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OUR SPECIAL GUESTS



JUNIOR PRESENTATION DAY





We ended the 2024-2025 Season on a high with 2 wonderful presentations, one for our Juniors and the other for our Seniors. Our special guests - Jack Edwards for the Seniors and Matthew Gilkes for the Juniors made the events even more special. Jack inspirational to our younger Shires/Senior players, as he had played Shires in his junior years, before his cricket journey led him to a Captaincy for NSW. The value of seeing that a cricket goal is achievable was a big highlight of the night.

The special Jacket Presentations for our Premiership teams – Under 16's, Under 14's, Under 11's, Chappelow Cup Gold; and Shires First and Third Grades was a momentous occasion. Our 7th Grade team were honoured with medals for winning their One Day Competition whilst our women's team received a special gift to mark our inaugural year. Congratulations to all team members on a fantastic season, with so many wonderful cricket memories created.

Other highlights included finishing 3rd in the Shires Club Championships and Major Awards at both Presentations – congratulations to all players on meeting some of their cricket goals and aspiring to new ones.

We can't wait to see you all back on the field in 2025-26!

John Araco President Josie Ferraro Secretary



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Results 2024-2025



FLCA - Juniors

Under 10's - 9th Position
Under 11's - Div 2 Premiers
Under 14's - Div 3 Premiers
Under 16's - Div 1 Minor & Major Premiership
Under 16's - T20 Champions



FLCA - Seniors

4th Grade - Semi-Finalists 6th Grade - Semi-Finalists 7th Grade - Semi-Finalists 7th Grade - One Day Champions



PDCA - Womens

Thunder Women's League - 5th Place



FLCA - NSWYC

Under 12 Foster Shield - Qualifying Finalists
Under 13 Gee Shield - Semi-Finalists
Under 14 Moore Shield - Qualifying Finalists
Under 17 Watson Shield - Qualifying Finalists
Under 13 Dive Shield - Qualifying Finalists



Sydney Shires

MPSD CC - 3rd in Club Championships
First Grade - Minor Premiers
First Grade - One Day Grand- Finalists
Third Grade - Minor Premiers & Grand-Finalists
2nd Grade - Qualifying Finalists



Chappelow Cup

MPSD Gold - Premiership



Masters - Foxs

Mounties - 4th Place

ECIAL INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT







Milestones 2024-25 Season Mounties Comets Maiden Century: 150 no Vs Winston Hills Double Century: 207 no Vs Seven Hills

VER SHIELD CAPTURE OF THE VELO ITTI SHIDORE (CAMPBELLTOWN CAMDEN DCC) SW Metro Champions - Under 16 National Championships

Shires First Grade Team of the Year - Merit XII



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mounties Cricket pathway

The Mounties Cricket Pathway is something that we have been working on strongly in the past few seasons. We are proud to see it working so well in the 2024-25 season. Our juniors featured throughout the FLCA Senior Competition, PDCA Women's Competition, Chappelow Cup Competition, Shires, and all the way to First Grade with Mounties Juniors - Rocco Ferraro and Saif Raza, both receiving their First Grade Caps.

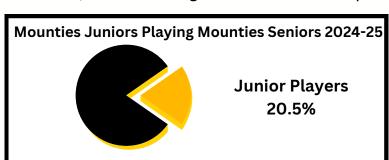
Araco Medal Winners

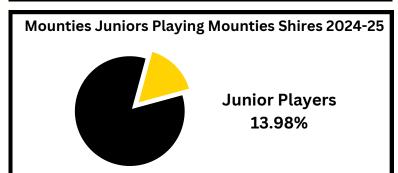
 MOST CATCHES U16'S MICHAEL CLARK
 MOST WICKETS U16'S





This award is traditionally awarded to a player, however can also be awarded to a coach, a manager, a volunteer or parent. The John Araco medal is awarded in recognition of someone who shows great leadership, dedication and commitment to the club.





UPCOMING 2025:

24th July: Mounties Cricket AGM
26th July: Pre-season training - SHIRES
9th August: New Player Trials - SHIRES
16th August: Pre-season training - JUNIORS
13th September: FLCA Juniors /Seniors start
20th September: PDCA Womens Start
27th September: Sydney Shires start
12th October: Womens Metro Starts
12th October: NSWYC (Boys) start



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Our Junior Teams

Cricket Blast

Coached by Anthony Ferraro

Mounties Cricket Junior Blast, did have a blast all season long and it was rewarding to see so many happy smiling faces at the End of Season Presentation. We hope your love of Cricket continues to grow. A special congratulations to Savannah for her enthusiasm, help and willingness to learn all season long; taking out the coaches award. And to Jackson for always aspiring to do his best; taking out the Junior Blasters Rising Star Award.







