

East Torrens Payneham Baseball Club

ANNUAL REPORT

2010/2011



MAJOR SPONSOR





2010 / 2011 OFFICE BEARERS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTE:

President: Vice President: Secretary: Assistant Secretary: Treasurer: Assistant Treasurer: Club Coach: Operations Manager:

MANAGEMENT COMMITTE:

BAR MANAGER: CANTEEN MANAGER: SPONSORSHIP MANAGER: SOCIAL CONVENOR: SCORERS DELEGATE: EQUIPMENT MANAGER: JUNIOR COACHING COORDINATOR: T-BALL COORDINATOR: WEBSITE MANAGER:

HOUSE AND GROUNDS:

UNIFORMS AND REGALIA: PLAYERS REPRESENTATIVE: Phil Lounder John Lamb Liz Lounder Mara Stephens Liz Lounder Glenys Snelgrove Damien Norsworthy Richard Bartlett

BLAKE ARMSTRONG DANI GALLOWAY DAMIEN NORSWORTHY KANE GALLOWAY CAROLINE SMITH ANDREW QUALMANN PAUL SOWTER STUART MILLAR MARK SNELGROVE

Andrew Qualmann Richard Smith Liz Lounder Todd Symons



2010 / 2011 COACHING STAFF

SENIORS		
DIVISION ONE:	Damien Norsworthy Darian King Jeff Kevan	
DIVISION TWO:	Kane Galloway Steve Yeatman	
DIVISION THREE:	Adam Matthews	
DIVISION FIVE:	Tom Gadd Peter Haynes	
DIVISION SIX:	BLAKE ARMSTRONG	
DIVISION EIGHT:	Kate Curyer Trish Hollands	

JUNIORS

Under 18:	Nathan Brougham
Under 16 (1):	Travis Curyer Fraser Fyfe Adam Curtis
Under 14 (1):	Michael McKenzie Richard Hollands
Under 14 (2):	Richard Lounder
LL MAJOR:	Graig Gillespie Scott Thompson Michael Farr
LL MINOR REDSOX:	Brad Hillier
LL MINOR EAST TORRENS:	John Carisimo Corey Armstrong





LIFE MEMBERS

YEAR	LIFE MEMBER	PLAYER LIFE MEMBER
1962	G. Draper [†]	
1964	Mrs A Roberts [†]	
1965	G FENWICK [†]	
1966	P ROBERTS [†]	
1967	R Edmeades	
1968	D ROBERTS	
1968/69	D Roach	
1969/70	К Рітт	
1970/71	J TOWILL	
1972/73	B HAYLEY	
1973/74	B Addison	
1975/76	D DATE [†]	
1976/77	R KENEALLY	
1977/78	J DAVIS	
1979/80	А Ѕмітн	
1980/81	B Marks [†]	
1981/82	Mrs L Maddison	
1981/82	Ρ Ρικε†	
1983/84		G McKinlay
1984/85		G MADDISON
1985/86		D TOWILL
1986/87		G WILDEN
1987/88	J King	
1988/89	T Bennett, T Maddison [†]	
1989/90	R Abbey	
1990/91	R Rush	W BROOKS, C WHITTLESEA
1991/92	R CHANDLER	S Ρικε
1992-93	P KEEN	G Andrew, B Bahnert
1993/94	R Robinson	P Haynes, J Lamb,
1994/95		J Kevan
1995/96	D RICE	M Barmby, B Sanderson, P White
1996/97		I LOVEGROVE
1999/00		M Adams, G Morrow, P Chandler
2000/01	B DAY	M Rush
2001/02	S Ρικε	
2002/03	JWILTON	P O'RILEY, D ROBINSON , L THOMPSON
2003/04	Mrs H Brooks	K Hribar, G McCall, R Smith
2004/05	B Norsworthy	
2006/07	B SANDERSON	D Symons, R Trengrove
2007/08	Mrs V Addison	A COUZNER, J KING, B ARMSTRONG
2008/09	P CHANDLER	D KING, C ARMSTRONG





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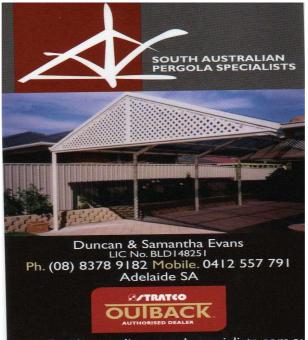


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Minutes of ETPBC AGM Held 21st July 2010 @ ETPBC Clubrooms

Start: 7.35pm

Apologies: - Rita Ingerson, Brian Sanderson, Paul Sutton, Glenys Snelgrove, Lauren Sanderson, Ron Kenneally, Paul Sowter, Jill Chandler, Jodie Chandler, Matt Rawlinson, Bob Norseworthy, Darren Robinson, Blake Armstrong, Corey Armstrong

Present: As per listing 50 attendees

Phil Lounder thanked everyone for attending and ran through the minutes of last year.

Minutes of 2008/09 AGM

Paul Chandler Approved – John Lamb 2nd = all in favour.

Secretary Report Refer to yearbook

Treasurer Report

Troy Harrington ran through the financials. Net position has changed from a \$9,500 loss to \$21,200 profit. Phil Lounder advised we are up to date with payment arrangement with BasballSA and current debt is approx \$7,000.

T – Ball gave ETPBC a \$3,000 chq today and Phil thanked the T-Ball for their continued support and financial assistance throughout the years.

John King asked to speak on behalf of the ETPBC members, and would like to thank the Committee for their work in turning around the club and getting it back on track.

