50   | 4       | 1                 |                   | 4/25 (4)   | 12.50 | 6.25 | 12    |
| Jerome Webby            | 16    | 1       | 55   | 3       |                   |                   | 2/22 (6)   | 18.33 | 3.43 | 32    |
| Muhammad Mulla          | 28.2  | 2       | 161  | 3       |                   |                   | 1/21 (5)   | 53.66 |      | 56.66 |
| Josh Brazendale         | 4     | 2       | 7    | 1       |                   |                   | 1/2 (2)    | 7.00  | 1.75 | 24    |
| Will Kindley ©          | 3     | 1       | 10   | 0       |                   |                   | 0/2 (2)    |       | 3.33 |       |
| Abby Sharma             | 8     | 0       | 57   | 0       |                   |                   | 0/20 (2)   |       | 7.13 |       |
| Lahiru Madusanka        | 3     | 0       | 13   | 0       |                   |                   | 0/13 (3)   |       | 4.33 |       |
| Archie Gothard          | 3     | 0       | 6    | 0       |                   |                   | 0/6 (3)    |       | 2.00 |       |
| Isaac Hocking-Whitehead | 15    | 2       | 43   | 0       |                   |                   | 0/7 (4)    |       | 2.86 |       |

### Catches

| Catches | Player                                 | Catches | Player                 |
|---------|--|---------|------------------------|
| 17      | Hanshul                                | 11      | James                  |
| 10      | Thomas, Anurag                         | 8       | Shaan, Cory            |
| 7       | Josh, Ben                              | 5       | Muhammad               |
| 4       | Will                                   | 3       | Pero, Abdullah, Archie |
| 1       | Garth, Abby, Jerome, Kyle, Ross, Isaac |         |                        |

### Run Outs

| Catches | Player         |
|---------|----------------|
| 17      | Hanshul        |
| 11      | James          |
| 10      | Thomas, Anurag |

### Stumpings

| Catches | Player                 |
|---------|------------------------|
| 5       | Muhammad               |
| 4       | Will                   |
| 3       | Pero, Abdullah, Archie |



## WOMEN'S PREMIER RESERVE REPORT

Season 2023/24 saw Grafton's long awaited return to senior women's cricket.

The club has a proud recent history of women's cricket, first appearing in 1992/93 and winning Premier titles and Hearts/White Ferns call ups across the 90's and early 2000's.

This year we entered a Premier Reserve team mostly made up mostly from last season's championship-winning Under 16 team. The nucleus of this team had been together as Under 11s at the club, and the team is still very young - the squad were all aged between 14 and 20 years old.

We entered the Reserves Tier Two T20 competition pre-Xmas, looking to find where our level was and to build confidence for the longer format in 2024. And confidence was certainly built, with a great run to the Final on 16 December against hosts Parnell at Thomas Bloodworth Park.

The team played superbly well in the Final, dominating from the start and securing our first title in our first season back.

On the resumption of the season we were promoted to Tier One, where the greater strength within teams was evident. The team had to adapt to focusing on opposition teams with a spread of talent rather than one or two stars dominating opposing teams.

Game 1 won by 24 runs vs Mangere Pukapuka on Victoria Park #1

GUCC 10/208 (35) beat MPCC 9/184 (23.2)

Amidst the fragrance of the neighbouring Fried Chicken Festival, the team knocked over eventual champions Mangere in our first game on the #1 at Victoria Park. Our best batting performance of the season, and a fightback in the field after Mangere dominated early.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Maddie Stanton 63
- Ella Cross 33 and 3.2-0-14-4

Game 2 loss by 25 runs vs Parnell 2nd XI at Orakei

PCC 8/172 (31) beat GUCC 8/147 (23.4)

Winning the toss and sending Parnell to bat we had this game in our mitts until ... we didn't and eventually ran out of wickets.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Charli Dunn 6-2-5-2
- Ella Cross 39 off 37 balls with 5 4s
- Charli Dunn 45 off 38 balls with 6 4s

Game 3 loss to Cornwall at Victoria Park

We didn't fire with the bat here and failed to penetrate the Cornwall top order.

### HIGHLIGHTS

GUCC 9/110 (24) CCC 1/112 (18.3)

- Connie Vince 13 off 26 balls with 2 4s

Game 4 win vs ECB at Windsor Park

ECB 10/105 (33.2) GUCC 7/106 (32.4)





We sent ECB into bat. A tight game that came down to the wire with Grafton wrapping up a fine victory with Ella and Connie getting us home in a nerve-jangling finish.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Charli Dunn 6.2-3-4-2
- Casey McAnulty 6-2-17-2
- Charli Dunn 22 off 18 with 3 4s
- Ella Cross 20\* off 56 with 1 4s
- Connie Vince 5\* off 23 with 1 4s

#### Game 5 lost to Takapuna at Victoria Park

GDCC 8/86 (21) lost by 71 runs to TDCC 10/157

Sasha Dudding of TDCC was the difference with 82 off 85, despite an outstanding bowling performance from pace bowler Lucy Shaw.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Lucy Shaw 6.2-1-24-5
- Emma Criscillo 7-0-15-2

#### Game 6 win vs Kumeu at Huapai Domain

A good all round team performance, in what ended up being the season finale.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Maddy Stanton 54\* off 118
- Lucy Shaw 23 off 60
- Charli Dunn 6-3-5-3
- Lily Cuttriss 5-1-5-3

#### Game 7 abandoned

The team finished 4th in its inaugural season in Tier One. An excellent result for a young team blazing a new trail.

The team was coached by Nikheil Bhana, who prepared them for the rigours of senior cricket. Under his guidance, each and every player showed some marvellous cricket form over the season. Maddy Stanton, new to the club, consistently provided solid starts for the team at the top of the order. She was a worthy winner of the xxx Trophy as the Club's outstanding female cricketer. Ella Cross won the Club's Youth Cricketer Award (for all secondary school players) and was unlucky not to achieve higher honours. Charli Dunn was the top wicket taker for the grade, and Zoe Mentjox impressed again with her tidy wicketkeeping. Lucy Shaw, Casey McAnulty, Emma Criscillo and Kea Rogers raised their games to higher levels and all took on leadership responsibility as senior team members. The younger members of the team: Zara Blackie, Connie Vince and Sophie Priscott showed they belonged in senior cricket. The side was expertly led again by Lily Cuttriss.

Charli Dunn and Casey McAnulty were selected for the Auckland U17 team, which won the Women's North Island Tournament in Palmerston North. That selection was off the back of strong performances in the Districts Tournaments where Grafton were represented as follows:

- Charli Dunn (Eastern U19)
- Casey McAnulty (Western U17)
- Lily Cuttriss (Western U17)
- Ella Cross (Western U17)

In addition, Casey and Ella were invited into the Counties-Manukau U17 team which competed in the Northern Districts tournament.



Our team was warmly supported by parents (underscoring the fact that this is a very young team), scorer Pete Cuttriss and umpires Kurt Rogers and Julie Dunn (among many others).

On behalf of the team, I would like to thank Phil and Tanya for their support, as well as the Board and club for their enthusiasm in developing women's cricket. This season was many years in the making and the team was motivated by the opportunities to use our best facilities and be recognised as a senior team within the club. The challenge for the club now is to build depth to create opportunities for others and competition for places in a multi-team programme.

Brent McAnulty – Women's Reserves Manager



## 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Thirds found themselves in unfamiliar territory this year - normally in the mix for top position, they were instead fighting to avoid the wooden spoon.

We saved our best performances for December-January before the wheels fell off ending the season seventh overall.

In the two-day format, we secured only one first innings win, and lost outright three times - a rare occurrence for us in the longer format. There were brighter spots in the Tyler Haslemore captained one-day campaign - four wins and three losses.

There were several gutsy performances throughout the season that we can be proud of including a one-day victory over eventual champions Cornwall.

Our season MVP and top wicket taker was Abby Sharma, winning the 3rd Team Player of the Year cup kindly donated by Nicholas Albrecht. The energetic bowling all-rounder took 31 wickets at 12.45 including two 5'fas and made 182 handy runs with a best of 68.

For the second season in a row, our top run scorer was Ryan Thakur. As well as helping Auckland to a championship at the Over 40s Nationals, Ryan scored three fifties and our only century (103\*). He made 421 runs at 32.38 to go along with 13 wickets.

Into the season, we got a rude awakening at Walker Park - being put in on a green seamer and bowled out for just 25 in under the hour against Parnell. It wasn't all one-way traffic, with Grafton taking Parnell's ten wickets for 69 in 20 overs (Bird, 5/12) and then amassing 237 (Thakur, 50; Haslemore, 45; Das, 44). Parnell chased 194 for the outright. Showing a high degree of ring rust, there were 13 ducks in the match.

First winning points followed in an absorbing affair on an Eastdale artificial against Suburbs Thirds. Ryan Thakur and Abby Sharma got twin 68s in Grafton's 223. Sharma followed this up with 5/26 (12) to help secure a 35-run lead and first innings points.

Thakur was the only Grafton batter to reach double figures in the second innings, with 89 (70) allowing Grafton to declare on 139/9 (30). Suburbs target was 175 in 22 overs. Regular wickets saw us on top, until a masterful 51 (31) by soon-to-be mid-season transfer Abdullah Bangi gave Suburbs hope. When he got out with six runs required off 10 balls, the balanced tipped back to Grafton. With six required off the last over it came down to the last ball (4 W . . . 2). Suburbs taking the reverse outright to stun Grafton and possibly sum up the season.

Rain meant the next fixture was converted to a one-dayer against University. An indifferent fielding performance with multiple catches going down saw Grafton chasing 257 and coming up well short with 136 all out. The only bright spots were Pratik Dabir's 2 wickets and Abdullah Bangi's 61 not out on debut.

Going into the one-dayer comp proper, Grafton faced rivals and competition leaders Cornwall on Victoria Park 1. Cornwall got off to a flyer, on 51 in the eighth over before losing their first wicket. The Thirds bowlers and fielders rallied to screw down the run rate and take regular wickets - Manpreet Singh Bonss with 4/18 (5) and Peter Stamp with 3/31 (8). Grafton faced a chase of 142 and got off to a good start with Ali Millwala (13) and captain Haslemore (28) combining for a partnership of 45. Things got ropery in the middle, before Nick Gavigan (25) and super sub Ross Deans (26\*) steadied the ship. Deans getting the job done with an audacious four in the 37th over with Grafton 8 down. A season highlight.

Grafton then strangled the Suburbs Phantoms at Cox's Bay, bowling the visitors out for 101 in 30.2 overs with Abby Sharma starring with the ball - 4/24 (8). The batters then got a handful of starts to help us to a four wicket win in the 27th over.

A similar low scoring affair followed at Kumeū. Back from his OE, Isaac Hocking-Whitehead took 3/23 and returnee Lahiru (Leo) Madusanka took 4/38. Helped by an Millwala 32, Thirds chased the 102 with three wickets to spare.



The wickets were shared around in a win against Howick on Vic 3 as we were set 161. All our batters got starts into double figures (Thakur, 46\*; Das, 35\*; Haslemore, 34) and confidently chased the target in 28 overs with eight wickets in hand.

A 92 run fourth wicket partnership for Parnell turned the match at Cox's Bay, the visitors making 172/9 (40). Three scores in the 20s were never enough to make a strong chase, with Grafton going down by 48 runs.

Back at Vic 1, Ryan Thakur's 103\* (83 balls including 8 fours and 3 sixes) was the shining light in Grafton's rain affected 153/3 (30) against Suburbs Thirds. Suburbs getting the win by four wickets.

University heaped on the pain in a nine wicket win chasing 162, although it was great to see Hamish Reid top score for Grafton with a well complied 38.

Back into the two-dayers, Cornwall was out for revenge. Grafton's timid 59 all out and then 59/4 to close day one meant it was mostly uphill to One Tree Hill. The main highlight was Abby Sharma's post lunch spell, with 5/29 (12) showing he's amongst the best in the grade. A short day two saw Grafton get ten runs in front and then Cornwall take the ten wicket outright. Back to the drawing board.

A first innings and outright loss followed to Suburbs Phantoms at Eastdale, with a lack of runs a reoccurring theme - Grafton making 118 and 132 meaning the Phantoms only required two overs in their second innings.

Grafton got back into the grind at Victoria Park 3 against Kumeū. A 60 run opening stand between Praveen Kumar (39) and Haslemore (36) got us off to a promising start. Eight single figure scores followed to see us bundled out for 115. The wickets were shared around and Kumeū made the strange decision to declare just 19 runs ahead and seven wickets down.

A sparkling 51\* (47) by Madusanka to end day one was continued on day two by Nick Gavigan (37) for a combined 88. Yours truly as the nightwatchmen also stuck around - batting for nearly four hours and 211 balls to make 75. Joined by a Thakur 29 and Millwala 40\* meant Grafton took the lead to 260 in dusty turning conditions. A tired and frustrated Kumeū briefly had a go at the chase making 105/3 (19) before there were handshakes at 6pm.

After the hard-fought draw, the final round of the season loomed against Howick. It was a damp one, with a delayed start and then a solid bowling performance seeking Howick all out for 154. Grafton's 17/0 off two overs was to be the final act for the Thirds season - day two completely rained out.

No doubt lessons will be taken from the tough season and the Thirds will be back and firing on all cylinders in 2024-25. Despite some tough times, it's awesome to see the talent growing their game in third grade, taking a bigger part in our victories and often going onto show their skills in higher grades.

Special thanks for the season go to my co-captain Tyler Haslemore, club captains Nick Gavigan and Kyle Ruffell, coaches Thushan Dodampegamage and Raja Sandu, plus Will's Reserves side and Ravi's Fourths side - in a long season, the strength and support of the squad makes the difference. Thanks also to Phil Dunn and Tayna Reynolds keeping things humming around the grounds.

G'ton for the cup!

Mark Bird - Senior Thirds Co-Captain

## Grafton 3rds Season Statistics

### Milestones

|             |           |             |                  |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| Mark Bird   | 5-12 (8)  | vs Parnell  | 21 October 2023  |
| Abby Sharma | 5/26 (12) | vs Suburbs  | 11 November 2023 |
| Ryan Thakur | 103* (83) | vs Suburbs  | 27 January 2024  |
| Abby Sharma | 5/29 (12) | vs Cornwall | 10 February 2024 |

### Batters



| Player                  | Matches | Inns | N.O. | Best | Runs  | Avg  | 50s | 100s |
|-------------------------|---------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----|------|
| Ryan Thakur             | 13      | 15   | 2    | 421  | 32.38 | 103* | 3   | 1    |
| Tyler Haslemore         | 11      | 14   | 1    | 262  | 20.15 | 45   | 0   | 0    |
| Praveen Kumar           | 13      | 15   | 0    | 186  | 12.40 | 39   | 0   | 0    |
| Abby Sharma             | 12      | 14   | 0    | 182  | 13.00 | 68   | 1   | 0    |
| Kushal Das              | 11      | 13   | 2    | 176  | 16.00 | 44   | 0   | 0    |
| Mark Bird               | 13      | 12   | 4    | 138  | 17.25 | 75   | 1   | 0    |
| Ali Millwala            | 11      | 13   | 1    | 127  | 10.58 | 40*  | 0   | 0    |
| Lahiru (Leo) Madusanka  | 7       | 9    | 3    | 112  | 18.67 | 51*  | 1   | 0    |
| Abdullah Bangi          | 4       | 4    | 2    | 94   | 47.00 | 61*  | 1   | 0    |
| Nick Gavigan            | 8       | 7    | 1    | 88   | 14.67 | 37   | 0   | 0    |
| Hamish Reid             | 6       | 8    | 0    | 67   | 8.38  | 38   | 0   | 0    |
| Sagar Raniga            | 9       | 8    | 3    | 51   | 10.20 | 19   | 0   | 0    |
| Sharikh Syed            | 11      | 10   | 1    | 47   | 5.22  | 20   | 0   | 0    |
| Farhan Mirza            | 4       | 5    | 1    | 29   | 7.25  | 19   | 0   | 0    |
| Pratik Dabir            | 3       | 2    | 1    | 27   | 27.00 | 16*  | 0   | 0    |
| Ross Deans              | 1       | 1    | 1    | 26   | -     | 26*  | 0   | 0    |
| Isaac Hocking-Whitehead | 5       | 2    | 0    | 15   | 7.50  | 8    | 0   | 0    |
| Hanshul Singhania       | 2       | 2    | 0    | 14   | 7.00  | 14   | 0   | 0    |
| Manpreet Singh Bonss    | 9       | 6    | 1    | 11   | 2.20  | 4    | 0   | 0    |
| Muhammad Mulla          | 2       | 2    | 0    | 9    | 4.50  | 9    | 0   | 0    |
| Malay Dighe             | 2       | 2    | 0    | 8    | 4.00  | 5    | 0   | 0    |
| Ahsan Anwaar            | 1       | 2    | 1    | 6    | 6.00  | 5    | 0   | 0    |
| Ans Qureshi             | 1       | 1    | 1    | 3    | 0.00  | 3*   | 0   | 0    |
| Peter Stamp             | 7       | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0.00  | 1*   | 0   | 0    |
| Raf Nicholson           | 2       | 2    | 2    | 1    | -     | 1*   | 0   | 0    |
| Haamid Patel            | 3       | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0.00  | 0    | 0   | 0    |
| Kartik Sood             | 2       | 0    | 0    | 0    | -     | -    | 0   | 0    |

