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SECOND GRADE:	Jan 28/Feb 4 Feb. 11/18	Hilton/Palmyra S/J Blues	Centenary East Briggs
FOURTH GRADE:	Jan 28/Feb 4 Feb. 11/18	Hilton/Palmyra Southern River	Melville Centenary East
ONE DAY A GRADE:	Feb. 4 Feb. 11 Feb. 18	Southern Districts Armadale Fremantle	Centenary West Centenary West Fremantle Park
ONE DAY D GRADE:	Feb. 4 Feb. 11 Feb. 18	Kwinana Southern Districts Canning Districts	Gilmore College Dick Lawrence Centenary West

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FIRST XI REVIEW

CANNING DIST. v WILLETTON CROWS

Willetton recorded a solid win in their derby against Canning Districts by 19 runs. Rich was dominant again with a classy 60, Sloany batted well for his 33 and Ali chipped in with 17 in a score of 157 on a ground with a slow outfield. An effective bowling attack led by Sewelly (2/20) and Rich (2/26) restricted the Tigers to 138 and give the Crows their fifth win of the season.

WILLETTON CROWS v KELMSCOTT

In a tough test against Kwinana at home, Willetton batted first and made 133 with Sloany top-scoring with 45, BJ made 21 and First XI debutant Karl Valentine hit 18. Whilst the home side would have liked to have more, they compensated somewhat by making early inroads to have the visitors 2/19 at stumps, but Kwinana showed why they are competition frontrunners when they made more than 300 for the loss of eight wickets. Bangers snared 3/29 in his First XI comeback after some two seasons but in the process became the first Willetton player to be reported in some 20 years and will miss the club's next match. Griffo was the major wicket taker as he toiled hard for his 3/83.

FIXTURE

October

8/15 **WCCC 229** b Canning Districts 9/120
22/29 Thornlie 186 b **WCCC 96**

November

5/12 **WCCC 3/202** b Maddington 144
19 Hilton/Palmyra 9/211 b **WCCC 106**
20 S/J Blues 9/196 b **WCCC 3/190**
26 **WCCC 116** b Maddington 76

December

3 Kwinana 200 b **WCCC 126**
10 **WCCC 138** b Kelmscott 129
17 Thornlie 8/141 b **WCCC 108**

January

7 **WCCC 7/157** b Canning Districts 139
14/21 Kwinana 8/309 b **WCCC 133**
28/4 Hilton/Palmyra Centenary East

February

11/18 S/J Blues Briggs
25/3 Kelmscott Frye

March

10/11 Semi-Finals
17/18 Final

SECOND GRADE LADDER

	<u>1-Day Pts</u>	<u>Points</u>
KWINANA	62.41 *	109.830
HILTON/PALMYRA	54.59 *	106.870
MADDINGTON	54.22	90.430
S/J BLUES	40.54	76.340
WILLETTON CROWS	40.61	75.810
Thornlie	41.70	68.440
Kelmscott	33.44	66.420
Canning Districts	27.48	51.926



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SECOND XI REVIEW

WILLETTON CROWS v KENWICK

Willetton met top side Kenwick in their return fixture and the Royals attacked from the start and were given assistance from the Crows' bowlers with a spate of wides and no balls. Liam Enright (2/21) and Simo (2/26) led the way with the ball as the bowlers were able to slow down the scoring late in the innings and restrict Kenwick to a score of 183. Simo (31) and Ash (17) added 49 for the first wicket but the Crows stumbled to 7/102 before Croc (73) and Zombie (19) put on 65 to put Willetton right back in the ball game. Zombie continued his good work with the tailenders and guided his side to a tie.

The Crows were down and out a couple of times and showed the resolve to fight back, showing a great deal of pride and guts to get a tie against the top side in the competition.

KWINANA v WILLETTON CROWS

The Crows bowled well to dismiss home side Kwinana for just 72. Zombie, Patmore, Hillsy and the Pommie AJ all claimed two scalps in a good team effort with the ball. In reply, Willetton were 6/156 at stumps before declaring at 9/186 sensing a potential outright win. Simo starred with the bat, scoring 68, Croc hit 40 and Patmore chipped in with 26. Needing to score 115 to make Willetton bat again, Kwinana managed 144 despite the efforts of Ed Lewis, who took 5/47 and Liam Enright claimed 2/10. Needing to score 31 for an outright win, the Crows finished tantalisingly close on 2/28.

FIXTURE

October

8/15 Kenwick 5/230 b **WCCC 50 & 74**
22/29 **WCCC 130** b Thornlie 76 & 9/66

November

5/12 **WCCC 9/235** b Maddington 8/133
19 Hilton/Palmyra 115 b **WCCC 35**
20 Southern River 5/195 b **WCCC 7/165**
26 Maddington 137 b **WCCC 80**

December

3 **WCCC 154** b Kwinana 34
10 **WCCC 174** b Kelmscott 118
17 **WCCC 182** b Thornlie 71

January

7 Kenwick 8/183 tied WCCC 83
14/21 **WCCC 9/186 & 2/26** b Kwinana 72 & 144
28/4 Hilton/Palmyra Melville

February

11/18 Southern River Centenary East
25/3 Kelmscott Centenary East

March

10/11 Semi-Finals
17/18 Final

FOURTH GRADE LADDER

	<u>1-Day Pts</u>	<u>Points</u>
HILTON/PALMYRA	69.27 *	130.8400
KENWICK	52.99	117.4025
WILLETTON CROWS	43.33	90.7600
SOUTHERN RIVER	53.37 *	89.8300
Kelmscott	32.37	64.6300
Maddington	46.05	60.0800
Kwinana	25.51	51.1700
Thornlie	30.49	44.5800



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THIRD XI REVIEW

WILLETTON CROWS v FREMANTLE

In their first match against Fremantle for many a year, Willetton made 147 with Kossy slamming 67 and only Jack Bamford and Jack Hawkins joined him in double figures. In reply, the visitors made 170 despite the efforts of Charleigh (4/34), Carlos (3/32) and AJ (2/34).

