

Central



News

Simpson Reserve, Fewster Road, Hampton, 3188

GRAND FINAL SHOWDOWN

“Cheer, Cheer the Good Ol Two Blues”

With a chance to make history, our First XI stands ready and confident to knock off local rival East Sandringham Boys Club in the Longmuir Shield Grand Final.

Following our last hour failure in the Second Semi Final versus East Sandy, our Team bounced back against Mackie in last weekend's Preliminary Final. With the grit shown in our last match, as well as throughout the year, a successful Grand Final beckons.

Inspired bowling and consistent batting has delivered us a Grand Final spot. Together with solid fielding we have the makings of a Premiership Team. Our Club in its 72nd year has never won a Longmuir Shield, the premier grade in the local competition.

With the commitment and fortitude shown already this year we will leave nothing to spare in our pursuit. The Grand Final will be at East Sandy's home ground Chisholm Reserve (Duncan Street), commencing at 1pm this Saturday and Sunday. The Club encourages all Club members and Families to venture down and help support our boys.

Along with the great form of our First XI, the Under 14B Saturday Team is also contesting a Grand Final this weekend. With a great winning record during the season, our U14s won a direct path to the Grand Final. The team is well-prepared and keen to finish on a high.

The game is scheduled for our home ground, Simpson Reserve, commencing at 8.30am. Again all support would be appreciated

Our Old Elizabethan's Connection

Adding to the great atmosphere around the Club during the past years has been the ongoing relationship with English Cricket Club Old Elizabethans. This year we have Sam Schofield, Dave Phillips and Jamie Boyle with us over the Summer. All have contributed to the Club during the year and many great friendships have been formed. One OE's old boy who has found Centrals and Australia too attractive is Darren Clark – now a



“Dinky Di” aussie cricketer with bush hat!

Pictured (left to right) is Sam Schofield, Darren Clark, Dave Phillips, Steve May (Club Coach) and Jamie Boyle (left to right).

Coming Events

In order to avoid disappointment, please mark the following Club events in your diary:

Senior Presentation Night – Saturday 29th March 2008, Sandy Masonic Hall. Live entertainment including Band and Club acts, 7 PM arrival for 7.30 start. Please let Senior Committee know if you can attend.

Junior Presentation Night – Friday 28th March 2008, Clubrooms with BBQ Dinner, 6.15 PM arrival for 6.30 start.

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First XI Finals Results

Second Semi Final

ESBC 9/271 Defeated HCCC 265.

C. Amooore 85, C. Dwyer 73, C. McGregor 66,
A. Warry 4/47, S. May 3/93, S. Blick 2/91.

Preliminary Final

HCCC 8/192 Defeated Mackie 190.

S. May 5/40, S. Blick 2/6, C. McGregor 20, C. Dwyer 71,
J. Waisberg 29, S. May 43, S. Anderson 12 – winning runs!

Under 14B Finals Results

Second Semi Final

HCCC 5/78 Defeated Bentleigh 75

L. Everson 3/12, L. Hay 2/13, J. Massey 25, J. Gee 17.

New Senior Recruits to Hampton Central

New players to the Club this year:

Joe Galati – Unconventional realtor, not afraid to wear one for the Club.

Frank Carbone – Slick ex-Sainter, with only tight hamstrings holding him back.

Louie Nardella – Quick bowler just starting to mature in Two-Blue colours.

Junior News

First Semi Final Result

Saturday U12C West 8/169 lost to Sth Melb istricts 4/179. Well done, a great result to reach finals. Bigger and better things to come.

Out and About with the Centrals – WILKO TURNS 40



Wilko and wife Angie with our English mates Showy, Dave and Boylie.

Congratulations to Ian “Wilko” Wilkinson who turned 40 recently. Along with family and friends, many Club members attended Wilko’s Birthday celebration at Prince Alfred in Richmond. A great day was had by all.

Wilko has been our long-serving Treasurer for five years and manages to balance the books for NAB, home and the Club.

Well done Wilko, I’m sure you will lead the Flying Forties Club for many years yet.

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