## Bowlers

| Player                  | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | Avg   | R.P.O. | Best | 5i |
|-------------------------|-------|---------|------|---------|-------|--------|------|----|
| Abby Sharma             | 615   | 17      | 386  | 31      | 12.45 | 3.79   | 5-29 | 2  |
| Mark Bird               | 683   | 21      | 464  | 27      | 17.19 | 4.09   | 5-12 | 1  |
| Ryan Thakur             | 498   | 11      | 317  | 13      | 24.38 | 3.82   | 4-33 | 0  |
| Peter Stamp             | 264   | 3       | 207  | 12      | 17.25 | 4.70   | 3-36 | 0  |
| Lahiru (Leo) Madusanka  | 258   | 3       | 168  | 8       | 21.00 | 3.91   | 4-38 | 0  |
| Sagar Raniga            | 311   | 6       | 284  | 8       | 35.50 | 5.51   | 4-49 | 0  |
| Isaac Hocking-Whitehead | 192   | 0       | 149  | 8       | 18.63 | 4.66   | 3-23 | 0  |
| Farhan Mirza            | 186   | 5       | 124  | 6       | 20.67 | 4.00   | 2-8  | 0  |
| Manpreet Singh Bonss    | 90    | 0       | 80   | 4       | 20.00 | 5.33   | 4-18 | 0  |
| Pratik Dabir            | 102   | 1       | 85   | 3       | 28.33 | 5.00   | 2-37 | 0  |
| Tyler Haslemore         | 60    | 0       | 73   | 2       | 36.50 | 7.30   | 2-65 | 0  |
| Haamid Patel            | 46    | 2       | 16   | 2       | 8.00  | 2.16   | 1-3  | 0  |
| Nick Gavigan            | 36    | 0       | 58   | 1       | 58.00 | 9.67   | 1-21 | 0  |
| Hamish Reid             | 32    | 0       | 26   | 1       | 26.00 | 5.00   | 1-14 | 0  |
| Ross Deans              | 36    | 0       | 21   | 1       | 21.00 | 3.50   | 1-21 | 0  |
| Kartik Sood             | 24    | 0       | 17   | 1       | 17.00 | 4.25   | 1-7  | 0  |
| Sharikh Syed            | 6     | 0       | 8    | 0       | -     | 8.00   | 0-8  | 0  |
| Muhammad Mulla          | 24    | 1       | 17   | 0       | -     | 4.25   | 0-17 | 0  |
| Ahsan Anwaar            | 12    | 0       | 5    | 0       | -     | 2.50   | 0-5  | 0  |
| Ans Qureshi             | 18    | 0       | 7    | 0       | -     | 2.33   | 0-7  | 0  |
| Raf Nicholson           | 8     | 0       | 15   | 0       | -     | 12.50  | 0-13 | 0  |



## 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE REPORT - GRAFTON 4THS

Honoured to be able to lead this great club again after some great boys behind us.

We would like to thank our Grafton Club associates, members, supporters for doing such a great job during this season. I would also like to thank the Grafton management for giving me the opportunity to lead the team for the season. It has been a great honour to lead such a great group of people that always do their best at each game, no matter the conditions.

*My approach to cricket has been reasonably simple: it was about giving everything to the team, it was about playing with dignity, and it was about upholding the spirit of the game. I hope I have done some of that. I have failed at times, but I have never stopped trying. "RAHUL DRAVID"*

As captain of 4ths side, my aim was to win the Championship for the 2nd time in a row but this season we faced some challenging scenarios. There was an incident against a Suburbs New Lynn team which unfortunately led for the whole 4ths side to be banned, initially for 4 games, and we were not awarded the points for the game where we were about to come victorious as we needed just 20 odd runs with 9 overs to go and 4 wickets in hand and 2 set batters were on crease. The game was called abandoned by ACA, as captain I was banned for 6 games and three other crucial players of the team were banned for 4 games. Following an outstanding and massive effort from Mark Bird and Phil Dunn we appealed against the initial outcome and ACA reduced the team ban from 4 games to 1 game. Unfortunately, the captain and individual player bans stayed the same, this affected the team results as we lost some crucial points over this period.

Despite the team and player bans we were still in the top 3 and in a chance of winning back to back titles. Unfortunately, the last 2 games didn't go very well and we ended finishing the season in 4th position.

*I have the kind of personality that I always look ahead than look at what's happened. It does help a lot. It's instinctive of me that I look at what's next, I look ahead a lot, and start preparing for that, in victory and in defeat. "RAHUL DRAVID"*

I would like to acknowledge some outstanding player performances:

- Usman: Come back for Usman with hard fought 50 against Birkenhead and quick fire 70 against ECB and 4 wickets in 2nd innings where we did reverse outright.
- Rohan: Scored an unbeaten Century against Birkenhead and few odd 40s and a 50.
- Pradeep: taking consistent wickets in most of the games and was decent with bat .

Our first game was against Grafton's Friends XI, 4th grade champions from last 2 season, in which they scored 70 odd runs in the 1st innings, and we managed to score 200 plus in the 1st innings. Day 2 of the game we managed to roll them out for 200 odd and had 78 runs target which gave a good start for Grafton 4th and a 1 game win. We did outclass Friends XI in one dayer as well.

The 2-day game against ECB was interesting, we should've finished it on the first Saturday as they were 8 down for 56 by 1.30 pm but one of their batsmen hit a ton and ECB ended up winning 1st innings with a lead of 100 runs. On the next Saturday we rolled them out for 78 runs, Usman (4 wickets) and Ans (3wickets). We chased 179 and won the game reverse outright. Usman played crucial part in 2nd innings with bat and ball, scored 74.

This year MVP player was awarded to Pradeep Kumar for his outstanding overall performance with bat and ball, he took 30 wickets which includes 2 fivers, and 300 runs with bat.

Special thanks to:

- Mark Bird and Phil Dunn for supporting us during our tough time when team had a ban from Auckland Cricket and for supporting me, no matter the circumstances.
- Nick Gavigan and Mark Bird for their advice and involvement during training and off and on field.

In closing I would like to acknowledge and express my gratitude to all involved within the Grafton Club.

G'ton for the cup

Ravi Pal - Senior Fourths Captain





## 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE CAPTAIN'S REPORT - ALLAN'S X1

### 5th Grade Champions

Over the winter Allan's X1 lost players due to fatherhood, overseas travel and some chasing a small white ball rather than hitting a red ball. To compound matters long term injuries to key players meant a reset was on for the new season. As a result, the team decided to return to 5th grade and with no school players coming through we took on board new players to the club.

Opening day greeted us with a little fear as a team we expected to stay in 4th grade had joined us in 5ths. Fear not 345/5 d with North Shore 129/8 a wonderful day out set up a win by an innings the next Saturday. It was like the days before Covid, the team batting with abandon and backing up in the field. That 1st night the beer felt good, and we knew another 2-day championship was our goal. The bonus being a couple of fill-in players decided this was their team for the season. Further wins had us well in the lead before the 2-day break and we were regarded as the team to beat.

The 1-day comp was a mixed bag with injuries and other commitments seeing changes week to week, no regular line up and players in unfamiliar batting or bowling positions. After Xmas with a more settled line up we came right to finish 5th. Had our final game not been a washout we could have finished 3rd.

In February the return to 2-day format saw better form, then the bizarre scenario of an opposing team sit down when a decision went against them, Auckland Cricket required to intervene and negotiate a resumption. Unfortunately, with the cloud of Robbie (an innocent bystander) facing suspension the team decided to flush the dunny & move on. A positive outcome was that we were not going to let any other team dictate to us in the remaining games.

The final two games we played some of our best cricket with performances all the players can be proud of, these games despite the weather went down to the wire with us on the winning side. That is the reason we play 2-day Cricket, long may it reign. Auckland Cricket no need to change 2-day format, just minor tweaks please.

To our Captain, Robbie 42 wickets (bowler) also MVP, Luke (VC) 587 runs (batter) of the year, well done on your awards. Ayaan, Josh N, Josh G, Jack M, Ollie & Rohan, you had standout performances at times, others well done also on your contributions to Allans X1 over the season.

Congratulations, Luke with 138 the best score for a GUCC Senior batter and Robbie 6/11 best bowling for a GUCC Senior bowler, looking forward to even better performances next season

Our many supporter's thanks for your sideline chatter and banter it is a credit to you and most appreciated by those playing.

Phil, Nick & Birdie thanks for letting us play the game our way and your support over the season.

To all the players, see you next season with some completing a decade of youth & senior cricket at GUCC, let's add another championship to make it nine since 2015.

Allan - Allan's X1





## Allan's X1 Season Statistics

| Batting   |            |         |         |            |
|-----------|------------|---------|---------|------------|
| Player    | Total runs | Innings | Average | High Score |
| Luke      | 587        | 13      | 45.2    | 138        |
| Ayaan     | 491        | 14      | 35.1    | 98*        |
| Robbie    | 457        | 14      | 32.6    | 85*        |
| Ollie     | 277        | 8       | 34.6    | 77*        |
| Josh N    | 195        | 12      | 16.3    | 58         |
| Ankit     | 193        | 8       | 24.1    | 58         |
| Tyler     | 146        | 9       | 16.2    | 46         |
| Vishal    | 115        | 6       | 19.2    | 40         |
| Marshall  | 96         | 8       | 12.0    | 33         |
| Karthik V | 92         | 8       | 11.5    | 22*        |
| Nate      | 65         | 4       | 16.3    | 25         |
| Jack M    | 57         | 4       | 14.3    | 36         |
| Kassie    | 51         | 1       | 51.0    | 51         |
| Josh G    | 49         | 1       | 49.0    | 49         |
| Rohan     | 48         | 7       | 6.9     | 29         |
| Ayush     | 32         | 7       | 4.6     | 11         |
| Jignesh   | 27         | 4       | 6.8     | 17         |
| Jamie C   | 26         | 3       | 8.7     | 20         |
| Andy      | 21         | 1       | 21.0    | 21         |
| Jason     | 14         | 2       | 7.0     | 10         |
| Logan     | 10         | 1       | 10.0    | 10         |
| Karan     | 6          | 1       | 6.0     | 6          |
| George    | 2          | 1       | 2.0     | 2          |
| Tom C     | 2          | 1       | 2.0     | 2*         |
| Namoth    | 2          | 1       | 2.0     | 2*         |
| Allan     | 0          | 2       | 0.0     | 0*         |
| Jit       | 0          | 1       | 0.0     | 0          |

| Bowling   |         |      |         |           |
|-----------|---------|------|---------|-----------|
| Player    | Wickets | Runs | Average | Best Bowl |
| Robbie    | 42      | 738  | 17.6    | 6/11      |
| Rohan     | 17      | 500  | 29.4    | 4/146     |
| Ollie     | 16      | 229  | 14.3    | 6/39      |
| Josh N    | 15      | 289  | 19.3    | 4/75      |
| Jack M    | 9       | 106  | 11.8    | 3/21      |
| Ayaan     | 9       | 159  | 17.7    | 4/12      |
| Josh G    | 6       | 55   | 9.2     | 6/55      |
| Jamie     | 6       | 121  | 20.2    | 2/18      |
| Karthik V | 4       | 146  | 36.5    | 2/36      |
| Manpreet  | 3       | 26   | 8.7     | 3/16      |
| Luke      | 3       | 67   | 22.3    | 2/28      |
| Nate      | 3       | 71   | 23.7    | 2/32      |
| George    | 2       | 45   | 22.5    | 2/45      |
| Tyler     | 2       | 143  | 71.5    | 2/26      |
| Karan     | 1       | 41   | 41.0    | 1/41      |
| Vishal    | 1       | 49   | 49.0    | 1/36      |
| Tom C     | 1       | 66   | 66.0    | 1/10      |
| Jignesh   | 1       | 124  | 124.0   | 1/26      |
| Robbie    | 42      | 738  | 17.6    | 6/11      |
| Rohan     | 17      | 500  | 29.4    | 4/146     |
| Ollie     | 16      | 229  | 14.3    | 6/39      |





## PRESIDENTS REPORT

The season could be summed up as 'should have done better' for the Presidents team, some good wins along with some bad losses! Overall, the team came mid table (somewhere between first and last) in the Division 1 grade.

Hopes were high for a top four finish after some good off-season recruitment and the return of Ray Fa'alogo.

There were a number of great performers throughout the season, notably Mark Arbuthnot with the ball with 21 wickets, Mike Van Staden was our leading run scorer and Ray with two standout games where he bagged a seven-wicket haul and a 100 not out.

The team's best performance was the last game of the season where we amassed 293 for 5 in our 35 overs. We then had the opposition 6 for 82 before we took the foot of the throat and let them get to 241 all out.

Players to make their debuts this season were Mike Van Staden and Sudam Salunke. We had the usual number of casualties and old man issues throughout the season, although in this grade that just puts us on par with the other teams.

As usual we all had a great time on and off the pitch, lots of banter amongst the team and always a beer or two afterward, it is probably the main reason for turning up every week! Most of the games were played in a good but competitive spirit between the teams.

With more teams joining the grade next year it will be interesting to see how the grade is structured and kept competitive in the two divisions, while making sure all the teams get a fair go.

Matt Hunt

## ONE-DAY GRAFTON TIGERS SEASON REPORT

For Grafton Tigers, it was the last season. The team played One-Day cricket for 15 years and went from grade 6A in 2009 (yes, there were grades that low back then!) to 1A at the end of the 2022/23 season. Soon after the start of the 2023/24 season, Tigers lost almost half their side with players moving to Australia. Such a high turnover meant Tigers played at half strength with fill-ins making half the side in almost every game. Naturally, the end result was not great with Tigers being relegated twice by the end of the season! With a couple more of the original Tigers expected to move overseas, it was time to call it a day on the Tigers journey. Tigers will always cherish the beautiful memories of playing as Grafton Tigers and are immensely grateful for the support received from the Grafton United Cricket Club over the 15 years!

Shahrukh Abdali - Grafton Tigers Captain



## SUNDAY T20 GRAFTON BEIGE REPORT

*"Success isn't owned, it's leased. And rent is due every day" - J.J. Watt*

Renowned for its unparalleled success, Grafton Beige (est. 2001) is not just GUCC's most successful team but has also set a benchmark in Auckland Cricket.

It's our unwavering conviction - a conviction that victory will be ours, no matter the opponent - that fuels our relentless pursuit of excellence. This conviction is not born out of arrogance but forged in the spirit of unity and the shared experiences that bond us off the field. It's this culture, this brotherhood, that propels us to consistently push our limits, defy the odds and win year after year.

Post-Xmas: We went to the finals unbeaten in the round robin stages to take on a resurgent Suburbs team. All thoughts that this was going to be played in the Spirit that we are used to was wiped clean at the toss itself, where their Captain was overly aggressive (in front of Auckland Cricket umpires, mind you!). This continued throughout the match and all I can say is that we were very thankful that there were official umpires present.

In the end all that aggression didn't change the outcome of the match at the mighty Vic Park #1. We beat them by 30 runs with Tarn Donald the MVP of the match; figures of 3-30 off his 4 overs.

Post-Xmas: This time around things were slightly different. The weather had played its part and a severely depleted team missing its regulars (Nik and Rohit away in India, Fizz away for NZ duties and a few others due away to family commitments) lost a match for the first time in years. It came down to the last round robin game, and we sneaked through to the Finals with a superior NRR to take on an unbeaten Parnell team at their home ground.

I won the toss and decided to bat first. We scored 203 and backed our bowlers to do the job. Predictably Parnell came out swinging and what followed was a highly entertaining, high scoring game of T20 cricket.

In the end, we beat them by 23 runs and halted their unbeaten run for the season. Anesh Narsinh who has dominated with the ball for years was the MVP for the finals; this time with the bat, scoring an incredible 11 ball 33 coming in at 8!

The Beige completing another back-to-back championship to close out the season.

