



Parnell Cricket Club

Incorporated – Established 1858

Season 2024/25 – 167th Season



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Board	Chair JEG Boucher Hon Secretary CE Speakman Hon. Treasurer GS James MCom, CA Members M Willacy, D. Drumm, G McCullough, G. Bunkall, T Larkin		
Senior Men	Chair: Matt Willacy, Committee Cormac McMahon, Déan Van Deventer, Greg James		
Senior Women	Chair: Mandy Callender Committee Dominic Drumm, Greg Bunkall, Tim Larkin, Tim Ellis, Hamish Gray, Janice Cearns, Michael Berry, AJ Poynter, Clare Crosby, Annick Larkin		
Juniors	Chair Gareth McCullough EDCA Reps: Amy Alpe, Dominic Drumm Year 2: Camilla De Beer Year 4: Camilla De Beer U11 : Deahna Barrington U13: Asher Williams U17: N/A		
	Year 3:	Nick Smeeton	
	Under 10:	Tom Rutledge	
	U12 :	Annick Larkin	
	U15:	Jacqui Sinclair	
	Youth Girls:	Mandy Callender	
HON.SOLICITOR	PR Speakman LLB (Hons), BCom		
HON. AUDITOR	DL Gregory		
Management	General Manager M Hooper Manager SE Hurdley		
Coaching:	Head Coach Male	Flynn McGregor-Sumpter (red-ball), Ian West (white-ball)	
	Head Coach Female	Keerthi de Silva, Shelley Fruin	
	Club Senior Coaches	Ashley Court, Callum McCarthy Dominic Drumm, Emily Drumm, Greg Bunkall	
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Chair’s Report – Jeremy Boucher
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It gives me great pleasure to present my report of another successful season in the history of our Club. The weather was again generally excellent and we’ve been able to make the most of that to continue inspiring a love of cricket amongst so many. The goal of being the best club in New Zealand continues to ground our priorities.

We are in year 4 of our Strategic Plan which continues to guide us in the work that we do. Our strategic pillars of Participation / Performance / Coaching / Female Cricket / World Class Facilities and Community are once again the frame of reference for my annual report.

PARTICIPATION

Overall, we had a good year with membership growth across the Club. We saw increases in the junior, senior and female divisions of the Club. The Friday night festival of cricket - age group (4-7) has once again been a great success with up to 200+ people on occasion at Shore Road. As we all know the pipeline at this younger age is critical and it remains a big focus for us. Our winter programme for our junior boys / girls has once again been a strong contributor to our success with over 100 players actively participating each year. This programme has led to so many of our juniors playing for our Senior Club sides. It continues to bode well for the future. We have continued to see growth in our female playing numbers and you will read plenty of excellent stories and reports of how our female programme is thriving.

This year we have seen a stronger level of veteran cricketers at our Club with Auckland over 60s / 70s making our facilities their home base and with PCC putting our a second President’s team into the competition. It is great to see these experienced cricketers around our Club and we look forward to seeing that grow and evolve over time.

The best recruitment tool we have for our Club is your word of mouth. I would encourage you all to do everything you can to drive contacts you have to the Club and thank you in advance for doing so.

PERFORMANCE

We’ve had another good year in terms of results with the highlight being the return of the Hedley Howarth to Shore Road. Our Premier Men played some awesome cricket all through the season culminating in an incredibly tense final weekend at Ken Maunders Park vs Suburbs New Lynn. The report for this final match including coverage of an unbeaten 106* from Aniket is well worth reading and I offer my congratulations go to Harry, Aniket and Flynn for their leadership through the year and to the rest of the team for the strong results.

Our Women’s Premier Development cleaned up both the T20 and the ODI competitions backing up the tremendous success of the prior year where our Premier Women completed the same feat. To see success at the tier below after another competitive women’s Premier year again bodes well for the future

Our Men’s 3rd team won both the 2 day and 1 day competitions. I was at University for a big chunk of their ODI final and whilst I missed the last 10 overs of our bowling performance, I was there for a lot of the run chase which saw Tom Nelson score a lovely hundred before the supporting act on the day came in and knocked off the runs. A big congratulations again to Josh and Ashley for their leadership this year as it has been great to see this team go so well

In a broader round up, we were again successful in fielding a team in and this year winning the 4ths Pre-Xmas competition. We continue to push hard to get a 4ths team up and running as a vehicle to enable our college / university members to play for the Club particularly across Nov / Dec / Jan. It is always a challenge and to win some silverware is pleasing. Our One Day sides also had some good results with our PCC Legends winning their competition and not to be forgotten, our Men’s Presidents remained in the top division.

We once again had a very successful evening at the ACA awards. The trophies that we had won through the season were presented together with some other tremendous ‘silverware’. We were presented with:

- The Hedley Howarth Trophy on the night recognizing our Premier Men.
- Aniket Parikh was presented with the Club Cricketer of the Year. This is an excellent achievement and a great recognition for a strong year.
- We were again presented with the Simmonds and Osborne Trophy which ACA award to the Overall Club of the Year. We were the holders of this trophy coming into the evening and it was excellent to bring it back to PCC.



We again had strong representation at EDCA level with a good number from the Club across the male U17 and U19 teams and terrific representation at female U17 and U19. Our female college age players are achieving at particularly high levels.

We again had two NZ Representatives through the season with Mark Chapman and Lockie Ferguson representing the Black Caps in both T20 and ODI formats. Cory Dickson, Hayden Dickson and Liam Denny all played for the Cook Islands who were well led by our very own Ian West. Solomon Nash played for the Samoan men’s team and Selina Lilo played for their U19 women. Mollie Drumm was again selected to represent the Aotearoa Māori Wahine for the 2nd year in succession.

Nikith Pereira and Marco Alpe both played for the NZ Development team with Marco also turning out for Auckland A and Auckland Under 19.

We had a number of first class cricketers throughout the season with players turning out for the Aces, Aces A, Hearts, Northern Brave, Northern Brave A, Central Hinds, Worcester Raids, Otago A and the Wellington Blaze. Congratulations to Yaz Kareem / Marina Lamplough / Cate Petersen / Olivia Anderson / Shriya Naidu / Ella Drumm / Monique Rees / Renee Macmillan and on the men’s side Nikith / Harry Cullen-Hieatt / Dan Presland. It is great to see so many of our young players going strongly.

We had a number of Auckland U17 and U19 participation with Marco Alpe, Harry Waite, Pawan Kharel, Sophie Lonnergan, Christelle McGuire, Lola Scott, Indy King Maddie Patterson, Mollie Drumm, Oliver Kittle, Luis Kerrigan, George Fraser and Tom Nelson all being selected and performing well.

Lastly, we have a number of our Junior Boys and Girls leading their School 1st XI sides and it is great to see the leadership strength on the bench coming through well. Well done to Marco Alpe (Auckland Grammar), Mollie Drumm (EGGS), Christelle McGuire (Selwyn), Maddie Patterson (King’s College) and Tom Boucher (King’s College)

PARNELL CRICKET CLUB INCORPORATED

AUDIT REPORT

To the Readers of the Financial Report of Parnell Cricket Club Inc:

I have audited the financial report of Parnell Cricket Club Inc on page 1 to 6.

Parnell Cricket Club Incorporated's Responsibilities

The committee of Parnell Cricket Club Inc. are responsible for the preparation of a financial report, which gives a true and fair view of the financial position of Parnell Cricket Club Inc. as at 30 April 2025 and of the results of

Basis of Opinion

An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. It also includes assessing:

- The significant estimates and judgments made by Parnell Cricket Club Inc. in the preparation of the financial
- Whether the accounting policies are appropriate to Parnell Cricket Club Inc. circumstances, consistently

I conducted my audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in New Zealand. I planned and performed the audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which I considered necessary in order to provide me with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial report is free from material misstatements, whether caused by fraud or error. In forming my opinion, I also evaluated the overall adequacy of

Other than in my capacity as auditor I have no relationship with or interest in Parnell Cricket Club Inc.

Qualified Opinion

Limited Control over subscription revenue and fundraising income

In common with other organizations of similar size and nature, control over the receipt and recording of subscriptions and fundraising income prior to entry into the accounting records is limited and there are no practical

In my opinion, except for any adjustments that might have been found necessary had I been able to obtain sufficient evidence concerning the above-mentioned limitation, the financial statements of Parnell Cricket Club Inc:

- Comply with generally accepted accounting practice; and
- Fairly reflect the:
 - Financial position as at 30 April 2025
 - Results of its operations (and cashflows) for the year ended on that date.

My audit was completed on 19th July 2025 and my qualified opinion is expressed at that date.

DENISE GREGORY
ACCOUNTANT (ACA)
AUCKLAND

PARNELL CRICKET CLUB INC
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the year ended 30 April 2025

1 STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Measurement Base
The accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of financial performance and financial position on a historical cost basis are followed by the Club.

Reliance has been placed on the fact the Club is a going concern.

Specific Accounting Policies

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

(a) Inventories
Inventories have been valued by the Board at the lower of cost or net realisable value.
Balls/ Gear \$ 26,428

(b) Goods and Services Tax
These Financial Statements have been prepared exclusive of Goods and Services Tax.

(c) Changes in Accounting Policies
These policies are unchanged as compared with those used in previous year.

2 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES
Apart from those shown in the Financial Accounts there were no other material contingent liabilities at balance date.

3 FUTURE COMMITMENTS
The Club has entered into a maintenance agreement to maintain the Remuera Parnell Sports Community indoor training facility. The facility will be run on a revenue generating basis with net revenue sufficient to cover all forecast maintenance costs.

4 LOAN TO REMUERA PARNELL SPORTS COMMUNITY CHARITABLE TRUST
The Remuera Parnell Sports Community Charitable Trust (RPSCCT) Loan of \$347,332 is an unsecured term loan which was lent to contribute to funding of the construction of the Terry Jarvis Centre. In return for this loan the Club has been given a perpetual lease of the Terry Jarvis Centre for no rent. The Club notes that the RPSCCT is not in a financial position to repay this loan. The loan has not been written down as the Board feels the value of the Terry Jarvis Centre exceeds the amount of all loans of the RPSCCT.

The Club is a 50% beneficiary of the RPSCCT.

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Well done to all these players for representing their country, MAs, Districts or Schools. We are proud of you.

COACHING

This remains a key element of what will make us successful going forward and is a priority for our Board. We have had a great group of Coaches throughout the 2024 / 25 season who have created a great environment for our players to thrive. So much effort goes in and it is great to see so much cricket being enjoyed and of course when the results come in it is even better.

I'd like to thank Flynn, Callum, Westy and Ashley (Male side) and Keerthi, Shelley and Dominic (female side). Your contributions have been superb. Congratulations as well for the international work that our coaches are doing. Shelley for Samoa and Ian for Cook Islands.

I'd also like to thank all the volunteer coaches at our Club who we simply couldn't do without. We will continue to put the required investments into ensuring we have high quality coaches. We have a good plan building for the upcoming season

FEMALE CRICKET

I continue to tell anyone who will listen that our Female Cricket programme is awesome and that it is key to the future success of our Club. As a Board, we are committed to it, and we want to be the best place in Auckland for women to play cricket and for young girls to develop. Our membership stats have shown continued growth and we are confident more will follow.

One of the best events on the Club calendar is the Youth Girls prizegiving which I was pleased to be able to attend again this year. It was an incredibly well-run affair and it was clear to see the passion flowing through this division of our Club. There were so many great performances acknowledged including an unbeaten century and a 7-wicket bag. The coaches spoke eloquently and were incredibly well prepared.

We have come a long way over the past 8 years and today our Club is a very different place. People are talking about what a great place PCC is for female cricketers and this will increase heading into the future. I offer my thanks to everyone involved in running this programme and in particular to Mandy Drumm for her leadership and energy.

WORLD CLASS FACILITIES – ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

- We have been very pleased with our Shore Road grounds this year. Groundsman Fred and his support Saurabh have been very helpful in preparing excellent tracks and getting grounds ready.
- There is lots to be positive about!

The TJC again anchored our offering in this strategic priority. It is a living and breathing asset and as a Club we are grateful to those across the club who were involved / funded its creation. We have some work to do to keep it up at the right standard and we will be fundraising through the upcoming year to do that.

The Unisex changing room facilities were completed and are now an asset for the Club. We have a number of priorities to continue to chase down including:

- Grass wickets on Shore Road # 2
- Shore Road Nets – Revamp and upgrade
- Shore Road East development

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Excitingly, there is a lot of work being done on Bloodworth to lay foundations for the development of this ground. This is a very positive project for the Club which is once again on our facilities plan. We are working well with our supporters at Orakei Local Board who are doing all they can in a challenging funding environment to bring great projects to life for our ward.

We have been very pleased with our Shore Road grounds this year and groundsman Fred and his support Saurabh have been very helpful in preparing decent tracks and getting grounds ready.

There will continue to be plenty of activity in this area as without great facilities we will struggle to deliver to our Board priorities.

COMMUNITY

The Shore Road Bar / Clubrooms continue to be an incredibly positive asset for our club and more people are making Friday night a focal point for their week. We have grown revenue from the bar this year and the expectations / demands of the facility continue to increase. We continue to wrestle with the right quality of food and are working hard to improve this into the upcoming season.

We hosted in excess of 25 Events / Corporate Days / Meetings / School Class Drinks / Birthday parties / and Prizegiving's. There are very few events / gatherings that we can't accommodate. Please remember our facility in your own functions or any that you come into contact with.

A big thank you to everyone who participated in our fundraising initiatives. We had a go at selling Bar Tabs / Glasses and whilst it didn't catch on as well as we targeted, we will try again in the upcoming season. The Raffles were again well supported and we had a senior raffle for the 1st time in a long time. We need more energy into this space so please ask around and help us.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank a number of groups for their contribution through the season.

- To our Board Members: Craig Speakman / Greg James / Gareth McCulloch / Dominic Drumm / Matthew Willacy / Greg Bunkall and Tim Larkin. Thank you for your contributions to the Board and to our Club.

- To our Women's Steering Group members: Mandy Callender / Dominic Drumm / Emily Drumm / Greg Bunkall / Sam Brake-Howard and Bridget Tapper. Thank you for all you are doing to position PCC so well.

- To the multitude of parents acting as volunteers in any of the key roles across the club: Coaches / Managers / Coordinators / Scorers. Our sincere thanks go to all of you.

- To our players and our skippers in particular. Thank you for your passion and commitment to our Club and playing cricket in the spirit that it should be played in and for keeping your Chair out of the judicial environment.

- To our PCC coaches – Callum / Ashley / Westy / Flynn / Keerthi / Shelley and Dominic - thank you for your contribution through the season.

Depreciation Schedule										
Parnell Cricket Club										
For the year ended 30 April 2025										
Name	Rate	Method	Cost	ccum Dep	Opening Value	Purchases	Disposals	Depreciation	Ing Accum Dep	Closing Value
Fixed Assets										
4 x PCC Teaching signs	DV		1,200.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	0.00	125.00	125.00	1,075.00
Alarm at Bloodworth (Adjusted Amount)	SL		603.66	603.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Balance of Cover Trailer	SL		1,380.43	1,380.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Balance of new Website	DV		6,275.00	0.00	0.00	6,275.00	0.00	647.40	647.40	5,627.60
Bola Bowling	20.00%	DV	4,774.00	4,273.37	500.63	0.00	0.00	105.13	4,378.50	400.50
Bola Bowling Machine	SL		5,652.09	1,177.75	5,534.34	0.00	0.00	1,415.02	1,530.77	4,121.32
Carpet for TJC	SL		726.09	726.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chairs for Clubrooms	Full		164.24	164.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Changing Room Ref	50.00%	DV	8,000.00	0.00	8,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,333.33	1,333.33	6,666.67
Changing Room Upgrade	50.00%	DV	47,158.70	0.00	47,158.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	47,158.70
Club Cricket	25.00%	DV	23,004.00	22,862.84	141.06	0.00	0.00	35.27	22,898.21	105.79
Clubrooms TV-5050 with GJR	SL		2,565.65	710.15	1,846.47	0.00	0.00	852.22	1,952.40	564.25
Container for gear storage	SL		8,260.87	863.77	7,297.10	0.00	0.00	1,652.17	2,815.84	5,644.93
Cost of Labor	33.00%	DV	4,831.00	4,696.96	134.44	0.00	0.00	43.36	4,762.84	86.06
Covers	20.00%	DV	2,241.00	2,013.84	227.16	0.00	0.00	45.43	2,059.27	181.73
Decked for trailer	SL		868.87	868.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Desk for Sales	25.00%	SL	829.00	328.15	500.85	0.00	0.00	207.25	535.40	265.60
Dishwasher	30.00%	SL	1,120.00	0.00	0.00	1,120.00	0.00	168.00	56.00	1,064.00
Electric New	20.00%	SL	1,659.00	1,327.20	331.80	0.00	0.00	331.80	1,659.00	0.00
Extra gear for SR nets	SL		384.00	384.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Final Change	2.00%	SL	4,125.00	0.00	0.00	4,125.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,125.00
Fixed lights for TJC	SL		1,563.71	1,563.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Frames for mobile nets	SL		1,762.50	1,762.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Head Pump for TJC Office	DV		2,174.43	1,620.43	554.00	0.00	0.00	110.00	1,730.43	444.00
Hessian & sup	50.00%	SL	3,919.99	980.00	2,939.99	0.00	0.00	1,960.00	2,940.00	979.99
Initial Website	50.00%	DV	17,905.00	17,905.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Juan Bowling machine	SL		1,304.35	1,304.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Legal Fees for	33.00%	SL	1,937.37	1,937.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Legal Fees for	33.00%	SL	1,705.39	1,705.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Legal Fees for	33.00%	SL	1,937.39	1,937.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Legal Fees for Licence upgrade	SL		2,127.39	1,948.15	189.24	0.00	0.00	94.62	2,042.77	84.62
Legal Fees for Licence upgrade	SL		1,272.83	1,272.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Licence Renewal 3 years	SL		1,045.00	1,045.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Manager's office improvements	SL		2,239.35	2,239.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Manager's Car	SL		2,658.70	2,658.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mobile Score	SL		4,450.00	1,341.93	3,108.17	0.00	0.00	164.00	1,535.83	3,314.17
Mobile for Manager	SL		704.23	685.11	39.12	0.00	0.00	39.12	704.23	0.00
New black signpost	25.00%	SL	5,601.17	1,653.75	3,617.42	0.00	0.00	1,640.29	3,364.04	2,217.13
New black signpost	SL		850.00	850.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Clubroom	20.00%	SL	2,100.00	1,680.00	420.00	0.00	0.00	420.00	2,100.00	0.00
New Clubroom Design Fee	None		2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
New Computer	50.00%	DV	990.00	864.42	125.58	0.00	0.00	64.31	908.73	84.30
New Fan for T	50.00%	SL	121.73	121.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New gear test	33.00%	SL	1,114.19	1,114.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New gear for Reserves	Full		103.48	103.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New kit, bag, phone & accessories for PH	SL		828.77	828.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New laptop & phone for Hussain	SL		1,711.29	1,711.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New mobile nets	DV		7,490.00	6,240.26	1,249.74	0.00	0.00	312.44	6,552.70	937.30
New PC Screen for Hussain	Full		227.82	227.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New phone for Peter Hickman	DV		873.00	773.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	50.02	823.02	50.01
New printer	50.00%	SL	161.25	161.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Screen	25.00%	SL	1,565.22	1,565.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New screen 5	50.00%	DV	760.00	763.75	4.25	0.00	0.00	2.12	765.87	2.13
New Wicket Cover	DV		8,860.00	3,242.81	4,617.19	0.00	0.00	162.35	3,454.96	4,672.04

