



Extracts from

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'Don't Die with the Music in You'

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President's Message

President's Message of Thanks

As the Season has come to a close on the field it is important for the many Club contributors to be acknowledged:

GROUNDS: The Club sincerely thanks David Breheny, Geoff Beaumont, Philip Marshall and Craig Whitehand for their early morning match day preparation of our pitches. David Lewis is to be congratulated for his initiative of sweeping and remarking the pitches at breaks in play for both grounds; it is reported that we are one of only two Clubs that do this for firsts and seconds and the only one to afford that luxury to the thirds and fourths.

TEAMS: Don Royce's late night(s) and early morning match day commitment to ensure the Club fields four full teams each round is one of the great annual feats of this Club.

SCORERS: The Committee conveys its sincerest appreciation to Chris Skyring, David Missen, Fiona Yelland and Geoff Beaumont for their skill and precision in this labour of love.

CATERING: Kaye Lindsay and Ron Beaumont have been an outstanding team supported by many volunteers throughout the season to ensure that hospitality at this Club is not equalled in Premier Cricket.

BUS DRIVERS: Ian Lynch, John Perret, Brian Crook, Don Royce, Jan Smith and at times players have responsibly transported our teams to and fro via Hertz buses, our thanks.

THE URN: Harold Treloar is the best keeper you will ever have of an Urn; thanks to you Harold.

BAR: Ron Thomas and John Nichols have responsibly managed our bar throughout the season to the satisfaction of all patrons.

TEAM CAPTAINS: At its most recent meeting, the committee minuted its appreciation to all captains for their leadership and time throughout the season; thanks 1st XI Clinton Peake, 2nd XI David Morgan/Daniel Fanning, 3rd XI Grant Brauer, 4th XI Aaron Randall

TEAM MANAGERS: The contribution of Ron Haywood, Craig Whitehand, Kevin Varker, and Geoff Beaumont is indeed valued.

Having thanked the above, the Club invites any available person who has an interest and the necessary skills and abilities to contribute to this Club's off-field commitments. You are encouraged to contact the Club immediately.