A huge shout out to Chris Liddell, who has been stellar leading the team in my absence. Working tirelessly alongside him is Manu Donald and Brian Parkes. Ross Deans has been amazing again, putting his body on the line every game and finding new ways to contribute. They epitomise the Spirit of the Beige and the reason why we achieve what we achieve.

At our recent End of Season awards, I officially stepped down as Captain and have been succeeded by Chris Liddell. I look forward to supporting Chris to more championship wins.

I also wanted to thank Phil Dunn and Mark Bird for their ongoing support throughout my tenure and of course, my team. Thank you, gentlemen. It truly has been an honour and a privilege to lead the Beige.

B4L (Beige for life)

Farhan (Fizz) Mirza





## SATURDAY T20 FREE BALLERS REPORT

The Free Ballers' season was a tale of two halves, starting with a challenging phase marked by player shortages and a win-loss record of 2-5. Struggling to field a full team, they averaged only 9 players per match, which impacted their performance. However, the second half of the season saw a remarkable turnaround as they managed to pull in new players, ensuring a full team of 11 players for each game. This boost in manpower led to a much-improved record of 4-2, ending the season on a high note with a winning record.

Key performances included Mikaere Watene's outstanding batting, scoring 361 runs at an average of 45.13, and Damian Pinhey Wade's impressive all-round contributions, particularly his 12 wickets with a bowling average of 12.42. Beau Haldane emerged as the season's MVP, consistently delivering with 262 runs at an average of 23.82, and exemplifying reliability and team spirit with his positive demeanour, acrobatic fielding, and willingness to assist both on and off the field. Despite early challenges, the Free Ballers showcased resilience and teamwork, culminating in a successful season.

### Mikaere Watene



## ROLL OF HONOUR

### NEW ZEALAND REPRESENTATIVES - MEN

|          |            |             |             |
|----------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| AR Adams | MJ Horne   | CFW Allcott | PA Horne    |
| W Bell   | E Horspool | MG Burgess  | J McIntyre  |
| C Burke  | W Stemson  | D Cleverley | L Vincent   |
| J Cowie  | W Watson   | LA Cuff     | WR Rowntree |
| D Hay    |            |             |             |

### NEW ZEALAND REPRESENTATIVES - WOMEN

|          |            |              |           |
|----------|------------|--------------|-----------|
| K Brown  | K Plummer  | S Fruin      | N Scripps |
| P Gruber | M Tunupopo | S McLauchlan | H Watson  |

### AUCKLAND FIRST CLASS REPRESENTATIVES - MEN

|                |               |                |               |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| G Lankham      | A B M Labatt  | N Ellis        | C R Pryor     |
| J B Steadman   | W N B Lusk    | R H Cleave     | G S Coleman   |
| T Kissing      | H Walton      | L C Archer     | A R Adams     |
| J Russel       | P Marshall    | D C Ritchie    | L Vincent     |
| ? Campbel      | D L J Clayton | W J Brown      | T H Topia     |
| H Wilson       | W Robinson    | A W Ritchie    | R A Pudney    |
| ? Simcox       | F R Mason     | W Bell         | D Hakaraia    |
| L Simpson      | J A Kallender | D Cleverley    | M. Snedden    |
| J Rayner       | J Gleeson     | K F Dwyer      | A Rayner      |
| S P Jones      | T S Hambrook  | S Alpe         | A E Sloman    |
| J W McDonald   | W F Buckland  | N W Goode      | J M McIntyre* |
| J B Mumford*   | R G Sloman    | H J Howarth    | R J Yates*    |
| E Mac Cormack* | H T Schuster  | H E Cotton     | E Horspool    |
| S W Kohlhase   | A King        | P H Beveridge  | M G Burgess*  |
| F E Dufaur     | L G Taylor    | S R Speed      | W Lankham     |
| W R Rowntree   | N G S Smith   | C E MacCormick | H E L Burton  |
| J R Carson     | C Gardner     | C A Snedden    | J C Williams  |
| R Simpson      | C F W Allcott | R C Matthew    | C A Bowden    |
| J L Paterson   | A E Parsons   | D L J Clayton  | H Wilson      |
| R E Sutton     | D J F Lynch   | J Cowie        | C L Wallace   |
| W H Hawkins    | F W A Byerley | P A Horne      | W I Stemson   |
| R A Marshall   | M J Horne*    | R McPherson    | L R Spring    |
| I D Fisher     | D L Miller    | E J Dunning    | W Watson      |
| L A Cuff       | G Wallace     | J I Pamment    | T D B Cuff*   |
| C Burke*       | R J R Irving  |                |               |

### AUCKLAND FIRST CLASS REPRESENTATIVES - WOMEN

|           |              |           |              |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| K Brown   | C Preece     | K Fraser  | F Mann       |
| S Fruin   | S McLauchlan | P Gruber  | T Mortenson  |
| K Keating | N Scripps    | K Plummer | M Tunupopo   |
| Z Plummer | H Watson     | N Pratt   | K Sutherland |



## PREMIER GRADE RECORDS

Formed in September 1862 as Auckland United, the club changed its name to United to avoid confusion with the Auckland Club, which also played in the Senior Grade at the time. The proper Auckland club competition began in 1885/86, and United were one of the original teams. In 1903/04 the format was changed to one based on the district where the players resided, and the name was changed to Grafton. Although the district scheme did not last, the name remained, but with United added back to the title (although the club is still generally referred to simply as "Grafton"). It has remained as such for over 100 years, except for 1952/53 to 1954/55 when renamed Metropolitan, although the colours have changed to black and gold. **Grafton United is the only club in Auckland which has played every year in the premier competition.**

These archival records are compiled from all the material and sources currently available to the club and cover the period from 1882/83 to date. **They are by no means definitive** and if anyone can assist in any way, contact the club. This grade has also been known by other names in the past, notably Senior and District.

The + sign beside many totals indicates that not all relevant details are known (e.g. for seasons where only short scoreboards were published in newspapers, the player will have scored more runs than shown here).

In addition, NCC denotes National Club Championships and LS denotes Lloyd Seabrook Trophy.

## CLUB AWARDS

### Symonds and Osborne Shield winners (the strongest Auckland senior club):

1931/32                                      1951/52                                      1965/66                                      2000/01

## PREMIER TEAM AWARDS

### National Club One-Day Champion:

1994/95

### Auckland Cricket Association One Day and Two Day 'Double':

1979/80

### Auckland Cricket Association Two-Day Champion:

|           |         |         |         |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1887/88   | 1896/97 | 1897/98 | 1898/99 |
| 1899/1900 | 1900/01 | 1905/06 | 1921/22 |
| 1931/32   | 1945/46 | 1946/47 | 1950/51 |
| 1951/52   | 1952/53 | 1970/71 | 1971/72 |
| 1976/77   | 1978/79 | 1979/80 | 1992/93 |
| 1997/98   | 2000/01 |         |         |

### Auckland Cricket Association One-Day Champion:

|         |         |         |         |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1979/80 | 1991/92 | 1993/94 | 1994/95 |
| 1996/97 | 1998/99 | 2003/04 |         |

### Lloyd Seabrook Trophy (to decide Auckland representative at the National Club Championships):

1994/95

### Grosvenor Cup (Auckland Umpires' Association award):

|         |         |         |          |
|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1958/59 | 1970/71 | 1995/96 | 1997/98. |
|---------|---------|---------|----------|



## PREMIER INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

### Club Cricketer of the Year:

|                    |                |
|--------------------|----------------|
| <b>Taine Bayly</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
| Matt Horne         | 1995/96        |

### Auckland Cricket Association Trophy (for the most runs):

|                 |      |         |
|-----------------|------|---------|
| James Pamment   | 992  | 1994/95 |
| Matt Horne      | 1115 | 1995/96 |
| Michael Ruffell | 1220 | 2019/20 |

### Platypus Trophy (for the most wickets):

|             |    |         |
|-------------|----|---------|
| John Cushen | 68 | 1978/79 |
| John Cushen | 58 | 1979/80 |
| Ian Fisher  | 71 | 1991/92 |

### Note:

|             |    |         |                       |
|-------------|----|---------|-----------------------|
| Vic Belsham | 61 | 1960/61 | (trophy name unknown) |
|-------------|----|---------|-----------------------|

### SR Speed Cup (for the most wicketkeeping dismissals):

|                |    |         |
|----------------|----|---------|
| Richard Irving | 36 | 1994/95 |
| Richard Irving | 47 | 1995/96 |
| Richard Irving | 41 | 1996/97 |
| Jeff Snowden   | 41 | 2003/04 |

### Most catches (other than wicketkeeper):

|               |     |          |
|---------------|-----|----------|
| Craig Pryor   | 13  | 1994/95  |
| Nick Jury     | 18  | 2001/02  |
| Harrison Ward | 23* | 2019/20* |

\* Trophy lost 10-15 years earlier and no longer awarded)



## PREMIER MATCH RECORDS

### Highest Two-Day Championship scores by Grafton

|            |                    |                              |         |
|------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---------|
| 468/8 dec  | v Parnell          | at Eden Park                 | 1945/46 |
| 467        | v Howick-Pakuranga | at Victoria Park             | 2000/01 |
| 467/8 dec  | v Parnell          | at Shore Road Reserve        | 2008/09 |
| 445/7 dec  | v Waitemata        | at The Domain                | 1914/15 |
| 435/4      | v University       | at Victoria Park (1st round) | 1918/19 |
| 427/9 dec  | v YMCA             | at Eden Park                 | 1926/27 |
| 416        | v University       | at Eden Park (2nd round)     | 1918/19 |
| 413        | v North Shore      | at Remuera                   | 1920/21 |
| 406        | v Ponsonby         | at Devonport Domain          | 1930/31 |
| 400        | v Auckland XI      | at The Domain                | 1897/98 |
| 400/6 (cc) | v East Coast Bays  | at Windsor Park              | 2005/06 |

### Highest Two-day Championship scores against Grafton

|           |                |                     |         |
|-----------|----------------|---------------------|---------|
| 461/8 *   | by Gordon      | at The Domain       | 1890/91 |
| 459       | by University  | at Eden Park        | 1920/21 |
| 429       | by Cornwall    | at Cornwall Park    | 2000/01 |
| 427       | by Parnell     | at The Domain       | 1897/98 |
| 425/5     | by Ponsonby    | at Victoria Park    | 1917/18 |
| 418       | by North Shore | at Devonport Domain | 1927/28 |
| 411/7 dec | by Parnell     | at The Domain       | 1905/06 |

\* New Zealand club record at the time

### Biggest wins by Grafton in a Two-day Championship match

|                      |                      |                                    |         |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| Innings and 251 runs | v Training College   | at Eden Park                       | 1940/41 |
| Innings and 236 runs | v Ponsonby           | at Eden Park                       | 1933/34 |
| Innings and 196 runs | v King's Old Boys    | at Eden Park                       | 1936/37 |
| Innings and 165 runs | v United Suburbs     | at Eden Park                       | 1930/31 |
| Innings and 157 runs | v University         | at Eden Park                       | 1946/47 |
| Innings and 155 runs | v YMCA               | at Eden Park                       | 1921/22 |
| Innings and 141 runs | v University         | at The Domain                      | 1908/09 |
| Innings and 139 runs | v Eden               | at Victoria Park                   | 1961/62 |
| Innings and 134 runs | v Cornwall           | at Cornwall Park                   | 1972/73 |
| Innings and 132 runs | v North Shore B      | at The Domain                      | 1926/27 |
| Innings and 132 runs | v University-Akarana | at Victoria Park                   | 1996/97 |
| Innings and 114 runs | v Papatoetoe         | at Papatoetoe Recreation<br>Ground | 1950/51 |
| Innings and 112 runs | v King's Old Boys    | at Eden Park                       | 1932/33 |

### Narrowest wins by Grafton in a Two-day Championship match

|          |                    |                     |         |
|----------|--------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1 run    | v Suburbs-New Lynn | at Ken Maunder Park | 1982/83 |
| 9 runs   | v Parnell          | at Eden Park        | 1973/74 |
| 1 wicket | v University       | at Victoria Park    | 1951/52 |
| 1 wicket | v North Shore      | at Devonport        | 1951/52 |
| 1 wicket | v North Shore      | at Victoria Park    | 1971/72 |

### Narrowest losses by Grafton in a Two-day Championship match

|          |                |                   |         |
|----------|----------------|-------------------|---------|
| 4 runs   | v Eden-Roskill | at Keith Hay Park | 2014/15 |
| 8 runs   | v North Shore  | at Victoria Park  | 1984/85 |
| 1 wicket | v North City   | at Kaipatiki Park | 1974/75 |

### Biggest losses by Grafton in a Two-day Championship match

|                      |              |              |         |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|---------|
| Innings and 125 runs | v Ponsonby   | at Eden Park | 1918/19 |
| Innings and 104 runs | v University | at Eden Park | 1923/24 |





### Lowest Two-day Championship scores by Grafton

|       |                  |                                    |         |
|-------|------------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| 30 @  | v Our Boys       | at The Domain                      | 1882/83 |
| 30 *  | v Ponsonby       | at Victoria Park                   | 1929/30 |
| 33    | v Parnell        | at The Domain                      | 1893/94 |
| 33    | v Western        | at Eastdale at Reserve             | 1954/55 |
| 34    | v Gordon         | at The Domain                      | 1893/94 |
| 34    | v Papatoetoe     | at Papatoetoe Recreation<br>Ground | 1960/61 |
| 35    | v Parnell        | at Eden Park                       | 1911/12 |
| 35 *  | v North Shore    | at Devonport Domain                | 1941/42 |
| 36 +  | v Parnell        | at Eden Park                       | 1938/39 |
| 37 ++ | v Auckland       | at The Domain                      | 1884/85 |
| 37 ++ | v University     | at Eden Park                       | 1917/18 |
| 37    | v North Shore    | at Devonport Domain                | 1932/33 |
| 38 *  | v Eastern        | at Victoria Park                   | 1956/57 |
| 39 *  | v Gordon         | at The Domain                      | 1884/85 |
| 39    | v Hibiscus Coast | at Victoria Park                   | 1991/92 |

### Lowest Two-day Championship scores against Grafton

|        |                             |                          |                     |
|--------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 19 +   | by North Shore B (1st inns) | at The Domain            | 1926/27             |
| 21 ++  | by Alpha XIII               | at The Domain            | 1889/90             |
| 21 +   | by North Shore B (2nd inns) | at The Domain            | 1926/27             |
| 24     | by Gordon                   | at The Domain            | 1891/92             |
| 25     | by Newton                   | at The Domain            | 1885/86             |
| 27     | by Takapuna                 | at Victoria Park         | 1979/80             |
| 29     | by St Mary's XIII           | at The Domain            | 1890/91             |
| 29 +   | by Ponsonby                 | at The Domain            | 1913/14             |
| 30+++  | by Ponsonby                 | at Eden Park             | 1920/21             |
| 31     | by Our Boys                 | at The Domain            | 1883/84             |
| 31 +   | by Auckland                 | at The Domain            | 1894/95 (3rd round) |
| 32     | Eden-Roskill                | at Keith Hay Park        | 2011/12             |
| 33     | by Training College         | at Eden Park             | 1940/41             |
| 34     | by Gordon                   | at The Domain            | 1892/93             |
| 34 ++  | by North Shore              | at Devonport Domain      | 1903/04             |
| 35 *   | by North Shore              | at Devonport Domain      | 1939/40             |
| 37 +++ | by Ponsonby-Balmoral        | at Papatoetoe Rec Ground | 1940/41             |
| 37 +++ | by North Shore              | at Devonport Domain      | 1943/44             |
| 39     | by Ponsonby                 | at The Domain            | 1901/02             |
| 40 +++ | by Parnell                  | at The Domain            | 1887/88             |
| 40 +   | by St Mary's-Onslow         | at The Domain            | 1891/92             |
| 40     | by Auckland                 | at The Domain            | 1894/95 (1st round) |

Notes: \* played as a one-day match (not limited overs)

@ five regular players were in the Auckland team touring the South Island

+ one player absent. North Shore B also had one player retire hurt in the first innings, and he was unable to bat in the second innings.