Nominations

Patron	The Mayor is usually asked to be the Patron and the members requested this to continue.
President	Phil Lounder advised he would stand again.
	Carolyn Smith nominated – Brian Addison 2 nd = all in favour
Vice Pres	John Lamb advised he would stand again.
	Phil Lounder nominated – Paul Chandler 2 nd = all in favour
Treasurer	Liz Lounder advised she would stand
	Troy Harrington nominated – John Lamb 2 nd = all in favour
Secretary	No nominations
Assist Sec	No nominations
Assist Trea	as Glenys Snelgrove advised via email she would stand
	Liz Lounder nominated — John Lamb 2 nd = all in favour
Honorary	Auditor Desley Edwards advised she would stand again
	Phil Lounder nominated – John Lamb 2 nd = all in favour
Ron	Chandler asked if there was a cost involved to get book audited. Phil advised Desley does not
char	ge and cost would normally be approx \$1,000 per year. Thanked Desley and her company for
their	

continued support of ETPBC



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Our senior coaching staff, led by Damien Norsworthy had a difficult season on the field with our Div. 1 team, winning only a handful of games despite being in most games and never getting 'thumped' in any one game.

There are many positives to look forward to and with continued perseverance and the ongoing development, mentoring and coaching of our junior talent we should be a force in years to come.

We had some success with our Division 2 team making the top 4 but losing the Preliminary Final, our Division 6 team losing in the Grand Final, our Division 8 team losing their Preliminary Final and our under 18's losing their Grand Final.

Our junior teams had some success with reaching the finals in U/14's.

We had many junior state representatives this year with 7 Under 18's, 2 Under 16's and several little league representatives, and 2 Australian representatives.

We also had many individual highlights including league medal winners for the Best Player in their Division in Steve Yeatman, Dylan Rollins and Carlos Carisimo.

My sincere thanks to Liz Lounder for the brilliant job she has done in handling the Secretary and Treasurers job. She was assisted by Glenys Snelgrove and Mara Stephens and thank you for your help.

Our finances have been turned around over the last 2 years from a position of having less than \$300 in the bank at the start of the season 2 years ago and owing Baseball SA over \$18,500, to owing nothing and having \$13,500 in the bank.

This has been the result of a business like approach to the running of the club and I am sure that this can continue to be maintained in the years to come.

The grounds are a big job and require attention every week. Richard Smith has managed this role for many years and this year received a lot of support from Andrew Qualmann in particular and several players including Gus Andrews and others who diligently get the lines marked on a Saturday morning. Thank you from all the players who played on a quality diamond this year.





PRESIDENT'S REPORT

My thanks to John Lamb who did more than just assisting as the Vice President and helped take on many functions throughout the year.

I would like to thank all the coaches, assistants and scorers for volunteering their time and hope that your involvement in the game and the club is a rewarding one.

The Bar and the Canteen are essential elements of any sporting club and these functions are critical to the ongoing success of the club. Many thanks to Blake Armstrong, for his work behind the bar in managing a time consuming and difficult role.

We had no volunteers for the canteen this year and accordingly we were able to get Dani Galloway to look after the canteen as a paid position and thank you to Dani and all the volunteers who put in their time and in particular to Rita Ingerson for her famous cooking on Sunday Division 1 home games.

Our Junior Co-ordinator was Paul Sowter and I congratulate him on a good year in this role. I believe his role further strengthened the clubs communication between all junior coaches and parents, and I hope that he can continue in this role and further develop his involvement. Many thanks also to Angela McKenzie who, I know assisted Paul in his coordination efforts.

Our club cannot continue to survive without the generous support of our Club Sponsors. Where possible please look to support these businesses, so that they can continue to support our club. Their contribution is invaluable and I would like to thank all those that are listed on the pages within this report.

Good luck to ETPBC in the future as I am stepping down to seek a role as a director of Baseball SA and hopefully make a contribution to the overall sport in general.

Phil Lounder ETPBC President 2010/2011





SECRETARY'S REPORT

This year due to no other person nominating for the Secretaries position at the AGM, I found myself in the duel position of both Secretary and Treasurer.

ETPBC nominated and fielded 13 teams in the competition again this season which meant the administration of over 325 people which included players, coaches, managers, etc. On top of this, the Executive Committee made the decision to change the uniform for both Senior and Junior players. This was also another administration and organisational, time consuming event. However, the uniforms looked great and the Senior players were very happy with the new lightweight tops they now wore, especially when having to play in the hot weather.

We had the misfortune of having our clubrooms broken into this season. This highlighted an error in our policy, which was made by the Insurer. From this, we have now changed our Insurance Policy to have a joint policy with East Torrens Lacrosse Club, which has saved ETPBC money and has given us a better and more comprehensive coverage.

Our ongoing issues with the City of Norwood, Payneham and St Peters Council regarding the upkeep and maintenance issues at the clubrooms, unfortunately continue. Whilst they continue to increase the rent for our 6 months, the clubrooms continue to deteriorate.

Both the Baseball and Lacrosse Clubs have made a "wish list" of things we see as priorities to have fixed. Number 1 would be the canteen. This will be at considerable expense to both of our clubs and we are looking at holding joint fundraising events to raise capital to have the canteen done.

I'm pleased to say that ETPBC is now debt free having completed all its loan repayments to Baseball SA on time. This is a great result for our club, which can now move forward financially in the future and use any funds raised to go back into the development and improvement of our club.

I would like to thank all the volunteers that have helped throughout the year. Whether it be helping Dani in the canteen, preparing the grounds or scoring games. Without your efforts, we simply would not be able to get everything done. This does not mean we don't need more people to help. The more volunteers we have the easier it is for all. Please consider this in the future if you are annoyed that something has not been done please do what you can to help out.

Personally, I would like to thank Paul Sowter and Angela McKenzie who did an enormous amount of work for me with the Junior teams. It meant I did not have to be at the club every night as the communication we had worked very well, most of the time. With 7 Junior teams and 6 Senior teams, I believe we are almost at the stage of having to have a Junior and a Senior Committee. This is something for the new Executive Committee to consider in the future.

