



April 2017







Dear Redbacks,

The season 2016-17 is all done and dusted! It has been a wonderful year again for the club, and we hope everyone has had a great time.

Few stats for you for this season to show what a mighty club we are:

Registrations:

- Littlies (Milo, T20 Blast etc.) 64 players
- Juniors
- Seniors
- Juniors also playing Seniors







(4th Grade Black Widows – Grand Final 2017)

Congratulations to the following teams who were the 2016-17 Season Premiers!

JUNIORS

- U12 Red Div 1
- U13 Red Div 1
- U13 Green Div 2

SENIORS

- 4th Grade Black Widows
- One-Day Div B Grade

Unfortunately weather played a part and stopped a few more Grand Final wins, but well done to the 5 teams who have earnt their Baggy Reds!

Facebook

Upcoming events and special achievements are posted to the Wakehurst Redbacks Facebook page. Check us out, like our page and feel free to contribute any photos etc. www.facebook.com/wakehurstredbacks



Club Awards

We are calling for nominations for the Club Awards:

- Club Person of the Year i.
- ii. Coach of the Year

Please send through nominations to secretary@wakehurstredbacks.com.au

Cricketing honours

MANLY MINI-BASH

Congratulations to the following teams who won their age/division:

- u/11 Combined Red/Green •
- u/12 Red •

Congratulations to Emily Horstead (u/13 girls) for her selection in the Polding cricket team (Catholic school team). Emily will now play in the School State titles. Not bad for a year 4 student!

Congratulations to Kai Connors (u/13 green) who was today selected to represent the Sydney North PSSA team at the School State titles.

Congratulations to Ned Barnet who was awarded the NSW DCA bowling award for the under 15 Weblin Shield this week at the SCG.

Congratulations to Josh Park who was selected in the Manly Warringah 5th Grade side

Please do pass on any other achievements - we love to hear of them secretary@wakehurstredbacks.com.au



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Upcoming Events

WRCC JUNIORS PRESENTATION DAY

Sunday 28th May 2017 from 12:30pm, Lionel Watts Clubhouse. The presentation day will be covered in 3 sessions as follows: 1. T20 Blast and under 9 teams 12.30 - 1.30 pm 2. U10, U11, U12 1.30 - 3.00 pm 3. U13 - U16-18 (including Sixers) 3.15 - 4.45 pm

WRCC SENIORS PRESENTATION DAY

Saturday 20th May 2017, 7pm @ Belrose Hotel. This presentation night covers all Senior teams.



WRCC - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

We are currently working on a date for our A.G.M. We will advise soon of the date. We would very much welcome anyone who would like to be a part of the committee for next season

MANLY WARRINGAH CRICKET COACHING SCHOOL

10th – 12th April refer to website <u>www.mwccs.com.au</u>

LYON COACHING

Narrabeen sports High. (10th, 11th and 12th of April). Bookings can be made online at <u>www.lyoncricket.com</u>

SIXERS HOLIDAY CAMP

Join the Sixers for some school holiday fun and learn to play cricket the magenta way with music, games based activities and T20 entertainment! (18th & 19th April) This program is for girls only, aged 8 - 12 years who are entry level participants. <u>For more info click here</u>

UMPIRES COURSE

Unfortunately the umpires course did not eventuate this season for those interested. The club will look to hold a course later this year (August). The club will reimburse anyone who attends this course. More information will follow but if you are interested please email secretary@wakehurstredbacks.com.au

Seniors Corner

Regular Season

It was a reasonable year so far for our Senior teams. With 2 Premiership teams and another who made it to the semi-final, that was great.

GRADE	FINAL LADDER
1 st Grade	5 th
2 nd Grade	6 th
3 rd Grade	4 th
4 th Grade – Black Widows	PREMIERS
4 th Grade – Huntsmen	5 th
One-Day Div. B	PREMIERS

Mike Pawley T20 Competition

After an absence for a couple of years we submitted a team in the MWCA T20 competition this year called the "Redbacks Reborn". This was a 5-round competition played on Sundays. We managed to win 3 out of 5 games and finished equal 4th on points. Unfortunately we missed out on the finals with run/wickets ratio putting us down to 5th place. It was good fun with players represented from 4 of our senior's grades all playing together.

Juniors \rightarrow Seniors

We had 17 Juniors who played Seniors cricket in the afternoon this year, and it was fantastic. Next season we will be looking at how we can better transition players from Juniors to Seniors. This is a great way of accelerating your ability.



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Sponsors

What's On at the Belrose Hotel?

The club would like to again acknowledge our Sponsors for being on board for the 2016/17 season.

Major sponsor - The Belrose Hotel



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On behalf of the Committee, we would like to thank everyone involved in both our Junior and Senior teams.

We hope you enjoyed your season and look forward to seeing you at the Presentation Nights for one last hurrah and having you all back next season!

Bring on Season 2017-18!

G.T.M.R. !!