++ two players absent

+++ three players absent

### Highest One Day (limited overs) Championship score by Grafton

|              |                       |                                    |                |
|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| 370/6        | v Papatoetoe          | at Papatoetoe RecGround            | 2002/03        |
| 352/6        | v Hibiscus Coast      | at Victor Eaves Park               | 2021/22        |
| <b>345/6</b> | <b>V Kumeu</b>        | <b>At Victoria Park</b>            | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 344/6        | v Waitakere           | at Victoria Park                   | 2019/20        |
| 329/4        | v Eden-Roskill        | at Victoria Park                   | 2017/18        |
| 321/8        | v Auckland University | at Colin Maiden Park               | 2019/20        |
| 316/9        | v Suburbs-New Lynn    | at Ken Maunder Park                | 2000/01        |
| 307/5        | v Cornwall            | at Cornwall Park                   | 2013/14        |
| 303          | v Papatoetoe          | at Papatoetoe Recreation<br>Ground | 2021/22        |





### Highest One Day (limited overs) Championship score against Grafton

|       |                     |                       |         |
|-------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| 373/7 | by Cornwall         | at Cornwall Park      | 2016/17 |
| 371/6 | by Howick-Pakuranga | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2010/11 |
| 336/8 | by Suburbs-New Lynn | at Victoria Park      | 2019/20 |
| 333   | by Takapuna         | at Onewa Domain       | 2012/13 |
| 310/8 | by Suburbs New Lynn | at Ken Maunder Park   | 2007/08 |
| 306/5 | by Cornwall         | at Cornwall Park      | 2013/14 |

### Lowest One Day (limited overs) Championship score by Grafton

|    |               |                     |         |
|----|---------------|---------------------|---------|
| 29 | v North Shore | at Devonport Domain | 1977/78 |
| 75 | v Cornwall    | at Cornwall Park    | 1997/98 |
| 75 | v Takapuna    | at Onewa Domain     | 2012/13 |

### Lowest One Day (limited overs) Championship score against Grafton

|    |                    |                                 |         |
|----|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| 51 | by Cornwall        | at Cornwall Park                | 1980/81 |
| 52 | by Papatoetoe      | at Birkenhead War Memorial Park | 1982/83 |
| 67 | by University      | at Colin Maiden Park            | 2003/04 |
| 70 | by East Coast Bays | at Eastdale Reserve             | 1997/98 |
| 75 | by Ellerslie       | at Michaels Avenue Reserve      | 1981/82 |
| 75 | by Birkenhead      | at Birkenhead War Memorial Park | 2010/11 |

### Biggest wins by Grafton in a One Day (limited overs) match

|                 |                      |                                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 251 runs        | v Hibiscus Coast     | at Victor Eaves Park            | 2021/22        |
| 171 runs        | v Waitakere          | at Victoria Park                | 2019/20        |
| 169 runs        | v Papatoetoe         | at Papatoetoe Recreation Ground | 2002/03        |
| <b>160 runs</b> | <b>V Waitakere</b>   | <b>Te Atatu Park</b>            | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 149 runs        | v Papatoetoe         | at Papatoetoe Recreation Ground | 2004/05        |
| 145 runs        | v Cornwall           | at Cornwall Park                | 1996/97        |
| 144 runs        | v Howick-Pakuranga B | at Victoria Park                | 1996/97        |
| 144 runs        | v Kumeu              | at Huapai Domain                | 2022/23        |
| 142 runs        | v East Coast Bays    | at Eastdale Reserve             | 1997/98        |
| 108 runs        | v East Coast Bays    | at Cox's Bay Reserve            | 2006/07        |
| 103 runs        | v North Shore        | at Devonport Domain             | 2016/17        |
| 10 wickets      | v Howick-Pakuranga B | at Cornwall Park                | 1996/97        |
| 10 wickets      | v Kumeu              | at Huapai Domain                | 2021/22        |
| 9 wickets       | v University         | at Colin Maiden Park            | 2003/04        |
| 9 wickets       | v Parnell            | at Cox's Bay Reserve            | 2004/05        |
| 9 wickets       | v Birkenhead         | at Birkenhead War Memorial Park | 2021/22        |
| 8 wickets       | v Papatoetoe         | at Eastdale Reserve             | 1996/97        |
| 8 wickets       | v Takapuna           | at Eastdale Reserve             | 2000/01        |
| 8 wickets       | v Eden-Roskill       | at Cox's Bay Reserve            | 2011/12        |
| 8 wickets       | v Takapuna           | at Victoria Park                | 2017/18        |
| 8 wickets       | v Ellerslie          | at Michaels Avenue Reserve      | 2018/19        |

### Narrowest wins by Grafton in a One Day (limited overs) match

|        |                    |                     |                 |
|--------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 1 run  | v Waitakere        | at Victoria Park    | 1996/97         |
| 2 runs | v Suburbs New Lynn | at Ken Maunder Park | 2002/03         |
| 2 runs | v Ellerslie        | at Victoria Park    | 2016/17 *       |
| 3 runs | v Waitakere        | at Victoria Park    | 2018/19         |
| 4 runs | v East Coast Bays  | at Freyberg Park    | 2012/13         |
| 5 runs | v North Shore      | at Devonport Domain | 2003/04 (Final) |
| 5 runs | v North Shore      | at Devonport Domain | 2012/13         |



|               |                       |                                 |                |
|---------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 7 runs        | v Papatoetoe          | at Papatoetoe Recreation Ground | 2021/22        |
| 8 runs        | v Ellerslie           | at Victoria Park                | 2021/22        |
| <b>8 runs</b> | <b>V Eden-Roskill</b> | <b>At Keith Hay Park</b>        | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 1 wicket      | v Howick-Pakuranga    | at Lloyd Elsmore Park           | 1982/83        |
| 1 wicket      | v University-Akarana  | at Colin Maiden Park            | 1996/97        |
| 1 wicket      | v Eden-Roskill        | at Keith Hay Park               | 2012/13        |
| 1 wicket      | v Papatoetoe          | at Papatoetoe Recreation Ground | 2013/14        |

\*match reduced to 21 overs per side

#### One Day (limited overs) matches which have finished in a tie

|                   |                                 |         |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| v Birkenhead      | at Birkenhead War Memorial Park | 1982/83 |
| v East Coast Bays | at Cornwall Park                | 2002/03 |
| v Cornwall        | at Cornwall Park                | 2011/12 |

#### Narrowest losses by Grafton in a One Day (limited overs) match

|                 |                     |                               |                             |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>5 runs</b>   | <b>v Birkenhead</b> | <b>at Victoria Park</b>       | <b>2023/24 (Semi-final)</b> |
| 9 runs          | v Suburbs-New Lynn  | at Victoria Park              | 2009/10 *                   |
| 10 runs         | v North Shore       | at Devonport Domain           | 2010/11                     |
| 1 wicket        | v Papatoetoe        | at Victoria Park              | 1980/81                     |
| 1 wicket        | v Cornwall          | at Cornwall Park              | 2000/01                     |
| 1 wicket        | v Cornwall          | at Eden Park Outer Oval       | 2002/03 (Final) **          |
| 1 wicket        | v Eden-Roskill      | at Victoria Park              | 2018/19 +                   |
| 1 wicket        | v Birkenhead        | at Victoria Park              | 2020/21                     |
| <b>1 wicket</b> | <b>v Birkenhead</b> | <b>at Birkenhead Memorial</b> | <b>2023/24</b>              |

\* match reduced to 36 overs per side

\*\* won with two balls remaining in the match

+ won off the last ball of the match

#### Biggest losses by Grafton in a One Day (limited overs) match

|           |                         |                                 |         |
|-----------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| 258 runs  | v Takapuna              | at Onewa Domain                 | 2012/13 |
| 185 runs  | v Suburbs-New Lynn      | at Victoria Park                | 2019/20 |
| 184 runs  | v Cornwall              | at Cornwall Park                | 2016/17 |
| 166 runs  | v Howick-Pakuranga      | at Lloyd Elsmore Park           | 2010/11 |
| 146 runs  | v Takapuna              | at Victoria Park                | 2018/19 |
| 142 runs  | v Cornwall              | at Cornwall Park                | 2009/10 |
| 129 runs  | v Ellerslie             | at Michaels Avenue Reserve      | 1983/84 |
| 125 runs  | v Ellerslie             | at Victoria Park                | 1985/86 |
| 124 runs  | v Waitakere             | at Cox's Bay Reserve            | 2006/07 |
| 122 runs  | v Kumeu-Hibiscus Coast  | at Huapai Domain                | 1989/90 |
| 121 runs  | v Papatoetoe            | at Papatoetoe Rec Ground        | 2020/21 |
| 119 runs  | v Cornwall              | at Cornwall Park                | 1997/98 |
| 115 runs  | v North Shore           | at Victoria Park                | 1981/82 |
| 110 runs  | v University-St Heliers | at University Park              | 1981/82 |
| 108 runs  | v Papatoetoe            | at Papatoetoe Recreation Ground | 1978/79 |
| 107 runs  | v Birkenhead            | at Devonport Domain             | 1985/86 |
| 105 runs  | v North Shore           | at Devonport Domain             | 1990/91 |
| 103 runs  | v Howick-Pakuranga      | at Lloyd Elsmore Park           | 2007/08 |
| 8 wickets | v Parnell               | at Cornwall Park                | 2000/01 |
| 8 wickets | v Takapuna              | at Onewa Domain                 | 2011/12 |

#### Highest Twenty20 Championship score by Grafton

|       |              |                            |         |
|-------|--------------|----------------------------|---------|
| 204/7 | v Papatoetoe | at Cornwall Park           | 2022/23 |
| 195/6 | v Birkenhead | at Birkenhead War Memorial | 2016/17 |



### Highest Twenty20 Championship scores against Grafton

|       |               |                  |         |
|-------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| 232/6 | by Parnell    | at Shore Road    | 2017/18 |
| 217/4 | by Cornwall   | at Cornwall Park | 2012/13 |
| 206/4 | by Parnell    | at Victoria Park | 2013/14 |
| 203/3 | by Papatoetoe | at Cornwall Park | 2022/23 |

### Lowest Twenty20 Championship score by Grafton

|    |           |                  |         |
|----|-----------|------------------|---------|
| 46 | v Parnell | at Victoria Park | 2013/14 |
|----|-----------|------------------|---------|

### Lowest Twenty20 Championship scores against Grafton

|      |                 |                          |         |
|------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 50   | by Eden-Roskill | at Victoria Park         | 2020/21 |
| 82/9 | by Takapuna     | at Papatoetoe Rec Ground | 2007/08 |
| 87   | by Ellerslie    | at Cornwall Park         | 2019/20 |

### Biggest wins by Grafton in a Twenty20 Championship match

|                |                           |                             |                                |
|----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>51 runs</b> | <b>v Eden-Roskill</b>     | <b>at Victoria Park</b>     | <b>2023/24</b>                 |
| 47 runs        | v Waitakere               | at Te Atatu Park            | 2012/13 ( <i>Plate final</i> ) |
| 42 runs        | v Birkenhead              | at Birkenhead War Memorial  | 2016/17                        |
| 39 runs        | v University/Ellerslie    | at Cornwall Park            | 2009/10                        |
| 36 runs        | v Ellerslie               | at Colin Maiden Park        | 2021/22                        |
| <b>38 runs</b> | <b>v Howick Pakuranga</b> | <b>at Colin Maiden Park</b> | <b>2023/24</b>                 |
| 8 wickets      | v Takapuna                | at Papatoetoe Rec Ground    | 2007/08                        |
| 8 wickets      | v Ellerslie               | at Michaels Avenue Reserve  | 2016/17                        |
| 8 wickets      | v Cornwall                | at Victoria Park            | 2019/20                        |
| 8 wickets      | v Eden-Roskill            | at Victoria Park            | 2022/23                        |

### Narrowest wins by Grafton in a Twenty20 Championship match

|          |                   |                       |  |
|----------|-------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 1 run    | v Parnell         | at Shore Road Reserve | 2011/12                                  |
| 1 run    | v Birkenhead      | at Victoria Park      | 2016/17 ( <i>Plate semi-final</i> )      |
| 3 runs   | v Takapuna        | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2006/07                                  |
| 5 runs * | v East Coast Bays | at Freyberg Park      | 2014/15                                  |
| 1 wicket | v Parnell         | at Cornwall Park      | 2009/10                                  |
| 1 wicket | v Papatoetoe      | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2021/22 ( <i>won off the last ball</i> ) |

\* Duckworth-Lewis method used after rain interruption

### Twenty20 Championship matches which have finished in a tie

|             |                   |         |
|-------------|-------------------|---------|
| v Ellerslie | at Keith Hay Park | 2018/19 |
|-------------|-------------------|---------|

### Narrowest losses by Grafton in a Twenty20 Championship match

|          |                        |                  |  |
|----------|------------------------|------------------|--|
| 9 runs   | v Waitakere            | at Cornwall Park | 2009/10                                  |
| 9 runs   | v Takapuna             | at Victoria Park | 2016/17 ( <i>Plate final</i> )           |
| 11 runs  | v University-Ellerslie | at Cornwall Park | 2008/09                                  |
| 11 runs  | v Cornwall             | at Victoria Park | 2015/16                                  |
| 1 wicket | v Papatoetoe           | at Victoria Park | 2020/21 ( <i>lost on the last ball</i> ) |

### Biggest losses by Grafton in a Twenty20 Championship match

|           |                    |                     |         |
|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 160 runs  | v Parnell          | at Victoria Park    | 2013/14 |
| 76 runs   | v Cornwall         | at Cornwall Park    | 2012/13 |
| 67 runs * | v Cornwall         | at Cornwall Park    | 2021/22 |
| 64 runs   | v Waitakere        | at Keith Hay Park   | 2006/07 |
| 64 runs   | v Suburbs New Lynn | at Ken Maunder Park | 2010/11 |
| 62 runs   | v Parnell          | at Victoria Park    | 2010/11 |
| 60 runs   | v Parnell          | at Shore Road       | 2017/18 |
| 57 runs   | v Suburbs New Lynn | at Keith Hay Park   | 2006/07 |



|           |                    |                       |         |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| 8 wickets | v Parnell          | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2008/09 |
| 8 wickets | v Eden-Roskill     | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2008/09 |
| 8 wickets | v Papatoetoe       | at Keith Hay Park     | 2018/19 |
| 8 wickets | v Howick-Pakuranga | at Lloyd Elsmore Park | 2019/20 |

\* one player absent injured

### Highest partnerships for each wicket - Two-day matches

|                  |             |  |                     |                |
|------------------|-------------|--|---------------------|----------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | 250         | Ernie Horspool (122) and Evan MacCormick (129*)      | v University        | 1914/15        |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 359         | Ernie Horspool (184*) and Rupert Sloman (184)        | v University        | 1918/19        |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | 270-285     | Ernie Horspool (225) and Rupert Sloman (98)          | v Eden              | 1917/18        |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | 196         | Nathan Fletcher (114) and Nikheil Bhana (100)        | v Ellerslie         | 2019/20        |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>205*</b> | <b>Jeremy Houghton (100*) and Taine Bayly (105*)</b> | <b>v Papatoetoe</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 141         | Garnet Ratcliffe (74) and Jack Cowie (78)            | v Parnell           | 1937/38        |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 140         | Mark Burgess (142) and Blair Webby (60)              | v University        | 1977/78        |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 148         | Scott Davies (106) and Grant Thorpe (51*)            | v Eden-Roskill      | 2006/07        |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | 179*        | Neil Oyler (104*) and John Syme (81*)                | v Cornwall          | 1967/68        |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | 113         | Phil Horne (75*) and Jack Williams (47)              | v Papatoetoe        | 1978/79        |

In the game against Eden, the second wicket fell somewhere between 45 and 60, and the third wicket fell at 330.

Neil Oyler's sister Carol (later a Test player) scored 106\* for Takapuna the same day.