On that note, I would like to thank the members for the opportunity of being on the Committee of ETPBC for the past 4 years. My focus and intent was always for the benefit of the club as a whole.

I wish the new Executive and Management Committees continued success for the future.

See you at the games.

Sincerely, Liz Lounder

ETPBC Secretary 2010/2011





AUDITOR'S REPORT

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TIM MAJOR ANDREW MAY

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF



EAST TORRENS PAYNEHAM BASEBALL CLUB INC.

Scope

We have audited the special purpose financial report, of the East Torrens Payneham Baseball Club Incorporated for the year ended 30th June, 2011. The Committee is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the financial statements and the information contained therein, and has determined that the accounting policies used are consistent with the reporting requirements of the constitution and are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. We have conducted an independent audit of the financial statements in order to express an opinion to the members on their preparation and presentation. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used are appropriate to the needs of the members. During our audit, we have obtained all of the information and explanations we have required.

The financial statements have been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the Committee's financial reporting requirements under the constitution. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial statements to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

Our audit has generally been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial statements. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion as to whether, in all material respects, the financial statements are presented fairly in accordance with the accounting policies applied.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

Qualification

As is common for organisations of this type, it is not practicable for East Torrens Payneham Baseball Club Incorporated to maintain an effective system of internal control over income from membership fees, merchandise sales and other fund raising activities until their initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, our audit in relation to these items was limited to amounts recorded.

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AUDITOR'S REPORT

Opinion

In our opinion, subject to the effects of the above qualification, the financial statements present fairly, in accordance with the accounting policies applied, the affairs of East Torrens Payneham Baseball Club Incorporated as at 30th June, 2011 and the results for the year ended on that date.

Signed at Norwood this N^{*C} day of July, 2011.

MAJOR MAY & ASSOCIATES Chartered Accountants

TIM MAJOR Partner (Registered Company Auditor)





JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT

Right from the start I had big shoes to fill, Paul Chandler has done a great job the last two years after taking over from John (and still does). Paul has offered his help and advice which was greatly appreciated. Angela McKenzie volunteered to be the assistant Junior Coordinator. Thanks very much for your support and assistance.

The start of the season is by far the hardest part of this job, having the number of coaches who volunteered, where cajoled into taking on the junior roles made my job a lot easier.

Thank you to the committee for having faith in me to do this important job. There are many at the club who deserve my thanks, form the President and Secretary to the Canteen Manger, Sponsorship Coordinator and ground crew. (Any help on Saturday mornings during the season will be greatly appreciated) Thank you to all the parents, grandparents and carers who bring the young players to training and games, and who help set up shades and junior diamonds.

<u>Little League Minor North – Ron Chandler League</u> REDSOX 6 wins 11 losses 5th position Coached by: Brad Hillier (First year at the club) Assisted by: Tim Michael Started this year with 8 players, finished with 12

EAST TORRENS 9 wins 8 losses 2nd position Coached by: John Carisimo Assisted by: Corey Armstrong Started with 9 players, finished with 11

<u>Little League Major North – Ron MacBeth League</u>

EAST TORRENS 1 win 11 losses 7th position Coached by: Craig Gillespie Assisted by: Scott Thompson and Michael Farr A list of 10 players, however Tyler couldn't play until after Christmas.

Under 14/2 – Max Puckett League

EAST TORRENS 3 wins 11 losses 6th position Coached by: Richard Lounder Assisted by: Stuart Yorston Assisted by: Gary Torkington





JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR'S REPORT

<u>Under 14/1 – Kevin Greatrex League</u>

EAST TORRENS 9 wins 6 losses 4th position Coached by Michael McKenzie Assisted by Richard Hollands and Hiro Hamano Lost elimination final to finish 5th

<u> Under 16/1 – Greg Elkson League</u>

EAST TORRENS 3 wins 12 losses 7th position Coached by Travis Curyer Assisted by Gary Torkington

East Torrens Medal Winners and Representatives

Well done to Carlos Carisimo, Joint medal winner in the Little League North Division.

Payne Sowter – Inaugural Junior Umpire of the Year Payne also umpired at the SA Little League Tournament in Berri, and the Australian Little League Tournament on the Gold Coast.

Northern Adelaide All Stars		
Coach: Craig Gillespie Braydon Nadge	<u>Under 14 – SA Bite</u>	
James Livesy Ryuji Hamano	Ryuji Hamano	
	<u>Under 16 – SA Bite</u>	
	Jarryd Nadge	
	James Snelgrove	
Congratulations to our club award w	inners	
Jordon Golley - Max Trengrov	ve Junior Batting Award	
Payne Sowter - REDSOX Club	Trophy	
Thank you to all who helped me and especially my family, without you it would not have been possible to		
take on this responsibility.		

Paul Sowter ETPBC Junior Coordinator 2010/2011





BAR REPORT

It was late one night in May 2010 when I was asked if I was interested in running the bar as Chuckles was hanging up the bottle opener. In a flash I said, "Yeah I could do that," thinking it will only take a few hours a week, how wrong I was.

This is a serious commitment of time and energy, without even trying, it amounts to about 20-30 hours a week.

This is a job, like the canteen that should be shared amongst a group of people, with one person overseeing and purchasing stock, supported by a team of helpers.

I am keen to continue in this role supported by a team of helpers. I have had offers of assistance from nearly all of the Division 6 boys which I will follow up on leading into the 2011/2012 season.

During the past season we were profitable however we had numerous hurdles to overcome which impacted our ability to attract a crowd and ultimately our bottom line. In particular we were up against the inaugural ABL season, no midweek twilight games and a very mild summer.

There were numerous helpers through the season and I would like to say thankyou to you all and in particular Chops, Gus, G Banger, Big Fish, The Snelgrove's and Klemmy.

