

The Third Man's Report

Check out our web site

Have a look at the Baulko web site. All the news about club events, fixtures, results, ladders etc are all available at the following web site – www.baulkocricicket.com.au The site will be updated regularly, and the club history is being added to as time permits.

There have been some changes to the committee this season. You can find a list of the committee members on the website.

To see your team's results, go to www.baulkhamhills.nsw.cricket.com.au, select 'Team Results' then select your team (grade). For details of your team's draw select "Fixtures". For the progressive points ladder select "Ladders".

To all Captains, Coaches and Managers

Match Results

All match results must be uploaded onto the www.baulkhamhills.nsw.cricket.com.au website by 12 noon Sunday **following the conclusion of each game**. A brief message stating the match result should also be emailed to results@baulkocricicket.com.au, together with a short list of outstanding performances. If no results are submitted you get **NO POINTS and your team may be fined!** It is up to you to get the results in on time – the club will not chase you. Please ensure all details are entered correctly, as both teams must agree on the submitted match result.

Team Reports

Team reports for this newsletter can be put in the box at the Club or emailed to owzatt@baulkocricicket.com.au by Tuesday night after the game. Newsletters will be published during the week after a game.

Team Performances

B1	297	13/2	8/156
B4	1/122	U10 Red	1/104 (52 Average)

Individual Achievements

T Gurka	A	84	A Balakrishnan	16/1A	26*
A Denlow	A	43	A Singh	16/1A	4/3
T Hession	A	3/37	I Shekker	16/1A	3/9
E Platt	A	3/46	M McKenna	16/1B	4/19
A Shearman	B1	87	C Jarvis	16/2	40 & 4/17
J Currey	B1	78	G Sivapalan	16/2	2/4
T Lockhart	B2	5/30	M Bellam	13/1	36*
D Chatman	B4	57*	C Blinman	13/1	31
W Koski	B4	33*	M Hinds	13/1	3/12
O Fernando	B4	3/16	M Devakumar	13/2	86*
R Deane	B7	4/47	R Misra	13/2	3/3
R McInerney	B7	2/41	J Cramer	13/2	3/6
A Thomas	B9	56	J Farrell	12/1	62 & 2/4
J Cutler	B9	2/33	L Jerome	12/1	39*
I Renton	B10	81	R O'Hare	12/1	3/7
M Gosling	B10	45	L Clark	12/2	39*
A Fahey	B10	4/34	F Robertson	12/2	38
G Stevens	B10	3/7 & 2/17	J Bartlett	12/2	3/8
A Khan	B12	45	D Dhaliwal	11/1	28*
R Trivedi	B12	41	L Palaster	11/2B	47
M Rajendram	B12	38 & 6/54	G Quinn	11/2B	32
R Young	B13	76*	A Mujtaba	U10 Red	2/2
J Camilliri	B13	58	A Anpalagian	U10 Red	11 & 1/5
C Millgate	B13	8/25 & 3/16	A Kumarage	U10 Red	10
J Day	B14	42	H Sutherland	U10 White	10* & 2/3
H Houghton	B14	3/6	M Blinman	U10 White	5* & 1/2

Team Rosters

Canteen Roster – Ted Horwood Oval

Teams are reminded to have people available to man the canteen at Ted Horwood Reserve. The canteens raise valuable funds for our club, which help us to keep the fees down. This season's canteen duty roster is listed below.

DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON
September 11	B9	16/1A
September 18	B10	16/2
September 25	B2	15/2
October 2	No junior games	16/1B
October 9	B11	15/1
October 16	B12	14/1
October 23	B14	14/3
October 30	B4	13/1
November 6	A Grade	13/2
November 13	B13	12/1
November 20	B1	12/2
November 27	B7	11/1
December 4	B8	11/2A
December 11	B9	11/2B
December 18	B10	10 Red
January 8	No junior games	16/1A
January 15	No junior games	15/1
January 22	B4	10 White
January 29	B2	16/2
February 5	B1	16/1B
February 12	B7	15/2
February 19	B8	14/1
February 26	B11	14/3
March 5	A Grade	13/1
March 12	B13	13/2
March 19 (Sat)	B14	12/1
March 20 (Sun)	B12	12/2
March 26 (Sat)	10 Red	11/1
March 27 (Sun)	10 White	11/2A & 11/2B