The partnerships below may be higher than those listed above for the corresponding wicket, but the newspapers of the time did not record the details.

|                  |              |   |               |         |
|------------------|--------------|---|---------------|---------|
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | 180 (+/- 20) | Rupert Sloman (123*) and Percy Beveridge (82) | v University  | 1915/16 |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | 170 (+/- 40) | Cyril Allcott (92) and Jack Cowie (171)       | v Ponsonby    | 1930/31 |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 150 (+/- 20) | Evan MacCormick (122*) and Dug Hay (91)       | v Parnell     | 1914/15 |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 154 (max)    | John McIntyre (82*) and Mario Mana (60)       | v North Shore | 1973/74 |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 120-150      | Ernie Horspool (179) and Carlton Hay (54)     | v Ponsonby    | 1908/09 |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | 100+         | Albert Sloman (95) and Douglas Hill (59*)     | v North Shore | 1904/05 |

### Highest partnerships for each wicket - One Day limited overs

|                  |            |   |                            |                |
|------------------|------------|---|----------------------------|----------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | <b>231</b> | <b>Dylan Taylor (102) and Taine Bayly (120)</b> | <b>v Kumeu</b>             | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 187        | Rhys Denby (69) and Nick Hendrie (121)          | v North Shore              | 2015/16        |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | 169        | Alan Burton (139*) and Barry Rhodes (86)        | v Cornwall                 | 2013/14        |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | 225        | Ben Chamberlain (111) and Dan Sharples (108)    | v Hibiscus Coast           | 2021/22        |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>136</b> | <b>Alex Edwards (86) and Jack Duffly (49*)</b>  | <b>v Hibiscus Coast</b>    | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 157        | Nathan Fletcher (144) and Nikheil Bhana (56*)   | v Auckland University      | 2019/20        |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 79         | Olly Westbury (71) and Nikheil Bhana (64*)      | v Eden-Roskill             | 2018/19        |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 84*        | Cameron Fletcher (60*) and Grant Thorpe (39*)   | v Howick-Pakuranga         | 2010/11        |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | 72         | Fraser Campbell (51*) and Jack Dymond (27)      | v Ellerslie                | 2021/22        |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | 104        | Steve McCarty (88) and Nigel Morrice (24*)      | v Howick-Pakuranga<br>(LS) | 1994/95        |

### Highest partnerships for each wicket - Twenty20

|                  |           |   |                        |                |
|------------------|-----------|---|------------------------|----------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | 108       | Alan Burton (71) and Jarryd Walsh (62)                  | v Ellerslie            | 2016/17        |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 91        | Dylan Taylor (53) and Alex Edwards (54)                 | v Papatoetoe           | 2022/23        |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | 152       | Craig Borich (102) and Jay Chandrathilake (56*)         | v Parnell              | 2008/09        |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | 122       | Sineth Gunawardane (80) and Will Martin (55*)           | v Ellerslie            | 2022/23        |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | 93        | Craig Borich (38) and Tony Manning (82*)                | v University/Ellerslie | 2009/10        |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 50        | Craig Borich (47) and Michael Horne (26)                | v Waitakere            | 2009/10        |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | 59*       | Parth Patel (51*) and James Pickering (21*)             | v Papatoetoe           | 2019/20        |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 76*       | Anurag Narula (9*) and Jay Doctora (63*)                | v Howick-Pakuranga     | 2020/21        |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | 29        | Dan Robinson (30) and Ankur Mistry (10*)                | v Cornwall             | 2008/09        |
|                  | <b>29</b> | <b>And Fraser Campbell (11) and Nikheil Bhana (23*)</b> | <b>Vs Cornwall</b>     | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | 15        | Nick Robinson (7*) and Raja Sandhu (11)                 | v Parnell              | 2022/23        |



## PREMIER BATTING RECORDS

### 3000 career runs:

|        |                 |                                 |
|--------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| 13681+ | Emie Horspool   | 1906/07 - 1937/38               |
| 10609+ | Matt Horne      | 1906/07 - 1937/38               |
| 7968+  | Phil Horne      | 1985/86 - 2006/07               |
| 6060+  | Dug Hay         | 1976/77 - 2006/07               |
| 5669+  | Mike de Lautour | 1892/93 - 1915/16               |
| 5393+  | George Wallace  | 1954/55 - 1979/80               |
| 5125+  | Rupert Sloman   | 1935/36 - 1955/56               |
| 4749+  | Ian Fisher      | 1906/07 - 1932/33               |
| 4665+  | Guy Coleman     | 1978/79 - 2004/05               |
| 4416+  | Mark Burgess    | 1996/97 - 2013/14               |
| 4243   | Alan Burton     | 1965/66 - 1991/92               |
| 4166+  | Norm Ellis      | 2007/08 - 2017/18               |
| 4071+  | Austin Parsons  | 1931/32 - 1943/44               |
| 4027   | James Pamment   | 1975/76 - 1987/88               |
| 3847+  | Ces Burke Jnr   | 1991/92 - 1995/96 (4½ seasons!) |
| 3671   | Craig Pryor     | 1963/64 - 1978/79               |
| 3513+  | Ces Burke       | 1994/95 - 2005/06               |
| 3494+  | Alan Watkins    | 1931/32 - 1955/56               |
| 3410+  | Dawson Ritchie  | 1953/54 - 1974/75               |
| 3397+  | Stewart Speed   | 1938/39 - 1951/52               |
| 3333   | Cyril Allcott   | 1961/62 - 1971/72               |
| 3237+  | Kevin Dwyer     | 1921/22 - 1931/32               |
| 3160+  | John Ellison    | 1948/49 - 1965/66               |
| 3126+  | Gary Cunningham | 1965/66 - 1982/83               |
| 3100+  | John McIntyre   | 1980/81 - 1991/92               |

### 750 runs in a season:

|      |                  |         |
|------|------------------|---------|
| 1220 | Michael Ruffell  | 2019/20 |
| 1133 | James Pamment    | 1992/93 |
| 1132 | Matt Horne       | 1992/93 |
| 1115 | Matt Horne       | 1991/92 |
| 1115 | Matt Horne       | 1995/96 |
| 1087 | Nathan Fletcher  | 2019/20 |
| 1075 | Ernie Horspool   | 1917/18 |
| 1059 | Jarryd Walsh     | 2016/17 |
| 1034 | James Pamment    | 1994/95 |
| 1023 | Nick Hendrie     | 2016/17 |
| 976  | Matt Horne       | 1993/94 |
| 957  | Matt Horne       | 1994/95 |
| 918  | Alan Burton      | 2013/14 |
| 901  | Phil Horne       | 1991/92 |
| 894  | Alan Burton      | 2015/16 |
| 874  | Andrew Lane      | 2012/13 |
| 869  | Bill Walsh       | 2013/14 |
| 828  | Alan Burton      | 2014/15 |
| 814  | Jeff Snowden     | 2003/04 |
| 809  | Evan MacCormick  | 1914/15 |
| 793  | Phil Horne       | 1992/93 |
| 792  | Olly Westbury    | 2018/19 |
| 788  | Jonathan Lockyer | 1993/94 |
| 784  | Nick Hendrie     | 2017/18 |
| 783  | Phil Horne       | 1993/94 |
| 765  | Guy Coleman      | 2007/08 |
| 754  | James Pamment    | 1993/94 |

**Most centuries in a season:**

|   |                 |         |
|---|-----------------|---------|
| 4 | Evan MacCormick | 1914/15 |
| 4 | Ernie Horspool  | 1917/18 |
| 4 | Matt Horne      | 1995/96 |
| 4 | Michael Ruffell | 2019/20 |

**Most centuries in a career:**

|     |                |                   |
|-----|----------------|-------------------|
| 31  | Ernie Horspool | 1906/07 - 1937/38 |
| 21+ | Matt Horne     | 1985/86 - 2006/07 |

**Two centuries in a match:**

|              |             |               |         |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------|
| 110 and 100* | Alan Burton | v North Shore | 2014/15 |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------|

**Three consecutive centuries in two-day matches:**

Alan Burton 2014/15  
(110 and 100\* v North Shore, and 114 v Eden-Roskill)

**150 runs in an innings:**

|      |                 |                         |         |
|------|-----------------|-------------------------|---------|
| 234* | Ernie Horspool  | v United Suburbs        | 1930/31 |
| 225  | Ernie Horspool  | v Eden                  | 1917/18 |
| 207  | Ernie Horspool  | v University            | 1919/20 |
| 204* | Michael Ruffell | v Waitakere             | 2019/20 |
| 203* | Alan Burton     | v Waitakere             | 2015/16 |
| 200  | Dug Hay         | v Gordon                | 1899/00 |
| 191  | Michael Horne   | v Parnell               | 2008/09 |
| 189* | Cyril Allcott   | v YMCA                  | 1926/27 |
| 184* | Ernie Horspool  | v University            | 1918/19 |
| 184* | James Pamment   | v University-St Heliers | 1992/93 |
| 184  | Rupert Sloman   | v University            | 1918/19 |
| 179  | Dug Hay         | v Parnell               | 1901/02 |
| 179  | Ernie Horspool  | v Ponsonby              | 1908/09 |
| 178  | Phil Horne      | v Eden-Roskill          | 1995/96 |
| 173  | Evan MacCormick | v Waitemata             | 1914/15 |
| 172  | Ernie Horspool  | v Ponsonby              | 1917/18 |
| 172  | James Pamment   | v Ellerslie             | 1994/95 |
| 171  | Jack Cowie      | v Ponsonby              | 1930/31 |
| 169  | Phil Horne      | v Howick-Pakuranga      | 1982/83 |
| 156* | Sammy Jones     | v North Shore           | 1905/06 |
| 155* | Mark Burgess    | v Cornwall              | 1972/73 |
| 152* | James Pamment   | v Papatoetoe            | 1994/95 |
| 152  | Ernie Horspool  | v University            | 1921/22 |
| 152  | Matt Horne      | v North Shore           | 1991/92 |
| 152  | Phil Horne      | v Ellerslie             | 1991/92 |
| 150  | Fred Angus      | v University            | 1933/34 |
| 150  | Mark Burgess    | v University            | 1973/74 |

**Opening batsmen who carried their bat (team score in brackets):**

|      |       |                  |                                    |         |
|------|-------|------------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| 36*  | (83)  | James Testro     | v West End                         | 1883/84 |
| 74*  | (126) | Bob Yates        | v West End                         | 1885/86 |
| 47*  | (134) | Robert McPherson | v Auckland #                       | 1889/90 |
| 17*  | (43)  | Bob Yates        | v Auckland                         | 1893/94 |
| 50*  | (91)  | Dug Hay          | v Auckland                         | 1895/96 |
| 122* | (272) | Evan MacCormick  | v Parnell                          | 1914/15 |
| 112* | (185) | Ernie Horspool   | v Parnell                          | 1917/18 |
| 115* | (173) | Ernie Horspool   | v Parnell                          | 1925/26 |
| 12*  | (30)  | EG Sale          | v Ponsonby (1 <sup>st</sup> round) | 1929/30 |
| 54*  | (108) | Ernie Horspool   | v Ponsonby (2 <sup>nd</sup> round) | 1929/30 |



|      |       |                 |              |         |
|------|-------|-----------------|--------------|---------|
| 123* | (244) | Dawson Ritchie  | v Middlemore | 1947/48 |
| 9*   | (33)  | Colin Browne    | v Western    | 1954/55 |
| 76*  | (225) | Warren Williams | v Cornwall   | 1969/70 |

# McPherson then took 8-46 (Auckland were one player short)

Note also:

Dug Hay 123\* v City in 1903/04 with one man absent

Evan MacCormick 37\* v North Shore in 1910/11 with three men absent

Ernie Horspool 47\* v North Shore in 1922/23 with one man absent

Ernie Horspool 234\* (out of 380) v United Suburbs in 1930/31 with one man absent

Norm Ellis 65\* (out of 95) v University in 1936/37 with one man absent

Evan MacCormick had also carried his bat against Grafton when scoring 135\* for City in 1908/09

### Scores of 99:

|     |              |                    |              |
|-----|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 99* | Dug Hay      | v University       | 1910/11      |
| 99  | Matt Horne   | v Howick-Pakuranga | 2004/05 (OD) |
| 99  | Guy Coleman  | v Papatoetoe       | 2012/13      |
| 99  | Jack Parsons | v Cornwall         | 2017/18      |

### One Day centuries: (limited overs)

|            |                     |                       |                    |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 200*       | Matt Horne          | v Waitakere           | 1995/96            |
| 156*       | Nick Hendrie        | v North Shore         | 2016/17            |
| 144        | Nathan Fletcher     | v Auckland University | 2019/20            |
| 142*       | Nick Hendrie        | v Eden-Roskill        | 2017/18            |
| 141*       | James Pamment       | v Howick-Pakuranga    | 1994/95            |
| 139*       | Alan Burton         | v Cornwall            | 2013/14            |
| 139        | Jeff Snowden        | v St Albans           | 2003/04 (NCC)      |
| 137*       | Matt Horne          | v East Coast Bays     | 2006/07            |
| 135        | Jonathan Lockyer    | v Waitakere           | 1993/94            |
| 128        | Lou Vincent         | v North Shore         | 1998/99 (OD Final) |
| 126        | Lou Vincent         | v Kumeu               | 1999/2000          |
| 124*       | Sineth Gunawardane  | v Eden-Roskill        | 2022/23            |
| 121 #      | Nick Hendrie        | v North Shore         | 2015/16            |
| <b>120</b> | <b>Taine Bayly</b>  | <b>V Kumeu</b>        | <b>2023/24</b>     |
| 116*       | Matt Horne          | v Suburbs New Lynn    | 2002/03            |
| 113*       | Nick Hendrie        | v Birkenhead          | 2017/18            |
| 113        | Jeff Snowden        | v North Shore         | 2003/04 (OD Final) |
| 113 ##     | Aniket Parikh       | v Eden-Roskill        | 2017/18            |
| 112*       | Alan Burton         | v Auckland University | 2013/14            |
| 111        | Matt Horne          | v Ellerslie           | 1995/96            |
| 111 #      | Ben Chamberlain     | v Hibiscus Coast      | 2021/22            |
| 108        | James Pamment       | v Howick-Pakuranga    | 1993/94            |
| 108        | Dan Sharples        | v Hibiscus Coast      | 2021/22            |
| 107* #     | Brent Findlay       | v Takapuna            | 2011/12            |
| 104        | Andre Adams         | v Papatoetoe          | 2002/03            |
| 103        | Phil Horne          | v Cornwall            | 1996/97            |
| 103        | Nick Hendrie        | v Howick-Pakuranga    | 2015/16            |
| <b>120</b> | <b>Dylan Taylor</b> | <b>V Kumeu</b>        | <b>2023/24</b>     |
| 101        | Craig Pryor         | v Waitakere           | 1998/99            |
| 101        | Matt Horne          | v Cornwall            | 1996/97            |
| 100*       | Mark Posa           | v Papatoetoe          | 1997/98            |
| 100        | Sanjeeva Silva      | v Papatoetoe          | 1997/98            |
| 100        | Nick Jury           | v Cornwall            | 2000/01            |
| 100        | Craig Pryor         | v Papatoetoe          | 2002/03            |

# on debut for club

## second match for club, but first innings

Note:

Horne's innings was the only double-century in Auckland premier one-day matches until Barrington Rowland scored 206 for Eden-Roskill v Birkenhead in 2019/20.





### Most centuries in a career: (limited overs)

|   |              |                   |
|---|--------------|-------------------|
| 5 | Matt Horne   | 1985/86 - 2006/07 |
| 5 | Nick Hendrie | 2015/16 - 2017/18 |

### Two centuries in the same limited overs innings:

|                                  |                  |         |
|----------------------------------|------------------|---------|
| Mark Posa and Sanjeeva Silva     | v Papatoetoe     | 1997/98 |
| Craig Pryor and Andre Adams      | v Papatoetoe     | 2002/03 |
| Nick Hendrie and Aniket Parikh   | v Eden-Roskill   | 2017/18 |
| Ben Chamberlain and Dan Sharples | v Hibiscus Coast | 2021/22 |

### 50 or more runs in Twenty20:

|            |                     |                           |                |
|------------|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| 102        | Craig Borich        | v Parnell                 | 2008/09        |
| 95*        | Shikhar Chaturvedi  | v Cornwall                | 2015/16        |
| 86*        | Alex Edwards        | v Papatoetoe              | 2018/19        |
| 82*        | Tony Manning        | v University/Ellerslie    | 2009/10        |
| 80         | Sineth Gunawardane  | v Ellerslie               | 2022/23        |
| 75         | Nick Hendrie        | v Parnell                 | 2016/17        |
| 71         | Alan Burton         | v Ellerslie               | 2016/17        |
| 71         | Olly Westbury       | v Parnell                 | 2018/19        |
| 63*        | Jay Doctora         | v Howick-Pakuranga        | 2020/21        |
| 62         | Jarryd Walsh        | v Ellerslie               | 2016/17        |
| 58         | Rhys Denby          | v Eden-Roskill            | 2010/11        |
| 58         | Cameron Fletcher    | v Parnell                 | 2010/11        |
| 57         | Craig Borich        | v Parnell                 | 2009/10        |
| 57         | Michael Ruffell     | v Birkenhead              | 2016/17        |
| 57         | Olly Westbury       | v Auckland University     | 2018/19        |
| 57         | Parth Patel         | v Ellerslie               | 2018/19        |
| 57         | Michael Ruffell     | v Auckland University     | 2019/20        |
| 56*        | Jay Chandrathilake  | v Parnell                 | 2008/09        |
| 55         | Dusan Hakaraia      | v Cornwall                | 2012/13        |
| 55*        | Will Martin         | v Ellerslie               | 2022/23        |
| 54*        | Tony Manning        | v University/Ellerslie    | 2008/09        |
| 54*        | Sineth Gunawardane  | v Eden-Roskill            | 2022/23        |
| 54         | Alex Edwards        | v Papatoetoe              | 2022/23        |
| 53*        | Alan Burton         | v Cornwall                | 2014/15        |
| 53         | Dylan Taylor        | v Papatoetoe              | 2022/23        |
| <b>53*</b> | <b>Jack Duffy</b>   | <b>v Eden-Roskill</b>     | <b>2023/24</b> |
| <b>52</b>  | <b>Dylan Taylor</b> | <b>v Howick-Pakuranga</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
| 51*        | Parth Patel         | v Papatoetoe              | 2019/20        |
| 50*        | Dusan Hakaraia      | v Birkenhead              | 2012/13        |
| 50         | Andrew Lane         | v Parnell                 | 2012/13        |
| 50         | Dylan Taylor        | v Papatoetoe              | 2021/22        |