Over the past couple of seasons the club has gone from being deep in the red to being very strongly in the black.

This was primarily achieved by the extraordinary efforts of the Lounder's. I would like to personally say thankyou and I hope you enjoy your next adventure.

It's now up to the rest of us to continue to maintain and build what has been created to ensure our long time future and success.

Bring on the new season!!

See you at OUR CLUB!

Cheers.

Blake Armstrong ETPBC Bar Manager 2010/2011





CANTEEN REPORT

This year has been a great year for the canteen with a net profit \$9823.45. Thursday night dinners were cut down to once a month and this worked well.

Whole club training was run a few times on these nights and this worked really well, with lots of people staying for dinner. Dinners after our Division One and Two homes games were really well received and it was great to see a lot of people staying for a meal.

Shopping around this season has added to our profits with a new bread supplier and wherever possible we have used suppliers who are club or player sponsors.

We, as club people still need to put our hands up and help out once or twice a season so that the canteen can be open for all Divisions.

I would like to thank everyone who did help out this season. A big thank you to Rita Ingerson, Barb Lamb, Sharron Farr, Marnie Yeatman and Sophie Hayes who where in the canteen every weekend.

I would also like to thank Jamie Armstrong who worked till the Christmas break on the Division One and Divion Two away games. Jamie was fortunate enough to gain other employment, so sadly, he had to leave us.

Thank you to the ladies who cooked the Christmas dinner, once again it was wonderful. Thank you to Blake Armstrong for the constant support from behind the bar.

This season saw us needing to fix the fridge and also the cool room, next season I hope we might be able to do something about the bench tops but, as we all know the council is a problem.

With everyone working together I am sure this coming season will be a great one not only for the canteen but for the whole club.

Thank you to the committee for giving me the opportunity to run the canteen this year.

Dani Galloway ETPBC Canteen Manageress 2010/2011





TEE BALL COORDINATOR'S REPORT

The Tee Ball committee for the season included Valerie Clayton and myself. With the help of Paul Chandler we were able to get the season up and running with a total of six teams, three of which came from schools (Paracombe, St. Pius and Highbury) and the other three were club sides.

Five juniors volunteered to coach – Thomas and Jack Clayton, Adam Marotta, Jarrad Nadge and Payne Sowter. The competition ran two eight week blocks in terms 1 and 4, although we did lose a couple of weeks due to rain, who would have thought that, would happen?!

The club sides featured a total of 41 players over the two terms with a large portion new to Tee Ball, a positive for the club in putting future junior teams together.

Hopefully most of these players will continue with Tee Ball next season while others will be moving up to Little League where I am sure they will be able to hold their own based on what I have seen.

Thanks to all the under 14's who volunteered to umpire each week as part of their training, games would not have been possible without their help. All handled themselves well and received positive compliments from parents.

For those who came out and helped each week I am very grateful – Geoff Clayton and Paul Sowter on the BBQ, it would not have been possible without their help along with all those who spent some time in the canteen over the course of the season, a little help goes a long way.

As always, Valerie does a wonderful job in the role of Treasurer and kept things running smoothly by collecting fees and keeping the accounts.

I am optimistic about the prospect of growing the competition next season to incorporate more teams, both school and club.

The launch of the Aussie Tee Ball program has also placed the opportunity to play Tee Ball All-Stars back on the table.

A partnership with Woodville and Gawler along with another club is being explored to get the competition up and running, any support for this cause would be well received.

Thank you to everybody for helping over the course of the season and I look forward to seeing you all next year for another six months of Friday night Tee Ball.

Stuart Millar Program Coordinator 2010/2011





CLUB AWARDS

GRAHAM FISCHER MEMORIAL TROPHY

Andrew Qualmann

GEORGE HAYMAN SHIELD

U18s - Nathan Brougham

PETER PIKE COACH OF THE YEAR

Nathan Brougham





CLUB AWARDS

Division 1

Best & Fairest - Travis Underhill Batting - Glenn Simmons Gold Glove - Brad Thomas

Division 2

Best & Fairest - Steve Yeatman Batting - Troy Harrington Coaches - Drew Brougham

<u>Under 18</u>

Best & Fairest - Jimmy Hollands Batting - Mitch Daly Most Consistent - Luke Chandler

Division 3

Best & Fairest - Matt Rawlinson Batting - Matt Rawlinson Coaches - Darren Robinson

Division 5

Best & Fairest - Phil Lounder Coaches - Hiro Hamano Encouragement Award - Mark Snelgrove

Division 6

Best & Fairest - Michael Farr Batting - John Lamb Mr Utility - Guy Andrew

Division 8

Best & Fairest - Dylan Rollins Batting - Travis Curyer Coaches - James Whitrow





DIVISION ONE REPORT

Success can be simply termed, 'the <u>achievement</u> of one's <u>aim</u> or <u>goal</u>'. It would be then from what chair you sit as to whether the 2010-2011 Division One season was a success, or a failure. To best look at this we need to first identify what the aims were:-

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- Build a strong team philosophy
- Solid defence across all aspects, focusing on fundamentals
- Expose junior players to senior levels

The attitudes from a coach's point of view are slowly changing and the team philosophy that as a staff, we want to install in all players coming through is building. There has been success in this area however, there is still a lot of work required and the toughness that the ETPBC use to show on the park is developing. It is the consistency in this attitude that now needs to build, but all the signs are there.

Defence was probably our biggest disappointment in 2010-2011. To use statistics to make my point, on average we made 2 errors per game, and gave up an average of 7 walks per game. Now errors are part of the game and I certainly cannot fault effort, however at critical times in games we managed to find a way to allow teams opportunity.

This is where as a collective group we failed. For over 75% of games played we had opportunities to win, including several solid leads in late innings, but managed to find a way to lose. This brings me back to the philosophy, which at times shines bright, others a mere flicker.

