



DUGOUT DIARIES



SUMMER 2008/09

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Cheltenham Baseball Club Inc, Kingston Heath Reserve, Farm Road, Cheltenham, 3192

GREAT OPPORTUNITY!

Organised?

Reliable?

Available on Weekends?

Do you know someone (or maybe that someone's you!) who can manage our busy Rustlers canteen? We need someone to order, stock and man the canteen which involves hours on Friday night, Saturday and Sundays. This is a real job for real money. If you're interested and would like to know more, please contact
Janelle Ghent
 on
0438 677 370

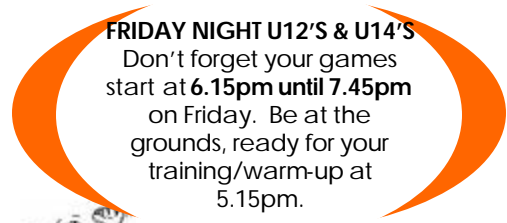
FIRST EVER WIN!!!

Congratulations to the guys in the Cheltenham 5ths "A" team...Tim Choi, Manager was thrilled to announce the team's first EVER WIN!

"It was the first ever win for our team. We lost all of winter season games (6 games) and 2 of this season's games. That is why we are very excited. We will do our very best for the rest of games this season." Tim Choi

TEE-BALL...

we would love to hear from any budding tee-ballers who would like to join one of our teams...contact our Tee-ball Coordinator, Gabriela Taranto on 9570 2168 or 0416 217 186



FRIDAY NIGHT U12'S & U14'S

Don't forget your games start at **6.15pm until 7.45pm** on Friday. Be at the grounds, ready for your training/warm-up at 5.15pm.



INTERESTED IN SCORING??

Please contact Gabriela Taranto as she is arranging more clinics this season for beginners. Phone 9570 2168 or 0416 217 186



Looking ahead to **Sunday 2nd November**. Our entire seniors' contingent will be playing at home. Why not bring the family down to the club for a nice, relaxed afternoon.! Little League and U14 players attending will receive a free sausage & soft drink. Vouchers will be distributed next week.

Day	Date	Division	Grade	Home Team	Away Team	Venue	Game Time	Diamond
Friday	24-10-2008	U14	Sth East	Sandringham	Cheltenham Brumbies	Sandringham	6.15pm	
Friday	24-10-2008	U14	Sth East	Springvale/Haileybury	Cheltenham Stallions	Springvale	6.15pm	
Friday	24-10-2008	U14	Sth East	Cheltenham Broncos	Ormond Glenhantly	Cheltenham	6.15pm	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	LL	State	Cheltenham	Waverley	Cheltenham	9.00am	Diam 4
Sunday	26-10-2008	LL	Metro	Sandringham Kings	Cheltenham	Sandringham	9.00am	
Sunday	26-10-2008	U14	State	Cheltenham	Werribee	Cheltenham	9.00am	Diam 9
Sunday	26-10-2008	U14	Metro	Blackburn	Cheltenham	Blackburn	9.00am	
Sunday	26-10-2008	U16	State	Cheltenham	Werribee	Cheltenham	9.00am	Diam 2
Sunday	26-10-2008	U16	Metro	Blackburn	Chelt/Moorabbin	Blackburn	9.00am	
Sunday	26-10-2008	U18	State	Cheltenham	Spring/Haileybury	Cheltenham	9.00am	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	U18	Metro	Essendon	Cheltenham	Essendon	9.00am	
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 2	2nds	Melbourne	Cheltenham	Melbourne	1.00pm	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 2	1sts	Melbourne	Cheltenham	Melbourne	3.30pm	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 2	3rds	Cheltenham	Melbourne	Cheltenham	1.00pm	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 2	4ths	Cheltenham	Melbourne	Cheltenham	3.30pm	Main
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 4	5ths	Cheltenham B	Waverley B	Cheltenham	1.00pm	Diam 2
Sunday	26-10-2008	Div 4	5ths	Cheltenham A	Berwick	Cheltenham	3.30pm	Diam 2