### Highest batting average in a season: (minimum 5 innings)

|        |                 |                 |         |
|--------|-----------------|-----------------|---------|
| 192.50 | (5 inn, 3 NO)   | Cyril Allcott   | 1926/27 |
| 101.13 | (11 inn, 3 NO)  | Evan MacCormick | 1914/15 |
| 87.14  | (24 inn, 10 NO) | Michael Ruffell | 2019/20 |
| 85.00  | (5 inn, 4 NO)   | R Pope          | 1926/27 |
| 84.00  | (5 inn, 1 NO)   | Mark Burgess    | 1977/78 |
| 82.69  | (16 inn, 3 NO)  | Ernie Horspool  | 1917/18 |
| 75.63  | (10 inn, 2 NO)  | Norm Ellis      | 1936/37 |
| 75.53  | (24 inn, 9 NO)  | James Pamment   | 1992/93 |
| 74.90  | (14 inn, 4 NO)  | Rupert Sloman   | 1918/19 |
| 74.33  | (20 inn, 5 NO)  | Matt Horne      | 1995/96 |





## PREMIER BOWLING RECORDS

### 250 career wickets:

|      |                |                   |
|------|----------------|-------------------|
| 774+ | Ces Burke      | 1931/32 - 1955/56 |
| 682+ | John McIntyre  | 1960/61 - 1988/89 |
| 672+ | Bill Stemson   | 1886/87 - 1914/15 |
| 513+ | Ian Fisher     | 1978/79 - 2004/05 |
| 435+ | Guy Coleman    | 1996/97 - 2013/14 |
| 431+ | Jack Williams  | 1969/70 - 1983/84 |
| 414+ | Ernie Horspool | 1906/07 - 1937/38 |
| 411+ | Jack Brown     | 1940/41 - 1954/55 |
| 396  | Cyril Allcott  | 1921/22 - 1931/32 |
| 332  | Jack Cowie     | 1930/31 - 1939/40 |
| 321+ | Blair Webby    | 1977/78 - 1991/92 |
| 318+ | John Cushen    | 1976/77 - 1983/84 |
| 282+ | Dug Hay        | 1892/93 - 1915/16 |
| 250  | Dick Mason     | 1906/07 - 1913/14 |
| 250+ | Willie Watson  | 1982/83 - 1995/96 |

### 50 wickets in a season:

|     |                  |         |
|-----|------------------|---------|
| 71  | Ian Fisher       | 1991/92 |
| 68  | John Cushen      | 1978/79 |
| 67+ | Robert McPherson | 1885/86 |
| 64  | Jonathan Roberts | 2012/13 |
| 61  | Bill Stemson     | 1901/02 |
| 61  | Cyril Allcott    | 1931/32 |
| 61+ | Ces Burke        | 1947/48 |
| 61  | Vic Belsham      | 1960/61 |
| 60  | Bill Stemson     | 1897/98 |
| 60+ | Bill Stemson     | 1903/04 |
| 61  | Cyril Allcott    | 1931/32 |
| 60  | Jack Williams    | 1974/75 |
| 59  | Ces Burke        | 1940/41 |
| 59  | Jack Williams    | 1973/74 |
| 59  | Blair Hendren    | 1998/99 |
| 58  | Jack Brown       | 1951/52 |
| 58  | Ces Burke        | 1951/52 |
| 58  | John Cushen      | 1979/80 |
| 56+ | Ces Burke        | 1942/43 |
| 56  | Dick Mason       | 1909/10 |
| 54  | Bill Stemson     | 1902/03 |
| 54  | Jack Williams    | 1976/77 |
| 53+ | Ces Burke        | 1943/44 |
| 53  | Dick Mason       | 1908/09 |
| 53  | Colin Hight      | 1989/90 |
| 53  | Alan Burton      | 2016/17 |
| 52  | Cyril Allcott    | 1921/22 |
| 52  | Blair Webby      | 1985/86 |
| 51  | Jack Williams    | 1975/76 |
| 50  | Cyril Allcott    | 1922/23 |
| 50  | Jack Williams    | 1971/72 |
| 50  | John McIntyre    | 1973/74 |
| 50  | Ian Fisher       | 1996/97 |

### Most five-wicket bags in a season:

|   |                  |         |
|---|------------------|---------|
| 7 | Robert McPherson | 1885/86 |
| 7 | Bill Stemson     | 1902/03 |
| 7 | Bill Stemson     | 1903/04 |
| 7 | John Cushen      | 1978/79 |
| 6 | Bill Stemson     | 1897/98 |



|   |               |         |
|---|---------------|---------|
| 6 | Bill Stemson  | 1901/02 |
| 6 | Dick Mason    | 1908/09 |
| 6 | Dick Mason    | 1909/10 |
| 6 | Cyril Allcott | 1931/32 |
| 6 | Ces Burke     | 1940/41 |
| 6 | Ces Burke     | 1942/43 |
| 6 | Ces Burke     | 1943/44 |

**Most five-wicket bags in a career:**

|    |               |                   |
|----|---------------|-------------------|
| 63 | Ces Burke     | 1931/32 - 1955/56 |
| 60 | Bill Stemson  | 1886/87 - 1913/14 |
| 40 | John McIntyre | 1960/61 - 1988/89 |
| 36 | Cyril Allcott | 1921/22 - 1931/32 |

**Most ten-wicket bags in a season:**

|   |            |         |
|---|------------|---------|
| 3 | Dick Mason | 1907/08 |
|---|------------|---------|

**Most ten-wicket bags in a career:**

|    |              |                   |
|----|--------------|-------------------|
| 11 | Bill Stemson | 1886/87 - 1913/14 |
| 6  | Ces Burke    | 1931/32 - 1955/56 |
| 6  | John Cushen  | 1976/77 - 1983/84 |

**10 wickets in a match - Two Innings:**

|        |                  |                     |         |
|--------|------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 17-102 | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland XV       | 1897/98 |
| 16-44  | Cyril Allcott    | v North Shore       | 1931/32 |
| 16-59  | John Cushen      | v Eden-Roskill      | 1979/80 |
| 15-75  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland XI       | 1897/98 |
| 15-105 | Ian Fisher       | v Birkenhead        | 1991/92 |
| 14-45  | Jack Brown       | v Eden              | 1951/52 |
| 14-83  | Dick Mason       | v North Shore       | 1909/10 |
| 14-93  | Jack Cowie       | v King's Old Boys   | 1934/35 |
| 14-104 | Don Cleverley    | v Suburbs           | 1950/51 |
| 14-111 | Jack Williams    | v Western Districts | 1974/75 |
| 13-13  | Harold Wilson    | v North Shore B     | 1926/27 |
| 13-47  | John McIntyre    | v Western Districts | 1975/76 |
| 13-53  | Robert McPherson | v Our Boys          | 1885/86 |
| 13-72  | Cyril Allcott    | v North Shore       | 1922/23 |
| 13-80  | Leicester Spring | v University        | 1937/38 |
| 13-85  | Bill Stemson     | v Gordon            | 1891/92 |
| 13-85  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland          | 1893/94 |
| 12-34  | Jack Cowie       | v Ponsonby          | 1933/34 |
| 12-44  | Ray Emery        | v Parnell           | 1946/47 |
| 12-46  | Albert Sloman    | v Ponsonby          | 1900/01 |
| 12-53  | John Cushen      | v Parnell           | 1978/79 |
| 12-56  | John McIntyre    | v Ellerslie         | 1979/80 |
| 12-61  | Dick Mason       | v Parnell           | 1907/08 |
| 12-78  | Jack Cowie       | v YMCA              | 1933/34 |
| 12-82  | Albert Sloman    | v Eden              | 1906/07 |
| 12-86  | Bill Stemson     | v Gordon            | 1901/02 |
| 12-110 | Bill Stemson     | v Gordon            | 1902/03 |
| 11-34* | Nelson Martin    | v Training College  | 1941/42 |
| 11-39  | John McIntyre    | v Parnell           | 1979/80 |
| 11-44  | John McIntyre    | v North Shore       | 1984/85 |
| 11-45  | Dug Hay          | v Gordon            | 1894/95 |
| 11-48  | Ces Burke        | v North Shore       | 1945/46 |
| 11-50  | Ces Burke        | v Ponsonby-Balmoral | 1940/41 |
| 11-51  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland XV       | 1898/99 |
| 11-54  | Jonathan Roberts | v Eden-Roskill      | 2011/12 |
| 11-55  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland          | 1894/95 |
| 11-56  | Ces Burke        | v Papatoetoe        | 1950/51 |



|         |                   |                            |         |
|---------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------|
| 11-63   | Ces Burke         | v YMCA                     | 1932/33 |
| 11-65   | John Cushen       | v Takapuna                 | 1978/79 |
| 11-70   | Parth Patel       | v Eden-Roskill             | 2014/15 |
| 11-82   | Ces Burke         | v University               | 1946/47 |
| 11-85?  | Ian Fisher        | v Parnell                  | 1984/85 |
| 11-90   | Cyril Allcott     | v North Shore              | 1923/24 |
| 11-95   | Jack Williams     | v North City               | 1973/74 |
| 11-96   | Bill Bell         | v Eden                     | 1952/53 |
| 11-100  | Doug Nixon        | v North Shore              | 1918/19 |
| 11-103  | Dick Mason        | v Eden A                   | 1908/09 |
| 11-104  | Jack Brown        | v Middlemore               | 1948/49 |
| 11-109  | Jack Brown        | v North Shore              | 1951/52 |
| 11-120  | Ces Burke         | v North Shore              | 1937/38 |
| 11-120  | Aniket Parikh     | v Parnell                  | 2017/18 |
| 11-180  | John Syme         | v Western Suburbs          | 1965/66 |
| 11-? @  | George Lankham    | v Our Boys                 | 1883/84 |
| 10-37*  | Cyril Allcott     | v YMCA                     | 1921/22 |
| 10-42   | Craig Pryor       | v Parnell                  | 1994/95 |
| 10-45   | John Cushen       | v Cornwall                 | 1977/78 |
| 10-48   | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland                 | 1896/97 |
| 10+-59+ | Ian Fisher        | v Eden-Roskill             | 1990/91 |
| 10-64   | John Cushen       | v Papatoetoe               | 1982/83 |
| 10-65   | Dug Hay           | v Ponsonby                 | 1906/07 |
| 10-65   | Jack Brown        | v Eastern                  | 1954/55 |
| 10-71   | Willie Watson     | v Eden-Roskill             | 1992/93 |
| 10-72   | Ben Pratt         | v Eden                     | 1912/13 |
| 10-72   | Ian Fisher        | v Cornwall                 | 1987/88 |
| 10-75   | Dug Hay           | v Parnell (Final)          | 1897/98 |
| 10-76   | Blair Webby       | v Ellerslie                | 1989/90 |
| 10-77   | Bill Stemson      | v Eden                     | 1903/04 |
| 10-78   | Dick Mason        | v City                     | 1907/08 |
| 10-83   | John Cushen       | v Takapuna                 | 1982/83 |
| 10-86   | Dick Mason        | v Ponsonby                 | 1907/08 |
| 10-87   | Jack Williams     | v Papatoetoe (at Manurewa) | 1976/77 |
| 10-89   | Bill Stemson      | v Parnell                  | 1902/03 |
| 10-93   | Richard Matthews  | v Eden-Roskill             | 1971/72 |
| 10-95   | Jack Brown        | v YMCA                     | 1949/50 |
| 10-102  | Jack Williams     | v Parnell                  | 1970/71 |
| 10-115  | Darrin Crook      | v Suburbs-New Lynn         | 2007/08 |
| 10-187  | John McIntyre     | v Papatoetoe               | 1969/70 |
| 10-? @  | Arthur MacCormick | v Newton                   | 1885/86 |
| 10-? @  | Robert McPherson  | v West End                 | 1885/86 |

Note: Allcott and Parikh are the only players to have hat-tricks as part of their ten-wicket bags

\* played as a one-day match (not limited overs)

@ no bowling figures given

### 7 wickets in an innings - Two Day:

|       |                 |                                      |         |
|-------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---------|
| 11-45 | Bill Stemson    | v Auckland XV (1 <sup>st</sup> inn)  | 1897/98 |
| 9-16  | Ian Fisher      | v Birkenhead                         | 1991/92 |
| 9-26  | Dug Hay         | v Gordon                             | 1894/95 |
| 9-32  | John Cushen     | v Eden-Roskill (1 <sup>st</sup> inn) | 1979/80 |
| 9-33  | John Cushen     | v Takapuna                           | 1978/79 |
| 9-38  | Sanjeeva Silva  | v University-Akarana                 | 1996/97 |
| 9-47  | Ces Burke       | v Suburbs                            | 1949/50 |
| 9-61  | Ian Fisher      | v Parnell                            | 1984/85 |
| 9-68  | Bill Stemson    | v Eden                               | 1903/04 |
| 8-9   | Harold Wilson   | v North Shore B                      | 1926/27 |
| 8-14+ | Cyril Allcott   | v North Shore (2 <sup>nd</sup> inn)  | 1931/32 |
| 8-19  | Jack Brown      | v Eden                               | 1951/52 |
| 8-20* | William Lankham | v Excelsior                          | 1883/84 |
| 8-23  | Albert Sloman   | v Ponsonby                           | 1900/01 |
| 8-23  | Dug Hay         | v Eden                               | 1905/06 |



|       |                   |                                       |         |
|-------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| 8-24  | Tom Hambrook      | v University                          | 1953/54 |
| 8-24  | John McIntyre     | v North Shore                         | 1984/85 |
| 8-27  | Guy Coleman       | v Papatoetoe                          | 1996/97 |
| 8-28  | John Syme         | v Eastern                             | 1965/66 |
| 8-30X | Cyril Allcott     | v North Shore (1 <sup>st</sup> inn)   | 1931/32 |
| 8-32  | Ces Burke         | v North Shore                         | 1945/46 |
| 8-34  | Dick Mason        | v Parnell                             | 1907/08 |
| 8-36  | William Hawkins   | v Auckland                            | 1892/93 |
| 8-39  | Seb Kohlhase      | v Papatoetoe                          | 1967/68 |
| 8-40  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland XI (1 <sup>st</sup> inn)   | 1897/98 |
| 8-41* | Ces Burke         | v North Shore                         | 1942/43 |
| 8-43  | John Cushen       | v Suburbs-New Lynn                    | 1982/83 |
| 8-46  | Robert McPherson  | v Auckland                            | 1889/90 |
| 8-53  | Bill Stemson      | v Gordon (1 <sup>st</sup> round)      | 1891/92 |
| 8-53  | Andre Adams       | v Howick-Pakuranga                    | 1998/99 |
| 8-54  | Ernie Horspool    | v Ponsonby                            | 1915/16 |
| 8-57  | Jack Cowie        | v YMCA                                | 1937/38 |
| 8-62  | Jack Williams     | v Suburbs-New Lynn                    | 1977/78 |
| 8-63  | Ces Burke         | v King's Old Boys                     | 1935/36 |
| 8-69  | Ian Fisher        | v Parnell                             | 1996/97 |
| 8-70  | Jack Cowie        | v Eden                                | 1936/37 |
| 8-73  | Jack Williams     | v Western Districts                   | 1974/75 |
| 8-74  | Albert Sloman     | v Ponsonby                            | 1906/07 |
| 8-76  | Geoff Brown       | v Eden                                | 1959/60 |
| 8-83  | Jack Williams     | v University                          | 1969/70 |
| 8-90  | Dick Mason        | v Eden Colts                          | 1908/09 |
| 8-? @ | Robert McPherson  | v Alpha XIII                          | 1889/90 |
| 7-3   | Arthur MacCormick | v Newton                              | 1885/86 |
| 7-5   | John McIntyre     | v Western Districts                   | 1975/76 |
| 7-8   | Bill Stemson      | v Gordon (2 <sup>nd</sup> round)      | 1891/92 |
| 7-10  | Ces Burke         | v Training College                    | 1940/41 |
| 7-11  | Robert McPherson  | v Parnell                             | 1888/89 |
| 7-11  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland                            | 1894/95 |
| 7-11  | Purvis Hay        | v Auckland XV                         | 1898/99 |
| 7-21  | Cyril Allcott     | v University                          | 1923/24 |
| 7-22  | Robert McPherson  | v Gordon (1 <sup>st</sup> round)      | 1892/93 |
| 7-22  | Dug Hay           | v North Shore                         | 1897/98 |
| 7-25  | Bill Stemson      | v Onslow                              | 1892/93 |
| 7-26  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland                            | 1896/97 |
| 7-27# | Avon Cook         | v Onehunga-One Tree Hill              | 1955/56 |
| 7-27  | John Cushen       | v Eden-Roskill (2 <sup>nd</sup> inn)  | 1979/80 |
| 7-27  | John McIntyre     | v Parnell                             | 1979/80 |
| 7-28  | Robert McPherson  | v Our Boys                            | 1885/86 |
| 7-28  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland                            | 1889/90 |
| 7-28  | Bill Stemson      | v Alpha XIII                          | 1890/91 |
| 7-28  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland XV (2 <sup>nd</sup> round) | 1898/99 |
| 7-28  | Walter Harvie     | v Eden B                              | 1913/14 |
| 7-28  | Cyril Snedden     | v North Shore                         | 1920/21 |
| 7-29  | Newell Lusk       | v Ponsonby                            | 1901/02 |
| 7-29  | Willie Watson     | v Eden-Roskill                        | 1985/86 |
| 7-30  | Jack Brown        | v Papatoetoe                          | 1949/50 |
| 7-30  | Ces Burke         | v University                          | 1952/53 |
| 7-31  | Robert McPherson  | v Our Boys                            | 1885/86 |
| 7-32  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland                            | 1891/92 |
| 7-32  | John Cushen       | v University-St Heliers               | 1979/80 |
| 7-34  | William Hawkins   | v Parnell                             | 1892/93 |
| 7-34  | Jack Brown        | v Air Force                           | 1944/45 |
| 7-35  | Bill Stemson      | v Auckland XI (2 <sup>nd</sup> inn)   | 1897/98 |
| 7-35  | John McIntyre     | v Howick-Pakuranga                    | 1979/80 |
| 7-36  | Bill Stemson      | v Parnell                             | 1896/97 |
| 7-36  | John Cushen       | v Eilerslie                           | 1981/82 |
| 7-36  | Mark Posa         | v Howick-Pakuranga A                  | 1997/98 |
| 7-37  | Dug Hay           | v Ponsonby                            | 1906/07 |
| 7-37  | Cyril Allcott     | v North Shore                         | 1923/24 |