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DIVISION ONE REPORT

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What was pleasing was how many players were exposed to Division One baseball. 3 of our regular starters were under the age of 18, 5 further players under the age of 18 were exposed to game time, and a further 3 players under the age of 21 also had some game time. This is a pleasing sign for the club and something East Torrens as a collective club should be proud of.

What makes this work though is the consistent effort of the senior players, 2 of which made the Baseball SA All Star Team 2010/2011. Congratulations to Glenn Simmons and Travis Underhill for their tremendous efforts this year and it's wonderful that those efforts are recognized across the League. It is this solid senior support that allows the youth to develop in the right environment.

Glenn went on to win the club Batting Title for Division One, hitting .383 and Travis quite comfortably winning the club Best & Fairest for Division One. Further to these two seniors having wonderful years, Brad Thomas gets a mention for his move from Third Base to Shortstop and making some amazing plays.

Brad won the club Gold Glove award and thoroughly deserved it with his great talent as a defensive infielder.

East Torrens had some 9 players selected in Junior State Teams, James Snelgrove in an Australian AA Junior Squad, Jarryd Klemm and Joe Atkins heading to the Australian Baseball Academy on the Gold Coast and Joe Atkins signing a professional contract, with The Kansas City Royals, with hopefully more signings to come. What a great position for a club to be in.

Success in the win loss column, no... Success from a coach's point of view, well no, we didn't make finals, but if we look at success in the form of achieving certain goals, well then overall we had a successful year. Now I am sure there are ONE or a few who would disagree and that is fine, but what makes this success grow is positive support from across the board, executive level right down to the spectators. Positivity and support will continue to push this team and club forward to where we all want to be.

I will leave you all to develop your own opinions, but will finish this portion of my report with this.

Respect ETPBC; Respect your TEAM-MATES; Respect the GAME. Be accountable, be responsible and be respectful on and off the field. BASEBALL REVEALS CHARACTER, IT DOESN'T BUILD IT.

Let's all take those words and put them into action no matter what role you play!





DIVISION ONE REPORT

A big thank you needs to go to Steve Klemm for his tireless work and to Fraser Lee for his support across both Division One and Two. Todd Symons, our Player's Representative, had the un-enviable task of chasing up money and making sure the managers have the appropriate funds.

A job well done Todd. Carolyn Smith for scoring, a thankless job at times and certainly one we cannot do without, thank you for your stats and all the time required, it is much appreciated, more than you know.

Thanks to Richard (Dicky) Smith for his work on the ground and in particular his support staff Andrew Qualmann and Co for their support of the grounds and to Dicky. To all levels of management, it is the tireless work done that ensures success of sporting clubs and this certainly does not go unnoticed. Thank you for ensuring East Torrens continues to strive forward.

Thank you to my coaches, impossible to manage without you. To Darian King for his hard work and wisdom, Jeff Kevan for his assistance, always valuable, Kane Galloway for taking on the Division Two team and doing a wonderful job right into the finals. Steve Yeatman for his work as player and coach and Nathan Brougham who had a wonderful year as Under 18 coach and hopefully learnt a lot and will continue to develop into a great coach.

Congratulations to Nathan and his team for making it to the Grand Final, unlucky in the end but hopefully a bigger and better showing next year.

Thank you last to my wonderful family, Bec, Lucas and Sam, always supportive and to my mum and dad and mother in law for looking after Lucas so I could make more trainings.

Damien Norsworthy Division One Coach 2010/2011





DIVISION TWO REPORT

The 2010/11 season saw the men go one better than last season, but still fall short of a Grand Final appearance. We finished the year with 11 wins, 4 loses and 2 drawn results. This was enough to secure a home final. The boys came out firing in the first Elimination Final, knocking out Port Adelaide with a 16-1 win.

The win set up a Semi Final against top of the table Kensington, ETPBC held a 4-3 lead going into the 5th inning but we were unable to score late in the game and went down 7-4.

Congratulations to Steve Yeatman for winning the Medal for The Best and Fairest in Division Two and also taking home the Club Award for Best and Fairest in Division Two.

Troy Harrington was outstanding with the bat with an average well over .400 earning the Batting Title

New recruit Drew Brougham picked up the coaches award doing a great job in relief and supporting a great team attitude.

I have a few thankyous to the following people who helped this year:

A big thank you needs to go to our Team Managers for 2010/2011, Steve Klemm and Fraser Lee for their superb efforts throughout the season

To Lauren, Sharon, Shelly, Gail and Desley for scoring, certainly a job that we cannot do without thank you for the time you put, your efforts are much appreciated.

Thank you to Richard (Dicky) Smith for his work on the ground and his support staff in Andrew Qualmann, and everyone else who did their part in taking care of the grounds.

To the ETPBC Committee, for the hard work and the hours that you have all put in this year. Thankyou very much, a job well done.

To my assistant Steve Yeatman thank you for all your help throughout the season. Damien Norsworthy, Darian King and Jeff Kevan your support is also fantastic and is much appreciated.

Congratulations to the 9 players selected in Junior State Teams in 2010/2011. James Snelgrove was selected in the Australian AA Junior Squad, Jarryd Klemm and Joe Atkins were invited to the Australian Baseball Academy on the Gold Coast and Joe Atkins signed a professional contract, with The Kansas City Royals, after a successful tournament with the National U/18s team. Good Luck Champ

A special thank you to Dani, Kaili and Dakota for you support and understanding.

Yours in Baseball.

Kane Galloway Division Two Coach 2010/2011







DIVISION THREE REPORT

Our season began at home with confidence and ended with frustration and disappointment. Division 3 picked up quite a few players this season. Beggy due to Sunday work commitments, Jonesy after a year off and four more guys – Smithy, Braggsy, Roscoe & Glenny all of which had a crack at an A Grade pre-season but were selected by Division 3 to hone their skills. On paper with the 6-8 Division 3 regulars it looked good for a competitive season.