Under 10's

Coached by Anthony Ferraro

Well done to our Under 10's for always trying so hard, and working together to improve their cricket skills. Thank-you to Anthony for training us and to Sheraz for taking on the Assistant Coach & Managers Role.

Award Highlights - Hussy took out the fielding/catches award with a staggering 14 catches for the season, including superman takes in cover along with a superb season with the bat, taking out the batting average & aggreggate as well! Lawson with a great effort with the ball took out both the bowling aggregate and average . Alhan tried hard all season long and was a very worthy recipient of the coaches award whilst Aiden was a standout in improving his cricket skills over the season. Well done to the Under 10's on never giving up!



Lisa Oliveri (Scorer), Muhammad Sadik (Asst Coach), Alhan Sadik, Muhammad Haseeb Madni, Aiden Roche, Lawson Oliveri , Sher Zaman Niazi, Muhammad Hasnain Khanooni, Azyan Sadik, Ceman Mursilkareem (absent) and Eric Pongulati (absent).



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Under 11's

Coached by Luan Cao

Well done to our Under 11's for working together all season long to improve their cricket skills, have fun and in doing so made their way to the Division 2 Grand-Final and where they were crowned Premiers. Thank-you to Luan for training us, to Nam for taking on the Managers role and to Ivo our number 1 scorer. Also a special thank-you to Hussy for helping us out in the finals.

Award Highlights - Arnav in a never before seen feat, has taken out all the statistic based awards for our Under 11's. Batting Aggregate & Average; Bowling Aggregate & Average and Most Catches. In his first official season of cricket Arnav certainly proved he has what it takes to be a cricketer of the future! ****

Ivan was a great listener, and put in a super effort all season long was awarded the coaches award whilst Vincent was a standout in the field. Well done to the Under 11's on a fantastic season!



Muhammad Hasnain Khanooni, Vincent Doan, Atharv Chavan, Arav Chavan, Arnav Chavan, Teddy Cao, Koby Chamberlain, Alex Terenowski, Ivan Olic (absent), Luan Cao (Coach) & Nam Doan (Manager)





#grandfinalwrap

UNDER 11'S - Lost the toss and were asked to bowl first. And what a fielding performance they produced! The team held onto 6 catches, took 6 run outs plus a stumping! Every bowler also took a wicket to really round off a wonderful allround team victory (Hussy Khanooni 3/14). Their outstanding performance in the field could not be matched by the opposition and the youngsters showed their class with the bat as well. Arnav Chavan (16 no) and Vincent Doan (17).



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Our Junior Teams

Under 14's

Coached by Tony Sansom

Benjamin Ryan, Ayden Singh, Kanishua Gaba, Nathan Farren, Ryan Sansom, Vivaan Shah, Nishanth Janarthanan, Qadir Khan, Emerson Oliveri, Azaan Dharani, Ridhwan Ur-Rahman, Sarim Lakhani, Vihaan Shah & David Matthew

Our Under 14's showed exceptional strength all season long, and tried their absolute best every game! #NeverSayDie

Congratulations to the whole team for their consistent positive attitude, culminating with an impressve Div 3 Grand Final. We can't wait to see you in action again in September! A special thank-you to Coach Tony, Manager Laurence and Scorer Eamonn on your dedication to the Under 14's.

Award Highlights - Kanishua scored his maiden century in Round 5 (104 runs no) taking him to the top of the table on runs and the award for both batting aggregate & average. Whilst Ben and his fast bowling was just too quick for many, taking out both the most wickets and best bowling average. Vivaan Shah was a force to be reckoned with in the field and behind the stumps taking out most catches. Whilst Vihaan was a deserving recipient of the coaches award with his commitment and devotion to both training and game day! Ridhwan always tried his best in the field and was awarded the fielding trophy for his very consistent effort.

#keepchasingyourcricketdreams





#grandfinalwrap

UNDER 14's - Bowled first, and bowled well, with Kanishua Gaba leading the way with his first 5 wicket haul of the season! With figures of 5/11 Kanishua took both the first and last wickets of the innings, and was almost unplayable at times. In the run chase, Vihaan Shah (35) and Vivaan Shah (39) worked hard together to build a partnership and a platform to chase the target of 157 runs. Ben Ryan was then the glue for the middle and lower orders with his 16 not out, hitting a 4 to secure the victory for his team.





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Our Junior Teams

Under 16's

Coached by Michael Clark

Michael Clark, Brodie Gorton, Shayan Raza, Kaushik Naidu, Harshdeep Singh, Huzaifa Syed, Jaskarandeep Singh, Tejashwi Magadumm, Lucas Gunjevac, Robert Chant, Jayden Singh & Nihal Haque

Our Under 16's had another momentous season with the pinnacle reached when they won their Grand Final in March, crowned as the unbeaten minor and major premiers.

Congratulations to the whole team for always #chasingyourcricketdreams and creating the all important positive team attitude all season long! A special thank-you to Coach Michael, Assistant Coach Ross and Scorer Syed on your dedication to the Under 16's.