Name	Rate	Method	Cost	ccum Dep	Opening Value	Purchases	Disposals	Depreciation	Ing Accum Dep	Closing Value
None assessment report	SL		1,600.50	1,600.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PC For Mania	50.00%	DV	1,000.00	981.78	18.22	0.00	0.00	9.11	990.89	9.11
Pla Warner A	50.00%	DV	611.30	544.44	66.86	0.00	0.00	43.43	577.87	33.43
Plat cover-C	25.00%	SL	3,905.48	1,464.85	2,440.61	0.00	0.00	875.37	2,440.92	1,464.54
Private Boundary Fences	SL		1,380.80	847.20	1,041.60	0.00	0.00	462.93	810.13	578.67
Refurbish Bto	20.00%	DV	30,000.00	29,324.65	675.45	0.00	0.00	135.09	29,459.64	540.36
Refurbish door for	25.00%	SL	1,524.00	371.50	952.50	0.00	0.00	367.00	952.50	571.50
S Road Metal wickets	SL		820.00	820.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scoreboard	25.00%	DV	4,347.83	1,426.63	2,921.20	0.00	0.00	730.30	2,156.83	2,190.90
Security lights	50.00%	SL	336.23	336.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Shore at Bar F	50.00%	SL	860.95	36.25	633.70	0.00	0.00	434.98	471.23	368.72
Shore Road C	20.00%	SL	900.00	720.00	180.00	0.00	0.00	180.00	900.00	0.00
Shore Road N	20.00%	SL	9,046.00	9,081.07	64.93	0.00	0.00	12.98	9,094.06	51.84
Shore Road N	20.00%	DV	4,986.00	4,168.70	817.30	0.00	0.00	125.46	4,484.16	501.84
Shore Road N	20.00%	DV	980.00	864.51	115.49	0.00	0.00	12.95	877.46	95.59
Shore Road N	20.00%	DV	2,532.00	2,113.40	418.60	0.00	0.00	63.72	2,277.12	254.88
Shore Road N	20.00%	DV	1,202.00	1,050.84	151.16	0.00	0.00	28.23	1,079.07	122.93
Shore Road N	20.00%	DV	344.00	300.72	43.28	0.00	0.00	8.86	309.58	34.62
Sign Screen	25.00%	SL	4,966.00	1,861.88	3,104.12	0.00	0.00	1,241.25	3,103.13	1,861.87
Sight Screen	20.00%	DV	1,260.00	1,207.15	52.85	0.00	0.00	10.57	1,217.72	42.28
Swimmoche New Trolley	SL		624.86	624.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tents	25.00%	SL	6,774.98	2,691.77	4,083.21	0.00	0.00	1,693.75	4,375.52	2,399.46
Tents	50.00%	DV	6,956.02	4,462.76	2,493.26	0.00	0.00	1,231.88	5,724.84	1,231.88
TJC Booking I	60.00%	DV	2,325.00	2,324.67	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.20	2,324.87	0.13
TJC Vacuum Cleaner	SL		3,250.00	3,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Upgrade of T	50.00%	DV	2,359.35	2,064.61	294.84	0.00	0.00	147.47	2,212.08	147.47
Website Design	60.00%	DV	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	208.33	208.33	1,791.67
Website sign	60.00%	DV	6,250.00	6,248.36	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.98	6,249.34	0.66
Website sign	60.00%	DV	6,850.00	5,848.47	1,001.53	0.00	0.00	0.92	5,849.39	0.61
Website sign	60.00%	DV	3,050.00	3,048.20	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.46	3,048.66	0.32
Total Fixed Assets			317,812.59	184,816.11	132,334.48	20,660.00	8.00	26,384.79	164,506.47	162,899.69

Balance Sheet
Parnell Cricket Club
As at 30 April 2025

Account	30 Apr 2025	30 Apr 2024
Assets		
Bank		
Business Focus Account	2,551.40	1,314.24
Business Saver Account	18,093.85	44,354.54
Total Bank	20,645.25	45,668.78
Current Assets		
Accounts Receivable	10,137.85	6,644.30
Prepayments (Expenditure)	10,173.00	4,173.00
Stock - Gear, Balls & Jerseys	26,427.93	25,690.58
Sundry Accounts Receivable	7,150.00	150.00
Total Current Assets	53,888.78	36,657.88
Fixed Assets		
Fixed Assets	267,196.16	297,152.59
Less Accumulated Depreciation on Fixed Assets	(164,596.47)	(194,818.11)
Total Fixed Assets	102,599.69	102,334.48
Non-current Assets		
Loan to Remuera Parnell Sports Community Trust	347,332.00	347,332.00
Total Non-current Assets	347,332.00	347,332.00
Total Assets	524,465.72	531,993.14
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	313.49	0.00
GST	11,258.22	4,764.15
Prepayments (Income)	4,500.00	0.00
Rounding	0.01	0.01
Sundry Accounts Payable	4,651.00	4,651.00
Total Current Liabilities	20,722.72	9,415.16
Non-current Liabilities		
Repairs and maintenance provision	6,051.38	12,051.38
Total Non-current Liabilities	6,051.38	12,051.38
Total Liabilities	26,774.10	21,466.54
Net Assets	497,691.62	510,526.60
Equity		
Accumulated Funds Brought Forward	493,109.00	493,109.00
Current Year Earnings	(12,834.98)	6,977.87
Retained Earnings	17,417.60	10,439.73
Total Equity	497,691.62	510,526.60

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Auditor
19/07/2025



- To Mark Hooper. Your 1st year in the role was always going to be a busy one but you have come through well and whilst there is plenty to build on for next season, as a Club we are delighted with the start you have made and we look forward to seeing you grow into this role as you do.

- To Steve Hurdley. We are very grateful to you for the work that you have done over a 14+ year career at PCC. Thank you for being the consistent force you have been.

- Our Sponsors – thank you for your support of our Club and our programmes. We could not do what we do without your financial assistance. To anyone interested in becoming a sponsor, we are always looking. If we can help you in any way we would be delighted to talk.

o Sam and Jen from Transbuild Dominic and Mandy from Westferry

o Alison and Justin at Astra Radiology Ken at Turkish Bread

o Dale at Placemakers Sam and Pauline at New World Remuera

o Simon Kelly from Mt Eden Chiro The team at Urry and Burgess.

o Mike at Players Sports. Brett at General Capital

o Lal and Thelma Meyer at Zones Landscaping Tim and Annick at Ellerslie Jewellers

o The team at Brittain Wynyard – Asics / Gunn and Moore

We are always looking for new sponsors so if we can help you in any way, we would be delighted to talk. If you know anyone else that we might be able to support then please point them in our direction.

In closing, I am pleased to confirm my view that our future remains bright. I am confident that we will continue to track towards our goal of being the Best Club in NZ and that we remain as committed as ever to inspiring a love of cricket in all we do.

I will look forward to seeing you at the club through the season and welcome feedback from our membership at any point on jeremy@parnellcricket.co.nz or on 0272 486 959.

Jeremy Boucher

Chair – July 2025

Presidents Report- 2024-2025 Season

Another very successful season for Parnell Cricket with the highlight being the winning of Auckland Cricket’s supreme award, the Simmonds and Osborne Trophy, again for the second year in a row. This cup recognises Parnell as Auckland’s best performing club, on and off the field, across at all age group levels. It is the fourth time Parnell has been awarded this top club accolade in the last 6 seasons.

Congratulations to our players, management, coaches, and dedicated volunteers.

We have once again been fortunate to have some of our top Parnell players excelling at international level. Lockie Ferguson and Mark Chapman of the Black Caps have both had exceptional seasons. Mark Chapman has been honoured with Auckland’s prestigious Cricketer of the Year award. We have had a good presence in Auckland men’s and women’s representative teams, with Junior Auckland and Eastern Districts age group teams having Parnell players leading the way. Long may our player success continue.

Parnell continues to lead Auckland with our great facilities. The Terry Jarvis Centre is now becoming so popular that players are still practicing into the late hours in all seasons. It is a major contributor to the funding of the Parnell Cricket machine. Plans for the refurbishment of the artificial surfaces are underway. We are working with Auckland City and Orakei Local Board to help with the upcoming improvements to the Bloodworth Park and Shore Road East grounds. Our Club bar has proven very popular throughout the season with Friday nights becoming a major draw card. We have also hosted teams from England, The Rest of the World, and the Australian National Over 60s and Over 70s representative teams, so PCC is fast becoming a venue of preference internationally.

The Parnell Cricket Foundation has had a good year with our fund manager Craigs Investments Partners performing well. The returns on our endowment from the Peter Bradley Memorial Trust have shown improved performance, reflecting stronger international financial markets. This has enabled us this year to support Parnell Cricket’s investment in the improvement to the Shore Road changing rooms. The Foundation is focusing on how we can build the fund and attract more support from our former PCC members who we hope have had the long-term benefits from a Parnell Cricket introduction to the love of cricket. The PCC Foundation will continue to provide funding for Parnell Cricket’s assets from the returns from the Trusts investments.

Rod Smith

President.

Parnell Cricket Club



Profit and Loss
Parnell Cricket Club
For the year ended 30 April 2025

Account	2025	2024
Trading Income		
ACA / NZC	46,008.80	45,736.98
Bar Revenue	95,970.77	81,561.26
Club Functions and Bar Hire	13,495.13	17,023.84
Coaching to Schools	8,670.25	4,330.46
Cricket Max Tournament	0.00	1,026.09
Donations	2,994.00	4,455.00
Holiday Programmes	4,726.17	3,915.63
Indoor Nets Hire	81,807.59	79,336.34
Junior Subscriptions	91,228.05	88,762.07
Senior Subscriptions Men	36,953.57	33,148.63
Senior Subscriptions Female	(247.83)	
Sponsorship	61,249.99	64,847.83
Summer Academies	0.00	708.69
Trust Grants	19,885.00	32,013.00
Uniform and Merchandise Sales	2,897.20	2,164.96
Winter Academies Boys/ Youth	30,116.82	32,650.97
Total Trading Income	495,755.51	491,681.75
Gross Profit		
	495,755.51	491,681.75
Other Income		
Auction & Raffle Income	15,905.00	14,464.22
Changing Rooms Revenue	9,500.00	31,900.00
Dividends Received	350.00	364.00
Ground Hire	2,350.00	1,850.00
Interest Received	1,682.05	3,698.60
Other Income	0.00	1.20
PCC Glass Revenue	0.00	(528.30)
Team Photos Revenue	695.65	863.48
Total Other Income	30,482.70	52,633.20
Operating Expenses		
ACA/EDCA/NZC Registration and Fees	14,853.26	14,140.43
ACC	1,470.70	4,369.08
Annual Report/Audit	6,225.70	3,550.00
Awards-Prizegivings	8,216.73	8,120.86
Bank Charges / Merchant Fees	4,957.56	5,489.60
Bar Expenses	53,333.98	43,768.94
Bar Expenses Other	3,763.77	0.00
Catering/Club Functions Purchases	11,283.63	19,193.06
ClubHub Registration Fees	5,275.20	5,286.94
Clubroom, Bloodworth and Orakei	3,009.63	4,770.32
Depreciation	20,394.79	18,331.14
e-Comms	3,577.83	4,134.49
Gear - Purchases	28,839.19	30,406.63
General Office	1,402.79	4,101.27
Indoor Nets Operations and Maintenance	4,314.84	22,705.03
Insurance	11,955.05	13,062.18
Other Utilities	1,786.45	1,810.36
Parnell Trust Donation	0.00	2,200.00
Printing, Postage, Stationery and Advertising	3,103.24	7,509.49
Remuneration - Bar Staff	9,436.45	10,964.19
Remuneration - Coaching to Schools	4,224.26	8,859.75
Remuneration - Cricket Max	0.00	334.88
Remuneration - Holiday Programmes	266.36	322.89
Remuneration - Management	154,065.86	145,573.48
Remuneration - Team Coaching girls/women	37,885.12	33,036.26

Account	2025	2024
Remuneration - Team Coaching juniors	37,284.22	28,062.51
Remuneration - Team Coaching seniors	43,649.70	35,324.94
Remuneration - Winter Academies Boys/ Youth	31,746.15	30,535.70
Remuneration-Staff Bonus	2,040.95	0.00
Repairs Clubhouse, Nets, Covers and Pitches	166.97	318.57
RPSCCCT	2,369.56	0.00
Security	3,262.75	1,343.73
Team Travel Costs	1,059.13	2,161.70
Telephones	5,059.12	6,151.10
Uniforms	13,850.54	18,919.20
Vehicle Repairs and Running	4,941.71	2,478.36
Total Operating Expenses	539,073.19	537,337.08
Net Profit	(12,834.98)	6,977.87

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Auditor
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Accounts

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Editorial – Jocelyn Goodger – 30 Years as Premier Scorer

When it comes to contributions to Parnell CC there can be few that have offered the level of service and commitment as Jocelyn Goodger who, in the 2024/25 season, completed her 30th season as the scorer for the Premier Men`s side.

For context none of the Premier Men`s team that secured the Hedley Howarth Trophy on the final day of the season were even born when Jocelyn started her role three decades ago.

The story started back in the 1990s when Joc was looking to progress her career as a scorer and saw an opportunity to join PCC despite strong family ties to a rival club.

“My husband was playing for Ellerslie at the time and my ambition was to become a scorer at International level. In those days the pathway to do that was to score at premier level before progressing to Auckland and hopefully beyond. Ellerslie had a scorer who was likely to be in the role for a long time so I looked at other options. I called Graham Walton at Auckland Cricket and his son was playing for Parnell at the time – he knew they needed a scorer and the rest is history. In those days Ellerslie and Parnell were combined in the EDCA programme and there was a big rivalry between the clubs so they might have viewed me as a traitor but it turned out to be the correct move for me.”

At that time PCC was based at Orakei Domain and the club has gone through numerous changes throughout Joc`s illustrious career:

“At Orakei the scorers were based on the balcony in the clubrooms which really was a long way from the ground – I much prefer being on the sidelines as we are at Shore Road now although when we moved there they initially wanted us to score from a room cut into the roof of the clubrooms. I think I scored one game up there and hated it as it was so far away. I refused to go up there again and they turned it into storage.

“The days at Orakei were really enjoyable. I remember Saturday evenings the clubrooms would be packed as all the teams would come back and have prizegivings for all sides although one memory that does stick out was Auckland Council building a toilet block at one end behind the bowlers arm and painting it terracotta red. Fortunately Marc O`Gorman lived close by and he used put white tarpaulins over it before each game so the batsmen could see the ball.

“It`s also probably a little-known fact that during our move to Shore Road back around the year 2000 our clubrooms for one season were at the tennis club up by the Auckland Museum while they were still being built at the club”

While many individuals have come and gone through Joc`s time at the scorers table she says the thing that keeps bringing her back to PCC is the culture which has stood the test of time throughout her years at the club:

“I`ll certainly miss a lot of names here who have really contributed a lot to PCC but I vividly remember Aidan Hill and John McIntosh playing in the first game that I scored for the club. Stephen Gallagher and Roger Henderson were around in those days too – Stephen`s Dad was always checking to see if I had the score correct and I still see Roger occasionally as his son plays for Takapuna. One person from those days who probably doesn`t get talked about enough is Peter Baddley who did so much for Parnell CC and cricket in Auckland in general as an administrator.

“In more recent times Dave Goddard, Ganesh Ratnasabapathy and James Walsh stand out as great club men and you always worry that things won`t be the same when these sorts of people move on but each year we seem to have good people at the club. I think it shows that we are regular winners of the spirit of cricket award and I often here very positive comments from opposition players and supporters about how we play the game.”



Scoring itself has changed a lot through Joc’s career with technology now playing a huge role:

“Yeh using a computer to score is a huge difference from when I first started. Even since online scoring became a thing a few years ago I still kept using a written book going for each game but last season was the first time I didn’t use a book as they have pretty much lost their purpose due to the iPad. The other thing that used to happen with no live scoring or internet was score updates would be read out over the radio. Graham Reddaway, a well known commentator, would call several times through the day and of course with no mobile phones you would have to talk on the landline in the clubrooms. To keep things interesting we would occasionally feed him slightly inaccurate scores which would keep us entertained although I think he got a bit frustrated with us for this when it would come to light later in the day.”

Whilst Joc has a been a feature at almost every Parnell Premier Men’s game since the mid-90s she also enjoyed a successful career at International level and was in the scoreboard for some of the most significant moments in New Zealand Cricket history:

“I was the scorer for the first ever T20 International in New Zealand and then almost a year later I was in the box for the first ever Super Over in an International. I remember not knowing where to record this as there wasn’t room on the sheets for the extra innings. I’ve scored a lot of test match centuries and would do a wagon wheel for each. I made two copies of all of them - one for the player and one for me - and I always got the player to sign one. One of my most memorable wagon wheels though was for Geoff Allott who got a 77-ball duck. I drew it up and put duck feet on the sheet – I wasn’t sure if he would see the funny side of it but he did.”

Whilst reaching that level had always been her goal Jocelyn’s fondness for Parnell became even more apparent when she was away from the club with her International commitments:

“Scoring at that level had always been my ambition and in the early days it was great to score for a test match then head over and have a drink with the umpires and players and talk about the game. However as time went on and the game started to change those sorts of things stopped happening, security got tighter, teams wouldn’t stay after a game and I realised I actually missed that when I wasn’t at Parnell for some Saturday games so I eventually decided to just focus on the club.”

30 years into her career and there is no sign of her relinquishing her role anytime soon:

“At the moment I can’t see a situation where I would be doing anything else with my Saturday afternoons. I have retired from work and look forward to the season as much as ever. Who knows how long I will go on for but I am still enjoying it and for as long as I am doing that I am planning to keep going.”

Notable Partnerships (Where noted in Annual Reports or Scorebooks held by the Club.)

Premier Men

1st	352	P.E. Whitelaw (208) & A.F. Loneragan (194) v University	1944/45
2nd	251	T.G. McIntosh (125*) & A. Reddy (126) v Eden-Roskill	1999/00
3rd	269	W.M. Wallace (176) & H.G. Vivian (120) v Eden	1938/39
4th	287	T.G. McIntosh (168) & B.J. Horne (184) v University	2014/15
5th	214*	S.J. Matthews (122*) & W.M. Wallace (121*) v Eden	1949/50
6th	201	A.T.Lane (191) & W.E.R. Somerville (111*) v Takapuna	2020/21
7th	299	E.V. Sale (284) & L.G. Robinson (81) v Grafton	1905/06
8th	103	J.L. Fisher (63) & H. Glogau (62*) v Papatoetoe	2016/17
9th	103	H.G. Vivian (89*) & M.R. Mutton (35) v North Shore	1938/39
10th	95	M.J. Moore (69) & R. Dow (39*) v Grafton	1920/21

Notable Womens Partnership

1st	279	E.B. Komp (154*) & V.J. Lind (116*) v Eden-Roskill	2004/05
8th	113	Browne, K. (53) & E.L. Baker (51*) v University	2020/21

Grades Lower Than Premier

1st	269*	J. Hatch (150*) & S. Currey (119*) v Cornwall	1985/86
2nd	297	R.S. Bracefield (244*) & J. Wallace (92) v Mangere	2013/14
3rd	217	B. Gascoigne (87) & R.N. Farman (131) v Ponsonby-Balmoral	1946/47
4th	327	J.A. Hoole (183) & C. Recordon (155) v Grafton United	1962/63
5th	276	G.E. Mole (223) & J. Hughes (111*) v Takapuna	1963/64
6th	174	E.A. Forsman (116) & H.A. Forsman (92) v Papatoetoe	1945/46
7th	175*	C. Worth (55*) & C. Simmers (113*) v Stanley Bay	1933/34
8th	122*	M.E. Harris (123*) & P.E. Grivelle (39*) v Eden-Roskill	1969/70
9th	146	M. North (74*) & M.S. McMillin (71) v Sri Lanka	2006/07
10th	160*	A. Siddall (67*) & E. Clapham (no. 11) (104*) v YMCA	1936/37



Senior Club Chair Report – Matt Willacy

Another fantastic summer of cricket for Parnell Cricket Club, including our senior club, which again saw Parnell win the Simmonds and Osbourne Shield for club of the year at the ACA awards – fantastic to go back-to-back in winning this award. The award is based on performance across the whole club, junior and senior, male and female. It is a testament to the fantastic efforts that have gone into the club across the board and over many years.

Once again, our senior teams had many strong seasons, with some highlights being the championships won:

- Our premier men winning the Hedley Howarth trophy for the two-day competition, in an incredibly tight and exciting competition that went down to the wire. There's further details of how we got the victory elsewhere in this document.
- Premier Development women won both their one-day and T20 competitions.
- Parnell dominated the new men's Premier Three grade, with our Third XI winning both the one-day and two-day competitions in the inaugural year of the new structure.
- The Men's Fourth XI won the T20 trophy in their grade.