In all honesty, and I believe most of our guys will agree, almost all our players just had a bad season. Not taking anything away from our award winners but even those guys have had better overall seasons. We just couldn't get any momentum in games and other that Mad Matt, Braggsy and Glenny as well we couldn't get a consistent batting contribution from the team. When we did we had a shocker in the field (yours truly had a career high for errors in a season!!)

We went through six games without a win although two games against top sides were 1 run games and both winnable. We then halved the next 12 to end up 6 wins, 12 losses. A great competitive 10-11 loss to the eventual Premiers, Goodwood, and a 2-1 win over Glenelg were our highlight games. We did cop some injuries to Beggy, Jonesy, Robbo, Ralphy and Braggsy throughout the season but this was no excuse, we should have had the depth.

Congratulations to Matty for taking out a well deserved Batting Trophy and the Best & Fairest double!! Enjoy it mate, especially after the "You didn't win it this year Robbo" comments made on the night... got a feeling he will be after it next season.

To Robbo, my coaches award winner, still one of the most frustrating pitchers in our Division who I am glad plays for us! Still puts sides to shame when he is at his best.

To O.M.R. (Old Man Robbo) thanks again for your support with the cordial, scoring and managing throughout the season. I think if you weren't around for us we would be lost. Cheers mate! A big thankyou to all Bar staff (and Mr Large), to Dani and the canteen staff and everyone who helped with the grounds, and to everyone else who made our grounds and facilities A1.

In closing, probably this season more than any other throughout my coaching, I had to really try everything to find a winning combination. I've learnt sometimes you can influence games and other times things just happen. We all pulled together toward the end of the season... it just took that long to get a consistent contribution. Baseball... the game that can p**s you off one week and enthral you the next. This is why we play the game!

Adam Matthews Division Three Coach 2010/2011





DIVISION FIVE REPORT

The Division 5 team did not have its best year on record.

Played 18, won 5, lost 11 and two draws to finish eighth out of the 10 teams, which, as it turned out, meant no finals action this year.

The main problem was a lack of a regular pitcher, with just about everyone having a start at some stage, backed up by some of the juniors who helped out along the way.

It was a year of comebacks with George McKinlay playing just enough games to get to the 500 career games mark. He turned the clock back a long way to pitch that entire match in front of a receptive crowd. It will probably be at least a full season before his arm recovers.

Tony Rogers also came back and his enthusiasm both on the field and in working out his batting average each week provided some additional support.

Scoop Haynes also played again after a season off, but his hitting did not come back with him and this was not helped by him missing most practice sessions.

Phil Lounder quite deservedly won the Best and Fairest award for the year and was easily the best East Torrens player in league, as shown at the League Medal Count.

Hiro Hamano won the batting trophy. He attended just about every practice and constantly gave us a chance by getting on base on most occasions.

Mick McKenzie and "Kouta" Carter were good contributors, while Tom Gad continued to amaze everyone with his youthful enthusiasm.

Good contributions were also made during the year by Richard Wedding, Richard Lounder, Paul Sutton, Rhys Lounder, Charles Kneebone and Mark and Richard Snelgrove, with additional support from Division 3 and under 18 players.

Thanks also to everyone else who supported the team during year.

Tom Gadd and Peter Haynes Division Five Coaches 2010/2011





DIVISION SIX REPORT

The 2010 -2011 Div 6 season was a great ride with many highlights. Going through the season having only lost 3 games and drawing 1 to finish Minor Premiers was certainly a reflection of the great year we had. With our bats performing incredibly well all season unfortunately it wasn't the case in the Grand Final, going down to Glenelg 15-7 after a very tight tussle for 6 digs, one flag from 4 attempts over recent years is a bitter pill to swallow. Thankfully the therapy sessions are now paying off.

During the year we had some memorable road trips, one in particular stands out. Playing against a struggling H & G side on their second ground Uncle Chop Chop discovered Assistant Coach Tim Rendell had bought his kit bag with him. Not quite sure why because his only requirements each week was the form guide and a packet of Dunhill Blue. Anyway Chopper discovered that Big Tim had a full snorkelling get up in his bag which he decided to put on whilst sitting on the bench in the bottom of the last. The look on the faces of our boys as they came off the diamond to see Chops with all the gear on was absolute gold, laughter including tears all round.

Our trophy winners for the past season all had stand out years, Michael (Midge) Farr took out the B & F taking on many roles and showing us his hitting prowess regularly. John (Chop Chop) Lamb took out the Batting Award which was hotly contested with 5 players hitting above 450 and Desmond Guy (Gussy) Andrew taking the Best Utility Award, I think Gus played in every position this season except pitch and catch, and he hit the ball like a champ. One person in particular who deserves a mention for the heart he shows on a weekly basis is the Big Unit Karl Hribar, he was our main stay on the hill for the bulk of the year and would often throw 100 pitches plus to win us a game.

We had many minor injuries during the year, which was pretty standard for a bunch of elite athletes unfortunately we had one major injury with Brenton Kenneally rupturing his ACL which stretched us both defensively and offensively as he was having a stellar year. He has since had a reconstruction and is recovering well, we look forward to seeing him back on the paddock soon.

We had a few "fill in's" through the year to help us over the line which is much appreciated, so thank you to the father and son combination of the Lounders, club legend Tom Gad, Scott Thomson and Glenn Fuller. I would also like to thank Tim Rendell for his assistance on game day, our number 1 ticket holder Brian McCall for attending nearly all of our games including the ones when Greg wasn't playing and to Ryan Kenneally for helping one of the most dedicated club people I have ever had the pleasure of being involved with, Rita you are a Fu*\$@%n Champion. Your weekly comments in the scorer's book are gold and are not to be missed.