Award Highlights - Shayan was consistent all year, marking the start of the season with 2 centuries and moving to the top of the table on runs with the award for batting aggregate & average for both Mounties & FLCA!



Minor & Major Premiers 2024-25



Michael Clark took out the most wickets whilst Jaskarandeep was very consistent and took out the best bowling average. Nihal & Kaushik had safe hands - joint winners with most catches. Robert was a gun in the field taking out the fielding award whilst Brodie had a great all round season with the bat and ball, a deserving recipient of the coaches award.

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#grandfinalwrap

UNDER 16'S - Mounties batted first and after a slightly shakey start, Shayan Raza and Michael Clark came to the crease and steadied the ship. Shayan Raza, in his usual aggressive batting style scored 78 runs off 70 balls, with Michael Clark the perfect steady partner (37) at the other end, they crafted an 119 run partnership and had Mounties in prime position. Mounties finally dismissed for 203.

Mounties then bowled and fielded well as a team, dismissing the opposition for 76 runs, with Harshdeep Singh just edging out the others with bowling figures of 3/22. Robert Chant also had a great day in the field with 2 catches and a run out. Overall a superb team performance, Mounties Under 16's unbeaten minor and major premiers for 2045/25

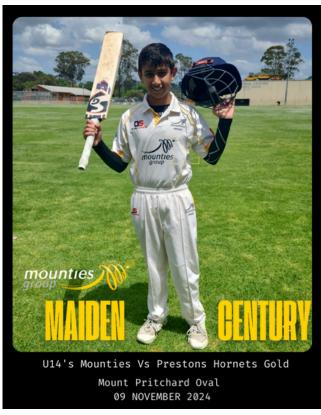
Under 16's / T20 Champions



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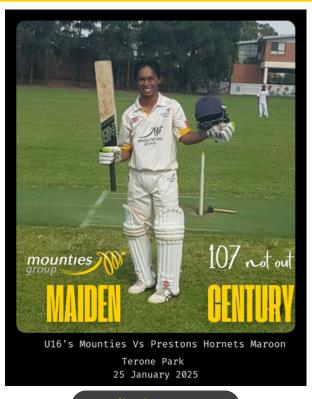
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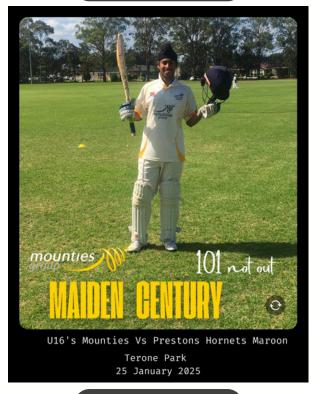


Kanishua Gaba

Our Junior Teams



Nihal Haque



Harshdeep Singh



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REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS
Edward Cao (President's Cup)
Hasnain Khanooni (President's Cup)
Benjamin Ryan (Gee Shield)
Garima Singh (Dive Shield)
Kanishua Gaba (President's Cup)
Michael Clark (Weblin Shield)
Shayan Raza (Watson Shield)
Harshdeep Singh (Watson Shield)
Kaelan Azzopardi (Watson Shield)
Kaushik Naidu (Watson Shield)
Nihal Haque (Watson Shield)
Aditi Shidore (Brewer Shield)

A huge congratulation's to all the Mounties Junior Players representing the area this season and an extra special congratulations to Aditi Shidore named Brewer Shield Player of the year.



 \bigstar Registrations are open for the new season 2025-26. Expected start date for competition is the 13/09/2025.

STAGE 1 & 2 MIXED TEA

STAGE 3 GIRLS THUNDER LEAGUE

WOMEN'S SUNDAY METRO COMP

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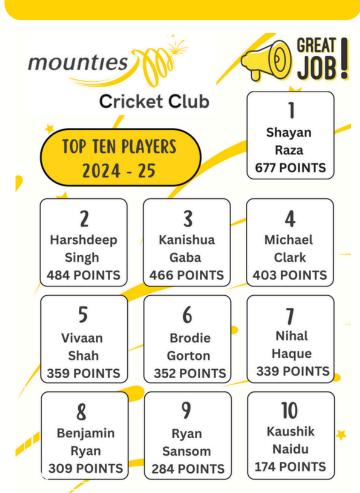
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CHAMPION PLAYER STAGE 1 - ARNAV CHAVAN