LADDER

SENIORS

	Position on Ladder	Team	P	W	L	D	Bye	Pts	For	Ag	Pct
Firsts	3	Cheltenham	3	2	1			4	17	8	680
Seconds	1	Cheltenham	3	3	0			6	23	6	793
Thirds	1	Cheltenham	3	3	0			6	70	9	886
Fourths	5	Cheltenham	3	2	1			4	18	33	353
Fifths A	Not updated on BV's website										
Fifths B	3	Cheltenham	3	2	1			4	51	27	654

JUNIORS

No results posted on BV's website

DIAMOND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

JIM AND MARIE UPFILL WERE MARRIED ON 15 SEPTEMBER 1948 AND RECENTLY CELEBRATED THEIR DIAMOND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY – YES THEIR 60TH! A MARVELLOUS ACHIEVEMENT.

MARIE WAS A NURSE AT HEIDELBERG MILITARY HOSPITAL AND MET JIM WHO WAS CONVALESCING AFTER ACTION IN NEW GUINEA. BOTH HAVE BEEN BIG CONTRIBUTORS TO CHELTENHAM'S HISTORY.



LOST

Wilson light brown and black glove lost at U12 training last Wednesday night. If you have picked up this glove or know its whereabouts please contact Kathy on 0414 489 029.

Now fellas, when the coach says rake the diamond, this is the sort of effort he expects...



We seek permission to publish member names and photographs on our Club website. Anyone taking information, names, images or photos from our website and newsletters without the Club's knowledge and placing them on websites, such Facebook or Myspace etc, need to seek permission before doing so.

The committee would like to hear from anyone in the club who has an R.S.A. (Responsible Service of Alcohol) certificate. In our quest to become a "Good Sports" club, we wish to establish a register of members who have completed their R.S.A. Please contact Kathy Whiteside on 0414 489 029 or email kwhiteside@optusnet.com.au

TEAM REPORTS—20 October 2008

Under 16

Coach: Trevor Hogben

Today we played Berwick. After 2 innings both teams had chances to score but good defence kept the game scoreless. Berwick managed to score 1 run in the 3rd before we answered with 2 to lead 2-1.

Then in the 4th inning, probably the longest inning I have been involved in junior baseball, Berwick scored 5 runs. We then scored 6 runs to win 8-6. Our bats came alive in the last 2 innings, getting 4 hits, and 2 sacrifice flies and with good discipline collected 12 walks for the game.

Scott Jansen was solid at short stop all day and had 2 hits. Angus Macquire 1 hit and a sacrifice fly and Ben Leslie 2 walks and the game winning double down 3rd base line to score the tying and go ahead runs.

A good start to the season and the boys have played the full 2 hours each week to have 2 wins on the board.

Under 18 State

Asst Coach: Russell Ferguson

This Sunday saw Cheltenham turn up for their first home game of the season against perennial powerhouse Waverley. Cheltenham capitalized on some early wildness from Waverley's starting pitcher to score 4 runs, also with the help of some timely hitting from Peter Rizzi. However some costly defensive lapses and a few key hits for the Waverley Baseball club saw them score 3 runs and get themselves back into the game. As both teams then squander scoring opportunities for the rest of the game, the final score finished at 4 - 3 with Cheltenham coming out on top. although still not a perfect performance from the Rustlers they showed considerable improvement and the good pitching of Cody Wilson and Kyle Brookes holds the team in good stead for the season to come.

2nd Nine

Manager: John Ferguson

Seconds won 11-0 behind a 3 hitter by pitcher Dale Ravesi who was assisted by 2 brilliant defensive plays and 2 clutch hits by middle infielder Elliot Macquire. The Rustlers took control of the game in the early innings when Tim Bail singled in 2 runs with his line shot to right field and Jarrad Hall belted in 2 more with a double to left centre. Jason Cousins doubled with bases loaded to put the result beyond doubt in the fifth innings.

Would you like to read about your team...if your coach isn't writing a report, please send one to rustlers@westnet.com.au before 9.00pm on Sunday evenings! *(We would love more reports!)*