In addition, the premier women made the semifinal of the T20 competition, premier men made the one-day final, the premier reserve men again made their one-day final and finished third in the two-day competition.

At the Auckland Cricket awards, in addition to the Simmonds and Osbourne Shield (and getting the Hedley Howarth presented), our premier men won The Spirit of Cricket Award, which recognises the team who embodies the spirit of cricket through sportsmanship, communication, respect and integrity. The award is judged from the umpire scores of each team after their premier matches. As our premier score Jocelyn Goodger noted, it is fantastic to see this award being won. It reflects well that you can both perform at the top, whilst also doing so in the right way.

Speaking of Jocelyn, this season brought up her 30th year of scoring for our premier men. This represents an outstanding period of service, where her attention to detail, devotion, and ability to put up with the chat of hundreds of team members over the years has shone through. The impression that Joce has left on the club was exemplified by the number of tributes from past players that came through to congratulate her.

The premier men's one day final was held at Shore Road, and while we didn't get the result we hoped for, it was great to see so many members and supporters from across the club down at the home of cricket. In general, support is hugely appreciated by the players so thank you to all that came and watched our teams throughout the season.

On the individual side, Parnell was again well represented at the Auckland Cricket awards:

- Aniket Parikh won the Laurie Schnauer Cup for Men's Players' Player of the Year – voted on by premier men's players throughout the season, this recognition from his peers is reflective of Aniket's outstanding contribution to the success of his team and our club.
- Mark Chapman won the John Morris Trophy for Auckland Men's Cricketer of the Year.



Representative selections were again plentiful, showing the continued excellence and growth amongst the club. Mark Chapman and Lockie Ferguson continued to represent the club on the international stage for the Black Caps and in T20 leagues around the world, while Nikith Perera continued to contribute well for the Aces when called upon.

Cate Pederson was awarded a Hearts contract at the start of the season, and made several appearances, while Marina Lamplough, Shriya Naidu, Yaz Kareem and Sam Barriball all again represented Northern Districts Brave. Maddy Curran was also selected to the ND team for the first time.

In addition we had a large number of players represent various A, age group, Legends Cup and other representative sides.

It was also great to see former peach Ruben Clinton win numerous awards down in Dunedin, while also representing the Volts.

It is always a highlight to see players coming through our pathways, for example, the Hedley Howarth winning side had 5 players who have worked their way through the Parnell Academy program, while the women’s sides continued to see players move from age group into the senior teams, and performing strongly.

A season like we had does not come about without a lot of hard work. In particular, I want to thank:

- Our sponsors – without them the club cannot operate. As a club we encourage you all to support them whenever you can.
- All the volunteers that helped out throughout the season – there are too many to mention, but a community club like PCC does not operate without the support of its community. Jocelyn’s 30 year milestone is worthy of noting again here.
- Our coaches and captains who lead our teams through the season. Keerthi and Shelley did a fantastic job leading the women’s program. Due to unforeseen circumstances, in the senior men’s side we had to make a late juggle with our coaching personnel and structure, and Ashley, Callum, Flynn and Ian responded well to this and helped deliver a great season. Callum, we thank you for your six seasons of work with the senior club and wish you all the best as you head on to other endeavours.
- Mark and Steve for their work. Steve, your experience in knowledge was crucial this season, and Mark, you brought a great level of expertise and effort that I know was truly appreciated by the senior membership.
- The Board for all of their work and assistance.
- Our club captain, Harry Miller, and the men’s and women’s senior committees.

I hope everyone winters well, and we will see you all next season.

Senior Club Chair - Matt Willacy

Most sixes in an innings

Mens Premier

16 Rodden, B.P.	v Greerton (NCC)	129*	2018/19
12 Rodden, B.P.	v Suburbs New Lynn	144*	2018/19
11 Middleton, F.S.	v Grafton United	96	1916/17
11 Rae, B.J.	v Eden-Roskill	154	2011/12
10 Chapman, M.S.	v Cornwall	174	2016/17
9 Vivian, H.G.	v YMCA	128	1934/35
9 Lindberg, P.S.	v Grafton United	138	1986/87
9 Lane, A.T.	v North Shore	102	2017/18
8 Wallace, W.M.	v University	231*	1938/39
8 Lane, A.T.	v Grafton United	143	2020/21

All Grades

18 Bracefield, R.S.	v Mangere	244*	2013/14
17 Singh, Babalpreet	v Eden-Roskill	127	2017/18
15 Olphert, R.	v Ellerslie	202*	1990/91

Fastest 100's where recorded:

Mens Premier

40 Balls	Rodden, B.P.	v Greerton NCCC	2018/19
44 Balls	Fisher, J.L.	v Papatoetoe	2016/17

Lower Grades

30 Balls	Satpal Singh	v Grafton One Day 2B	2018/19
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Most Dismissals in a season

Horne, B.J.	2012/13	55
Horne, B.J.	2015/16	54
Miller, H.J.	2019/20	54
Horne, B.J.	2013/14	44
Parore, L.	1998/99	40
Miller, H.J.	2018/19	39
Parore, L.	1997/98	36
Andrew, J. (Reserves)	2005/06	36

Most Dismissals in an innings

Miller, H.	Keeper	2018/19	7
Booth, E	Keeper	1924/25	7
Vivian, H.G.	Fielder	1938/39	5

Most Catches in a season by a fielder

McIntosh, T.G.	2014/15	22
McIntosh, T.G.	2015/16	21
Bunting, K.R.	2013/14	19
McGregor-Sumpter, F.	2020/21	19
Parikh, A.A.	2020/21	19
Ormiston, W.	2024/25	19

Allrounders - Century & Hat-trick (contributed by

	Century	Hat-trick
Chamberlain, T.	1992/93	1992/93
Clapham, E.	1936/37	1933/34
Davidson, G.W.	1941/42	1941/42
Elliott, P.C.	1952/53	1950/51
	& 1971/72	
Forsman, J.A.	1935/36	1961/62
Impson, E.	1991/92 (2)	1986/87
	&1993/94	&1993/94
Lawn, O.	1957/58	1956/57
McCoy, A.W.	1929/30 (2)	1932/33

Editorial – Mark Hooper – Year One as Parnell CC Club Manager

After his first full season as Club Manager of Parnell CC we caught up with Mark Hooper to find out how he settled into the role:

Q: After year one as club manager of PCC how would you reflect on your first year in charge?

“It’s been a challenging first season” said Hooper “but overall, I feel pretty successful. There are always things that we could improve which we will look to do over the coming seasons. I was very happy with the on-field performances of all our sides from Junior all the way through the senior. Off the field I am still continuing to understand and work within the cricket landscape.

Q: Before joining PCC what was your background in cricket?

“I have always been involved with cricket from a young age having played my junior cricket for Waitakere. I retired at the age of 20 to concentrate on rugby after playing 1 x Premier Game for Waitakere. Since having children both of my boys played cricket for Suburbs where I coached both of them through to this day along with sitting on the Junior Committee at Suburbs cricket and being a part of the Westen Districts Committee. My youngest still plays and I still coach for the Kelston Boys High School Senior Side. So overall have always been involved with cricket since I finished playing.”



Q: You joined us from a similar role with Ponsonby Rugby club and are still involved with rugby in a coaching capacity. Tell us a little about your rugby career

“I am still fully involved with Rugby and currently coaching the Kumeu Premier Side along with the North Harbour Development team. I was lucky enough to play over 100 Premier Games at Ponsonby and fortunate enough to be involved with a number of championships winning sides. I turned to coaching in my final year of playing and coached the Ponsonby premier side for 3 x Seasons before moving to representative rugby with the Auckland U18, U19 and Auckland Development. I have also been lucky enough to coach the NZ Barbarians sides for a few years also along with coaching my sons throughout their winter code journey.”

Q: Back to Parnell, as a relative newcomer what do you feel are some of the current strengths of the club?

“I feel PCC has some incredibly passionate people who are very dedicated in ensuring the clubs success. The most valuable asset to any community club is its people. Parnell have good people in important positions both on the coaching front and in the board room who will always put the club at the forefront.”

Q: What are some of the challenges the club faces in the current climate?

“As for most community clubs the biggest challenge is financial. Clubs generally run off the smell of an oily rag and people put a lot of time and effort into making sure that we are functional. Volunteers are also a lot harder to find. People are busy and time is very valuable so the amount of time volunteers can give has reduced over the last decade.”

Q: For those that don’t know what would a typical week look like during the summer months for the Parnell CC club manager?

A typical week is not a typical week. You come to work with a plan which goes out the window from the moment you walk in the door. Throughout the season Mondays are normally dealing with what has occurred over the weekend, especially working through PlayHQ issues. There is then the organising of trainings and working with ground staff to ensure pitches are ready and all teams have been allocated fields and games accordingly. From here the administration continues with allocation of players to teams and working within the Play HQ system. Throughout the week there is the organisation of senior games for the weekend to make sure they have all the requirements they need. The weekend consists of fielding calls for teams and being available for our home sides which can include manning the bar on occasions.

Q: What are some of your long-term goals that you hope to achieve for the club in your role?
“On the field we want to ensure the club are competitive at the senior level in both the male and female game. The growth of the sport within the club is also very important so to continue to grow at the younger level and ensure children fall in love with the game. Off the field it is important the club remains financial. We want to be here and established well beyond when I leave. We have some wonderful sponsors and supporters who contribute to the club.”

Q: We are currently in the middle of winter what are some the main tasks you are working through at this stage of the year?

Some may think Winter is some time out.....but we continue to work. Firstly it’s ensuring sponsors and Supporters are back on board for the following season then it’s time to ensure our assets are maintained and serviced as required. There is a lot of planning for the season ahead which includes securing coaches, speaking with ground staff along with Auckland Cricket. Throughout winter we have our winter academies running so we are still busy turning the wheels over.

Q: With summer coming closer what are some things that the members of PCC can expect to see during the 2025/26 season?

The club will be looking to hold more events and more interactions with our members including Luncheons and quiz nights. The club continue to grow our social media presence so watch this space.



Most Wickets In A Season		
Ravlic, M.T. (Premier)	2012/13	85
Doble, R.	1908/09	81
York, E.	1941/42	81
Stephens, W.B.	1911/12	80
Haszard, H.A.	1930/31	77
Hunt, S	1914/15	73
Martin, L.	1914/15	73
Connell, A.	1930/31	71
Aitken, A.G.	1925/26	70
Kilgour, J.S.	1894/95	69
Olliff, C. (Premier)	1911/12	66
Leading Woman		
Murphy, M.P.	2006/07	36
White, S.	1997/98	32
Bullen, S.	2002/03	32
Drumm, M	2024/25	31



Most Runs In A Season

McIntosh, T.G.	2015/16	1264
Lane, A.T.	2020/21	1180
Horne, B.J.	2013/14	1072
Turner, M.A.	2007/08	1070
Bunting, K.R.	2012/13	1067
McGregor-Sumpter, F.	2019/20	1019
Wallace, W.M.	1938/39	1002
McIntosh, T.G.	2014/15	978
Morgan, R.W.	1978/79	963
Vujnovich, P.V.	1993/94	939
Rae, B.J.	2012/13	901
Hill, A.J.	1996/97	893
Slack, W.N.	1984/85	889
Rodden, B.P.	2018/19	871
Morgan, R.W.	1969/70	860

Leading Woman

Kareem, Y.	2023/24	845
Drumm, E.C.	2002/03	761
Komp, E.B.	2004/05	722

Most Below Premier

Yadvinder Singh (OD)	2019/20	841
Stevens, R.J. (Thirds)	1997/98	776

Editorial - Parnell CC on the World Stage**Solomon Nash – Samoa**

While Lockie Ferguson and Mark Chapman continue to fly the flag for PCC on the global stage at both International and Franchise level several more Parnell CC members have been plying their trade around the world with one player in particular, Solomon Nash, looking to join Lockie and Mark at the next T20 World Cup.

Solomon, a PCC academy product, who made his Parnell premier debut this summer, is currently preparing to represent Samoa in the Global Qualifying event for the T20 World Cup in Oman. Should Nash's team finish in the top 3 of the competition he will find himself on cricket's biggest stage:

"In terms of team prep our squad is based in different regions so we are holding regular camps in Auckland when we get the chance to have the group together. Personally I'm doing a lot of individual prep in Christchurch and getting very specific with my T20 skills such as power hitting and slower balls. Before we head to Oman we have a quad series in Singapore where we will play against them, Malaysia and Hong Kong before we head to the main tournament in September."



Nash, son of former Blackcap Dion, qualified to represent Samoa through his mother, former Silver Fern, Bernice Mene - who is of Samoan descent, says his experiences in the winter representing both the Samoa U19 and National Men's teams helped progress his game at an accelerated pace:

"I think both the U19 and full national team experiences were a real breakthrough for me in my career. I picked up a lot of knowledge from coaches, team mates and opposition players. Playing in different conditions and really getting to focus on the T20 format helped me in so many ways particularly around strategy, field placings and pacing an innings with the bat."

Nash's side booked their place at the global qualifying event at the expense of some Parnell teammates and believes the home support helped his team overcome what seemed like insurmountable odds at the start of the final day of the tournament:

"We lost to the Cook Islands on the previous day and that looked to have sealed the competition for them. They had a strong team including Liam Denny and Cory and Hayden Dickson from Parnell and Ian West as coach. That night was pretty emotional as we thought we'd missed our chance but we kept our heads up and kept believing. On the final day the Cooks slipped up against Fiji which meant we would qualify if we beat Vanuatu. All of a sudden we were back in with a chance and a huge crowd turned up to watch the game and they really got behind us. This spurred us on and we left everything out there and ended up winning in the final over."



On his return to New Zealand Nash completed his Y13 school season with St Paul’s before linking back up with the Parnell senior squads. Given his prior performances in both the third team and premier reserves plus his winter experiences in Samoa it wasn’t long before Soloman was making his premier debut in a T20 against Papatoetoe:

“After the winter I was really able to hit the ground running. There were a few school games but I was able to commit almost full time to the club and I’ve found any experience in senior cricket very beneficial. I was lucky enough to get the chance to debut in the T20 format then later in the year played my first 50 over premier game against Takapuna and it was great to contribute to victories in both games.

As the calendar turned to 2025 Sol embarked on a new cricketing chapter in Christchurch where he began studying at University and it didn’t take long for him to show his form to his new club Old Boys Collegians:

“My Dad had a link to the club so that felt like a natural place to play whilst I am studying there. I found the culture very similar to Parnell both in a sense that everyone was very welcoming from the start whilst they also have a strong winning culture too which is always great to be part of.

“I got my first premier century down there and picked up a few wickets too. Whilst I am studying in Christchurch I’ll play most of my cricket there but I am looking forward to getting back and playing for Parnell this summer whenever I can.”

Hayden Dickson, Cory Dickson, Liam Denny – Cook Islands



Whilst they did not qualify for the Global T20 World Cup qualifying event the Parnell representatives in the Cook Islands national teams put out some strong showings. Hayden Dickson, a former NZ U19 representative and brother Cory Dickson both made the ‘Team of the tournament’ for their performances at the event while Parnell academy graduate Liam Denny also performed admirably. The trio went on to make their respective Parnell prem debuts during the 2024/25 season and then went on to represent the Cook Islands again in May where they travelled to Japan where they faced Japan and Thailand in a T20 series.

Best Bowling In A Match				
(Note: R.A. Barnsdale claimed 10 wickets in a match 14 times with 5 in 1908/09.)				
Wickets				
15	Doble, R.	1908/09	8/16&7/12	v City
			8/16 &	v
15	Olliff, C.	1909/10	7/39	University
				v
14	Chitty, H.	1903/04	7/12 & 7/8	Ponsonby
14	Vivian, H.G.	1938/39	7/32&7/16	v Grafton
			10/23 &	
14	Vivian, H.G.	1932/33	4/29	v Eden
			6/25 &	v
14	Barnsdale, R.A.	1908/09	8/27	Ponsonby
				v
14	Mutton, M.R.	1938/39	6/49&8/71	Papatoetoe
13	Riggs, M.	1953/54	8/3 & 5/27	v St Johns



Best Bowling In An Innings

Vivian, H.G.	1932/33	10/23	v Eden
McGregor, P.B.	1965/66	10/31	v Manurewa v University-St Heliers
Towns, R.	1987/88	9/9	v Eden
Bell, R.	1927/28	9/13	v Eden
Dingle, R.	1906/07	9/17	v Eden
Edmonds, F.E.	1894/95	9/20	v Thames
Sutton, R.E.	1965/66	9/22	v Suburbs
Sanger, B.	2016/17	9/25	v Hibiscus Coast
Western, M.	1993/94	9/30	v Ellerslie
Mills, I.J.	1891/92	9/31	v Thames
Sukias, S.	1956/57	9/34	v Ellerslie
Anthony, A.H.	1921/22	9/36	v North Shore
Jeffs, M.	2003/04	9/37	v East Coast Bays
Biel, C.	1998/99	9/38	v Waitakere
Hills, T.W.G.	2014/15	9/41	v Cornwall
Lusk, W.N.B.	1903/04	9/53	v Gordon
Grace, L.	1957/58	9/53	v Ellerslie
Murray, J.	1918/19	9/62	v North Shore
Sutherland, E.G.	1957/58	9/67	v University
Wilson, R.	1918/19	9/86	v North Shore
Brookes, A.E.	1880/81	9/	v West End v Normal Old Boys
Richardson, V.C.	1917/18	9/	v Papatoetoe
Jagger, W.K.	1954/55	9/	

Note: H.G. Vivian took 5/37 and took 5 catches all off M. Clark v University 1938/39.

Parnell CC on the World Stage – Part Two



Lockie Ferguson – New Zealand and Franchise Cricket

In another sign of the changing landscape of International cricket PCC speedster Lockie Ferguson has made just one appearance for the Blackcaps since the publication of the annual report at this time last year. In that game Lockie claimed three Sri Lankan wickets for just seven runs in Dambulla however has opted focus his attention on the Franchise circuit with a return to the New Zealand 50 over team for the first time since 2023 derailed by injury before the Champions Trophy campaign.

Another injury meant an early end to Lockie's IPL stint with the Punjab Kings where he made four appearances. He was named captain of the Desert Vipers in the ILT20 league whilst he made an immediate impression on his BBL debut for the Sydney Thunder where he claimed three key wickets in a tight victory over the Adelaide Strikers. As of writing Lockie is currently in the US playing in the second season of Major League Cricket where he is once again representing the Washington Freedom where he is a teammate of fellow Parnell player Mark Chapman.



Mark Chapman – New Zealand and Franchise Cricket

Mark has also been on the Franchise circuit. His stint with Washington is highlighted by an innings of 45 not out to help his side defeat Mumbai Indians New York. At time of writing Mark has played three games for US Franchise after also competing in Pakistan Super League for the Quetta Gladiators.

But it was back in Aotearoa where Mark really stood out. So far in 2025 Mark has played 4 ODI's with scores of 28 not out, 62 and 81 against Sri Lanka followed by a stunning 128 against Pakistan in Napier. He has also played 10 T20s for New Zealand in the past 12 months with the undoubted highlight being the 94 he scored against Pakistan at his home ground of Eden Park.



Two further PCC players have taken a step closer to representing New Zealand as Harry Waite and Marco Alpe have been named in the U19 winter training squad. The PCC academy graduates who both made their premier debuts last season are making regular trips to Christchurch for training camps this off season with the pair aiming to be selected for U19 World Cup which will take place in Namibia in early 2026.

