



An early win

Guest writer Tim Hodson

The day started with Martini winning the toss. With Cuz, Timmsy and Ed all needing to leave early, the skipper decided to bowl first in hope to roll them quickly then make the runs and have an early day.

Ian opened with Luke and Sam. While Luke didn't get off to the best start with the ball, the same couldn't be said about Sammy taking the first wicket in his first over. The VHP opener taking a very premeditated swipe across the line to a straight one and losing his leg stump.

Sam then had VHP's leading run scorer caught behind in his second over with his figures at that stage of 2 for 0! He had a couple more opportunities to take wickets, but we struggled to hold onto our catches. The VHP batsmen struggled to score runs off Sam who bowled extremely well and ended up with the figures of 2/7 off his 6 overs.

Ian's first bowling change was to swap McLeod's. Luke wasn't having his best day with the ball having gone for 0/33 from his first 5 overs. Bungey didn't take long to get into the wickets taking one in his first over. The extra pace was too much the VHP number 3 who popped up the easiest catch to Hoddo in close on the leg side. Ian made another change bringing on Sanjay at the other end but Sanjay struggled with his line bowling a few wides and going for 11 off his 3 overs.

After some arguing between the McLeod brothers about some well placed late cut shots, the only VHP batsman to show some value in his wicket was next to go. A well disguised slower ball from Bungey had him popping the ball up on the leg side. Hoddo quickly put on the superman cape and took a nice diving catch, removing a few layers of skin from his elbow. The batsman seemed to stand there for a bit, bringing back memories of the first game, but he was shortly on his way.

Drinks was called shortly afterwards with VHP 4/67. Bungey continued bowling tight after drinks taking the next wicket in his 7th over with a good catch by Cuz in his first game with the gloves on. Hoddo bowling at the other end beat the number 5 with a complete lack of pace, bowling him for 3 with the score at 6/74. His next over had a dropped catch, then the number 8 LBW, then the number 9 caught next ball. He was on a hat-trick and the score was 8/77.

Bungey had bowled his 8 overs and had figures of 3/16 so Ian brought Luke back on to bowl the next over. Luke's objective was to take the last 2 wickets, leaving Hoddo stuck on a hat-trick. He bowled the number 10 with the 4th ball of his over, but couldn't take the last wicket. Everyone crept in for the hat-trick ball, which was thrown down the leg side. The batsman got a tiny bit of bat on it, unfortunately Cuz couldn't hold onto it. It only took a couple more balls before the batsman took a big mistimed swing and was well caught by Gopi at mid on. Hoddo with 4/11 from 5 and VHP all out for 80. They had lost their last 6 wickets for only 9 runs.

With Cuz, Ed and Timmsy all needing to leave early, they were asked to put on the pads with Martini hiding down the order, wanting to protect his average against VHP. Cuz and Ed opened the batting, both scoring runs quickly. Cuz looked good as always, hitting his first 4 scoring shots to the boundary. After Ed's first scoring shot for 2, he had enough of running smacking his next runs off a flat six over mid wicket. Ed copped a short ball on the forearm and struggled to hold the bat after that, but he pushed on until he was out caught for 15 with the score on 52.

Timmsy had already taken the pads off and been to the bar, so Hoddo was sent in and the pair went about scoring the remaining runs. Everything was going well until Vista needed 10 runs to win with Cuz needed 10 to bring up his 4th 50 of the season. Hoddo was on strike and with what can only be described as a completely selfish act, he deposited a short ball well into the carpark for 6, taking away Marc's chances of another 50. The next over saw Cuz hit his 9th boundary of his innings and bringing up the win in the 15th over leaving him on 44* and Hoddo on 17*.

A-Grade (LO 1A)
ROUND 16

Para Vista A 1/81

M Cossens 44*
T Hodson 17*

Defeated

VHP 80

T Hodson 4/11
J McLeod 3/16

B-Grade (LO 2)
ROUND 17

Para Vista B 94

B Starke 28

Defeated by

Craigmore "D" 236

P Peov 1/30



Home Loss Hurts

Guest writer Pierrot Peov

It was a hot day out at the Greenacres footy oval. We had won the toss and elected to bowl first.