AM Canteen Duty

DUTY: FROM 8.20 TO 12.00

COLLECTION OF KEYS:

Canteen Coordinator will phone in week prior to organise

RETURN CASH TIN & KEYS TO SPORTS CLUB FRONT DESK

PM Canteen Duty

DUTY: 1.15M TO 6.00 PM

COLLECT KEYS & CASH TIN FROM SPORTS CLUB FRONT DESK

RETURN CASH TIN & KEYS TO SPORTS CLUB FRONT DESK

Team Rosters

Meat Raffle Roster

The following teams have been rostered to sell tickets for the Saturday Night Raffle, to be held back at the club after the game. Please make every effort to ensure your team helps out in this important fundraiser for the club.

This season the raffles are only being held on the first week of every senior game. Ticket sales are to start by 6:30pm.

DATE	TEAM
September 11	B1
September 25	B7
October 9	B8
October 23	B10
November 6	B12
November 20	A Grade
December 4	B14
January 22	B11
February 5	B2
February 19	B13
March 5	B4
March 19 (Sat)	B9

in2CRICKET Roster – Charles McLaughlin Oval

To help out with the in2CRICKET (formerly Have-A-Go) clinic, senior teams have been rostered to provide 4 players to one of the sessions. Please make every effort to ensure your team helps out in this important junior development opportunity.

The clinic is held on Friday nights at Charles McLaughlin Oval. The sessions run from 6:00pm to 7:30pm.

DATE	TEAM
September 17	B13/B14
September 24	B12
October 1	Not Held
October 8	B9
October 15	A Grade
October 22	B4
October 29	B2
November 5	B10
November 12	B7
November 19	B8
November 26	B11
December 3	B1

Fridays from 6.00pm to 7.30pm

4 players required to assist with running program

Should a night be washed out, the duty will be rescheduled

The President's Roundup

The season is now in full swing, with rounds 1 & 2 completed, the school holidays over & In2Cricket running well.

Round 4 will see the turf pitch at Charles McLaughlin Reserve back in operation & we hope it plays well for the rest of the season.

Congratulations to all Baulko players who have been selected in the PDCA NSW DCA rep teams.

All teams must enter full scoresheets on the website this year. Make sure you enter yours ASAP. If you need assistance, contact Rick Thomas (webmaster@baulkocricket.com.au).

We have been approached by Westfield North Rocks, who are looking to be involved with local Sports Clubs. As part of their sponsorship, they will provide us with gift cards for the Centre. The committee have decided to implement awards for juniors called "The Spirit of Cricket Awards". These will be for players who play the game in the right spirit – be it great team spirit, dedication to the team, great sportsmanship – not just great performances alone. The first two winners are Rhys George (U10 Red) & Mayuran Devakumar (U13/2). Well done guys! Managers should get their nominations in to our Junior Secretary Phil Waddups at the completion of each round. Thanks to Westfield North Rocks for their support!

Two ex Baulko juniors continue to excel in their careers. Sean Abbott has been selected in the 13 player squads for NSW Sheffield Shield & One Day teams. Sean has made great progress and we hope he makes his debut soon. Could he play in the one dayer at Hurstville Oval on Sunday 17 October?

Nick Bertus made 147 in 2nd grade for Parramatta in Round 1 of grade cricket and then played 1st grade in the one dayer for Parramatta. Nick also continues to make great progress.

Don't forget our meat raffles and members badge draw on the first Saturday of each senior round. Get back to the Sporto for a chance to win. To register for the badge draw, contact Secretary Sally Rich with your name and club membership number or email your details to badgedraw@baulkocricket.com.au.

Our Baulko website has lots of information & is constantly updated by webmaster Rick Thomas. Have a look at www.baulkocricket.com.au. Our website also has a link to the new PDCA website, (<http://pdca.nsw.cricket.com.au>), where results, tables and scoresheets can be viewed.

Our next monthly meeting is on Monday 1 November at 8pm at the Sports Club. Please make sure each team is represented.