|       |                  |   |         |
|-------|------------------|---|---------|
| 7-37  | George Wallace   | v Parnell                               | 1936/37 |
| 7-37  | Ralph Moore      | v North Harbour                         | 1966/67 |
| 7-37  | Hamish Robertson | v Ellerslie                             | 2019/20 |
| 7-38  | Dick Mason       | v North Shore (2 <sup>nd</sup> inn)     | 1909/10 |
| 7-39  | Jack Cowie       | v YMCA                                  | 1933/34 |
| 7-39  | Ces Burke        | v North Shore                           | 1947/48 |
| 7-39  | John Carson      | v North City                            | 1974/75 |
| 7-40  | Bill Stemson     | v Hollands                              | 1886/87 |
| 7-41  | Bill Stemson     | v Gordon                                | 1901/02 |
| 7-41  | John Cushen      | v Papatoetoe                            | 1982/83 |
| 7-42  | Bill Stemson     | v City                                  | 1903/04 |
| 7-43  | J Gardiner       | v West End                              | 1885/86 |
| 7-43  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland                              | 1893/94 |
| 7-43* | Ces Burke        | v Parnell                               | 1943/44 |
| 7-44  | Bill Stemson     | v Parnell                               | 1903/04 |
| 7-44  | Cyril Allcott    | v University                            | 1922/23 |
| 7-44  | Ces Burke        | v University                            | 1946/47 |
| 7-45  | Dick Mason       | v North Shore (1 <sup>st</sup> inn)     | 1909/10 |
| 7-45  | Cyril Allcott    | v North Shore                           | 1922/23 |
| 7-46  | Robert McPherson | v Auckland                              | 1886/87 |
| 7-46  | Dug Hay          | v Parnell                               | 1897/98 |
| 7-46  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland XV (1 <sup>st</sup> round)   | 1898/99 |
| 7-46  | Jack Cowie       | v King's Old Boys (2 <sup>nd</sup> inn) | 1934/35 |
| 7-47  | Jack Cowie       | v King's Old Boys (1 <sup>st</sup> inn) | 1934/35 |
| 7-47* | Avon Cook        | v North Shore                           | 1957/58 |
| 7-47  | Richard Matthews | v Eden-Roskill                          | 1971/72 |
| 7-49  | Dug Hay          | v Gordon                                | 1893/94 |
| 7-49  | Dick Mason       | v City                                  | 1907/08 |
| 7-50  | Dick Mason       | v Ponsonby                              | 1909/10 |
| 7-50  | Fred Byerley     | v University                            | 1948/49 |
| 7-51  | John Cushen      | v Cornwall                              | 1976/77 |
| 7-52  | Robert McPherson | v Gordon (Final)                        | 1892/93 |
| 7-52  | Dick Mason       | v Eden A                                | 1908/09 |
| 7-52  | Don Cleverley    | v Suburbs (1 <sup>st</sup> inns)        | 1950/51 |
| 7-52  | Don Cleverley    | v Suburbs (2 <sup>nd</sup> inns)        | 1950/51 |
| 7-53  | Keith Bernard    | v Papatoetoe                            | 1955/56 |
| 7-54  | Craig Pryor      | v Hibiscus Coast                        | 1995/96 |
| 7-55  | Cyril Allcott    | v Parnell                               | 1930/31 |
| 7-55  | Cyril Allcott    | v Parnell                               | 1931/32 |
| 7-55* | George Childs    | v University                            | 1941/42 |
| 7-55  | John McDonald    | v Papatoetoe                            | 1956/57 |
| 7-56  | Aron Fuller      | v Cornwall                              | 1998/99 |
| 7-56  | Carl de Beer     | v Cornwall                              | 2020/21 |
| 7-59  | Dug Hay          | v North Shore                           | 1906/07 |
| 7-60  | Dick Mason       | v North Shore                           | 1907/08 |
| 7-60  | Ian Fisher       | v Hibiscus Coast                        | 1992/93 |
| 7-61  | Harold Wilson    | v Eden                                  | 1924/25 |
| 7-61  | Jack Cowie       | v King's Old Boys                       | 1932/33 |
| 7-61  | Willie Watson    | v Hibiscus Coast                        | 1992/93 |
| 7-63  | Willie Watson    | v Eden-Roskill                          | 1994/95 |
| 7-64  | Avon Cook        | v Suburbs                               | 1967/68 |
| 7-64  | Warwick Hand     | v Parnell                               | 1977/78 |
| 7-65  | Seb Kohlhase     | v Eastern                               | 1961/62 |
| 7-67  | Avon Cook        | v Eastern                               | 1957/58 |
| 7-67  | Simon Hughes     | v Mangere                               | 1988/89 |
| 7-73  | Bill Stemson     | v Parnell                               | 1901/02 |
| 7-73  | Charlie Kerr     | v Ponsonby                              | 1932/33 |
| 7-74  | Jack Williams    | v Cornwall                              | 1970/71 |
| 7-75  | Ces Burke        | v Papakura Camp                         | 1940/41 |
| 7-75  | John McIntyre    | v University                            | 1961/62 |
| 7-77  | Bill Stemson     | v Auckland                              | 1902/03 |
| 7-78  | John Cushen      | v Suburbs-New Lynn                      | 1977/78 |
| 7-78  | John McIntyre    | v Western Districts                     | 1977/78 |
| 7-91  | Leicester Spring | v YMCA                                  | 1935/36 |



|       |                 |            |         |
|-------|-----------------|------------|---------|
| 7-94  | Hopkinson       | v Ponsonby | 1918/19 |
| 7-165 | Bill Stemson    | v Parnell  | 1897/98 |
| 7-? @ | William Lankham | v Auckland | 1881/82 |
| 7-? @ | Bill Stemson    | v Gordon   | 1893/94 |

Note: @ no bowling figures given

X Allcott caught the other two players dismissed in the innings

+ included two hat-tricks

\* played as a one-day match (not limited overs)

# on debut for club

Charlie MacCormick took 8-4 v Civil Service XV in a match in 1881/82

Albert Sloman took 9-58 v Mangatawhiri in a 12-a-side non-competition match on 29/1/1906

### 5 wickets in an innings - One Day: (limited overs)

| 6-13 (incl. hat-trick) | Nikheil Bhana   | v Waitakere                            | 2023/24 |
|------------------------|-----------------|--|---------|
| 6-16                   | Blair Hendren   | v Suburbs-New Lynn                     | 1998/99 |
| 6-25                   | Steve McCarty   | v Ellerslie                            | 1994/95 |
| 6-28                   | James Coxon     | v Suburbs-New Lynn                     | 2001/02 |
| 6-32                   | Tod Ahrens      | v East Coast Bays                      | 1996/97 |
| 6-34                   | Grant Thorpe    | v Papatoetoe                           | 2002/03 |
| 5-3                    | Blair Webby     | v Papatoetoe                           | 1982/83 |
| 5-14                   | Jack Dymond     | v Birkenhead                           | 2021/22 |
| 5-16                   | Matt Horne      | v University                           | 1990/91 |
| 5-23                   | Dan Robinson    | v North Shore                          | 2008/09 |
| 5-26                   | David Sewell    | v North Shore                          | 2003/04 |
| 5-31                   | Lee Borcoski    | v Otumoetai Cadets (NCC)               | 2003/04 |
| 5-32                   | Jack Dymond     | v North Shore                          | 2019/20 |
| 5-33                   | David Sewell    | v St Albans (NCC)                      | 2003/04 |
| 5-39                   | Grant Thorpe    | v Waitakere                            | 2011/12 |
| 5-40                   | Blair Hendren   | v North Shore ( <i>One Day Final</i> ) | 1998/99 |
| 5-43                   | Parth Patel     | v North Shore                          | 2015/16 |
| 5-43                   | Jack Dymond     | v Waitakere                            | 2019/20 |
| 5-46                   | Dylan Taylor    | v Kumeu                                | 2021/22 |
| 5-52                   | Michael Snedden | v North Shore                          | 2017/18 |
| 5-66                   | Michael Snedden | v Birkenhead                           | 2017/18 |

### Most economical bowling - One Day: (limited overs)

|           |              |              |         |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|---------|
| 10-7-5-3  | Ankur Mistry | v University | 2003/04 |
| 10-3-9-2  | Blair Webby  | v Parnell?   | 1989/90 |
| 10-5-11-3 | Blair Webby  | v Ellerslie  | 1981/82 |

Also note:

|           |             |              |         |
|-----------|-------------|--------------|---------|
| 9.4-7-3-5 | Blair Webby | v Papatoetoe | 1982/83 |
|-----------|-------------|--------------|---------|

### 3 wickets in an innings - Twenty20:

| 6-16 | Fraser Campbell    | v Howick Pakuranga                             | 2023/24 |
|------|--------------------|--|---------|
| 5-20 | Alan Burton        | v Ellerslie                                    | 2016/17 |
| 5-21 | Raja Sandhu        | v Eden-Roskill                                 | 2021/22 |
| 4-15 | Grant Thorpe       | v Eden-Roskill ( <i>1<sup>st</sup> round</i> ) | 2011/12 |
| 4-16 | Dylan Taylor       | v Ellerslie                                    | 2021/22 |
| 4-21 | Richard James      | v Eden-Roskill                                 | 2010/11 |
| 4-21 | Alex Ridley        | v Papatoetoe                                   | 2021/22 |
| 4-25 | Dan Sharples       | v Cornwall                                     | 2021/22 |
| 4-26 | Grant Thorpe       | v Waitakere ( <i>Plate Final</i> )             | 2012/13 |
| 3-9  | Raja Sandhu        | v Parnell                                      | 2022/23 |
| 3-12 | Nathan Fletcher    | v Eden-Roskill                                 | 2020/21 |
| 3-12 | Dan Sharples       | v Howick-Pakuranga                             | 2021/22 |
| 3-14 | Dan Robinson       | v Takapuna                                     | 2007/08 |
| 3-14 | Sineth Gunawardane | v Eden Roskill                                 | 2022/23 |
| 3-15 | Dilan Peris        | v Waitakere                                    | 2006/07 |
| 3-15 | Dylan Taylor       | v Ellerslie                                    | 2018/19 |
| 3-16 | Grant Thorpe       | v Eden-Roskill ( <i>2<sup>nd</sup> round</i> ) | 2011/12 |



|      |                  |                                   |         |
|------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 3-16 | Dylan Taylor     | v Ellerslie                       | 2019/20 |
| 3-17 | Michael Horne    | v University/Ellerslie            | 2008/09 |
| 3-17 | Nikheil Bhana    | v Birkenhead                      | 2016/17 |
| 3-18 | Kyle Ruffell     | v Parnell                         | 2015/16 |
| 3-20 | Michael Horne    | v North Shore                     | 2008/09 |
| 3-20 | Jonathan Roberts | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2010/11 |
| 3-20 | Jonathan Roberts | v Auckland University             | 2012/13 |
| 3-20 | Chris Beck       | v Takapuna ( <i>Plate Final</i> ) | 2016/17 |
| 3-21 | Ankur Mistry     | v University/Ellerslie            | 2008/09 |
| 3-22 | Farhan Mirza     | v North Shore                     | 2009/10 |
| 3-23 | Ankur Mistry     | v Cornwall                        | 2008/09 |
| 3-24 | Nikheil Bhana    | v Auckland University             | 2018/19 |
| 3-25 | Ariyan Hassan    | v Birkenhead                      | 2016/17 |
| 3-26 | Ariyan Hassan    | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2018/19 |
| 3-27 | Nikheil Bhana    | v Parnell                         | 2016/17 |
| 3-27 | Hamish Robertson | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2018/19 |
| 3-29 | Nikheil Bhana    | v Takapuna ( <i>Plate Final</i> ) | 2016/17 |
| 3-32 | Ankur Mistry     | v Waitakere                       | 2009/10 |
| 3-34 | Michael Horne    | v University/Ellerslie            | 2009/10 |
| 3-42 | Kyle Ruffell     | v Parnell                         | 2019/20 |
| 3-44 | Jack Dymond      | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2019/20 |

#### Most economical bowling - Twenty20:

|          |                    |                                   |         |
|----------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 4-1-6-2  | Joe Dawborn        | v Ellerslie                       | 2012/13 |
| 4-1-6-2  | Dilan Peris        | v Howick-Pakuranga                | 2015/16 |
| 4-1-6-2  | Carl de Beer       | v Cornwall                        | 2018/19 |
| 4-1-9-1  | Grant Thorpe       | v Parnell                         | 2007/08 |
| 4-1-9-2  | Ankur Mistry       | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2007/08 |
| 4-0-10-2 | Sam Rippington     | v Auckland University             | 2014/15 |
| 4-0-11-1 | Sineth Gunawardane | v Auckland University             | 2021/22 |
| 4-0-11-2 | Dylan Taylor       | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2021/22 |
| 4-0-12-1 | Ankur Mistry       | v Parnell                         | 2007/08 |
| 4-0-12-2 | Richard James      | v Parnell                         | 2010/11 |
| 4-0-12-1 | Ariyan Hassan      | v Takapuna ( <i>Plate Final</i> ) | 2016/17 |
| 4-0-12-3 | Nathan Fletcher    | v Eden-Roskill                    | 2020/21 |
| 4-0-12-1 | Nikheil Bhana      | v Papatoetoe                      | 2020/21 |
| 4-0-12-3 | Dan Sharples       | v Howick-Pakuranga                | 2021/22 |

#### Four wickets in successive balls:

|                  |            |                                  |
|------------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| Robert McPherson | v Our Boys | 1885/86 (5 wickets in six balls) |
|------------------|------------|----------------------------------|

#### Hat-tricks:

|                      |                                 |                                 |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Jos Kallender        | v Parnell                       | 1903/04                         |
| Jack Cowie           | v United Suburbs                | 1930/31                         |
| Cyril Allcott        | v North Shore                   | 1931/32 (twice in same innings) |
| Jack Cowie           | v University                    | 1939/40                         |
| Joe Felts            | v Eden                          | 1939/40                         |
| Ray Emery            | v Parnell                       | 1945/46                         |
| John McDonald        | v University                    | 1955/56 *                       |
| Richard Matthews     | v Cornwall                      | 1969/70                         |
| Phil Cassrells       | v Howick-Pakuranga (LS one-day) | 1994/95                         |
| Willie Watson        | v Ellerslie                     | 1994/95                         |
| Craig Pryor          | v Howick-Pakuranga A            | 1997/98                         |
| Dan Robinson         | v Suburbs-New Lynn              | 2007/08                         |
| Zahir Abraham        | v North Shore                   | 2008/09                         |
| Sam Rippington       | v Eden-Roskill                  | 2015/16                         |
| Aniket Parikh        | v Parnell                       | 2017/18                         |
| <b>Nikheil Bhana</b> | <b>v Waitakere</b>              | <b>2023/24 **</b>               |

\* in the first over of the innings - batsmen numbers 2, 3 and 4

\*\* The last three wickets to fall. Bhana also effected a run-out on the last ball of the first over in the innings before taking wickets with the first two balls of the second over.





