



Fourth XI Match Report

ROUND 10 – 31/01/09

Johnson Park vs Knoxfield

Johnson Park 4/418 (L. Sebo 110, S. Reynolds 74, C. Nied 70*, P. Kallista 68,
J. Monahan 39)

Vs

Knoxfield

ROUND 9 – 24/01/09

Johnson Park vs Monbulk

Johnson Park 3/252 (S. Reynolds 92*, L. Sebo 72*)

Defeated

Monbulk 10/83 (B. Duke 4/40, B. Degraff 2/28, M. Owasia 2/11) &
10/79 (B. Duke 3/21, L. Sebo 3/34)

ROUND 8 – 10/01/09

Johnson Park vs Lysterfield

Johnson Park 10/142 (S. Reynolds 31, P. Trotter 26, L. Sebo 22)

Defeated

Lysterfield 7/139 (S. Reynolds 2/17, P. Trotter 2/19, B. Degraff 2/22)

JPCC 4th eleven played Lysterfield away. We won the toss and bowled lysterfield out for 139 on a small and very fast outfield. All the bowlers bowled well with most getting a wicket or two. The two Brendan's opened the bowling B1 (Duke) bowling 6 overs 0/20 and B2 with 2/22. Reynolds and Trotter bowled well together as the 2nd change bowlers, one bowling 'in-swing' the other bowling 'out-swing' and both picking up two wickets each for less than 20 runs (well done boys). Good fielding by everyone with only 3 dropped catches, 2 by Mona's and 1 by Scott (Both players have been at club for 20 years or more, so you think they would have learnt to catch by NOW!!).

The batting started off on the wrong foot with Mona's out for a duck and Dave out for 3, the score was at 2/13. Toby and Sebo were looking good until Toby went out with the score at 3/45, then Sebo went out and Chris followed for a duck putting the score at 5/45.

After six maidens in a row, DJ went out for the 3rd Duck of the game and in came Reynolds with a 6,4,4,6 getting us back on track. Scott pushed singles and the odd boundary before Reynolds went out at 7/78. Scott followed at 8/99, then Trotter came in to save the day with B1 and B2 who just got over the line with Trotter on 26. B2 made 16 and B1 made 7.

Well done boys good WIN !!!

ROUND 7 – 20/12/08 *Johnson Park vs Upper Ferntree Gully*

Johnson Park 0/82 (S. Reynolds 47*, J. Monahan 28*)

Defeated

Upper Ferntree Gully 10/77 (S.Pant 2/19, S. Reynolds 2/24, L. Sebo 2/24)

Lost the toss and we were put in to bowl. First three balls were 'no balls' until Shagga found his line wicket on the third legitimate ball, which setup an awesome day. The opening spells from Shagga and B.Duke was one of the best I have seen on the back oval in twenty years. They could not hit them at all, Shagga 2/19 and B.Duke 1/8 off their allotted nine overs each.

Two run-outs, one by Shagga and the other by Dinon (a direct hit) and then Sebo and Reynolds finished off the rest with Reynolds missing out on a hat trick (bad luck). Sebo is on a hat trick next game (good luck next week).

Went into bat needing 77 and Reynolds and Monas knocked over the score in 11 overs. The 5th over started with a six from Monas then a leg bye, then 4,4,4,6 from Reynolds - 24 off the over and we were sailing. Needing 2 to win Reynolds hit a six into the house that smashed the roof tile and lost the ball - Game Over.

Well done boys good team effort !!!

ROUND 6 – 06/12/08 *Johnson Park vs Knoxfield*

Johnson Park 0/4

Drew with

Knoxfield 9/344 (L. Sebo 4/61, B. Degraff 2/41)

Went off to Knoxfeild this week, it was the top of the table clash. Won the toss and bowled. We started well with a wicket off the second ball of the second over (well left by the Knoxfeild young opener). Two quick wickets to Degraff and then he started throwing up due to too many the night before. Bring on D.Duke with a wicket off his first ball, then a run-out and things were looking good at 4/51. Knoxfield got on top of us after that Shagga working his ass off with figures of 0/25 after 15 overs and finishing with 23 overs 1/67 (well bowled).

knoxfield were 6/247 when the rain forced us off the ground. When we came back on I gave Louie a bowl and he picked up the guy who was on 126 (well done). Then he hit Mona's in the face and he went off his tree, walking off the ground and the team just kept playing. Mona's eventually came back on with a fat lip and took a nice catch in slips Sebo finished with 4/61 (well bowled with a wet ball).