KARDINYA LAKES v WILLETTON CROWS

Bottom side Kardinya Lakes provided a tough challenge for the Willetton batsmen after they posted 216 (Carlos 3/30 and Biggsy 2/27), but unfortunately the home side fell 49 runs short with a score of 9/167. Stand-in skipper Wes top scored with 45 and Bam Bam chipped in with 35.

EAST FREMANTLE v WILLETTON CROWS

At Henry Jeffrey Reserve, the Crows made a disappointing 9/120 with openers Wes and Ravi being the highest scorers making 36 and 32 respectively, whilst AJ made an unbeaten 15. East Fremantle replied with 6/212 with Jack (Bam Bam) Bamford the chief wicket taker with 3/21.

FIXTURE

October

15 Riverton/Rostrata 7/199 b **WCCC 116**
 22 Cockburn 5/161 b **WCCC 131**
 29 S/J Blues 127 b **WCCC 121**

November

5 Armadale 1/117 drew WCCC
 12 **WCCC 7/181** b Riverton/Rostrata 66
 19 Southern Districts 5/227 b **WCCC 107**
 26 East Fremantle 6/162 b **WCCC 103**

December

3 **WCCC 5/258** b Kardinya Lakes 9/199
 10 Leeming Spartan 111 b **WCCC 97**
 17 **WCCC 181** b Cockburn 45

January

14 Fremantle 170 b **WCC 147**
 21 Kardinya Lakes 216 b **WCCC 9/167**
 28 East Fremantle 6/212 b **WCCC 9/120**

February

4	Southern Districts	Centenary West
11	Armadale	Centenary West
18	Fremantle	Fremantle Park (Sth)
25	Leeming Spartan	Peter Ellis

March

3	S/J Blues	Centenary West
10	Semi-Finals	
17	Final	

ONE DAY A LADDER

	<u>Points</u>
EAST FREMANTLE	113.0375
ARMADALE	108.0050
SOUTHERN DISTRICTS	93.5800
LEEMING SPARTAN	84.8800
S/J Blues	82.6400
Cockburn	76.3300
Fremantle	76.0000
Riverton/Rostrata	58.1200
WILLETTON CROWS	58.0900
Kardinya Lakes	57.3700



FOURTH XI REVIEW

KENWICK v WILLETTON CROWS

The Willetton Crows' match against Kenwick marked Lively's 450th game for the club, but unfortunately the milestone could not be celebrated with a win. Willetton made 142 with Lively top scoring with 37, Pom continued his good form with 21 and Stef made 19. The home side responded with 251 as Matt Sweeney nabbed 3/25, Pom took 3/43 and Huss finished with 2/45.

WILLETTON CROWS v COCKBURN

The Dan Davey-led side swept fellow finals contenders Cockburn aside at Centenary Park West to restricting the Cavaliers to 7/158 and making an emphatic 5/205 in reply. Ragu made life tough for the opposition batsmen with 2/18 and Danger Dan slammed 65, Nev hit 56 and Kossy added 36

RIVERTON/ROSTRATA v WILLETTON CROWS

With their third captain in three weeks, Cloughy's Crows made 7/140 with the skipper making 43 and Zoccs was unbeaten on 30 before Ragu weaved a spell to finish with 4/36 and Tommy captured 2/17.

FIXTURE

October

15 **WCCC 4/238** b Maddington 107
 22 Cockburn 4/90 b **WCCC 86**
 29 **WCCC 8/184** b Riverton/Rostrata 9/128

November

5 **WCCC** b Leeming Spartan (forfeit)
 12 Southern Districts 160 b **WCCC 88**
 19 **WCCC 8/152** b Kwinana 85
 26 Kenwick 166 **tied WCCC 166**

December

3 **WCCC 180** b Maddington 140
 10 **WCCC 5/226** b Canning Districts 83
 17 Southern Districts 8/180 b **WCCC 131**

January

14 Kenwick 251 b **WCCC 142**
 21 **WCCC 5/205** b Cockburn 7/158
 28 **WCCC 7/140** b Riverton/Rostrata 131

February

4	Kwinana	Gilmore College
11	Southern Districts	Dick Lawrence
18	Canning Districts	Centenary West
25	Riverton/Rostrata	Centenary West

March

3	Maddington	Burrendah
10	Semi-Finals	
17	Final	

ONE DAY D LADDER

	<u>Points</u>
KENWICK	112.8466
MADDINGTON	95.8375
WILLETTON CROWS	94.7100
SOUTHERN DISTRICTS	90.6075
Cockburn	77.5266
Kwinana	76.4400
Riverton/Rostrata	61.1500
Canning Districts	49.0733
Kelmescott (withdrawn)	19.8900
Leeming Spartan (withdrawn)	2.4500

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