## PREMIER WICKET KEEPING AND FIELDING RECORDS

### 100 career dismissals:

|      |                       |                   |
|------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 253+ | Richard Irving        | 1994/95 - 2006/07 |
| 193+ | Stewart Speed         | 1961/62 - 1971/72 |
| 180  | Dick Rowntree         | 1920/21 - 1935/36 |
| 155  | Sam Cameron           | 2013/14 - 2020/21 |
| 146+ | Scott Fuller          | 1981/82 - 1993/94 |
| 140+ | Aub Ritchie           | 1948/49 - 1968/69 |
| 129+ | Mario Mana            | 1971/72 - 1976/77 |
| 112+ | Colin 'Chock' Wallace | 1977/78 - 1981/82 |

### 35 dismissals in a season:

|           |                   |                           |
|-----------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 45        | Richard Irving    | 1994/95                   |
| 44        | Richard Irving    | 1995/96                   |
| 43        | Jeff Snowden      | 2003/04 (+ 1 ct in field) |
| 38        | Cameron Fletcher  | 2011/12                   |
| 37        | Michael Bing      | 2012/13                   |
| 37        | Sam Cameron       | 2016/17                   |
| 36        | Richard Irving    | 1996/97                   |
| 36        | Richard Irving    | 1998/99                   |
| 35        | Richard Irving    | 1999/2000                 |
| <b>35</b> | <b>Jack Duffy</b> | <b>2023/24</b>            |

### Most catches in a season:

|    |                |         |
|----|----------------|---------|
| 42 | Richard Irving | 1995/96 |
| 37 | Jeff Snowden   | 2003/04 |
| 36 | Richard Irving | 1996/97 |

### Most stumpings in a season:

|    |                 |         |
|----|-----------------|---------|
| 16 | Sam Cameron     | 2016/17 |
| 11 | Dick Rowntree   | 1930/31 |
| 11 | Oanliff Everson | 1932/33 |
| 11 | Richard Irving  | 1994/95 |

### Most dismissals in an innings - Two Day:

|                |                  |                     |         |
|----------------|------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 7* (1 ct/6 st) | Jimmy Butler     | v North Shore       | 1938/39 |
| 7 (all caught) | Joey Zanich      | v Parnell           | 2009/10 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Patrick Cullen   | v Parnell           | 1911/12 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | Dick Rowntree    | v Parnell           | 1922/23 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | Dick Rowntree    | v Parnell           | 1926/27 |
| 5 (2 ct/3 st)  | Warwick Turner   | v Parnell           | 1938/39 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Jimmy Butler     | v Middlemore        | 1940/41 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Jack Annan       | v University        | 1940/41 |
| 5 (2 ct/3 st)  | Aub Ritchie      | v Ponsonby-Balmoral | 1950/51 |
| 5 (1 ct/4 st)  | Aub Ritchie      | v University        | 1952/53 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | Aub Ritchie      | v Cornwall          | 1956/57 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | Stewart Speed    | v Eden-Roskill      | 1965/66 |
| 5 (all caught) | Mario Mana       | v Cornwall          | 1976/77 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | Mario Mana       | v Suburbs-New Lynn  | 1976/77 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Colin Wallace    | v Eilerslie         | 1979/80 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Richard Irving   | v Birkenhead        | 1998/99 |
| 5 (all caught) | Richard Irving   | v University        | 1999/00 |
| 5 (all caught) | Richard Irving   | v East Coast Bays   | 2004/05 |
| 5 (all caught) | Glenn Critchley  | v Takapuna          | 2005/06 |
| 5 (all caught) | Cameron Fletcher | v Eilerslie         | 2011/12 |
| 5 (all caught) | Sam Cameron      | v Birkenhead        | 2016/17 |





### Most stumpings in an innings - Two Day:

|    |                |               |         |
|----|----------------|---------------|---------|
| 6* | Jimmy Butler   | v North Shore | 1938/39 |
| 4  | Ernie Horspool | v Parnell     | 1925/26 |
| 4  | Aub Ritchie    | v University  | 1952/53 |

### Most dismissals in an innings - One Day: (limited overs)

|                |                  |                    |         |
|----------------|------------------|--------------------|---------|
| 5 (all caught) | Scott Fuller     | v Cornwall         | 1993/94 |
| 5 (4 ct/1 st)  | James Molloy     | v Cornwall         | 2006/07 |
| 5 (3 ct/2 st)  | Joey Zanich      | v Suburbs-New Lynn | 2009/10 |
| 5 (2 ct/3 st)  | Cameron Fletcher | v Waitakere        | 2011/12 |

### Most stumpings in an innings - One Day: (limited overs)

|   |                |  |         |
|---|----------------|--|---------|
| 4 | Richard Irving | v North Shore ( <i>One Day Final</i> ) | 1998/99 |
|---|----------------|--|---------|

### Most dismissals in an innings - Twenty20:

|                       |                   |                           |                |
|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| 4 (3 ct/1 st)         | Jack Duffy        | v Papatoetoe              | 2021/22        |
| 4 (3 ct/1 st)         | Garth Olliff      | v Eden-Roskill            | 2021/22        |
| 3 (1 ct/2 st)         | Michael Bing      | v Parnell                 | 2012/13        |
| <b>3 (all caught)</b> | <b>Jack Duffy</b> | <b>v Howick-Pakuranga</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
| <b>3 (all caught)</b> | <b>Jack Duffy</b> | <b>v Cornwall</b>         | <b>2023/24</b> |

### Most catches in an innings by a fielder:

|      |                        |                      |         |
|------|------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| 5    | Andrew Labatt          | v Auckland XV        | 1898/99 |
| 5    | Andrew Fullerton-Smith | v Cornwall (one-day) | 2009/10 |
| 4    | JH Watts               | v Parnell            | 1899/00 |
| 4 *  | Mike de Lautour        | v North Harbour      | 1966/67 |
| 4    | Barry Rhodes           | v Papatoetoe         | 2013/14 |
| 4 ** | Harrison Ward          | v Birkenhead         | 2019/20 |
| 4    | Ben Chamberlain        | v Kumeu (one-day)    | 2021/22 |

Note: \* played as a one-day match (not limited overs)

\*\* three in the first innings, four in the second

### Most catches in an innings by a fielder - Twenty20:

|          |                     |                                    |                |
|----------|---------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| 4        | Kyle Ruffell        | v Parnell                          | 2022/23        |
| 3        | Andrew Lane         | v Waitakere ( <i>Plate Final</i> ) | 2012/13        |
| 3        | Kyle Ruffell        | v Cornwall                         | 2020/21        |
| 3        | Nathan Fletcher     | v Parnell                          | 2020/21        |
| 3        | Dan Sharples        | v Papatoetoe                       | 2021/22        |
| <b>3</b> | <b>Garth Olliff</b> | <b>V Cornwall</b>                  | <b>2023/24</b> |

### Most catches in a season by a fielder:

|    |               |         |
|----|---------------|---------|
| 23 | Harrison Ward | 2019/20 |
| 18 | Andrew Labatt | 1898/99 |
| 18 | Nick Jury     | 2001/02 |



## PREMIER ALL-ROUND RECORDS

### 4000 runs and 400 wickets/dismissals

|                 |             |                  |                   |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Guy Coleman     | 4665+ runs  | and 435+ wickets | 1996/97 - 2013/14 |
| Ian Fisher      | 4749+ runs  | and 513+ wickets | 1978/79 - 2004/05 |
| Ernie Horspool* | 13681+ runs | and 414+ wickets | 1906/07 - 1937/38 |

\* and 158 catches, 14 stumpings

### 3000 runs and 300 wickets/dismissals

|               |            |                  |                   |
|---------------|------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Cyril Allcott | 3333 runs  | and 396 wickets  | 1921/22 - 1931/32 |
| Ces Burke     | 3513+ runs | and 774+ wickets | 1931/32 - 1953/54 |
| John McIntyre | 3100+ runs | and 682+ wickets | 1960/61 - 1988/89 |

### 2000 runs and 200 wickets/dismissals

|                |            |                     |                   |
|----------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Jack Cowie     | 2055+ runs | and 332 wickets     | 1930/31 - 1939/40 |
| Dug Hay        | 6060+ runs | and 282+ wickets    | 1892/93 - 1915/16 |
| Richard Irving | 2455 runs  | and 253+ dismissals | 1994/95 - 2006/07 |
| Dick Mason     | 2182 runs  | and 250 wickets     | 1906/07 - 1913/14 |
| Craig Pryor    | 3671 runs  | and 212+ wickets    | 1994/95 - 2005/06 |
| Albert Sloman  | 2203+ runs | and 244+ wickets    | 1899/00 - 1926/27 |
| Bill Stemson   | 2910+ runs | and 672+ wickets    | 1886/87 - 1914/15 |
| Blair Webby    | 2676+ runs | and 321+ wickets    | 1977/78 - 1991/92 |

### 1000 runs and 100 wickets/dismissals

|                  |             |                     |                   |
|------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Andre Adams      | 1455 runs   | and 100 wickets     | 1998/99 - 2002/03 |
| James Baker      | 1673 runs   | and 158 wickets     | 1914/15 - 1922/23 |
| Nikheil Bhana    | 1530 runs   | and 160 wickets     | 2014/15 -         |
| Ces Burke jnr    | 3847+ runs  | and 114+ wickets    | 1963/64 - 1978/79 |
| Alan Burton      | 4243 runs   | and 123 wickets     | 2007/08 - 2017/18 |
| Darrin Crook     | 1822 runs   | and 137 wickets     | 2004/05 - 2007/08 |
| Ray Emery        | 1266+ runs  | and 136+ wickets    | 1938/39 - 1946/47 |
| Scott Fuller     | 1083+ runs  | and 146+ dismissals | 1981/82 - 1993/94 |
| William Hawkins  | 1180 runs   | and 190 wickets     | 1887/88 - 1907/08 |
| Seb Kohlhase     | 1568+ runs  | and 149+ wickets    | 1959/60 - 1967/68 |
| Matt Horne       | 10609+ runs | and 156+ wickets    | 1985/86 - 2006/07 |
| Phil Horne       | 7938+ runs  | and 107+ catches    | 1976/77 - 2006/07 |
| Nelson Martin    | 2265+ runs  | and 121+ wickets    | 1930/31 - 1945/46 |
| Ankur Mistry     | 1073 runs   | and 234 wickets     | 1999/00 - 2011/12 |
| James Pamment    | 4027 runs   | and 150 wickets     | 1991/92 - 1995/96 |
| Parth Patel      | 2346 runs   | and 155 wickets     | 2010/11 -         |
| Dilan Peris      | 1995 runs   | and 104 wickets     | 2006/07 - 2016/17 |
| Aub Ritchie      | 2271+ runs  | and 140+ dismissals | 1948/49 - 1962/63 |
| Dick Rowntree    | 1435 runs   | and 180 dismissals  | 1920/21 - 1935/36 |
| Cyril Snedden    | 1123 runs   | and 156 wickets     | 1919/20 - 1928/29 |
| Stewart Speed    | 3397+ runs  | and 193+ dismissals | 1961/62 - 1971/72 |
| Leicester Spring | 1384 runs   | and 120 wickets     | 1933/34 - 1937/38 |
| Harold Wilson    | 1779+ runs  | and 154 wickets     | 1920/21 - 1930/31 |

### Century and 5 wickets/innings in a match

|                |      |          |              |         |
|----------------|------|----------|--------------|---------|
| Dug Hay        | 113  | and 5-60 | v Eden       | 1905/06 |
| Cyril Allcott  | 5-75 | and 103* | v Ponsonby   | 1923/24 |
| Cyril Allcott  | 189* | and 5-38 | v YMCA       | 1926/27 |
| Ces Burke      | 121  | and 9-47 | v Suburbs    | 1949/50 |
| Seb Kohlhase * | 8-39 | and 105* | v Papatoetoe | 1967/68 |
| Taine Bayly    | 105* | and 6-37 | v Papatoetoe | 2023/24 |

Note: \* played as a one-day match (not limited overs)

### Fifty and 5 wickets/innings in a Twenty20 match

|             |      |        |             |         |
|-------------|------|--------|-------------|---------|
| Alan Burton | 5-20 | and 71 | v Ellerslie | 2016/17 |
|-------------|------|--------|-------------|---------|



## PREMIER CAPTAINS

|         |                              |                |   |
|---------|------------------------------|----------------|---|
| 1960/61 | Vic Belsham                  | 1992/93        | Ian Fisher  |
| 1961/62 | John Jones                   | 1993/94        | Ian Fisher  |
| 1962/63 |                              | 1994/95        | Matt Horne  |
| 1963/64 | John Jones                   | 1995/96        | Matt Horne  |
| 1964/65 | Hec Schuster                 | 1996/97        | Richard Irving  |
| 1965/66 | Mike de Lautour              | 1997/98        | Ian Fisher  |
| 1966/67 | Mike de Lautour              | 1998/99        | Craig Pryor   |
| 1967/68 | Mike de Lautour              | 1999/00        | Craig Pryor   |
| 1968/69 | Mark Burgess                 | 2000/01        | Richard Irving  |
| 1969/70 | Mark Burgess and John Carson | 2001/02        | Richard Irving  |
| 1970/71 | Mark Burgess                 | 2002/03        | Craig Pryor and Tane Topia                                  |
| 1971/72 | Mike de Lautour              | 2003/04        | Tane Topia, Jeff Snowden and Matt Horne                     |
| 1972/73 | Mark Burgess                 | 2004/05        | Matt Horne, Glenn Critchley, Craig Pryor and Pete Wilde     |
| 1973/74 | Mark Burgess                 | 2005/06        | Guy Coleman, Matt Horne and Glenn Critchley                 |
| 1974/75 | Ces Burke jnr                | 2006/07        | Guy Coleman, Grant Thorpe and Darrin Crook                  |
| 1975/76 | Ces Burke jnr                | 2007/08        | Grant Thorpe and Darrin Crook                               |
| 1976/77 | John McIntyre                | 2008/09        | Grant Thorpe and Craig Borich                               |
| 1977/78 | John McIntyre                | 2009/10        | Craig Borich  |
| 1978/79 | John Ellison                 | 2010/11        | Craig Borich, Grant Thorpe and Tony Manning                 |
| 1979/80 | Mark Burgess                 | 2011/12        | Grant Thorpe  |
| 1980/81 | John McIntyre                | 2012/13        | Dusan Hakaraia and Sri Rajasekar                            |
| 1981/82 | John McIntyre                | 2013/14        | Sri Rajasekar   |
| 1982/83 | John McIntyre                | 2014/15        | Shikhar Chaturvedi and Alan Burton                          |
| 1983/84 | John McIntyre                | 2015/16        | Alan Burton and Nick Hendrie                                |
| 1984/85 | John McIntyre                | 2016/17        | Alan Burton, Nick Hendrie and Michael Ruffell               |
| 1985/86 | Phil Horne                   | 2017/18        | Nick Hendrie, Ian Cockbain and Michael Snedden              |
| 1986/87 | Phil Horne                   | 2018/19        | Michael Snedden, Olly Westbury and Alex Edwards             |
| 1987/88 | Austin Parsons               | 2019/20        | Hamish Robertson, Michael Ruffell and Nathan Fletcher       |
| 1988/89 | Ian Fisher                   | 2020/21        | Hamish Robertson, Nathan Fletcher and Nikheil Bhana         |
| 1989/90 | Gary Cunningham              | 2021/22        | Hamish Robertson, Nikheil Bhana, Garth Olliff, Dan Sharples |
| 1990/91 | Gary Cunningham              | 2022/23        | Nikheil Bhana, Dylan Taylor                                 |
| 1991/92 | Ian Fisher                   | <b>2023/24</b> | <b>Alex Edwards and Dylan Taylor</b>                        |