Peter McLoughlin
President

Match Results and Reports

10 Red	2 for 104 (Ave 52)	Kings Langley	4 for 60 (Ave 12)	Win on averages
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Round 2 was played against Kings Langley at our home ground of Charles McLaughlin. Our captain for the day Ayush Deshpande won the toss and elected to bowl first. Sudaraka took a great catch early on and Anas ran out a batsman with a direct hit from mid field. Anas took 2 for 2, Aaruran 1 for 5 and Sudaraka 1 for 1 with the rest of the team only bowling 1 over each as our opponents were batting 4 short. Our 13th and 14th man for the day were Apalak and Aniruddh who both happily substituted in the field and were well part of the action even though they couldn't bat or bowl. We held Kings Langley to 4 for 60 off 16 overs with an average of 12.

Our batting started well with Nuran hitting 1 of 11 fours the team would produce for the innings. Our performers with the bat this week were Aaruran (11), Ayusche K (10), Rahul (8), Rhys (8) and Anas and Sudaraka both making 5. The other batsmen were a little frustrated with quite a few no balls making it hard to score from. Our actual score was 5 for 111 off 24 but after a recount due to the other team being short we finished with 2 for 104, an average of 52.

An important point to note from the game is that by the time we batted, the opposition had 9 players and we helped them out with some fielders in the field. The boys did this willingly and played with the opposition in the very best spirit possible. Well done.

So that's 2 wins from 2 starts, which is a fine way to start a cricketing career.

Lance Islip
Coach U10 RED

10 White	7 for 83 (Ave 11.86)	Rouse Hill Rams	9 for 47 (Ave 5.22)	Win on averages
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Another win for the Baulko boys sees them starting out on an undefeated winning streak of two from two. Once again all boys played well and the team is starting to settle in together now that the boys are getting to know each other.

Another one day game meant the boys could once again bat and bowl giving them a chance to show off the improvements gained from training. All boys are now confidently hitting the ball (when getting a good ball to hit) with several also starting to compile impressive scores from their allotted deliveries. Harry had a good game with the bat scoring 10 runs, as did Michael who scored 5 runs.

Our bowling continues to improve with most boys now bowling on the pitch most deliveries. With further training this will continue to improve and will make it even harder for our opposition to score. Once again, Harry had a good go with the ball getting two wickets for just three runs, as did Michael who picked up one wicket for five runs.

Keep up the good work boys.

11/2B	5 for 145	Baulkham Hills A	9 for 60	First Innings Win
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The boys were excited to play a one dayer especially against another Baulko team.

Rufus won the toss and chose to bat with Lachy P and Matt setting a great foundation for a big score with some great batting, followed by some great running between the wickets from Tushar. Rufus scored quickly with some big hitting while Sam was crafty. Cameron and Lachy B held up the end of the innings and we finished with a great score of 5/145 from our 31 overs. A special mention to Lachy P scoring a great 47 runs in a classy innings.

It was now a test for our bowling to defend such a total and an improvement from last week was really needed. All the boys really applied themselves and all took wickets, with some super catches and brilliant run outs and totally enjoyed the cricket experience. We restricted the other under 11 team to 9/60 and all the boys can be proud of their efforts today.

11/2A	9 for 60	Baulkham Hills B	5 for 145	First Innings Loss
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No report submitted.

11/1	5 for 110	Seven Hills RSL	4 for 113	First Innings Loss
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This was a very close and exciting game with Baulko needing 9 runs off the last over and only just falling short by 3 runs. Baulko won the toss and sent Seven Hills into bat. We got off to a good start when Luke bowled one of the openers in his second over. However the Seven Hills batsmen dug in and started to score freely with their next 2 batsman both retiring on reaching 25 runs. Baulko came back well taking 3 more wickets and restricting their score to 113 runs of their 31 overs. Bowlers to take wickets were Luke (1 for 6), Soham (2 for 12), Ryan (1 for 6) and Regan (1 for 9). Catches were taken by

Luke, Harrison K, Harrison B and Regan.

Baulko's turn to bat and we got off to good start with Armaan and Cameron putting on a 17 run opening partnership. At the drinks break we were 2 for 50 and well positioned to reach the 113 run target. Some accurate bowling from Seven Hills made runs hard to get and in the end our batsmen only just failed to reach our target. Batsmen to do well were Armaan (28 retired), Harrison K (17), Soham (13) and Harrison B (10).