And finally two PCC coaches took charge of International teams over the last 12 months. Shelley Fruin worked with both the Samoa National Women`s side and the U19 side while Ian West was head coach of the Cook Islands Men`s National Team



Double Centuries In Grades Below Premier

Bracefield, R.S.	2013/14	244*
Robinson, N.	2017/18	227
Mole, G.E.	1963/64	223
Bose, L.	2016/17	219
Buell, J.	2007/08	213*
Jacombs, P.R.	1950/51	208
Olphert, R.	1990/91	202*

Six Wickets in Innings (Most Occasir

	1908/09.	
Olliff, C.		31
Forsman, J.A.		26
Hemmingson, F.E.		20
Barnsdale, R.A.		18
McCoy, A.W.		17
Anthony, A.H.		16
Morgan, R.W.		15
Goodsir, F.E.		14
Restieaux, C.		13
Gatland, E.J.		13
Turbott, H		13
Hayes, J.A.		12

Leading Wicket Takers (300 wickets)

	Last Season	Wickets
Morgan, R.W.	2012/13	902
Simpson, M.J.	2021/22	850
Harvey, R.S.	2017/18	766
Hemmingson, F.E.	1961/62	740
Forsman, J.A.	1965/66	704
Goodsir, F.E.	1948/49	578
Anthony, A.H.	1936/37	557
O'Gorman, M.J.	2021/22	536
Fenton, F.J.	1965/66	516
Olliff, C.	1912/13	474
Restieaux, C.	1914/15	461
McCoy, A.W.	1945/46	423
Robinson, M.A.	2020/21	409
Rabone, G.O.	1974/75	394
McGregor, J.D.	1991/92	366
Henderson, R.J.G	2007/08	356
Walsh, J.B.F.	2014/15	354
Rope, C.B.	2024/25	353
Gatland, E.J.	1909/10	349
Smith, E.K.	1977/78	344
Emery, R.W.G.	1967/68	338
Ravlic, M.T.	2017/18	333
Sukias, S.	1965/66	330
Doble, R.	1916/17	316
Jurisich, D.	1983/84	314
Whynn, S.P.	1983/84	313
Jagger, W.K.	1966/67	309
Fitzgerald, P.R.	1979/80	307
Elliott, P.C.	1993/94	307
Hayes, J.A.	1961/62	303
Storey, G.	1964/65	300

Parnell CC International and Provincial Representatives – 2023-24 Season

Blackcaps

Lockie Ferguson Mark Chapman

Cook Islands

Liam Denny Hayden Dickson Cory Dickson

Samoa + Samoa U19

Solomon Nash

Provincial

Lockie Ferguson	Mark Chapman	Nikith Perera
Olivia Anderson	Cate Pederson	Ruben Clinton (Otago)
Marina Lamplough (ND)	Yaz Kareem (ND)	Shriya Naidu (ND)



Provincial A (not including those who played for their full provincial side as well)

Nikith Perera	Daniel Presland	Harry Cullen-Hieatt
Marco Alpe		
Renee McMillan	Maddy Curran (ND)	Ella Drumm (Otago)

Provincial U19

Marco Alpe	Harry Waite	Pawan Kharel
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Provincial U17

Luis Kerrigan	George Fraser	Thomas Nelson
Ollie Kittle	Indy King	Sophie Lonergan
Lola Scott	Maddie Paterson	Mollie Drumm

Editorial – Parnell CC in Provincial Cricket 2024/25



Cate Pederson and Olivia Anderson represented Parnell on the Auckland cricket contract lists for the 2024/25 season. Unfortunately, injuries prevented Olivia from making an appearance for the Hearts but Pederson did feature four times across the formats with a top score of 25 against Otago in the one-day competition.

Whilst there were no male players contracted to Auckland Nikith Perera did feature in four matches for the Aces in the Ford Trophy. The left arm spinner was a consistent performer taking two wickets in three of those matches with a best of 2/26 against Canterbury in Rangiora.

Perera also had the honour of playing in the Prime Minister’s XI taking on the touring England test team in Queenstown. Nikith did what the Blackcaps bowlers struggled to do through the England tour when he dismissed Harry Brook cheaply in his first innings.

Whilst Parnell’s premier men and women’s team continue to excel at club level these performances haven’t translated into Auckland caps for our players with Cate and Nikith’s combined eight appearances the only Parnell representation outside of stalwarts Lockie Ferguson and Mark Chapman. However, Parnell’s performances are recognised outside of the region with four players representing other provinces throughout the 2024/25 season.

Marina Lamplough, Shriya Naidu and Yaz Kareem all represented the Northern Brave in both the T20 and 50 over formats. Lamplough has become a regular in the Brave batting line-up while Naidu is becoming an ever present in the bowling attack. Kareem went into the year on the back of a stellar 2023/24 campaign and carried on that form at the start of the season with a career best 79 against Canterbury in Rangiora.

Ruben Clinton also made his provincial debut during the 2024/25 season. After competing in Major League Cricket season one Ruben was given an opportunity by the Otago Volts after transferring to Dunedin in search of higher honours. Known more for his batting during his time at Shore Road ironically Ruben’s first impression at domestic level came with ball in hand when he dismissed Martin Guptill in his first over for the Volts against Auckland.

RECORDS ALL GRADES

Aggregates (4500 runs)

	Last Season	Runs	High Score
Morgan, R.W.	2012/13	16028	202*
Wallace, W.M.	1974/75	10299	231*
McIntosh, T.G.	2016/17	9367	170
Cooke, G.D.	1997/98	8076	163*
Anthony, A.H.	1939/37	7773	212
Rope, C.B.	2024/25	7137	154
Hoole, J.A.	1980/81	6949	183
Whitelaw, P.E.	1948/49	6775	208
Aitken, R.A.	1994/95	6658	139*
Jarvis, T.W.	1986/87	6241	206*
Anderson, J.	2010/11	6119	118
Blackburn, A.J.	2014/15	5661	96
Percival, W.T.	1971/72	5608	121
Giles, E.D.	1990/91	5409	132*
Vivian, H.G.	1938/39	5158	200*
Badley, P.A.	1974/75	5087	132
Bygrave, D.B.	1999/00	4948	115
McMillin, M.S.	2008/09	4942	114
Vujnovich, P.V.	2004/05	4892	149
Forsman, J.A.	1965/66	4819	103
Wallace, G.M.	1989/90	4763	117
Okey, G.S.	2002/03	4725	137
Winger, D.R.	2011/12	4700	135*
Lee, S.	2015/16	4577	102*
Sukias, S.	1965/66	4558	118*
Bygrave, W.D.	1999/00	4554	120
Rae, B.J.	2020/21	4512	154

CENTURY & SIX WICKETS IN AN INNINGS IN A MATCH
Olliff, C. 133 & 5/52 & 6/88 v University 1912/13
Simpson, H. 184 & 6/90 v North Shore 1917/18.
McCoy, A.W. 121 & 7/48 v Ponsonby 1930/31
Rabone, G.O. 114* & 6/73 v Suburbs 1960/61
Morgan, R.W. 115 & 6/74 v North Harbour 1966/67

CENTURY & 10 WICKETS IN A MATCH
Olliff, C. 133 & 5/52 & 6/88 v University 1912/13
Wallace, W.M. 201 & 5/21 & 5/7 v Papakura Camp 1940

CENTURY IN EACH INNINGS IN A MATCH
McIntosh, T.G. 101 & 103* v East Coast Bays 2015/16



Senior Women & Girls Awards

Best College Sport Girl's Fielder	Maddie Paterson - Kings College 1XI Captain
Best College Sport Girls Allrounder	Sophie Lonergan - Baradene 1XI
College Sport Girls Player of the Season	Mollie Drumm - Epsom Girls 1XI Captain
Sue Borich Cup - Prem Res Most Improved	Augustine Malcolm
Most Improved Premier Player	Sam Brake-Howard
Best Bowling Performance	Lola Scott
Best Batting Performance	Indy King
Most Outstanding Fielder	Cate Pedersen
The Stone Cup - Most Outstanding Bowler	Mollie Drumm
Most Outstanding Batter	Cate Pedersen
Drumm Cup - Senior Wicket Keeper	Isabel Mills
Coaches Choice Trophy	Yaz Kareem
Jocelyn Goodger Cup - Prem Res MVP	Ana Wijffels
PCC Premier Women MVP	Mollie Drumm
Women's Cricket Award	Sam Brake Howard
The Irene Badley Memorial Rosebowl	Ella Drumm





PCC Women & Girls – 24/25 Season Report

24/25 was another great season for the Women & Girl's club. Our Premier Development (2XI) Women won both the T20 and Limited Over (35 overs) competition showcasing our depth of talent and hard work put in through previous seasons as this cohort of players successfully transition to the Senior Club.

Our Junior Girls programme too has gone from strength to strength with our Friday night 'girls only' programme for Y2-4 players attracting new members right up to the last week of the season. We also had our first ever U9 Girls only Saturday morning Softball team and first ever Girls U11 Hardball side.

Special thanks to our Steering Group members: Emily Drumm, Sam Brake-Howard, Bridget Tapper, Greg Bunkall, Dominic Drumm and Mandy Callender, coaches and volunteers for all the hours put in throughout the winter and during the season to further develop our programmes and player opportunities for our members.

At PCC Board level, our Women & Girls section is sponsored by Dominic Drumm, Women & Girls Chair, Greg Bunkall Youth Girls Chair and Tim Larkin who joined the board at the August 2024 AGM, assuming responsibility as the Junior Girls Chair.

Thank you to our amazing Women & Girls sponsors Westferry Property Services and Transbuild. Their generous support enabled us to build and deliver our Senior Women & Youth Girls 24/25 programme.

Junior Girls

Y2-4 & U9 Girls Only Friday Night

This season we were excited to see a lot of familiar faces joined by new faces for our Friday night 'girls only' programme with girls from Year 2 through to U9s and U11 girls new to cricket. We had an amazing crew of Youth Girls Coaches led by Dan Brookes who ran a fantastic fun filled programme of skills, drills and small sided games.

U9 Softball

Following the Christmas break, a group of our Friday night girls formed PCC's first ever U9 Girls Softball team which joined the Melville Park Saturday am 5 aside competition alongside CCC teams ... and they were awesome. Thanks to Tim Prentice for coaching U9 Pedersen and to the parent volunteers who together made this an awesome experience for these super keen girls.

U9 Pedersen - Players' Player Jemima Prentice

U9 Pedersen - Most Improved Player Esme Lawn

U9 Pedersen - Most Improved Player Phoebe Frazerhurst

HIGHEST SCORES	Season	Score
Sale, E.V.	1905/06	284
Wallace, W.M.	1938/39	231*
Anthony, A.H.	1913/14	212
Wallace, W.M.	1945/46	210
Whitelaw, P.E.	1944/45	208
Jarvis, T.W.	1967/68	206*
Wallace, W.M.	1943/44	205*
Wallace, W.M.	1938/39	204
Morgan, R.W.	1978/79	202*
Turner, M.A.	2010/11	201*
Wallace, W.M.	1940/41	201
Vivian, H.G.	1937/38	200*
Morgan, R.W.	1969/70	200*
Wallace, W.M.	1946/47	199
Lonergan, A.F.	1944/45	194
Mason, F.R.	1904/05	193
Lane, A.T.	2020/21	191
Simpson, H.	1917/18	184
Horne, B.J.	2014/15	184
Wallace, W.M.	1954/55	183*
Sutcliffe, B.	1948/49	179*
Anthony, A.H.	1923/24	178*
Wallace, W.M.	1938/39	176
Wallace, W.M.	1952/53	175
WOMEN (Highest)		
Komp, E.B.	2004/05	206*
Lind, V.J.	2007/08	162
Komp, E.B.	2004/05	154*
Lind, V.J.	2006/07	149*

Catches and Stumpings (75 Dismissals)

	Career	Catches	Stumpings	Total
Horne, B.J.	11/12-21/22	232	24	256
Miller, H.J.	17/18-24/25	190	26	216
Bygrave, D.B.	68/69-91/92	160	47	207
McIntosh, T.G.	97/98-16/17	174	2	176
Giles, E.D.	55/56-83/84	143	27	170
Miller, H.J.	17/18-21/22	130	10	140
Winger, D.R.	04/05-11/12	126	13	139
Vaughan, M.D.	80/81-85/86	104	32	136
Morgan, R.W.	57/58-91/92	122		122
Parore, L.R.	97/98-02/03	110	3	113
Sorenson, B.J.	50/51-59/60	67	40	107
Jarvis, T.W.	60/61-76/77	100		100
Buss, C.S.	96/97-03/04	95	5	100
Wallace, W.M.	32/33-68/69	98		98
Wallace, G.M.	67/68-89/90	97		97
McMillin, M.S.	89/90-05/06	93	2	95
Bunting, K.R.	05/06-14/15	92	3	95
Vujnovich, P.V.	93/94-04/05	93		93
Rabone, G.O.	51/52-70/71	87		87
Whitelaw, P.E.	28/29-48/49	85		85
Goddard, D.J.	08/09-17/18	85		85
Steele, M.	87/88-92/93	70	11	81
Parikth, A.A.	18/19-24/25	81		81
Aitken, R.A.	77/78-94/95	76		76
WOMEN (Leading)				
Lind, V.J.	99/00-08/09	92	51	143
Mills, I.S.	17/18-24/25	78	8	86
Curran, M.L.E.	17/18-24/25	46		46
Carruthers, N.	99/00-07/08	39		39

U11 Girls

We fielded 2 U11 teams again this season: U11 Softball and PCC’s first ever U11 Hardball side.

U11SB Drumm was Coached by Ella & had played together fun, building their season ready to make



managed by Clare Crosby and Mollie Drumm. Most of this team last season and the girls had a lot of skills and confidence across the the move to hardball next season.

U11 Drumm - Player’s Player Bea McGregor-MacDonald

U11 Drumm - Team Most improved Player Uma Srinivasa

U11HB Curran was managed by Anna Andrew Vivian. A combination of new players, U11 Curran easily made had another great season which against Cornwall where they were sadly not any badges!



Lawrence and coached by returning players and a few the transition to hardball and included a JT Sparling game victorious claiming the win (but

U11 Curran – Player’s Player Rebecca Adendorff

U11 Curran - Most improved Player Georgie Whisker

U13 Girls Hardball

Our U13 team this year season of hardball already of the format and grade, U13 Anderson were coaching with Michael Berry again this season. Triumphant one of their games, the girls Christmas rising to the promoted to the top division.



started strong with the first under their belt and a familiarity competition. A year older in this fortunate to have continuity of coaching and managing the team pre-Christmas, winning all but faced greater competition post-challenge when they were

The U13HB T20 playing conditions restrict batters to face a maximum of 18 balls before retirement, key performances over the season included:

- Taya Poyner 27* (18)
- Kyla Kaluarachi 46* (34) v SNLCC, 8 February 2025
- Kyla Kaluarachi 27* (18) v AUCC, 22 February 2025

- Phoebe Ulmer 25 (19) v HPCC, 23 November 2024
- Rosie Selby 3-0-17-3 v CCC, 15 March 2025

U13 Anderson - Player's Player Isabel Berry

U13 Anderson - Transbuild Most Improved Player Taya Poyner

U13 Anderson - Best Batter Kyla Kaluarachi

U13 Anderson - Westferry Most Outstanding Fielder Phoebe Ulmer

Youth Girls

U16 Girls

With 5 of our 23/24 Youth girls transitioning from our U16 Girls to the Senior Club we welcomed a new cohort of players making the step up from U13 to their 1st season of U16s alongside a number of new joiners to PCC. We again fielded 2 U16 sides with U16 Lamplough and U16 Barriball. It didn't take long for the teams to gel under our returning U16 coaching team of Tim Ellis, Greg Bunkall and Dominic Drumm.

Post Christmas, the Premier Womens & Premier Development T20 competition provided an opportunity for our Senior U16 players to play Senior Cricket through the school holiday period and LO afternoon cricket through to the second half of the season.

The U16 T20 playing conditions restrict batters to face a maximum of 30 balls before retirement, key performances over the season included:

- Indy King 56 (24) v EDRCC, 7 December 2024
- Sophie Lonergan 57 (30) v HPCC, 8 February 2025
- Mia Hedge 3-0-17-5 v CCC, 22 February 2025
- Mia Hedge 52* (30) v HPCC, 15 March 2025
- Mia Hedge 50* (53) v PCC U16, 29 March 2024

U16 Girls - Player's Player Indy King

U16 Girls - Best Girls Batsman Isla Cearns

Westferry Cup - U16 Most Outstanding Fielder Sophie Lonergan

U16 Girls - Best All Round Performance Mia Hedge

Transbuild Cup - U16 Girls Most Improved Player Sanaa Sikri

College Sport

Parnell Youth Girls play a leadership role across the Auckland College Sport Cricket Competition with the following members captaining their school 1XIs and representing in NZ Secondary School Rangitahi sides:

2025 Captain, Kings College 1XI Maddie Paterson

2025 Captain, Epsom Girls1XI Mollie Drumm

NZSS Maori Girls Mollie Drumm

NZSS South East Asia Girls Sanaa Sikri

NZSS Rangitahi Pasifika Girls Mia Hedge

College Sport T20 Term 4 & Term 1 Girls Competition and 2025 Qualifying Tournament (QT) and Div 2 T20 key performances include:

- Sophie Lonergan 40* (37) Baradene v Selwyn, 30 October 2024
- Maddie Paterson 51* (54) QT Kings v Westlake Girls, 25 March 2025
- Mollie Drumm 4-2-2-5 QT EGGS v St Cuthberts, 25 March 2025
- Mia Hedge 4-2-4-5, QT Baradene v MAGS, 25 March 2025
- Augustine Malcolm 65* (50), Div 2: Selwyn v Macleans, 25 March 2025

Leading Wicket Takers (150 Wickets)

	Career	Wickets
Morgan, R.W.	57/58-91/92	692
Anthony, A.H.	09/10-36/37	557
Hemmingson, F.E.	44/45-61/62	547
Goodsir, F.E.	27/28-45/46	493
Olliff, C.	00/01-12/13	474
Rabone, G.O.	51/52-70/71	390
McCoy, A.W.	23/24-45/46	380
Walsh, J.B.F.	04/05-14/15	332
Ravlic, M.T.	11/12-17/18	317
Henderson, R.J.G.	96/97-07/08	307
Hayes, J.A.	44/45-61/62	303
Vivian, H.G.	29/30-38/39	244
Goddard, D.J.	08/09-17/18	231
Lawson, H.W.	88/89-02/03	223
Mills, I.J.	88/89-02/03	209
Parikh, A.A.	2018/19-25	206
Fitzgerald, P.R.	66/67-79/80	202
Ratnasabapathy, G.C.	12/13-22/23	195
Restieaux, C.	95/96-04/05	188
Dykes, S.	95/96-05/06	188
Winger, B.C.	04/05-11/12	187
Kerr, A.	06/07-12/13	181
Sutton, R.E.	63/64-67/68	181
Smith, B.W.	63/64-74/75	180
Perera, N.S.	2018/19-25	171
Fisher, J.L.	16/17-20/21	165
Pringle, O.R.	2018/19-25	162
Clark, M.	36/37-42/43	161

WOMEN (Leading)

Bullen, S.M.	99/00-08/09	177
Curran, M.L.E.	17/18-24/25	133
Hooper (Hansen), A.J.	94/95-00/01	109
Macmillan, R.J.O.	17/18-24/25	101

WOMEN (Leading)

Lind, V.J.	99/00-08/09	4008	36.77
Kareem, Y	18/19-23/24	2611	30.01
Kember, R.J.	99/00-07/08	2009	31.39
Komp, E.B.	03/04-08/09	1953	35.51
Drumm, E.C.	01/02-04/05	1711	71.29



- Daisy Ellis 52 (52) Div 2: Diocesan v MRGS, 27 March 2025

PCC presents 3 College Sport Awards acknowledging excellence in College Sport’s Premier Girls T20 Competition. Winners of our 23/24 season’s awards are:

- *PCC’s Best Youth Girls Fielder Award* presented to the strongest fielder in College Sport’s Premier Grade T20 competition, was awarded to Maddie Paterson, Captain of King’s College’s 1XI Captain who took 3 wickets, 2 catches and a run out. Maddie also scored 312 runs with HS 51*.
- *PCC’s Best Youth Girls Allrounder Award*, presented to the best all round performer across College Sport’s Premier Grade T20 competition, was awarded to Sophie Lonergan to took 11 wickets, 3 catches, 2 run outs made 149 runs for Baradene College’s 1XI.
- PCC’s College Sport Girls Player of the Season, presented to the player showing prowess, performance and leadership was awarded to Mollie Drumm, Captain of Epsom Girls 1XI. Unbeaten in the Premier Girls competition, EGGs won the Auckland title. Mollie scored 232 runs, took 23 wickets, 9 catches and 3 run outs. Mollie was also a 2024 finalist in College Sport Cricketer of the year.