Next week Knoxfeild made us sit on our bums and watch the rain till 3 o'clock until the game was called off.

ROUND 5 – 29/11/08 *Johnson Park vs Ferntree Gully*

Johnson Park 7/140 (J. Monahan 35*, R. Gstrein 24, C. Nied 22)

Defeated

Ferntree Gully 10/109 (C. Nied 3/13, T. Mazurek 2/10, L. Sebo 2/18)

Batting first after winning the toss and the top order failed, losing 4 wickets early for 33.

Chris hung in with 22, then Josh and Richie put on 43 before the Monahan brothers put on 32, which got the score to 140.

Trent and Brownie opened the bowling both picking up wickets, Trent 1/9 (well bowled) and Brown 1/32. Tim and Sebo picked up two each and Neid cleaned up the tail with 3/13. Oh yeah, Richie picked up a wicket too.

Well done, good team win !!!

ROUND 4 – 15/11/08 *Johnson Park vs The Basin*

Johnson Park 4/376 (C. Nied 161*, T. Whilesmith 142, J. Monahan 21)

Defeated

The Basin 10/343 (A. Brown 3/43, D. Duke 2/49, C. Nied 2/15)

Top class performance by Chez and Tobes both posting massive totals to help JPCC to their 4th win of the season. Another score in the 20's leaves monahan pondering a batting season that could have been.

Seemed to be smooth sailing for JPCC having The Basin 3/41 early. The Basin batsmaen M.Newton and D. Gill then got going. Newton came in during the 11th over and was out in the 35th making 168 along the way including 15 of the biggest ones. Duke knocked over the tail to ensure that JPCC would get the points.

ROUND 3 – 01/11/08 *Johnson Park vs Monbulk*

Johnson Park 5/227 (D. Johnston 63, R. Gstrein 28*, L. Sebo 28)

Defeated

Monbulk 10/192 (R. Gstrein 3/41, D. Duke 2/21, M. Owasia 2/30)

Made the journey up to Monbulk College (wrecked lewis) and were out in the field after winning the toss. A class room was placed on cow corner and the grass was shin high, but

all in all a very solid game. We bowled really well. Wickets fell consistently right throughout. A blistering first spell by Shagga. We fielded to the best of our ability. There were more craters on this ground than there are on the moon.

Very solid batting as well with every batsman who batted making 20+

2-1 for the year lets keep it going!

ROUND 2 – 18/10/08 *Johnson Park vs Lysterfield*

Johnson Park 10/97 & 8/143 (L. Sebo 51*, D. Johnston 32*, J. Monahan 20)

Lost to

Lysterfield 10/257 (J. Gstrein 3/39, T. Van Vugt 3/41, D. Furneaux 2/13, T. Mazurek 2/14)

We lost the toss today and we were put in the field. We opened up with 2 young kids Sam Roy and Trent Van Vugt. Both kept it very tight early on. Sam Roy was very unlucky with the ball beating the bat on numerous occasions. He pulled off a blinder of a catch at square leg (one handed off a smoking pull shot). At tea we had them 6/110.

One of their blokes started teeing off after tea. Blasted 88 off what seemed 15 balls. That innings threw the match in their favour as we were now chasing 257.

We started shakily with the bat and never really recovered losing quick wickets right through the innings with no real resilience from anyone, we were bundled out for 97

Lysterfield put us back in and Monahan (with all his wisdom) decided to reverse the batting order and have some of the younger guys at the top of the order.

When we slumped to 5/20 in our second dig protecting outright, monahan was literally pulling the bare skin off his head because there is no hair left. Lewis made a timely 50 odd and DJ made a cameo of 32 to prevent Lysterfield from taking maximum points.

We were convincingly beaten.

ROUND 1 – 04/10/08

Johnson Park vs Mt. Gate

Johnson Park 5/180 (J. Hall 79*, M. Owasia 30, C. Neid 28*)

Defeated

Mt. Gate 7/112 (C. Nied 2/11)

A solid start to the year by the JPCC 4th XI. Chris Neid featured predominantly with bat and ball. Stand out with the bat was Jimmy Hall, batting the full 40 overs for his 79 not out.