O'Brien and Jackowiak opened the bowling. Both bowlers bowling well but the batter weren't giving any chances. Petersen then came in and relived Jackowiak after his 4th over. Zachoryj coming in to bowl after O'Briens 8th going for 0/45. After drinks it was Tretola's turn to bowl. Wanting to share the ball around, Ali came in to bowl after Zachoryj's 4th over. Tretola had 3 overs being replaced by Peov ending his spell on 0/28.

Peov claiming a wicket on his second over being hit just short of the boundary getting caught by Zachoryj. Peov bowled 2 more overs ending on 1/30.

Jackowiak back in the bowl another 2 overs which ended his spell 0/32. Relieved by Petersen. Ali finished up his spell 0/23. Zachoryj back in to Bowl another 3 overs ending the innings and his spell on 0/28. Petersen on 0/41. Leaving us to chase 236.

After the afternoon tea break, it was time to get down to business. With such a high score to chase, the team's main goal was to bat out the 40 overs.

Gardener starting off well hitting a 4 in his first over. Peov getting bowled facing his second delivery. A bad start with the team on 1/4 in the second over. Gardener followed soon after getting bowled in the 4th over leaving the team on 2/7.

Tretola went out firing but eventually spooned one up for a catch. The team now 3/10 in the 6th over. Scheiber was then in however after facing a few overs was bowled leaving the team on 4/16 in the 10th over. Next up was Petersen, hitting some big shots but eventually edged one up for a catch. The team now 5/27. We had Jackowiak and Zachoryj steady the ship with their partnership before Zachoryj was then unlucky with a fine edge finding its way into the keeper's glove. The team now on 6/48. Wilkin's in next and back out again after being bowled for a golden duck. Jackowiak then hit one out to square leg getting caught. The team now on 8/55 at drinks.

After drinks Starke and Ali were able to form a partnership. Ali got a couple good shots in before getting a nick to be caught behind. The team now on 9/87.

After a couple more overs Starke got out LBW after making 28 and leaving O'Brien 98 runs short of his century and ending the innings on 94.

Tough day for the B's in the field and batting. Guys tried their hardest but were just outplayed today.

Next Round
23rd Feb 2019

A Grade

Adelaide Warriors- Edward
Smith Reserve

B Grade

Eyre Royals- TBC



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Our next social event and biggest fundraiser is coming up

Feb 23- the annual quiz night.

We have some fantastic prizes on offer this year so please feel free to come along! The whole family is welcome!

Please advise of your attendance to one of the committee members or on the Facebook Event.

Don't forget your raffle book!!!

All books must be returned to Scott Brown this weekend! If you have yours you can bring to the game this week or better still- the Quiz night Saturday night!

End of Season Presentation night.

**March 23rd at 19:30
Being held at the shed**

Please indicate your attendance preference via the event on Facebook or advise a member of the committee.



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Past Players Day

We may no longer be in the churches association and there are changes on the horizon but we will never neglect our history. This season marks the 40th Anniversary of the Para Vista Cricket Club. 40 years is no mean feat and we've had (and still have) some stalwarts amongst us over the years. Some may no longer play but remember the club with fond memories and still watch from afar while some still come out from time to time. So on the 16th March all are welcome to come and support the A Grade in their home Semi final and join players past and present in celebrating our clubs history and future.

Make sure to pass the word around to any of the players from the past 40 years, we would love to see them out celebrating the great club we have!

40TH. ANNIVERSARY
1979/80 - 2018/19

A-GRADE
HOME SEMI-FINAL

BAR OPEN
BBQ



FROM 1:00PM
EDWARD SMITH RESERVE
THE SHED

PAST PLAYERS DAY
SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2019

EVENTS

Feb 23- Quiz Night

March 16- Past Players Day

March 23- PVLCC Presentation night

March 27- PDCA presentation night

End of Season Fishing Trip

Destination and Date TBC

Keep an eye on FaceBook

Dad jokes of the Week

In school, the teacher asked Johnny to spell "bowling". Back came the answer : "B-o-e-l-i-n." "That," said the teacher, "is the worst spell of bowling I've ever seen."