PCC is proud to partner with our local schools with our Women & Girls Coaching taking a lead role in driving School girls’ cricket:

Baradene College	Keerthi DeSilva
Epsom Girls Grammar School	Shelley Fruin
Diocesan School for Girls	Daniel Brookes

Senior Women

PCC fielded both a Premier Women side and Premier Development side in Auckland Cricket’s revised T20 and Limited Over Competitions.

Our 24/25 Women & Girls Coaching team was led by Emily Drumm, PCC Director of Women & Girls Cricket & Coaching with Pro-Coaches Keerthi de Silva & Shelley Fruin taking the lead with our Senior Women & Youth Girls. A formidable team, Keerthi and Shelley led our Premier Women & Premier Reserve sides throughout the season.

PCC farewelled a number of Senior players at the end of the 24/25 season including Sam Barriball, ND Brave player and PCC Women & Girls Steering Group member who relocated to Hamilton for work, as well as Gemma Lord, former PCC Women & Girls Chair, Monique Way who moved to TDCC, Izzy Fox and Maia Scott who moved to Christchurch and the US respectively for University.

PCC Senior Club welcomed back Ella Drumm from the UK, and Youth players Maddie Paterson, Mollie Drumm, Christelle McGuire, Augustine Malcolm and Luna Burns who completed their transition from our U16 programme to the Senior club for the 24/25 season.



Our Senior club also welcomed new members Monique Rees, Gabby Esterhuizen and Abby Laird who have migrated north to Auckland for work and study from Wellington and Christchurch.

The 24/25 Premier Competition was modified by ACA to include 7 sides. With not enough players to go round, many clubs struggled to field teams week in week out with Prem level players. This resulted in multiple defaults across the Premier, Premier Development and Premier Reserve grades along with a number of bye weekends – all reducing the number of playing opportunities for our senior members.

Premier Women

For our Parnell Prems, the structure of the Limited Overs draw with 7 teams, meant play-offs, of which opposition Premier teams defaulted coupled with a few poor performances in the Round Robin competition meant we did not make the semi-finals. Disappointingly, our opposition for the 5th & 6th also defaulted, meaning Parnell’s Premier Women’s final game of the season was 3 weeks earlier than expected.

PCC’s Premier Women’s T20 side suffered a close loss in the Semi-finals to AUCC who went on to win the competition.

The 24/25 season saw a number of debuts from our Youth players including U16 Lola Scott, pace bowler who on debut for the Prems v TDCC taking 7 wickets for 6 runs and the season’s best bowling performance across ACA’s Prem Women’s T20 and 40 Over competitions.

Sam Brake-Howard was a senior player to watch through the season. A consistent containing bowler, Sam’s stats went from strength to strength as the season progressed taking 16 wickets in total making Sam our Most Improved Premier player for the 24/25 season.

Opening batter Cate Pedersen was our top run scorer for the season with 519 runs, ranking 4th in the Pearl Dawson T20 competition and 3rd in the Prichard Cup 40 over competition. Highlights included:

- 50 (43) v TDCC, Prichard Cup, 16 November 2024
- 69 (74) v HPCC, Prichard Cup, 8 March 2025
- 84 (52) v SNLCC, Pearl Dawson, 25 January 2025

Mollie Drumm was the pick of our bowlers this season, taking 31 wickets over the Pearl Dawson T20 comp and Prichard Cup LO40 formats positioning her as 2nd highest wicket taker across ACA’s Premier Women’s Comp and our MVP.

Strong all round performers included:

- Ella Drumm: 253 runs, 7 wickets, 6 catches
- Olivia Anderson: 241 runs, 4 wickets, 9 catches
- Maddy Curran, 11 wickets and 7 catches
- Christelle McGuire, 13 wickets and 2 catches
- Yaz Kareem, 268 runs, 3 catches

Other batting highlights included:

- Yaz Kareem: 57* (59) v SNLCC, Prichard Cup, 23 Nov 24
- Yaz Kareem: 74 (997) v TDCC, Prichard Cup, 1 Mar 25
- Marina Lamplough: 55 (42) v NSCC, Prichard Cup 15 Mar 25

Ella Drumm was awarded PCC’s Irene Badley Memorial Rosebowl recognising: prowess, fair play, leadership, club spirit and contribution on and off the field. Returning to PCC after a year in the UK, Ella co-captained our Prem side most of the season, performing with bat and ball. Off the field, Ella volunteered, filling in for our pro-coaches at Tuesday night’s Junior Girls training and coaching our U11G Softball teams bright and early on Saturday mornings. Ella also had the unenviable task of managing the Senior Club uniforms.

Premier Development

ACA changed the format of the 24/25 season for the Senior Women’s Reserve grades, creating a Premier Development competition which mirrored the Premier Women’s grade. A 7 team competition included pre and post Christmas LO35 with Double Header T20 rounds through January and February.

PARNELL CRICKET CLUB INC
RECORDS 1886/87-2024/25(Premier - First Side)

Aggregates (2500 Runs)					
	Career	Runs	Ave	100's	High Score
Morgan, R.W.	57/58-91/92	13110	35.15	17	202*
Wallace, W.M.	32/33-68/69	10299	54.49	26	231*
McIntosh, T.G.	97/98-16/17	9054	42.11	19	170
Anthony, A.H.	09/10-36/37	7773	31.99	12	212
Whitelaw, P.E.	28/29-48/49	6775	38.71	16	208
Aitken, R.A.	77/78-94/95	6554	25.40	7	139*
Jarvis, T.W.	60/61-76/77	5732	36.05	9	206*
Vivian, H.G.	29/30-38/39	5158	53.73	15	200*
Vujnovich, P.V.	93/94-04/05	4892	28.11	6	149
Winger, D.R.	04/05-11/12	4700	33.57	8	135*
Horne, B.J.	11/12-21/22	4637	32.65	7	184
Rae, B.J.	10/11-20/21	4512	32.93	7	154
Wallace, G.M.	67/68-89/90	4173	22.80	1	117
McGregor-Sumpter, F.	16/17-24/25	4149	34.87	5	120*
Cooke, G.D.	65/66-83/84	4073	29.09	4	163*
Turner, M.A.	04/05-11/12	3977	34.58	4	201*
Rabone, G.O.	51/52-70/71	3621	33.84	5	171
Mills, I.J.	88/89-02/03	3557	32.63	8	166
Hay, S.C.	27/28-45/46	3491	22.38	2	110
Bunting, K.R.	05/06-14/15	3491	26.05	2	118
Somervell, R.C.	08/09-25/26	3446	25.34	4	138
Parikh, A.A.	2018/19-25	3354	26.62	5	113
Sale, E.V.	03/04-10/11	3152	32.49	5	284
McCoy, A.W.	23/24-45/46	3106	20.30	5	128
Lane, A.T.	17/18-20/21	3062	39.26	4	191
McLeod, E.G.	18/19-43/44	2940	35.85	3	113*
Kilgour, C.	87/88-93/94	2888	25.79	2	166*
Bygrave, D.B.	68/69-91/92	2834	17.28	0	86
Middleton, W.	59/60-73/74	2746	18.81	1	132*
Sutcliffe, B.	39/40-48/49	2675	60.80	8	179*
Olliff, C	00/01-12/13	2660	21.63	3	133
Stevens, R.J.	89/90-94/95	2642	25.40	2	144
Hill, A.J.	94/95-97/98	2601	33.78	1	103
McMillin, M.S.	89/90-05/06	712592	20.25	1	113
Rodden, B.P.	17/18-20/21	2555	38.71	5	144*

WN CARSON MEMORIAL CUP - For Outstanding Services to Cricket

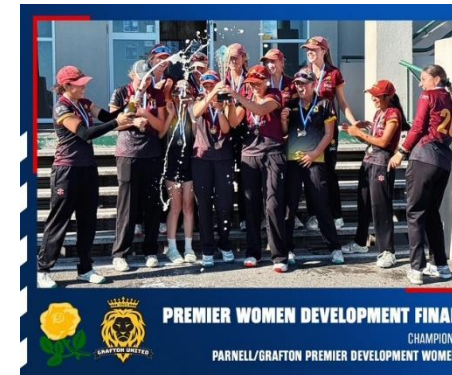
JA Hayes 1957-58, WR Playle 1960-61, RW Morgan 1978-79, JC Richards 2001-02, MS McMillin 2004-05, BC Haggitt 2006-07, JS Goodger 2012-13, RM Smith 2014-15, CM Presland 2020-21



With this new format, came challenge for all clubs with players on holiday through January and University students leaving Auckland through February.

To this end, Post-Christmas PCC welcomed Grafton players Lily Cuttriss, Casey McAnulty, Maddy Stanton, Kea Rodgers and Daphne Lawless to combine with our Prem Development side for the T20 Competition and post-Christmas LO comp.

Winning 9 of 17 games, PCC's Prem Development were finalist in both the T20 and LO competitions taking out both titles.



The T20 final saw PCC/GUCC Prem Dev come up against top of the table, combined ECB/KCC away at Windsor Park. Coached by Shelley Fruin and Captained by Indy King and Ana Wijffels, PCC won by 21 runs. Key performances included: Sophie Loneragan with 31* (33), also taking 1 wicket and Ana Wijffels, Sanaa Sikri and Gabby Esterhuizen with 2 wickets each.

The 35 over final was against a combined AUCC/HPCC side at Colin Maiden Park with the PCC side coached by Shelley Fruin. Winning by 13 runs, player of the match captained by Indy King and Ana Wijffels was Sophie Loneragan 44* (65), taking 2 wickets (5-0-22-2) and a run out.

Captaining 17 of the Prem Development games, Indy King was batter of the season with 381 runs across both the T20 & LO competition for Premier Development, with a stand out performance of 103* (69) in the T20 match against MPCC. This batting performance was the best batting performance across PCC's senior squad earning Indy PCC's Senior Women's Best Batting Performance Award, Keeping, Indy took 3 catches, 2 stumpings and 6 run outs.

Alongside Indy for 8 matches, Ana Wijffels was top wicket taker, taking 11 wickets with 3 catches and 3 run outs. Off the back of these stats, Ana was awarded PCC's Most Valuable Prem Development Player for the 24/25 season.

Rounding off the Prem Development awards for the 24/25 season was Augustine Malcolm who was awarded the Sue Borich Cup for Most Improved Premier Reserve Player. Working hard on her batting throughout the season, Augie was opening batter for PCC Prem Development and given form, debuted for PCC Prens in a Pearl Dawson T20 match as opening batter.

Key performances over the season included:
- Indy King 101* (69) v MPCC, T20, 5 Jan 25

Parnell Senior Women & Girls Represent

The hard work put in by Parnell players, coaches and volunteers does no go un-noticed with record numbers of PCC members being recognised and selected for higher honours. Highlights of the season include the many team and individual successes across our female membership.

5 of Parnell's senior players were recognised through first class contracts and selection with *Marina Lamplough*, *Yaz Kareem* and *Shriya Naidu* representing Northern Districts Brave and *Olivia Anderson* and *Cate Pedersen* representing Auckland Hearts throughout the season.

Renee McMillan, *Maddy Curran* and *Ella Drumm* were key players within Auckland, Northern Districts and Otago's A programmes.

The following players were selected into Auckland's U17 Representative sides. Auckland's U17 side, coached by Emily Drumm:

- Mollie Drumm (c)

- Maddie Paterson (c)
- Indy King (w)
- Lola Scott
- Sophie Lonergan



- 14 PCC players were selected for the EDCA U19 side coached by PCC Coach Shelley Fruin, and EDCA’s U17 side.
- EDCA U19: Mollie Drumm (c), Ana Wijffels (c) Maddie Paterson, Christelle McGuire, Luna Burns, Ruby Sutherland, Kate Illerbrun, Augustine Malcolm
 - EDCA U17: Indy King, Sanaa Sikri, Lola Scott, Sophie Lonergan, Daisy Ellis, Lottie Larkin

Representative Performances include:

- Yaz Kareem, ND A
 - o 60 (70) v ACA A, One Day, 16 Mar 25
 - o 67 (58) v Otago A, T20, 16 Feb 25
 - o 71 (50) v CD A, T20, 2 Nov 24
 - o 57 (60) v CD One Day, 3 Nov 24
- Ella Drumm, Otago A
 - o 56* (100) v Canterbury A One Day, 17 Dec, 24
 - o 50 (40) v ND A, T20, 15 Feb 25
 - o 54 (72) v ND A, One Day, 16 Feb 25
- Cate Pedersen, Auckland A
 - o 58 (56) v ND A, One Day, 24 Nov 24

Auckland U17

- Mollie Drumm 4-1-11-5 v CD U17, 21 Jan 25

EDCA U17

- Indy King 75 (62) v Western U17, 17 Dec 2024

ND Youth Rangitahi Tournament

- Sanaa Sikri 4-1-3-5 v Poverty Bay, T20, 28 Nov 2024
- Sanaa Sikri 51* (46) v Waikato Valley, T20, 29 Nov 2024

to be replaced with awards more appropriate to the modern game.

AUCKLAND CRICKET – INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

AUCKLAND ACES and HEARTS PLAYER OF THE YEAR

For Men: John Morris Memorial Trophy

MEN: RW Morgan 1978/79, WER Somerville 2018/19

WOMEN: A McKee 1997/98, E Drumm 2001/02, V Lind 2004/05, 2005/06, 2008/09, M Murphy 2006/07

RIDINGS CUP

Highest score on Eden Park during the Season

B Sutcliffe 1948/49, WM Wallace 1952/52, 1953/54, GO Rabone 1954/55, WR Playle 1960/61, TW Jarvis 1967/68, RW Morgan 1968/69. 1969/70, 1978/79, TJ Franklin 1981/82, TG McIntosh 2000/01, 2002/03, 2007/08, 2010/11, MS Chapman 2019/20, BJ Horne 2021/22

MERV WALLACE BAT - For Premier Coach of the Year

IS Trott 2007-08 & 2014-15, IC West 2019-20, K de Silva 2023-24

LAURIE SCHNAUER CUP - Men’s Premier Grade - Players’ Player of the Year:

MA Turner 2007-08, TG McIntosh 2014-15, 2015-16, **A Parikh 2024-25**

NESSIE HAMMOND CUP - For the most runs in Women’s Premier Grade

LRVS Harford 1996-97, AM McKee 1997-98, E Drumm 2002-03, MP Murphy 2006-07, Y Kareem 2019-20, 2023-24

GROSVENOR CUP

Umpires' award to the Best All Round Men's Premier Team

1948/49, 1950/51, 1951/52, 1952/53 (jointly with Middlemore CC),
1961/62*, 1963/64*, 2009/10, 2015/16, 2017/18, 2018/19

*As part of Eastern Districts CA

SPIRIT OF CRICKET AWARD

**An award by the Umpires to the Premier Grade team that
abides most closely to the 'Spirit of Cricket'**

2009-10 (inaugural winner), 2012-13, 2014-15, 2017-18, 2020-21

WOMEN:

PRICHARD CUP – LIMITED OVERS CHAMPIONSHIP

2002/03 Parnell, 2004/05 Parnell/Takapuna, 2009/10 North East
(including Parnell), 2023/24 Parnell

PEARL DAWSON TROPHY – TWENTY20 CHAMPIONSHIP

2008/09 North East, 2009/10 North East, 2023/24 Parnell

STRINGFELLOW CUP For the most improved Women's Premier Grade Team

1997/98 Parnell, 2000/01 Parnell, 2008/09 North East, 2009/10
North East

KENNEDY CUP Most catches by a Women's Team

1997/98 Parnell, 2002/03 Parnell, 2004/05 Parnell/Takapuna,
2005/06 Parnell/Takapuna, 2006/07 Parnell/Takapuna,
2008/09 North East

Note: No Awards for either Stringfellow or Kennedy Cups from
2020/21 onwards after ACA advised these trophies were



Editorial - Shelly Fruin

2024/25 was the first full season at Parnell CC for Shelley Fruin. The Former White Fern joined the coaching staff in the PCC women's programme after first working with the club in a joint venture with Papatoetoe CC at the end of the 2023/24 campaign:

"Half-way through 2023/24 I got a call from Emily Drumm offering to help out Papatoetoe. We had a premier team but around half went away to Uni after Christmas. So we combined with a Parnell development team for that part of the season and after getting a chance to work at the club it just made sense to make a permanent move for 2024/25. Parnell has the best set up for women and girls cricket in Auckland and that is where my passion lies so I am hoping I can make a difference."

Shelley's role spans all levels of women and girls cricket at the club which continues to go from strength to strength:

"I really enjoy the flexibility of working with all the teams from the premier team through to the U16s, U13s and U11s. The club has created a really good pathway and you can see that paying off with the success of the development team this season. It was great to see how they have progressed as players and won competitions but I also think it's a real testament to the growth of women's cricket at the club with the support of the parents, the board and investment in coaching."



Shelley has had a busy winter away from the club as her coaching career expands:

"I was involved with Samoa women's U19s team last year during their preparation for the World Cup. This winter I have been working with the senior Samoa women's team and have just returned from a tour to Papua New Guinea. Last summer I started working for Counties Manukau in their youth girls programme and I'm currently working with the Northern Districts U17 indoor cricket women's team. It's good to be busy and get lots of different coaching experiences."

Shelley enjoyed a successful International playing career in which she represented New Zealand in 23 ODI's and six test matches, a format that is rarely played at women's level now. But after her final appearance as a White Fern – the 1997 World Cup Final no less – she was out of the game for a long period before her recent return:

"I lived in the US until 2021. I'd been there for 15 years and had nothing to do with cricket during that time. When I came back to New Zealand I wasn't necessarily looking to get back involved but I got

* as part of Eastern Districts CA

Note: Auckland Club of the Year, Simmonds and Osborne Trophy, for the second season in succession – encompassing all grades of the Club, male and female, year 6 (U-12) upwards

MEN:

HEDLEY HOWARTH TROPHY - MEN'S PREMIER GRADE, TWO DAY, MAJOR CHAMPIONSHIP

1894-1895, 1895-1896, 1898-1899, 1902-1903, 1903-1904, 1909-1910, 1911-1912, 1922-1923, 1926-1927, 1929-1930, 1932-1933, 1933-1934, 1942-1943, 1944-1945, 1947-1948, 1948-1949, 1957-1958, 1965-1966, 2014-15, 2019-20, **2024-25**

Note: 1898 to 1912, District Scheme (as Parnell District CC), 1952 to 1966, District Scheme (as part of Eastern Districts CA)

JEFF CROWE CUP: PREMIER GRADE, LIMITED OVERS CHAMPIONSHIP

2009-2010, 2012-2013, 2018-19, 2020-21

PREMIER GRADE T20 COMPETITION CHAMPIONSHIP

2023-24

**ALLAN THOMPSON MEMORIAL TROPHY
for Runner-up in the Hedley Howarth Trophy, Two Day Championship**

1951-52, 1956-57*, 1966-67**, 1969-70, 2000-01, 2001-02, 2004-05, 2013-14, 2015-16 & 2016-17, 2020-21

*As part of Eastern Districts CA **Jointly with Papatoetoe CC

ACA AWARDS

(Historical record – **2024/25** awards/achievements in **bold**)



Some of the men's premier trophies:

Left to right above: Jeff Crowe Cup - One Day Champions, Spirit of Cricket Award, Simmonds and Osborne Trophy - Club of the Year, Allan Thompson Memorial Cup - 2nd in Two Day Championship

**CLUB OF THE YEAR – SIMMONDS AND OSBORNE TROPHY
THE OVERALL ACA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

1905-06 (inaugural, joint with City, Grafton & North Shore CCs), 1909-10, 1933-34, 1947-48, 1959-60*, 1992-93, 2019-20, 2020/21, 2023/24, **2024/25**

asked by former team mate Maia Lewis if I could do some work with the Northern Districts wicket-keepers. That led to the role at Papatoetoe and things have progressed quickly since then."