In closing I would like to thank the girls who offered their time in the canteen during our games and quite often covering other games, in particular Barb and Sharon, thankyou. All in all a great season, let's make next season even more memorable.

Blake Armstrong Division Six Coach 2010/2011





U18 DIVISION ONE REPORT

It was an all but perfect season for us. We were Minor Premiers, having gone undefeated throughout the season. After being mercied by West Torrens in the Semi Final, we got our first taste of what it was like to lose as a team and it didn't feel good.

However, to the boys credit, we bounced back the following week with a convincing win over Sturt, to meet West Torrens, again, this time in the Grand Final. Although we didn't come away with the chocolates, faltering in the 6th, in what can only be described as "The inning from hell", we certainly achieved above and beyond all expectations.

Being new to the club, I couldn't ask for a better bunch of young lads to have on the team. The team morale, that was formed was like no other I'd seen before, in a team that was completely new to everyone.

As the season went on, we had Jay Sanderson, Brandon Lee and Jarryd Klemm, all play up the Senior ranks. Four more players from our core playing group also earned playing time in the Senior ranks.

Most Consistent - Luke Chandler

He was always at training, getting in any extra work where he could and it showed on the field. He produced runs in the middle of the line-up and had also had a solid season behind the dish. His productive bat, and positive attitude towards baseball saw him rewarded with game time in Division One and game time behind the plate in Division Two. Luke has a bright future ahead of him and will only continue to improve.

Batting Award - Mitch Daly

Mitch had an outstanding season with the bat as our lead off, hitting .471. He took long counts every at bat, drove the ball extremely well to the right side, showed great speed between the bases and to his credit only struck out once all season.

Best and Fairest - Jimmy Hollands

Jimmy was an absolute pleasure to have on the team. He was always entertaining and really, the spark of the team. He let his performances do the talking. He eats, breathes... And sleeps baseball. Always competes to the highest level and had a stellar season on the mound with a 1.57 ERA, 37 SO over 40 2/3 innings.

A special mention to both James Snelgrove and Charles Livingston. James Snelgrove had a terrific season on the mound for us and was selected in the Australian AA Junior Team, that travelled to New Zealand. Charles Livingston, who I was told had only ever played a season and a half of baseball before, earned the nickname "Clutch" after three come from behind wins on the back of his last innings RBI base knocks.





U18 DIVISION ONE REPORT

To all our players, that played this year, thankyou for such a fantastic season, we learnt a lot, improved greatly and had a lot of fun along the way. I wish you all the very best, for what, hopefully will be for many seasons to come.

I would like to thank Tony Kneebone, my Assistant Coach, and Phil Lounder for the many tireless hours spent at training, hitting the fungos, and throwing BP, your support this year was invaluable. Thankyou to Damien Norsworthy and the Senior Coaching Staff, for answering all my questions and helping me to continue my development as a coach.

Thank you to Sharon Chandler for scoring and completing the stats each Monday, to Glenys Snelgrove, for also scoring. Both your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Finally, thankyou to all of the Senior Squad, and everyone involved throughout the club, for the support of my brother Drew and I, this is a brilliant club to be apart of and ETPBC has some very exciting times ahead.

Nathan Brougham U/18 Division One Coach 2010/2011





UNDER 14 DIVISION ONE REPORT

We started the season not really knowing what to expect. We finished the season with an appearance in the finals. All in all, this suggests we had some form of success.

After the trials matches at Southern Districts my enthusiasm grew, as I knew we had some ball players to combat the opposition. The squad comprised of 5 second year players and there were 7 first year players. Consistency, belief and 3 O'Clock games were truly our greatest opposition. These boys could amaze and inspire you and equally frustrate you. I am sincerely looking forward to coaching or watching these boys develop into the future of our club, as each and every one has so much to offer the game especially when they believe in themselves and realise their talent..

Our first highlight for the season was the game 1 against Woodville where we stole the win in the inning, we played the Senators 3 times for the year and the game we lost was unfortunately our finals appearance.

After 2 losses to West Torrens and Sturt, we travelled to Southern Districts and played a game that amazed all supporters and spectators. Hits galore and 8 catches for the game, our defence was on fire and the attitude of the boys and the belief within themselves as a team was inspiring.

6 Games before the Christmas break yielded 5 wins and 1 loss. With another 6 games after the break the boys won 2, lost 3 and 1 game was cancelled due to the heat rule. We finished in 4th place on the ladder and gained a home final against Woodville.

The Squad.

Alex McKenzie (GOOSE) Troy Chandler (TC) Andrew Hollands (WILLY)

Hugh Beaton (HUEY) Luke Meharry (LARRY) Ryuji Hamano (RUJ)

Ross Brunton (ROSCO) Brayden Nadge (BADGER) Brock Curyer (CHEAPSHOT)

Zac Lycos (CUDA 2) Brody Yorstan (YORKY) Mitchell Taylor (MITCH) Kris McKenzie (BEAR)





UNDER 14 DIVISON ONE REPORT

Some of the memorable moments throughout the season included:

- 1. Zac's walk off single in 1st game.
- 2. Ross's back to back Home Runs against Kensington.
- 3. Alex and Troy's combined effort against Woodville as our pitcher/catcher battery
- 4. Brayden's speed around the bases.
- 5. Andrew's steal home on the pitch.
- 6.Kris's safe hit against North's.
- 7. Hugh and Ryuji's base stealing
- 8. Luke's big hit against GGCD
- 9. Brock's 5 game hitting streak
- 10. Mitchell's catch at left field in his 1st U/14 Division 1 game.
- 11. Brody's first K as a pitcher in Div 1.
- 12. Players batting over .400 for the season.

There are a few people I'd like to thank for the time and help throughout the season.