Champion Player



Rising Star Award





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Blasters

Coach – Anthony Ferraro Asst Coach - Hrehan Shah

Under 10

Coach – Anthony Ferraro Manager - Sheraz Sadik Scorer - Lisa Oliveri

Under 11

Coach – Luan Cao Manager - Nam Doan

Under 14

Coach – Tony Sansom Manager – Laurence Singh Scorer - Eamonn Ryan

Under 16

Coach – Michael Clark Assistant Coach - Ross Gorton Scorer - Syed Hussain

Mounties Comets

Captain/Coach - Qanita Jalil

Thank you to all of my captains, coaches, and players on their hard work, their grit, and their determination to win, but most importantly, on supporting the Club. The implementation of Mark Morley as Head Coach of Shires, had immediate results with positive elevation across our top 3 grades. Thank you, Mark for your guidance and expertise. A special thank-you also to Qanita Jalil (QJ), from Mounties Comets, as without her leadership and knowledge, the Mounties women's team would still hjave just been a dream



Coach of the Year - Michael Clark

10 Years Service Award



Michael Clark (Junior)
10 Years Service Award



Kaushik Naidu 5 Years Service Award



Rocco, Shaban & Mahesh
10 Years Service Award



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Our Senior Premiership Teams



Chappelow Cup Premiers 2024-2025



Shires 3rd Grade Minor Premiers



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Our Senior Premiership Teams



Shires 1st Grade Minor Premiers

Our Senior One Day Champions



Senior 7th Grade 2024-2025



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Mounties Comets - Inaugural Womens Team











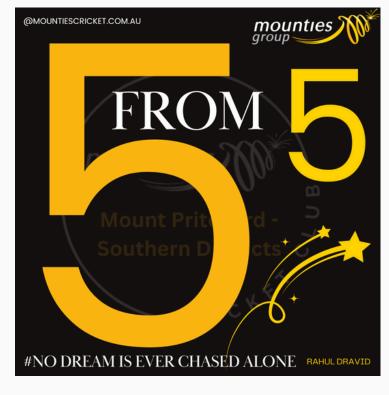


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Memories 2024-25 Season













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Shires Third Grade Minor Premiers





Shires First Grade One Day Final



A huge congratulations to our very own Nasir Jalil on his selection in the Australia Masters Over 40's team.

What an honour, what an achievement.

#greenandgold ***
#representingaustralia
#mountiescricket
#BlackAndGoldMagic





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Our Senior Teams

















ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
MOUNTIES CRICKET CLUB
DATE: THURSDAY 24TH OF JULY
TIME: 7.00PM LOCATION: MOUNTIES

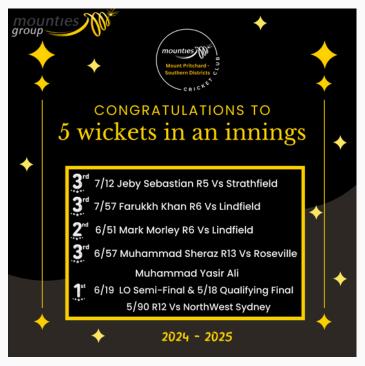


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Our Senior Teams











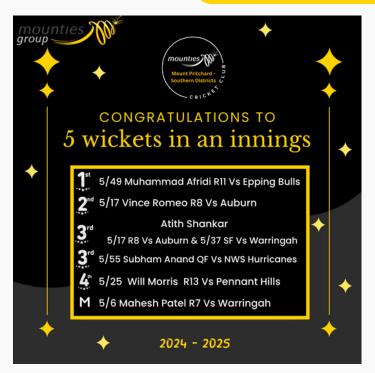
At 3/30, and then 4/30 the Mounties 3rd Grade team was in what could be called a considerable bit of trouble. Atith Shankar had come to the crease with the pressure on, but in an exceptional captain's knock he steadied the ship and then steered her home to victory with a well earned century (137)



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Our Senior Teams

















#weekendwonder In an absolutely brilliant display, Jeby Sebastian and Subham Anand opened the bowling for our Third Grade team on Greenway Park 2. We had just been dismissed for 116 runs, and thinking a miracle maybe required, that is exactly what Jeby Sebastian delivered.



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Our Senior Teams



















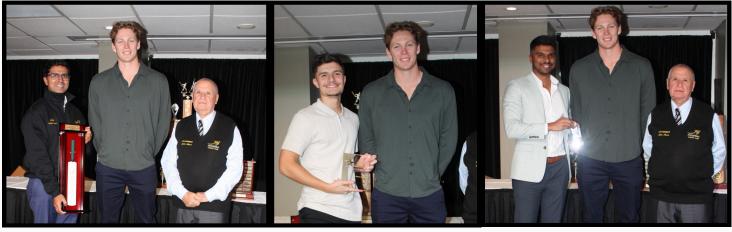
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Our Commitee 2024-25

President: John Araco

Senior Vice President: Bryan Marshall

Junior Vice President: Kevin Gascoigne

Secretary: Josie Ferraro

Treasurer: Anthony Ferraro

Cricket Co-ordinator: Anthony Ferraro

Fair Play/Child Safety: Josie Ferraro

Mounties Sports Director: Jenny McNevin









