

SPC Sport Report – Term 4, Week 8

Term 4 Sport

It has been great to get some sport up and running this term with the commencement of Junior Tennis, Junior Volleyball and Senior Cricket practice matches.

Thank you to all the staff that assisted with getting these teams organised.

Cricket

Practice Match 1 against Ballarat Grammar

When presented with the first chance to play a game for the year, we jumped at the opportunity to play Ballarat Grammar on Hill Oval. With a number of players with their first opportunity to represent the 1st XI. Jack Jeffrey was given the role of captain for the match. Jack & Bailey Ryan opened the batting, Bailey the first to go for only 1 from 5 balls. Jack was out shortly after for 4 from 7 balls. At 2/6 things weren't looking good. Fortunately, Will Lalor and Max Filmer steadied the innings. Max managed to make it to 22 from 30 balls, before he was retired. Will was also retired after making 27 from 27 balls. Noah Ryan came in, but was out second ball without scoring, but the score had now progressed to 3/66. Alex Kerr played some great shots before being bowled for 13 off 12. Clarke Alaimo and Sam Lalor put on 29 runs, before Clarke was out for 2 from 13 balls. Heath Doherty joined Sam for the final over, and managed to score a single to get Sam back on strike. Sam finished the innings off with a 4, 2 and then 2 sixes off the final 2 balls, he finished not out on 35 from only 21 balls as he posted 123 from our 20 overs.

ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE 1ST XI innings

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BATSMAN	STATUS	RUNS	BALLS	4s	6s	S/R
Bailey Ryan (LHB)	c Muir b Watson	1	6			16.67
Jack Jeffrey	lbw b Watson	4	7	1		57.14
Will Lalor	retired (not out)	27	27	5		100.00
Max Filmer	retired (not out)	22	31	3		70.97
Noah Ryan	c Muir b murphy	0	2			0.00
Alex Kerr	b murphy	13	12	3		108.33
Clarke Alaimo	c Muir b Soni	2	13			15.38
Sam Lalor (LHB)	not out	35	21	2	3	166.67
Heath Doherty	not out	1	2			50.00
Tom Steenhuis						
Archie Lalor						
Lachlan Brodie						
TOTAL	Extras: 18 (0b 0lb 1nb 17wd 0p)		123			

Taking to the field we were confident early wickets would have us in the perfect position to win the match. The third Lalor, Archie was given the new ball along with Alex Kerr. Archie was the first to strike, picking up the first wicket in the 3rd over and then his second the next over. With Grammar at 2/27, it was time for Will Lalor and Lachlan Brodie to bowl. Good line and length reduced Grammar's scoring, Lachlan picked up 2 wickets, and finished with 2/4 from 3 overs. Tom Steenhuis, then picked up a wicket first ball, 2 balls later Jack Jeffrey completed a run out. The brakes had well and truly been applied, as Grammar slumped to 6/49 after 13 overs. 2 more run outs and tight bowling from Max, Heath and Noah saw Grammar only score 5 runs from the last 6 overs. Noah picked up the final wicket, as Grammar finished on 9/65 for a comprehensive 58 run victory for St Pats.

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BOWLER	OVERS	MAIDENS	RUNS	WICKETS	ECON	EXTRAS
Archie Lalor	4	0	18	2	4.50	2nb 3wd
Alex Kerr (RF)	2	0	15	0	7.50	1wd
Will Lalor	3	0	9	0	3.00	2nb
Lachlan Brodie	3	1	4	2	1.33	
Tom Steenhuis	2	0	14	1	7.00	2wd
Max Filmer	2	2	0	0	0.00	
Heath Doherty	3	1	3	0	1.00	1wd
Noah Ryan	1	0	2	1	2.00	1wd

Practice match 2 verse Ballarat Grammar

In extremely gusty conditions the first practice match of Second XI Cricket took place last week against Ballarat Grammar. In a rematch against the 20/21 grand finalists, it was an ideal opportunity to see where both sides were at going into the 22 season. It ended up quite a very one sided match. Ballarat Grammar were sent in to be batting first and despite the loss of only one wicket ended their score with 1/83 off their 20 overs. Opening bowler Jack O'Brien captured the only wicket with excellent figures of 1/2 off three overs. St Patricks College 2nd XI were able to surpass the Ballart Grammar total without any hassle scoring 2/84 off only 10 overs. Edward Gorman displayed his hard and long hitting skills with 3x 6's in his 34 before being bowled. Sam Duggan not out 25 provided a good combination of singles to put Gorman on strike and some well-placed hitting of his own. Whilst Jack Kovacevic also provided some hard hitting with 4x 4's for 22 and caught out. Jake Klein provided the last two runs to see the Ballarat Grammar total passed.

Thank you

Thank you to everyone that assisted with sport in 2021. The program would not run without the assisted of many staff so thank you to those that coached a team or coordinated a sport.

Although most of the year was impacted by Covid19 the opportunities we did have were great and the students jumped in with excitement and enthusiasm. To the Year 12's that will be moving onto their next chapter in life, I am sorry that 2021 was not the year you were hoping for. Many of you have represented the College in sport since Year 7 and did not get the opportunity to represent your sport over the last two years. I hope you still go away with some fond memories of SPC Sport.

I am hopeful that 2022 will be back to normal and we can offer our full list of sports. If you would like to know more about the sports, we have on offer please click on the following link <https://www.stpats.vic.edu.au/students-parents-staff/sport/>

Please do not hesitate to contact myself (tbenoit@stpats.vic.edu.au) if you have any questions.