The player of the match was Armaan for his 28 retired.

12/2	6 for 113	Winston Hills	8 for 133	First Innings Loss
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The weather was good for a cricket match & a pretty good One Day game of cricket was played by both teams.

We lost the toss & bowled first, but the guys didn't seem to mind too much as they were all still talking about their strong bowling performances from their previous week's game. One of the opposition openers was proving difficult to dislodge, although he did offer us about 2 chances which we couldn't capitalise on – he finally retired on 53. In frustration we bowled off line, bowling 5½ overs at them in extras which meant when we were up at bat we only had 27 overs to get our runs in. Winston Hills ended up scoring 100 runs off the bat with an Extras total of 33, giving us a total of 133 to chase.

And chase we did... We managed to bat steadily with just about everybody who faced making some contribution to our score, inching us ever closer. At Stumps we weren't far off, we had scored 93 runs off our bats & they only conceded 20 in Extras, giving us a total of 113...

Another good game by the guys to go to the holiday break with...

12/1	1 for 136	AKA Crusaders	7 for 65	First Innings Win
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Baulkham Hills batted first on a dry fast ground and took advantage of all opportunities for quick runs and misfields including running a four, ending up with a total of 1/136. Jimmy and Luke held their ground until the 27th over when Jimmy was caught for a high score of 62. Aidan came in and scored a quick 13 off 13 balls and Luke finished with a total of 39 not out. Bowlers kept runs to a minimum and patiently waited for an edge to Stephen off Malachi to take the first wicket. A New Recruit for our side Ryan took 3/7 off 2 overs on debut to top the bowlers for the day. AKA Cusaders held their ground for 31 overs but only managed a total of 7/65 giving Baulkham Hills a big win. Well Done.

13/2	8 for 156	Wenty Leagues	9 for 76	First Innings Win
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After the disappointment of having no match played in round 1, due to the opposition team pulling out of competition, our boys were raring to go in round 2 match with Wenty Leagues.

Baulko won the toss in a beautiful spring Saturday and elected to bat first. Mayuran and Ritwick opened the batting, before Ritwick got out early for 9. Before long, Joshua who was playing beautifully got out for 8.

Mayuran was starting to establish himself in the crease with the new batsman Viresh. Both put up a partnership of 50 runs before Viresh got out for well made 17. With only 11 overs left Mayuran opened up with a brilliant 86 no with 15 boundaries. He was at his element with some exquisite shots. It is a shame he could not get to his 100. Baulko eventually made 156 for the loss of 8 wickets in the allotted 31 overs.

Boys were in high spirits with such a good score to defend when Wenty came in. Ritwick opened bowling with great accuracy and speed, and before long Wenty were reeling at 3 wickets down for just 7 runs with Ritwick accounting for all 3 wickets. His figures at the end of the innings were 3 wickets for 3 runs with 3 maidens.

Joshua with his left arm swing bowling accounted for 3 more wickets (3 for 7) with Saad accounting for 2 (2 for 5). With some solid support bowling from Dinesh, Viresh, Taylor, Yuvin and Aniket and some great fielding by our lads, Wenty were bowled out for 76.

It was a great win first up. Even though there are few issues with extras and some middle order batting, the team is looking good for the next round

Ganesh
U13/2 Manager

13/1	5 for 125	Winston Hills	6 for 103	First Innings Win
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Finally we get to play our first game of the season. Everyone was keen to play and the one-dayer giving us chance to bat and bowl on the same day.

Although we lost the toss, we got to bat anyway but it wasn't long before our first wicket fell, James out for 2 in just the

second over. Matthew and Kapil, our two new players this season, were both nervous but set about a steady partnership, albeit at a slow scoring rate due to some fine bowling and fielding from Winston Hills. A few loose balls did come our way and Matthew had no hesitation hitting two of them for very big sixes. Our second wicket fell in the tenth over, Kapil out for 6 bringing Chris to the crease. Matthew was out soon after in the fifteenth over for 13 and with Chris now set, he and Brad started to get the total rolling. Brad was out in the twenty-second over for 5 with the score at 4 for 60. Michael then joined Chris in the middle and both boys took control putting on a run a ball partnership of 35 runs, boosting our score to 5/95 when Chris was caught on 31, trying to accelerate the scoring rate even further. A few more overs and our innings closed with Michael on 36 not out, helped along by a handy cameo of 12 not out from Daniel, our total 5/125 from 31 overs. A good recovery after a slowish start.