Shelley is very clear on her philosophies for coaching and her personal goals as a coach:

"In terms of my coaching philosophy the bottom line is "Make a difference" in every girl, every team and every environment I'm in. Players will be at different stages and have different goals but if I can make a difference for them then hopefully that helps them on their path to realising their potential.

"In terms of personal goals I'm very much 'in the moment' at this point in my career. PCC have given me a great opportunity that I am really enjoying. I have just finished my level 3 qualification and I am just wanting to make a difference in whatever opportunity crosses my path."

In 2023/24 the premier women's side had a clean sweep of Auckland premier trophies and in 2024/25 the club saw a host of players selected in representative teams throughout the age groups. Through her work in the development space Shelley thinks this level of success is likely to continue moving forward:



"The aim is to just keep growing the base and in the first instance give all girls an opportunity to play. From there the players have the best chance to develop at their own pace. We have players such as Mollie Drumm and Christelle McGuire already established in the premier team then we saw others such as Lola Scott and Sophie Lonergan step up through the season and put in some strong performances. There's a host of others who are all incredibly talented and not far away from being ready step into the premier team when the correct time comes. While the club has been successful in recent years I am really excited to see what we can achieve in the future."

Senior Awards

<u>Mens Grades</u>	2024/25
Premier Reserves Bowler of the Season	Prashant Dhanjee
Premier Reserves Batsman of the Season	Cory Dickson
R. M. Smith Cup	Vatsal Desai
3rd XI Bowler of the Season	Josh Milne
3rd XI Batsman of the Season	Sam Curran
4th XI Bowler of the Season	Ewen Anderson
4th XI Batsman of the Season	Will Meredith
4th XI MVP	Luke Smardon
P. R. Speakman Cup	Thomas Nelson
ED Giles Memorial Cup	Tom Dunlop
JS Robinson Cup	Will Ormiston
PA Badley Cup	James Nelson
Payne Trophy	Will Ormiston
WH Giles Cup	Jack Dymond
CB Smith Cup	Marco Alpe
WM Wallace Salver	Aniket Parikh
PA Badley Award	Aniket Parikh
Frank Hemingson Trophy	Harry Cullen-Hieatt
JA Forsman Cup	Daniel Brookes
JVR McLean Trophy	Ollie Pringle
Emirali Cup	Daniel Brookes
WJ Dinnison Cup	Max Chaplin
Presidents Player of the Year	Jeremy Boucher
Managers Cup	Daniel Presland
Chairman`s Trophy	Ashley Court
Goddard Trophy	Flynn McGregor-Sumpter
30 Years Service	Jocelyn Goodger

Premier Men – Flynn McGregor-Sumpter & Harry Miller

Two Day Comp

Beginning the season with the Two Dayers, the men had a tough opponent to start the season against the old foe Takapuna. The green wicket and move to a regulation ball proved tricky and we found ourselves fighting our way to a relatively low, but defendable 212, aided by a gutsy 51 from Nikith Perera. In reply, Jack Dymond and Harry Cullen-Hieatt were relentless with the new ball, a theme throughout the season, starving the batsmen of runs, and challenging their defence consistently. After 10 overs of pressure, Takapuna relented and our spearheads took 3 quick wickets. The consistency of our spin twins took advantage of this and, along with new recruit Hayden Dickson, applied pressure through the middle and consistently took wickets. PCC got Takapuna to 8/117, but they were a valiant side and their tale wagged to get through to 196 all out, giving the first innings total a real scare. However, PCC triumphed, and these points proved very important.

With confidence against a spritely Grafton, on another early season wicket, Miller confidently backed his top order winning the toss and batting. "It'll be tricky early on, but it'll flatten out later." Tricky it proved to be, with Parnell having its top order ripped open being 3 wickets for 2 runs. But then strode to the wicket, Aniket Parikh and Dan Presland, who put on one of the great under pressure partnerships in Parnell history. Both

WJ Wheeler	FE Hemmingson	JA Hayes
KR Deas	AC Roberts	AG Putt
GO Rabone	BJ Sorenson	RW Morgan
PB McGregor	ED Giles	RE Sutton
JR Carson	MG Burgess	TW Jarvis
SW Kohlhase	R Edwards	AR Hounsell
RD Bennett	GM Wallace	TJ Franklin
RA Aitken	SR Tracy	RP Brazendale
TG McIntosh	NKW Horsley	MH Richardson
AC Parore	MG Cairns	CS Martin
SB Styris	GJ Hopkins	DW Houppapa
AD Bullick*	NM Turner	BP Martin
LH Ferguson	SET Friday	MS Chapman
BJ Horne	WER Somerville	JMM Bevin**
CJ Anderson	OMR Pringle	BR Rodden
F McGregor-Sumpter		N Perera

Note: 1. *B Sutcliffe and AD Bullick played for Otago and **JMM Bevin for Oxford University whilst being Parnell members:
2. Three recent Men's Premier Grade members, played 1st Class cricket prior to joining the Club:- BJ Rae (Canterbury), BR Rodden (Otago) and AA Parikh (Auckland)

WOMEN'S PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATIVES

Women's 1st Class or Hallyburton Johnson Shield

AJ Hooper/Hansen	SF White	SL Kelly
AM McKee	LRVS Harford	EC Drumm
MK Tyler	RJ Kember	KS Hill
SM Bullen	EB Komp	N Scripps
VJ Lind	NJ Browne	TM Gould
MP Murphy	OR Lobb	SR Naidu
Y Kareem	C Pederson	E Baker
S Barriball	M Lamplough	O Anderson

SIR RICHARD HADLEE MEDAL (Supreme award to the most meritorious player)

2010/11 CS Martin*

*Chris Martin was the inaugural winner of the Sir Richard Hadlee Medal

ADMINISTRATORS' AWARDS:

BEST WOMEN'S INITIATIVE

2010/11

Leanne Mayhew and Sarah Fyfe

– Establishment of Junior Girls cricket at Corran and other schools.

BEST YOUTH INITIATIVE

2013/14

Tom Bassett – for producing

Parnell CC's "Parent Coaching Manual"

NZ CRICKET'S VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

2015/16

Bryan Haggitt

MEN'S 1ST CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

GK Turton	RJ Yates	JHP Kissling
W Gardiner	Hugh B Lusk	HW Lawson
W Wheeler	IJ Mills	RG Holle
CB King	JA Nicholson	TL Elliott
FJ Ohlson	EL Wright	B Totman
W Robertson	Harold B Lusk	WNB Lusk
WB Stephens	C Restieaux	F Barclay
FR Mason	C Olliff	EV Sale
A Kerr	AH Anthony	SH Ellis
AO Jones	RC Somervell	H Wright
ER Woods	FS Middleton	H Simpson
LG Hemus	EG McLeod	PE Whitelaw
SAR Badeley	AW McCoy	AF Wensley
HG Vivian	SC Hay	WM Wallace
B Sutcliffe*	SJ Matthews	BH Warner

seeing out the rest of the tricky period, playing positively, and counter attacking where possible - these two pulled the team out of trouble. Aniket finished with 90 - deserving of more but a stand out man of the match performance. These runs propelled Parnell to 280, proving far too many for Grafton as Parnell took first innings points.

The next notable performance was a strong team win against rivals Cornwall away. After being put in to bat on a sticky wicket Parnell batted all day with contributions all around the unit to make our way to a fighting 280. While still under par, the circumstances of a very tough first session on Day 1 meant it was a good effort and more than enough to defend. On Day 2, the boys were effervescing for a day in the dirt, and well prepared for all 100 overs. We made a strong start and challenged their opening batters, but they played well and saw out our fiery opening spell none down on a wicket that was much dryer than Day 1. Three of the Cornwall top 4 had fifties to their name and they found themselves in a comfortable position at lunch, cruising at 2/136. With a change of tact after a thoughtful lunch break, Parnell applied the squeeze and suffocated the Cornwall batters. Slowing the flow of runs and applying pressure, this slowly saw the momentum switch from 3/160 to 7/187 the game dramatically changed course. Aniket Parikh tied down an end and allowed the seamers to stay fresh and rotate, which was critical. Again, the tail wagged but by this stage it was too far out of reach. The Parnell squeeze had set in tight, and Cornwall fell 20 runs short after an epic Day 2 and 90 overs in the field.



After a break in red-ball cricket, the competition resumed in mid-February with a match at home against University. The visitors won the toss and elected to bat, and they made the most of the now much flatter pitch. University batted very well all day and looked poised to make a huge score, however the Parnell bowlers stuck to their guns and managed to bowl the visitors out for 325 with only a couple of overs left in the day. The boys turned up to Day 2 aiming to take the game as deep as possible in order to chase the runs down, but regular wickets from University meant that a first innings win became out of the equation. The lower order then dug incredibly deep to give Uni absolutely nothing - between Flynn McGregor-Sumpter, Jack Dymond, Jack Wright and Yatin Ramesh, over 300 balls were faced as the side were determined to reach a draw. Remarkably, Parnell only lost one wicket in the final hour of play to salvage some incredibly crucial points against a side who were also in the hunt for the two-day trophy.

In the following match against East Coast Bays, the Parnell bowlers came out with a bang and reduced the visiting side to 6-77. However, some lower order resistance got Bays up to a competitive 216 - something which would prove tricky to chase on a wicket that had begun to take some turn. Parnell ended Day 1 5-120, knowing they would have to bat confidently yet calmly on Day 2 to chase the runs down. Contributions all the way through the batting line up ensured that Parnell reached the target 8 wickets down, once again gaining important first innings points.

Parnell turned up to Devonport Domain to face North Shore with a clear objective in mind - outright victory was what we needed. This led skipper Harry Miller to boldly send North Shore in to bat on what appeared to be a batting surface, however this proved to be a master stroke. The fast bowlers were simply outstanding, bowling with incredible precision, giving the Shore batters absolutely nothing. Yatin Ramesh led the way for the attack, claiming a phenomenal 5 for 35, as Parnell rolled the hosts for just 79. Parnell came out determined to capitalise on this fantastic opportunity, batting aggressively to push the game along. A quick fire 50 run opening stand between Miller and Ormiston got the ball rolling, and 55 off 27 from Jack Dymond rounded off a stellar 40 overs of batting, giving Parnell the chance to declare on 242-8. This gave the side the ability to grab a couple of extra wickets at the close of Day 1, before returning on Day 2 to once again bowl North Shore out cheaply for just 100 runs and secure an outright victory by an innings before lunch. The extra 2 points gained by an innings victory would prove vital at the back end of the competition. This was truly an incredible performance by Parnell, led once again by the seamers in the second innings with Jack Dymond claiming 5 for 16 and Harry Cullen-Hieatt also picking up 4 wickets. Onto the final round we went.



Although Parnell were a few points clear at the top of the table heading into the last game of the season, the boys were determined to go for another outright victory to leave nothing to chance. The side arrived at Ken Maunder Park fully aligned on this objective. Parnell chose to bowl first once again, sending Suburbs New Lynn into bat. Jack Dymond again led the way, with his second 5-fer in as many weeks, claiming an inspired 5 for 34. Aniket Parikh proved a great foil for Dymond’s pace, picking up 4 wickets, including the crucial breakthrough of Michael Barry for 61. Suburbs were bowled out for 164 - job one done by the bowlers. Parnell once again batted positively in response, and found themselves in the great position of being able to secure first innings points before close at the end of Day 1. Flynn McGregor-Sumpter and Aniket Parikh led the way with half centuries each, and the side knew that they were halfway to achieving the grand prize with just one day left in the season.

The Final Day

We entered into the final day against Suburbs New Lynn with absolute clarity. We had taken the first innings lead late on day 1 and there were many calculations going on throughout the week. The equation was clear, Parnell needed to make over 30 more runs in our first innings (with 6 wickets remaining), and then win outright to secure the Hedley Howarth.

The day 2 wicket was soft and proved trickier than the week before, but this was no issue for Aniket who made a mercurial 100. Realising the opportunity the wicket provided, Parnell got the initial runs quickly and declared within the first hour of play. Then the cartel and spin twins went to work. Suburbs had a strong start with the bat reaching 50 without loss for the opening partnership before the squeeze eventually broke the pair. With Nikith Perera anchoring one end allowing the seamers to rotate at the top, this provided stability and an unrelenting attack. Unfortunately we began to see the pitch flatten out, leading to another big squeezing effort. An inspired spell from Yatin Ramesh saw the breakthrough of 3 quick wickets swing the momentum. This was backed up by some fantastic fielding, especially young Pawan Kharel on debut taking 2 spectacular catches in the deep. After 57 overs of grinding Suburbs down, the final wicket fell just as tea began with Perera taking a match defining 5/57 off 17 overs. This left Parnell requiring 107 runs in the final 2 hours. With rain threatening all around Auckland, there was an added pressure to get these runs even faster.

WM Wallace	B Sutcliffe	JA Hayes
GO Rabone	WR Playle	RW Morgan
TW Jarvis	R Edwards*	TJ Franklin
SR Tracy	EC Drumm	LRVS Harford
MH Richardson	AC Parore	P Vujnovich**
CS Martin	SB Styris	RJ Kember
NJ Browne	GJ Hopkins	TG McIntosh
SM Bullen	VJ Lind	BP Martin
MS Chapman ***	LH Ferguson	WER Somerville
L Denny****	CR Dickson****	HB Dickson ****
For New Zealand except for : * R Edwards – Australia, ** P Vujnovich – Croatia, ***MS Chapman – Hong Kong and New Zealand, ****L Denny, CR Dickson, HB Dickson – Cook Islands		

NEW ZEALAND CRICKET HONOURS

PLAYERS’ AWARDS:

REDPATH CUP WINNERS (NZ’s Outstanding 1st Class Batsman)

1920/21	AH Anthony*	1933/34	HG Vivian
1934/35	PE Whitelaw	1936/37	PE Whitelaw
1938/39	WM Wallace	1946/47	B Sutcliffe
1947/48	B Sutcliffe	1948/49	B Sutcliffe
1949/50	B Sutcliffe#	1950/51	B Sutcliffe#
1953/54	B Sutcliffe#	2002/03	MH Richardson
*AH (Tony) Anthony was the inaugural winner of the Redpath Cup			
# Bert Sutcliffe – whilst playing for Otago			

WINSOR CUP WINNERS (NZ’s Outstanding 1st Class Bowler)

1952/53	GO Rabone	1957/58	JA Hayes
2005/06	CS Martin	2006/07	CS Martin
2007/08	CS Martin	2010/11	CS Martin
*Chris Martin first won the Winsor Cup in 2003/04 prior to joining Parnell. His 5 wins place him 2 nd to Sir Richard Hadlee’s 13 wins.			

1926 - 1929	H. Duncan	1929 - 1930	A.G. Aitken
1930 - 1933	R.W. Stehr	1933 - 1935	H.G. Vivian
1935 - 1937	L. Vogtherr	1937 - 1939	A.K. McLean
1939 - 1940	S.C. Hay	1940 - 1942	J.A. Forsman
1942 - 1943	K.H. Robertson	1943 - 1951	J.A. Forsman
1951 - 1953	J.V.R. McLean	1953 - 1955	J.T. Blackie
1955 - 1956	R.J. Booker	1956 - 1957	K.F. Mayn
1957 - 1961	J.T.D. Ryan	1961 - 1963	E.D. Giles
1963 - 1964	I.T. Robinson	1964 - 1967	P.A. Badley
1967 - 1969	E.D. Giles	1969 - 1971	J.A. Hoole
1971 - 1972	J. Hutchinson	1972 - 1973	M.J. Simpson
1973 - 1974	W. Middleton	1974 - 1975	B.W. Hutchinson
1975 - 1976	CG. Barnes	1976 - 1977	J. Burton
1977 - 1979	R.D. Bennett	1979 - 1981	G.S. Okey
1982 - 1983	G. Laird	1983 - 1989	R. Brasell
1989 - 1993	D. Sutcliffe	1993 - 1997	J. Duncan
1997 - 1998	D. Sutcliffe	1998 - 1999	A. Hobson
1999 - 2000	J. McIntosh	2000 - 2003	M.S. McMillin
2003 - 2004	D. Minhinnick	2004 - 2006	M.S. McMillin
2006 - 2009	E. Pickmere	2009 - 2010	M.A. Turner
2010 - 2011	C.J. Urry	2011 - 2012	M. Willacy
2012 - 2013	J. Mar	2013 - 2015	J.M.M. Bevin/G. Harper jnr
2015 - 2016	B.J. Horne	2016 - 2020	P.B. Hickman
2020 - 2021	A. Haran	2021 - R	Macmillan & D Van Deventer

NATIONAL HONOURS

MEMBERS WHO HAVE ATTAINED INTERNATIONAL SELECTION / REPRESENTATION

IJ Mills	W Robertson	Hugh B Lusk
EL Wright	Harold B Lusk	C Olliff
FR Mason	EV Sale	RC Somervell
EG McLeod	HG Vivian	PE Whitelaw

Everyone was on the edge of their seat as Takapuna had won outright on the other side of town. Therefore - if we did not score the runs, Takapuna would take the Hedley. Miller and Ormiston took them on from ball one, running hard between the wickets to try to ease scoreboard pressure. Ormiston played positively to see through a significant 40 at around a run a ball, to allow the others to bat around him. While a few wickets fell trying to get there at pace (as was required), it was none other than senior players Nikith Perera and Jack Dymond to see off the final runs, JD hitting a 6 over the Suburbs club house to wrap up the Hedley Howarth. It was an exhilarating day with serious back and forth as Suburbs were unwilling to relent, fighting right to the end. A proud Parnell side rushed to their senior players on the field to embrace the hard work of a well fought season - and shared a beer with Suburbs before heading back to the orchard to continue their celebrations.

One Day Comp

With the first One day Match of the season being rained out against Hibiscus Coast, the opening white-ball match of the season was against East Coast Bays in December. With the changing of the guard, our fearless leader Aniket Parikh sent us into bat on a great cricket wicket with a fast outfield. Starting off with a hiss and a roar, the Parnell top 4 started well and took advantage of the hard Turf which was well appreciated. Harry Miller led the way and struck a fantastic 105 off 88 balls, his first hundred for the Premier side. With contributions all down the order, the side posted 289 - albeit on a good wicket this felt on or around about par. But runs on the board prevailed as the Parnell unit came up trumps. The bowlers applied pressure throughout, and the well rounded attack stemmed the flow of runs and took consistent wickets, leading to a comfortable 102 run win in the end.

Parikh's Peak

The third round was against old foes Cornwall again who we only faced a mere few weeks ago in the nail biting two-dayer. Cornwall was out for revenge - however, our fearless leader Aniket had something to say about this. Ani took the reigns with another fabulous partnership with Dan Presland, both lads propelling the Peaches to a strong 258 after a rocky start. Aniket finished with a glorious 113 off a mere 88 deliveries, well aided by Presland finishing with 70. In typical fashion, Parnell applied pressure and allowed scoreboard pressure to build. The side denied Cornwall of opportunities to score which saw Cornwall wickets tumble in the back half of the innings. With one of the greatest performances ever seen by someone wearing the rose on their chest, Aniket took the bull by the horns and finished with 5 wickets to go with his ton. This must surely be the greatest premier performance of all time.



Our final game before Christmas saw the peaches face off against newer rivals University at Colin Maiden. Uni batted first and put on a strong performance posting 299. With a strong start with 37 from Will Ormiston, and more middle order dominance of 67 and 46 from Parikh and Presland respectively, it was still a bridge too far. With score board pressure rising and wickets slowly falling, the Peaches fell short at 240 all out. Lighting a fire in the belly with the first loss of the season - we expected to meet Uni again.

The team bounced back quickly with a comprehensive win over North Shore despite our opponents being boosted by three Auckland Aces. James Nelson`s 75 was the highlight backed by 62 from Aniket Parikh after Nikith took 3/28 from his 10 overs in the first innings. A typically flat Shore Road pitch greeted the round six

opposition Suburbs New Lynn who racked up 252/6 in their 50 overs. At 27/3 in reply a 172 run partnership between Flynn (85) got the innings on track before Nikith ensured the win with a quick-fire 36 not out from 19 balls. The highlight however was Dan`s innings as he remained unbeaten on 104 striking the winning runs a six over the sightscreen.