- Hiro Hamano for being my Assistant Coach and for his First Base Coaching duties
- Richard Hollands for being my Assistant Coach and for coaching Third Base for me
- Trish and Bob Hollands, Kate Curyer and Angela McKenzie for scoring
- Paul and Ron Chandler, Paul Sowter and Travis Curyer for their help at training during the week
- ALL Parents, Grandparents and supporters for their ongoing encouragement throughout the year.

I had a truly great time coaching the boys and I am looking forward to next season.

Regards and Cheers,

Mick McKenzie # 99 Under 14/1 Coach 2010/2011





UNDER 14 DIVISION TWO REPORT

Our goal at the start of the year was to get all the boys to get a better understanding of all fielding positions, baseball basics and getting comfortable with throwing and hitting. The group of players available were all new to the game, most were first year players and a couple had a season or so under their belt. With pre season out of the way we got the year underway with a slow start but with the emphasis on rotation of positions and trying new pitchers where ever possible.

Hence, the first game result was a whitewash going down to eventual grand finalist Henley and Grange 20 to nil. The last game of the year was against the same team and the result was much closer with us going down by five runs, 19 to 14. So to draw a line through the year I think the boys made fantastic progress throughout the year with great improvement in all areas of the game, from the mental side, making the right plays when the ball came to them, through to execution in the physical sense having confidence in their ability to hit the ball and make fielding plays as required.

Through the middle of the year it was fairly up and down depending on how much sleep they had, and how well they were switched on, with games swinging wildly from one week to the next. With all that being said the boys played some wonderful passages of baseball during the year and should be congratulated for their efforts. It was real pleasing to see, and most importantly nearly all the boys were at trainings each and every week which is a very encouraging thing to see as a coach.

We didn't win as many games as we could or even should have but the learning curve was pretty steep for the boys and will only serve to prepare them for years to come, with most having another year to serve in U14s next year. I asked the boys after every game whether they had fun and they always responded enthusiastically YES WE DID, and for me that was the most important thing for the team to get out of the year.

Best of luck for the coming year.

Richard Lounder Under 14 Division Two Coach 2010/2011





LITTLE LEAGUE MAJORS REPORT

Firstly I'd like to thank all the parents, friends and family members who supported the boys throughout the season. We always had good numbers and helpers in the crowd and always encouraged the boys no matter what.

Having Scott Thomson and Michael Farr as assistant coaches was great for the boys and myself as it gave the boys plenty of variety and one on one coaching throughout the year. Thanks Guys.

The team was made up of 10 players, Adrian Best, Kyle Hobbs, Riley Kruger, Blake Farr, Jordan Golley, Tyler Thomson, Henry Stevens, Josh Sheldon, James Livesey and Harry Bowden.

All the boys showed plenty of improvement throughout the year and I'm sure they learnt plenty along the way. At the beginning of the season we were a long way behind the other teams in our competition but our plan was to work on getting the skills right and learn a bit about the game first.

As long as the boys were learning and still enjoying themselves, winning wasn't a high priority and to the boys credit they kept trying week in and week out and by the end of the season, they had closed that gap by a long way.

Out of this year's team, we only lose 4 players up to the U14's so we wish them all the best and as for the rest of us, I hope we can have another crack from where we finished off last year. Thanks for an enjoyable season and see you all again next season.

Regards,

Craig Gillespie

Little League Majors Coach 2010/2011





MILESTONES 2010 - 2011

NUMBER OF SENIOR GAMES PLAYED

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PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED
Andrew G	551
Armstrong C	258
Atkins B	30
Atkins J	48
Bartlett R	25
Begg R	21
Bell A	80
Bonner G	32
Braggs S	42
Brougham D	13
Brougham N	5
Brunton J	20
Carismo J	36
Carter G	32
Castellano G	16
Chandler L	30
Chandler P	274
Clayton T	4
Copping B	188
Cummins D	20
Curtis A	79
Curtis D	11
Curyer A	4
Curyer T	16





MILESTONES 2010 - 2011

NUMBER OF SENIOR GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED
D'onise R	250
Daly M	47
Dienelt A	353
Eblen B	26
Egglestone B	67
Erdmann K	47
Ernstzen M	38
Farr M	168
Fuller G	40
Fyfe F	6
Gad T	150
Galloway K	213
Gillespie Sam	1
Golotta M	68
Hamano H	31
Harrington T	221
Haynes P	440
Hollands B	31
Hollands J	23
Hribar K	379
Hutchens M	7
Innes M	139
Innes S	34
Jones P	14
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MILESTONES 2010 - 2011

NUMBER OF SENIOR GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED
Kennealy B	196
King D	339
King J	386
Klemm J	75
Klemm S	27
Kneebone A	2
Kneebone H	3
Lamb J	566
Lee B	60
Lee F	17
Livigston C	2
Lounder P	298
Lounder Rhys	32
Lounder Rich	50
Lovegrove J	42
Matcham R	37
Matthews A	378
McGall G	399
McKenzie M	29
McKinlay G	500
Menhennet S	45
Millar S	26
Norsworthy D	230
O'Riley W	131



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MILESTONES 2010 - 2011

NUMBER OF SENIOR GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GAMES PLAYED
Qualmann A	363
Rawlinson D	422
Rogers T	12
Rollins Deb	25
Sanderson J	51
Simmons G	518
Smith J	125
Snelgrove J	16
Snelgrove M	2
Sowter Paul	34
Sowter Payne	13
Stroud A	59
Sutton P	71
Symons T	144
Thomas B	266
Thomson S	26
Underhill T	414
Watson J	2
Wedding R	74
Whitrow J	10
Yeatman S	288





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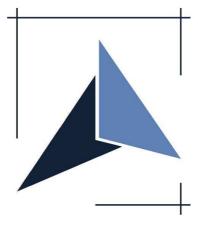
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