Winston Hills' innings started confidently and soon the runs were flowing steadily and at an ever increasing rate of 2, then 3 and then 4 runs per over without losing a wicket. Thankfully, James got the breakthrough in the fourteenth over and Winston Hills were 1/37. One over later though they were 1/55 thanks to three fours and a six – WOW (and poor Jason)! However, their burst of runs didn't last long as one over later it was 2/59 and then 3/60 in the next. Their run rate slowed and wickets started to come as our bowlers applied more and more pressure pegging them to 4/71 in the twenty-first, 5/74 in the twenty-second, 6/82 in the twenty-fifth and finally 6/103 at the close of their innings.

A little scare along the way but a good hard fought first up game saw Baulko victors and on the ladder with one win from one game. Keep up the winning ways guys, this competition is definitely going to be harder than last year.

14/3	5 for 132	Wenty Leagues	6 for 102	First Innings Win
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This match Francis won the toss and decided to bat. The openers, Aatitaan and James stayed at the crease for a 24 over partnership before both of their wickets fell in quick succession but not before scoring 51 and 42 respectively. The score progressed to 132 before the compulsory close.

All of the boys bowled and fielded well and limited the opposition (Wenty Leagues) to 102.

For their efforts, I awarded the boys a week off. See you after the holidays.

14/1	BYE	BYE
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Unfortunately Round 2 was BYE, so disappointingly there is nothing to report.

15/2	8 for 33	Kings Langley	1 for 35	First Innings Loss
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No report submitted.

15/1	10 for 91	Guildford Leagues	10 for 151	First Innings Loss
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I hope everyone enjoyed their first game of cricket for the season.

Don't worry about the loss. There were some great signs there that auger well for a very successful season. The new players in the team made some excellent contributions. For example, Jayden took 3-7 with his bowling, while Luke had the crowd on their feet with some powerful hitting before his innings came to a premature end on 17. Well done!

The big surprise of this match was the fast bowling of Joe McCrae. Joe has stepped up about 10 levels from last year and to say he terrorised Guildford's top order is an understatement. One for 22 didn't do his efforts justice.

Ishmam and Amar looked good at the top of the order before Amar got an unlucky LBW decision. Michael looked like he was in good touch with a patient 27 before sacrificing his wicket for the team as he tried to lift the scoring rate.

Our ground fielding was brilliant. The best I've seen from this team. However, while Bryce put in an early claim for catch of the season, our big weakness was that our catching on the whole let us down and that is why we lost. As they say, catches win matches, but hey, it was only our first game and we'll only get better.

16/2	8 for 136	Pendle Hill Colts	9 for 128	First Innings Win
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No report submitted.

16/1B	6 for 94	Pendle Hill Colts	10 for 91	First Innings Win
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No report submitted.

16/1A	3 for 57	Kings Langley	10 for 56	First Innings Win
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No report submitted.

B14	10 for 141	Kings Langley	8 for 210	First Innings Loss
No report submitted.				
B13	10 for 166	Kings Langley	10 for 57 & 4 for 49	First Innings Win
No report submitted.				
B12	10 for 221	Kings Langley	10 for 154	First Innings Win
No report submitted.				
B11		BYE		BYE
Unfortunately Round 2 was BYE, so disappointingly there is nothing to report.				
B10	9 for 204	Rouse Hill Rams	10 for 61 & 4 for 38	First Innings Win
No report submitted.				
B9	3 for 106	Rouse Hill Rams	9 for 148	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
B8	4 for 135	Wenty Leagues	7 for 255	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
B7	0 for 0	Wenty Leagues	8 for 201	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
B4	1 for 122	Wenty Waratahs	10 for 196	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
B2	0 for 0	Hills Barbarians	10 for 161	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
B1	10 for 297	Greystanes	1 for 56	Draw – Washed Out
No report submitted.				
A	10 for 219	Kings Langley	9 for 220	First Innings Loss
No report submitted.				