A different looking PCC team took the field for the final game of the regular season at Takapuna. Solomon Nash, Morgan Tapper and Liam Denny all made their 50 over premier debuts and all contributed to another victory. A returning Dean van Deventer and Nikith both scored half-centuries before Nikith once again showed his class with the ball claiming 5/19 as the hosts were dismissed 36 runs shy of the target.

It wasn`t long before we met Takapuna again this time in the semi-finals. Another Fred Watts masterclass meant the Shore Road wicket was again a belter and the Taka batsmen enjoyed a much better showing posting 270 in their 50 overs. Batting didn`t look quite so easy when it came Parnell`s turn to bat and the victory looked in doubt when we slipped to 37/3. However yet another match-winning innings from Flynn (91 not out off 84 balls), with support from Dan Presland (62) and James Nelson (46) ensured another a fourth Jeff Crowe Cup final appearance in the last six years.



Once again the pitch at Shore Road proved to be a belter and with half-centuries from Dan and Aniket we were well placed at the interval with 277 on the board. However full credit goes to Auckland University who chased down the total 8 down with 15 balls to spare with Parnell junior Nathan Robinson the opposition`s hero scoring a match winning 90 from just 77 balls.

T20 Comp

The T20 competition saw a real mixed bag of performances with some dominant displays combined with some disappointing defeats which ultimately led to an early exit in the semi-finals.

An 80 run win over Eden Roskill kicked off the campaign with 61 from Flynn as the highlight. This was then backed up with an even more convincing 9 wicket win over Grafton in the following round. The game was notable for both Marco Alpe and Harry Waite who both made their premier debuts – Harry claiming a wicket with his first ball in premier cricket eventually finishing with the outstanding figures of 3/8 from his 4 overs.

While Will Ormiston scored an impressive 68 the group stages finished with a disappointing defeat at the hands of Cornwall however we had already secured top spot in our group due to the heavy nature of the prior victories.

The lads were quickly back on song in the quarter-final fixture against Papatoetoe racking up a mammoth 206 batting first. Harry Miller and Dan Presland both struck half-centuries before four bowlers each claimed two wickets in a comfortable win.

Sadly the semi-final would be the end of the campaign with another defeat at the hands of Cornwall.

1914 - 1915	R.C. Somervell	1915 - 1916	R. Doble
1916 - 1917	C. Badeley	1917 - 1918	W. Burns
1918 - 1919	C. Fisher	1919 - 1926	W.J. Dinnison
1926 - 1927	C.G. Broberg	1927 - 1929	G.F. Murray
1929 - 1930	C.K. Sharp	1930 - 1931	S.C. Hay
1931 - 1934	P.E. Whitelaw	1934 - 1935	S. Edwards
1935 - 1940	A. Siddall	1940 - 1943	W.J. Dinnison
1943 - 1946	K.H. Robertson	1946 - 1948	F.E. Hemmingson
1948 - 1949	A.G. Putt	1949 - 1952	P.R. Jacombs
1952 - 1955	J.T. Blackie	1955 - 1956	J.D.T. Ryan
1956 - 1958	P.R. Jacombs	1958 - 1959	J.R. Street
1959 - 1960	I.J. Robinson	1960 - 1961	W.T. Percival
1961 - 1962	D.F. Percival	1962 - 1969	N.B. Darrow
1969 - 1970	R. Schnauer	1970 - 1971	B. Cheshire
1971 - 1974	P. Fitzgerald	1974 - 1975	M.J. Simpson
1975 - 1985	R.S. Harvey	1985 - 1990	C.E. Speakman
1990 - 1997	S. Clerk	1997 - 1999	C.E. Speakman
1999 - 2000	S. Gallagher	2000 - 2002	R.S. Harvey
2002 - 2003	C.E. Speakman	2003 - 2004	B.C. Haggitt
2004 - 2010	R. Eddowes	2010 - 2012	C.E. Speakman
2012 - 2015	T. Bassett	2015 -	G.S. James

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

JUNIORS

2008 - 2012	T. Bassett	2012 - 2014	R. Osborne
2014 - 2016	PR Speakman	2016 - 2021	JEG Boucher
2021 -	G McCullough		

Seniors

2008 - 2011	B.C. Winger	2011 - 12	M. Willacy
2012 - 2014	P.A. Horne	2014 - 15	R.M. Smith
2015 - 2017	V. Bhamidapaty	2017 - 19	S.G. Wood
2020 - 2021	P.B. Hickman/G Ratnasabapathy		
2021 - 2023	G Ratnasabapathy	2023 -	M. Willacy

CLUB CAPTAIN

2003 - 2004	M.S. McMillin	2004 - 2012	R.M. Smith
2012 - 2015	M.K. Brajkovich	2015 - 2021	C.M. Presland
2021 –	JEG Boucher		

HON. SECRETARY

1884 - 1887	W.C. Speight	1888 - 1889	R Crowe
1889 - 1893	R.L. Holle	1894 - 1896	J. Young
1897 - 1898	E.H. Seagar	1898 - 1912	W.J. Dinnison
1912 - 1914	H.M. Warner	1914 - 1916	R. Doble
1916 - 1917	C. Badeley	1917 - 1918	W. Burns
1918 - 1919	C. Fisher	1919 - 1924	W.J. Dinnison
1924 - 1929	W.H. Johnston	1929 - 1930	C.K. Sharp
1930 - 1933	A.N. Hally	1933 - 1936	G. McGehan
1936 - 1939	N.P. Smith	1939 - 1940	A.W. Worth
1940 - 1941	A.G. Foster	1941 - 1943	W.J. Dinnison
1943 - 1946	K.H. Robertson	1946 - 1948	P.A. Badley
1948 - 1949	T.W. Aitken	1949 - 1954	P.A. Badley
1954 - 1955	W.K. Jagger	1955 - 1959	W.T. Percival
1959 - 1960	N.B. Darrow	1960 - 1962	A.J. Paul
1962 - 1964	E.G. Sutherland	1964 - 1965	B.C. Haggitt
1965 - 1968	D.F. Percival	1968 - 1969	A.J. Paul
1969 - 1971	D.F. Percival	1971 - 1974	D. Catty
1974 - 1977	M.J. Simpson	1978 - 1981	A.J. Blackburn
1981 - 1984	J. Burton	1984 - 1985	A.J. Blackburn
1985 - 1987	D. Sutcliffe	1987 - 1988	M. Elliott
1988 - 1990	A. Hayden	1990 - 1995	G.S. Okey
1995 - 1998	M.A. Robinson	1998 - 2000	N. Greenwood
2000 - 2002	M.A. Robinson	2002 - 2004	B. Cook
2004 - 2005	H. Harman	2005 - 2008	I.P. Gilmour
2008 - 2015	B.C. Haggitt	2015 -	C.E. Speakman

HON. TREASURER

1884 - 1887	W.C. Speight	1888 - 1889	R. Crowe
1889 - 1893	R.L. Holle	1894 - 1896	G. Moon
1897 - 1898	I. Moses	1898 - 1902	W.J. Dinnison
1903 - 1904	E. Grenville	1904 - 1905	C. Speight
1905 - 1906	W. McMurray	1906 - 1914	W.J. Dinnison

Editorial – Aniket Parikh

It was perhaps fitting that on the final day of his seventh and final (for now) season at Parnell CC Aniket Parikh completed a match winning century that helped propel the Premier Men's side to the Hedley Howarth Trophy.

Parikh's contribution to that victory will have come as no surprise to long term supporters of the club who first witnessed him play the same Suburbs New Lynn opposition all over Eden Park in the Jeff Crowe Cup final in his debut season – the first of five trophies secured in his time at the club.

Parikh leaves with not only a host of winners medals but also 3354 runs to his name – 22nd on the club's all time premier run scoring charts and 206 wickets which has him sitting 16th on the all-time premier wicket taking list.



Those who have grown to know the off-spin bowling all-rounder through his time at the club are well aware he is reluctant to talk about his personal achievements and he once again heaped praise on his teammates for their final day victory to secure the premier two-day competition:

“Going into that game we were top of the table but you are never sure if first innings will be enough or if an outright will be required. We bowled well in the first innings to restrict Suburbs to 180 but with Blackcaps seamer Ben Lister in the opposition attack we found ourselves in trouble at 20/3. I struggled to get going but Flynn batted really well at the other end, we built a partnership and were able to secure first innings in the final over of day one.

“Looking at the scores in the other games we realised pretty quickly that we needed an outright to win Hedley so we decided to attack with the bat first thing on the second morning and I managed to get a few away and get to my century before we declared. Nikith then bowled brilliantly in the second innings and we needed just over 100 to win the Trophy with a whole session left in the day.”

At this stage Parikh and his team mates could have been forgiven for thinking they already had one hand on the trophy but as is so often the case the cricketing gods had other ideas:

“Harry Miller and Will Ormiston were cruising along and I think we got to about 60/2 in no time. We were very much in control then all of a sudden some dark clouds started rolling in and we heard chat about other games being rained off around Auckland. It's fair to say a little bit of panic set in and we lost some quick wickets but ultimately we got there.

“It was my second Hedley Howarth Trophy for the club and I think why this one was so special was seeing the young guys like Nikith Perera, Harry Cullen-Hieatt and Dan Presland really make the step up with regular match winning contributions throughout the season whilst the experienced heads like Harry, Will and Flynn led from the front as always.”

With a strong record of both personal and team success there were lots of special moments for Parikh in his time at Shore Road but two in particular stood out:

“Anytime you win a trophy it’s special so it’s tough to single one out but I am probably most proud of the T20 victory last season. Myself and Brad Rodden put a big emphasis on it being the one trophy we hadn’t won in amongst a lot of success in the other formats so that for me is the most memorable - particularly as a captain.

“Personally the performance that gave me the most satisfaction was when I took 5 wickets and scored 100 in the same game against Cornwall this season. I wouldn’t say I’d ever had a particular goal of taking 5 and scoring in a hundred in the same match but it was something I was keen to tick off. I had come close before but to be able to say I’ve finally done that is something I’m pleased about.”

Once the season finished Parikh jetted off to the UK where he has spent his first two months travelling whilst being based in London and while the club will miss him on the field he believes the team will be just fine without him:

“The most impressive thing about Parnell is each year there seem to be good young players coming into the team and performing well immediately. I look at guys such as Harry Cullen-Hieatt, James Nelson and Dan Presland and we first saw them as kids who would run drinks for us on Saturdays and bowl to us at trainings then a couple of years go by and they are stepping up and playing major roles in helping the club win trophies. If that high performance culture continues I can only see the team going from strength to strength.”

So have we seen the last of Aniket on a cricket field?

“I might play some cricket over here but we will see how things go and it would be a little strange playing for someone other than Parnell. I’ve had seven great years at the club and while the on-field success is rewarding I think the best part is that I feel I’ve made life long friends which really is what it is about and, while I’m not sure how long I will be away, I do hope to play at the club again in the future.”

Finally we asked Aniket to name an all star team of players he has shared a field with for Parnell:

Aniket Parikh’s ‘Team of the last seven years’

- 1) Ben Rae
- 2) Flynn McGregor-Sumpter
- 3) Andy Lane
- 4) Daniel Presland
- 5) Brad Rodden – Captain
- 6) Ollie Pringle
- 7) Nikith Perera
- 8) Harry Miller – WK
- 9) Dean van Deventer
- 10) Jack Dymond
- 11) Ganesh Ratnasabapathy

“This was a tough one as I had a lot of others who were really deserving. That top 3 would score a lot of runs between them and Dan Presland at 4 as the up and comer. Brad was a great player but also the best captain I’d played under so that was an easy one. I can’t show this list to either Ollie or Nikith as they will complain they are batting too low but they were excellent all-rounders. Then, while I would usually look for any reason to pick 3 or 4 spinners, I really couldn’t look past those three pace bowlers. While all of the above are worthy of being in this as players more importantly they are great people too.”

Appendix – Historic Records

LIST OF OFFICE BEARERS, 1884 – 2022
(Office Bearers prior to 1884 are yet to be traced)

PATRON

1890 - 1891	Sir George Grey KCMG		
1892 - 1894	F. Lawry MHR	1895 - 1896	H.C. Tewsley
1897 - 1898	No office	1899 - 1901	H. Campbell
1903 - 1920	Hon. E. Mitchelson	1920 - 1927	No office
1927 - 1945	F. Earl, K.C.	1945 - 1946	R.B. Lusk
1946 - 1961	W.J. Dinnison	1961 - 1967	S.J. Paul
1967 - 1983	W.H. Giles	1983 - 1990	W.M. Wallace
1990 - 2016	E.K. Smith	2016 -	M.J. Simpson

PRESIDENT

1884 - 1886	T Ryan	1887 - 1890	F.J. Moss, MHR
1891 - 1892	F Lawry, MHR	1893 - 1902	B.J.M. Kemp
1903 - 1906	J. Fitt	1906 - 1926	F. Earl, KC
1926 - 1945	R.B. Lusk	1945 - 1952	A.G. Aitkin
1952 - 1955	J .A. Forsman	1955 - 1958	P.A. Badley
1958 - 1961	F.J. Fenton	1961 - 1964	W.T. Percival
1964 - 1967	J.D.T. Ryan	1967 - 1969	J.T. Blackie
1969 - 1972	E.K. Smith	1972 - 1974	D.F. Percival
1974 - 1977	E.D. Giles	1977 - 1980	C.G. Barnes
1980 - 1983	M.J. Simpson	1983 - 1986	P.A. Badley
1986 - 1989	P.C. Elliott	1989 - 2002	M.J. Simpson
2002 - 2007	C.E. Speakman	2007 - 2011	B.C. Haggitt
2011 – 2014	R.S. Harvey	2014 -	R.M. Smith

CHAIRMAN

1979 - 1980	M.J. Simpson	1980 - 1983	D. Bygrave
1983 - 1985	M.J. Simpson	1986 - 1989	P.A. Badley
1989 - 1991	A.J. Blackburn	1991 - 1995	M.J. Simpson
1995 - 1997	C.E. Speakman	1997 - 1998	J. Duncan
1998 - 1999	C.E. Speakman	1999 - 2003	J.C. Richards

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Premier Reserve Men

Parnell Premier Reserves Season Review

The 2024/25 season was another relatively successful one for the Parnell Premier Reserves.

This season we welcomed several new faces to the side, Cory Dickson, Harrison Biggs, Daniel Brookes Mahir Syed, and we welcomed back Jesse Simpson.

Over the past few years, the Prem Reserves has experienced a mixture of success, close finishes, and individual success. This year was no different.

Whilst the side traditionally sees a large player pool due to competition of spots, club availability, and School/University commitments, our main focus this season was to have a clear identity of how we wanted to play our cricket whilst continuing to portray such high values. This was evident throughout the season with a number of individuals standing up performance wise, but also a strong leadership group that played and trained with a smile. This style of play allowed a number of our teammates to experience Premier level cricket; whether it be debuts for Parnell or other parts of the country.

Red ball cricket kicked off the season for us and whilst it started slower than hoped, dropping our first two games, the side went on to finish a commendable third place, with four wins and three losses.

The highlights of this format include centuries to Vatsal Desai, Nic Brosnahan, Pawan Kharel, and Jesse Simpson. Along with five wicket hauls to Prashant Dhanjee (twice), and Daniel Brookes (including hattrick). These performances demonstrated the depth and commitment the side was able to show throughout most of the season.



From here we moved on to the 50 over white ball format, with some T20 sprinkled in on Wednesday nights.

Determined to go one better than last season's second place, a couple of wash outs meant the campaign started a bit inconsistent, with only one game against Auckland University seeing the full 100 overs in play. Managing to go 2 from 2 saw the team in high spirits leading into Christmas break.

With some better weather on the horizon the side carried over their strong start to the remainder of the format finishing 5 from 5 and earned a spot in the 50 over final against the very strong Cornwall side.

Unfortunately, we weren't able to get over the line, but the effort and commitment the side showed to make it that far meant we were able to hold our heads high with an extreme amount of pride.

Once again, we had a number of stand-out performances, centuries to Cory Dickson and Marco Alpe. As well five wicket hauls to Solomon Nash and Kartik Trivedi.

The 50 over format is one the group also enjoys and has a strong focus on. Once again, a number of players were used across the six games, but the most pleasing aspect was attitude and commitment to each other, resulting in an enjoyable campaign.

One win, one tie, and one loss were the returns for the 2024/25 T20 campaign. Being a rather tough format with the winner of each pool of 4 going through to the play off stages, meant an early exit this season. A result the boys no doubt will look to change in the 2025/26. With the weather playing a part again, the only real point of note was again the commitment each player had to the side. When T20's are on the weeks can get rather tight with Saturday fixtures and training, the positive, can-do attitude was another huge highlight relating back to our goals.

All in all, the team was very proud of the season we had. Whilst the focus next season will be securing some silverware, an enjoyable and rewarding group meant for celebration.

It would be a miss to not point out some exceptional individual season's the contributing to the teams success:

Player of the year: Vatsal Desai – 401 runs at 33.42, High score of 115. 19 wickets at 22.74, best of 3/12.

Batsmen of the year: Cory Dickson (9 innings due to injury) – 352 runs at 50.29, high score of 109 with two 50's

Bowler of the year: Prashant Dhanjee – 36 wickets at 15.83, best of 5/21 with two 5 wicket hauls

Marco Alpe – Club highest score with 178 off 136 against Howick Pakuranga

To conclude the season the club said goodbye to long serving reserves coach Callum McCarthy. Callum gave so much to not only this side but the club too. We wish him the best for his future endeavours.

Nic Brosnahan

2024/25 Captain



rounder. He was widely recognized for his outstanding sporting expertise, while his "Rugbology" articles achieved a New Zealand wide reputation.

Roddy took up the challenge of coaching his daughter's team in the Parnell Juniors and the team improved over several years into the top Auckland girls age group team. They won most of Auckland Cricket girls' top trophies and several excelled at top levels of cricket including one NZ White Fern. Roddy's sense of humour and exceptional communication skills built a very close group of team members who thrived in the girl's cricket environment.

Always prepared to put his hand up, Roddy took on the role of PCC Treasurer in 2004 and often took on the deputy Chairman challenge when needed. His entertaining personality made light of many dull meetings and Roddy proved to be a great asset and "shoulder tapper". If PCC needed something done, we learnt to "give Roddy a call"!



Parnell prems with a minutes silence for Rod Eddowes



Sean Tracey, Bob Sutton, Justin Vaughan, Wilf Slack, Richard Brazendale, Greg Wallace, Terry Peters (standing)

Rod EDDOWES

EDDOWES, Rodney John Miles. Passed away on November 29, 2024, aged 63, leaving behind his loving family and countless Parnell Cricket friends.

Roddy was a keen sportsman and played all sports well. His early cricket was at school at Onewhero before excelling while boarding from 1974 to 1978 at Kings College. He formed valuable friendships at school, and several long term friends later joined him at Parnell Cricket.

Rod joined the Parnell Presidents team in the early 2000's and was noted as a forceful batsman, great fielder and reliable off spin bowler. A very popular team man Rod was the first guy to turn to when we needed a reliable all-

Third XI Men

On the back of a consistent yet ultimately fruitless 2023/24 season, the Premier Three team had a summer to cherish in 2024/25, lifting a pair of titles.

In between seasons, Auckland cricket made some changes, with a 45 over final and T20 competition introduced to a newly named Premier Three grade.

Led by new skipper Josh Milne, the side kicked the season off with an outright win against newcomers Ellerslie. A pair of comprehensive first-innings victories over Auckland University and Howick Pakuranga set the wheels in motion for a successful two-day campaign. Highlights through the early two-day stanza included hundreds from Sam Curran and Luke O'Toole, and Billy Brind taking 8-for, including a hat-trick.

The 45-over campaign started in similar fashion, with victories over Ellerslie and Grafton and our first defeat to Cornwall rounded out fixtures before the Christmas break. A wash out against Howick Pakuranga left the side with work to do to secure a place in the final. Routine victories over Auckland University and Kumeu followed, before a tense affair with Suburbs New Lynn to close out the round-robin. Enter Thomas Nelson, who showed his class with his first century in senior cricket. A committed effort with the ball and in the field saw Parnell home by five runs and into the final against Auckland University.

Auckland University hosted the One Day final and were put into bat by skipper Josh Milne. With multiple rain breaks and a testing ninth-wicket stand, University finished their 43 overs (rain reduced) 217-8. Josh Milne led the attack with 3-39 off his 9 overs. Parnell required an adjusted total of 227 from 43 overs. Parnell lost 3 wickets early before Thomas Nelson and Matt James joined forces. The pair put on 88 for the fourth wicket to pull the game back in Parnell's favour. While the match see-sawed, Thomas Nelson made it back to back hundreds, before Josh Milne clipped back to back boundaries to secure the One Day Title.



The T20 competition saw the club youngsters get an introduction to senior cricket. Fifties to Thomas Nelson and Fergus Allan helped us past Eden Roskill and Grafton, while a host of young bowlers got their opportunities to test their skills. Defeat to Cornwall in the final round-robin match ended a solid T20 campaign.



When the Two-Day competition resumed, Parnell had a comfortable lead at the top of the table with four matches to play. A comprehensive innings victory over Kumeu set up a showdown with our rivals Cornwall. It was Gurveer Singh’s time to shine, bagging a 7-for to set up a crucial first innings win. The might of many helped us triumph over Grafton in a very low scoring affair. Confirming us Two Day champions with a round to spare.

The squad sat down at the start of the season and set goals for the summer ahead. Here are just a few: consistency of character, batting 70 overs, handing over pressure with the ball and a good social environment. All these goals were ticked as we had our most successful season yet.

Here are a few of our highlights:

- Two-Day Champions
- One Day Champions
- Won 14 out of 17 Matches
- 3 outright victories and 3 first innings victories
- Multiple players called up to Reserves
- 4 hundreds
- 1x 10 wickets in a match
- 4x 5 wicket haul



Braze played one first class match for Auckland where he took 3/59.

Rod Aitken recalls “His red Hillman Imp was legendary. It got us to many games and after match shenanigans”.

Peter Speakman recalled “I played against him for St Kents against a very strong Mt Albert Grammar School team where he opened with Trevor Franklin, Rod Aitkin batted three and Ian Fisher 4. (Andrew Eade, Steve Todd, Willy Kiata, and John Jessop were also in the team). This side were Auckland champions. A highly talented cricketer who “knew the game” and always played to the spirit of the game and with a look of determination whilst maintaining a certain chirpiness that made him fun to be around.”

Nige Scott “We Knick named him spider as he tied the batsmen up with his slow left arm tweckers on the low slow Ōrākei wickets. Good opening bat, funny man in the changing sheds, loved a beer. He played quite a few UK summers club cricket.”

Jeff Blackburn “I recall Richard as a man who loved the game and lived life to the full off the field.”

Braze often played in our Sunday Inter Club matches where mixed teams played where many lower grade players were privileged to play many matches with and against him. An example of his humour, was as a test of whether paying with a cheque at the bar, was hold the cheque up high and drop it, if it bounced do not accept it. It quickly became an amusing standard test, called the Braze test.

The Club, and all the contributors all mentioned, the news will be heartbreaking for the family and condolences go out to them.

Obituaries:

Richard Paul Brazendale



It is with great sadness and shock to hear that Richard, or Braze as we all called him, has passed away at just 64. He had a liver condition, caught Covid and then developed pneumonia.

Firstly, his stats which show, wow he was a good player and then secondly some memories that show, wow what a good bloke he was!

Braze was a right handed opening batsman and a left arm orthodox spinner. His record for Parnell Premiers from 1977/78 to 1987/88 was 1595 runs at 18.55 with one century 103 not out versus Eden Roskill in the 1985/86 season, Bowling he took 141 wickets at 23.06 with three 6 wicket bags with a best of 8 for 76 versus Howick Pakuranga in the 1984/85 season. And 28 catches.

For the Club Braze won many awards including the W M Wallace Salva for most runs 551 in 1982/83 and the J A Foresman Cup for most wickets three times 1984/85, 1985/86, and 1987/88.

Braze was selected for the NZ Secondary Schools side in 1978/79, a team that had five future Blackcaps, Trevor Franklin, Martin Crowe, Rod Latham, David White, and Gary Robertson. Braze was 4th in the batting averages with Martin Crowe 5th.

Braze played in many Auckland Age group and Auckland A teams where he scored 1 century and took a hatrick.

Editorial – Ashley Court

Q: Just your second season as a coach and you win two trophies - now you have had a few months to reflect on the season you must take great pride in the performances of the team?

Absolutely, it's been really rewarding. I do feel incredibly proud of what the team achieved last season. Winning two trophies in just our second year together was a real testament to the hard work and commitment the players brought each week. It was a special group, and to see their growth throughout the season was something to be proud of.

Q: What were the keys to the success overall?

I think a key was being a tight unit both on and off the field, with a strong emphasis on team culture. Trainings were always super competitive because everyone wanted to earn their spot. Missing out on the championship by losing the final game last season also gave us extra motivation and really drove our success this season.

Q: Any particular focuses for each of the formats that helped you succeed?

In the two-day format, our focus was to bat 70 overs first innings – we felt that if we could manage this, we would be in a good position to win the game. In the white ball format, our main focus was to be the best team in the competition for fielding. If we could save 15/20 runs in the field, it felt like a huge advantage. Also, with bowling, we aimed to keep extras down to a minimum. We managed to do this consistently, which was beneficial.

Q: In the T20 competition there was a real focus on giving school age players opportunities - what were the goals of that format and how well do you think you achieved those?

Our goal with the T20 competition was to provide school-age players with experience in senior men's cricket - giving them a taste of what the next step looks like. In total, 11 players got the opportunity to play and test their skills. Overall, I was really pleased with how the campaign went — we won two games and narrowly lost to Cornwall. I believe the team gained valuable match experience that will benefit them in future years.

Q: Away from cricket you had some huge changes in life - a big addition to the family and a move to Hamilton how did you manage all of that through the season?

Yeah, it's been full on with the arrival of my beautiful daughter, who came earlier than expected, which meant I missed the last day of the season when we were crowned two-day champs. I was gutted to miss it, but of course, I wouldn't have missed the birth for anything! We built a house in Hamilton and moved down in November last year which has been great but does require a bit of driving to and from cricket!

Q: As mentioned, it was just your second year of coaching at Parnell. What is the background in how you ended up at Parnell and what prompted the move into coaching?

I moved to New Zealand in 2021 and lived near Parnell, which sparked my interest in getting involved with the club. I played for two seasons before stepping into a player-coach role for the 2023/2024 season. I've always had a strong passion for cricket and really enjoy the challenges and all aspects of coaching. It was an easy transition — one I'm really enjoying.

Do you have any particular coaching philosophies that drive your work with your teams?

I wouldn't say I follow one set coaching philosophy, but there are a few key principles that guide the way I work with teams. I focus on creating an environment where players enjoy their cricket, because when people are enjoying the game, they're more likely to learn and perform at their best. I also place a big emphasis on doing the basics well and being consistent in our approach. Ultimately, my goal is to help players grow in confidence, develop their skills, and contribute to a strong, positive team culture.

You have a new challenge this year moving up to coach the premier reserves team - what learnings are you taking into this role and what are some of your goals for the season?

One of my main goals for this season is to win a trophy. The Reserves have made numerous finals and I'd love to be able to help get them over the line again. If we are competing well in all 3 competitions, I'd take that as a success too. Learnings wise, I think it would be just to be patient, back the squad and to not panic if things aren't going our way. It's a long season that will always have ups and downs.



Parnell Kings – 2024/25 Season Report

First and foremost, we'd like to express our gratitude for your continued support throughout the 2024/25 season. It was a memorable journey for Parnell Kings, filled with many highs and valuable lessons.

Season Overview:

The season kicked off on a positive note under our new captain, Manikandan, who brought great energy and leadership starting from the practice games. In the first half, we had an outstanding run – finishing as Minor Champions, winning 5 out of 9 matches, and losing 3 with 1 game washed out. The team was disciplined and lost some very close games. We finished 3rd in the table and with a win in the last round could have finished top of the table.



Liam Denny

Right-arm medium / right-hand batsman / Kings College. Liam had been a standout junior coming through the ranks at Parnell which led to him becoming a key player in the Kings College first XI for a number of seasons. Liam made his premier debut at Takapuna and scored some crucial lower order runs in what we think will be the first of many premier appearances.

Morgan Tapper

Right-hand batsman / Kings College. Tapper, Grandson of PCC legend Ross Morgan, is another former captain of Kings College who, like Solomon and Liam, made his 50 over debut this season at Takapuna. A regular run scorer at school level Morgan has also developed a reputation as an excellent fielder which was on full display in this game.

Marco Alpe

Right-hand batsman/ Wicket-Keeper / Auckland Grammar School. Whilst still at school Marco made his premier debut in both the T20 and 50 over formats this year but it was in the premier reserves where he made the biggest statement scoring a mammoth 178 off 136 balls against Howick Pakuranga.

Harry Waite

Right-arm leg-spin / Auckland Grammar School. Harry made an immediate impact on his premier debut aged just 16 taking a wicket with his first ball in premier cricket. In that game Harry went on to take the incredible figures of 3/7 from his 4 overs in the T20 against Grafton.



The second half of the season proved more challenging. We finished 4th out of 10, with 4 wins and 5 losses. We celebrated 4 milestones with 100s by Ulaganathan vs Aisc Super kings and Roopesh vs ECC NICS and 5fers from Vaidy vs Gujarat Lions and Karthik vs Waitakere Thunder Blues.

A mix of tough competition, player injuries, and travel commitments affected consistency. Despite the setbacks, the team showed great character.

Appreciation:

We would like to sincerely thank Mark and Steve for their constant support, quick communication, and always being there for the team – on and off the field. Your leadership and advocacy with Auckland Cricket have made a big difference for us.

Parnell Kings

Team Titans – 2024/25 Season Report

The 2024/25 season was a memorable and eventful journey for Team Titans, filled with many highs and valuable lessons.

Season Overview:

The season kicked off on a positive note under our new captain, Krishnan Venkatraman, who brought great energy and leadership starting from the practice games. In the first half, we had an outstanding run – finishing as Minor Champions, winning 7 out of 9 matches, and losing just one. The team was disciplined, often wrapping up games early. We also celebrated our first centuries in three seasons, scored by Panthjeet and Karthik Rajendran, which were major milestones.

The second half of the season proved more challenging. We finished 6th out of 10, with 4 wins and 5 losses, narrowly avoiding relegation. A mix of tough competition, player injuries, and travel commitments affected consistency. Despite the setbacks, the team showed great character. One of the toughest moments was in Major Championship Game 2, where we scored 261 but unfortunately lost. Still, our bowling unit remained a strong highlight throughout the season.

Appreciation:

We would like to sincerely thank Mark and Steve for their constant support, quick communication, and always being there for the team – on and off the field. Your leadership and advocacy with Auckland Cricket have made a big difference for us. A special mention to the Parnell social media team – the playing XI posts each week were a fantastic initiative that boosted player morale and gave us a platform to thank our sponsors. Despite the ups and downs, this season was a big step forward for the Titans. We're proud of the progress, the team spirit, and the memories made.

Team Titans

Editorial – Craig Presland – 20 years of junior coaching at Parnell CC

The 2024/25 season marked 20 years since Craig Presland began coaching juniors at Parnell CC with this being his last. Craig's journey at PCC began with his eldest son Matt however it was club legend Bryan Haggitt who recruited Craig to the club initially:

"We were tossing up between Parnell and Cornwall and thankfully made the right decision after discussing with Haggo. Matthew had just turned 5 and two years later Daniel started playing. They were in the same team with Matt staying back a year and Dan playing up. They played in the same team for a couple more years before Matt went to afternoon cricket."

Saturday's suddenly became very busy for Craig, with his sons often playing in different parts of Auckland, but he has fond memories of Dan's team in particular for their on-field success:

"His team won four consecutive 'Blue Ribbons' which signified an ACA Championship. Alongside Dan there was Max Chaplin and Charles Wilkes who both went on to play prems for Parnell, Harry Sinclair, who plays premier cricket now in Christchurch and some other really talented players such as Seb MacDonald, Ben Blincoe, Will McLaughlin, Tom and Will King. Those were great days if not a little hectic. Dan would be playing in the morning and soon as he would finish we would pack up the car and head to Matt's game starting 30 minutes later."



Craig's coaching journey continued at St Kents when Daniel was selected in the Colts team at Y9 before taking a break to focus on his role of chairman of Parnell CC. However six years later Craig was back on the fields of Shore Road in a coaching capacity when his Grandson Malakai took up cricket for the first time:

"It was great to get back involved after some time away and really enjoyed seeing Malakai take up the game in Y2 and Y3. I loved working with his team – so much so that when his family moved up to Whangarei I continued coaching the side. The team had a great manager in Bella Bowkett, a fantastic group of parents and kids and I really felt like it was a way that I could give back to the game."

That sense of giving back is something Craig would like to see continue as players retire from cricket:

"For me as a cricketer I just remember how many people helped me along the way. I got a lot of great coaching but also a lot of support in a number of ways as I was growing as a player. People invested a lot in me and I feel I needed to do the same for others. Unfortunately I'm not seeing as much of that now as once players are finished with their career they are often lost to the game. Most coaches are parents who are helping out and doing a great job volunteering their time, however it would be good to see them get more support from former players who could offer a lot through their playing experiences."

After calling stumps on a 20-year coaching career Craig has the following advice for fellow coaches and volunteers:

Parnell CC 'Future Peaches' Academy – Alumni

The Hedley Howarth Trophy is generally considered the toughest competition to win in club cricket throughout New Zealand. The top eight teams in the Auckland premier competition battle it out over the season with teams competing for first innings and outright points with the competition often coming down to the wire on the final day of the season. Whilst Parnell CC has been a regular winner of trophies, the Hedley Howarth was one which has, at times proved elusive with the club having won only two in the last 35 years before the 2024/25 season. However for academy graduate Pawan Kharel he might wonder what all the fuss is about. Handed his premier debut on the final day of the 2024/25 season the left handed batsman from Auckland Grammar School was part of the team that won the prestigious trophy with his two catches proving crucial as the Parnell attack bowled Suburbs New Lynn out twice to set up victory.

Kharel, in his first year out of school, had four former academy players in the team with him lifting the trophy. Daniel Presland, Harry Cullen-Hieatt and James Nelson winning their first Hedley Howarth Trophy as members of the premier team whilst Nikith Perera claimed his second winners medal however this was the first time being able to lift the trophy given the initial success came when Auckland went into a lockdown meaning the trophy was not presented to Parnell at the time.



Over the season six academy players all made their premier debuts with all six contributing to victories:

Pawan Kharel

Left-handed batsman / Auckland Grammar School. Kharel had represented Auckland U19s during the 2024/25 season and had scored big runs in the premier reserves before his call up for the final day of the season.

Solomon Nash

Right-arm pace bowler / right-hand batsman / St Paul's. Nash debuted in both the T20 and 50 over formats this year. Whilst known for accuracy with the ball it was a quick-fire 20 with the bat on his Jeff Crowe Cup debut at Takapuna which helped the premier side achieve a winning total.

We continue to run the Players Sports winter academies and I think there is a direct correlation to the success of our JTS program, and seeing so many PCC players representing college teams right into 1st 11s across Auckland. The program has received very positive feedback over the winter and we thank Ian West, Callum McCarthy Keerthi De Silva, for their contribution as coaches to the success of this program. This will be run again over the winter months - registrations are open and available through the website. If you do have any questions please ask any one of us at the end.

I wanted to acknowledge our volunteers in which there is no way we would be able to run the grades and season, the grade coordinators – these people provide the glue in which our grades operate, a very big thanks you to the following

· Annick Larkin



· Asher Williams

· Nick Smeeton

· Tom Rutledge

· Deahna Barrington

A special mention to Asher Williams who has now finished his time within the junior club, thank you Asher for an amazing contribution and we look forward to your role carrying through into the youth “Summer Series” program.

To Steve Hurdley, Steve really is the face of our junior cricket and does a tremendous job in coordinating and making the season run as smoothly as possible

To Mark Hooper - Mark has completed his first season for PCC and has done a fantastic job in leading the club. A big thank you to Mark for his tireless contribution

We thank you for your support of the Raffle, the raffle is an important actually vital part of our clubs fund raising activities and is very important to maintain the clubs financial position. The club raised approx. \$15k from this program and it allows us to focus on providing great coaching and facilities that our club is able to provide.

The future remains bright for our junior and youth members and we are already eagerly anticipating the beginning of the new 2024/25 cricket season beginning.

1. Coaching our younger ones is a privilege, inspire them to love the game.
2. You will meet some great people when coaching their children.
3. Always make it fun.
4. Balance is better (no need to specialise too soon).
5. The more you put in as a Coach, the more you will get out in terms of satisfaction and results.
6. Give every player a decent go (rotate batting and bowling orders when they get to play hard ball).
7. Stamp out nepotism from parents, especially when players get older.
8. Rep stuff is important but there needs to be fair trials and selections, clear communications.
9. Every good Team Coach needs a good Team Manager.
10. Communicate with all parents, week by week, directly or via the Team Manager (WhatsApp works well).
11. Involve all parents in some way (umpiring, scoring, throw downs, providing tents etc) and seek feedback from them.
12. Teach the Spirit of Cricket (sportsmanship, camaraderie, teamwork etc), as well as the game itself (batting, bowling, fielding).
13. Boys need great role models, as Team Coach always be one of these.
14. Respect the opposition, no negative comments.
15. Celebrate successes and always appreciate support from others, including umpires and scorers.
16. Winning ACA titles is great but having all your players coming back again next season, enthusiastic, is even better.
17. Attending tournaments like the Hawkes Bay Cricket Camps in January is a lot of fun for players and parents.
18. Keep in touch with players as they head to secondary school, make sure your club stays connected with them too.
19. We need a lot more former players volunteering as coaches showing our younger ones, and their parents, the game and how it should be played.
20. Enjoy every moment, the years go by so fast, my first Year 1 training at Shore Rd 20 years ago seems like yesterday...

“Thanks to Parnell CC, St Kents, parents, and all others involved for their support over the years. I have so many great memories”



Junior Chairman Report – Gareth McCullough

We have had a very good season in both participation across all levels seeing an uplift in membership against previous years, our Friday night festivals continue to grow and be a great part of the cricketing weekend for our members. I have seen a lot of happy players across the cricket fields over the season and our JTS rep program has had our best result for some time.

As a club our purpose is very clear “to develop a lifelong love of cricket” and after a great season of good weather, lots of smiling faces today is a great opportunity to acknowledge the great performances of our junior members

We also acknowledge our U13 members who played their last games of Saturday cricket as junior members where they now transition to college cricket but as we have said to them it is not goodbye as we hope to see them back for the winter academies and Summer Series cricket for the players over their college years. We will be watching with interest as to how their cricket progresses.

We equally want to thank the fantastic support from our sponsors who make a significant and important contribution to the club

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And equally important I wanted to acknowledge you all the players and parents for making this a great season. Kids please give your parents a very large clap for their contribution in supporting you in every way over the season

Highlights for the season:

· We have had minimal interruptions, enough rain to keep things green but not interrupt too much cricket, in fact I would almost be bold to say we are happy with the weather this year.

· Participation across all levels have continued to see an uplift in membership against previous years,

· We had three players named in the AK U19 team Pawan Kharel, Harry Waite, Marco Alpe and Oli Kittle, Tom Nelson, George Fraser and Luis Kerrigan in the AK U17's



· With absolute delight we also acknowledge that we had 5 Future peaches academy players play for the premier team this season with the highlight being these players were part of the team that lifted the Hedley Howarth Trophy as AK Champions in the two-day competition.

· Our Friday night festivals have continued to grow from strength to strength for junior grades, I have seen a lot of happy players across the cricket fields over the season

· And our JTS rep program continues to deliver very promising development of our representative players.

We continue to be proud to have modern facilities that our clubrooms provide and we are delighted to see so many people make full use of this facility, particularly on a Friday night at the junior grades 1-4. Seeing the social aspect of these evenings was really great to see. We had kids enjoying cricket and parents being able to utilise the clubhouse, bean bags and we want to see more of this to become a strong part of our community.

The JTS series wasn't what we wanted this year having the fixtures over long weekends and we will continue to provide feedback for an improvement in this important series.