

Ferntree Gully Cricket Club

Established 1882/83, formally commenced 1889/90

1881/82

1st XI Scorebook

Arranged Matches

NOTE: This Scorebook also includes Match Results from Scoresby CC & Scoresby/FTG Combines in different guises i.e. Scoresby/FTG, FTG/Scoresby or FTG Combined, Scoresby Combined et al – the forerunners of the Ferntree Gully Cricket Club

Last Update: February 2021

Scorecards for Season 1881/82

AFFILIATION: Arranged Matches

<u>Date(s)</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>H/A</u>	<u>FTG</u>	<u>Opp</u>	<u>Result</u>
8/10/1881	See Notes Below				
15/10/1881	Dandenong Bohemians	H	32 & 35	93	Lost O/R by Inn & 26 runs
22/10/1881	See Notes Below				
29/10/1881	See Notes Below				
5/11/1881	See Notes Below				
12/11/1881	See Notes Below				
19/11/1881	See Notes Below				
26/11/1881	See Notes Below				
3/12/1881	See Notes Below				
10/12/1881	See Notes Below				
17/12/1881	See Notes Below				
7/1/1882	See Notes Below				
14/1/1882	See Notes Below				
21/1/1882	Norwood (Ashburton)	A	49	85	Lost by 36 runs
Thursday 26/1/1882	Prahran Tradesmen	H			Unknown
28/1/1882	See Notes Below				
4/2/1882	See Notes Below				
11/2/1882	See Notes Below				
18/2/1882	See Notes Below				
25/2/1882	See Notes Below				
4/3/1882	See Notes Below				
11/3/1882	See Notes Below				
18/3/1882	Dandenong Bohemians	A			Drawn Match
7/4/1882	Narre Warren	H	74	33 & 6/17	Won by 41 runs

GAMES PLAYED: 5 (19) (6 Ball Overs) **WON:** 1, **LOST:** 2, **DRAWN:** 1, **TIED:** Nil, **OTHER:** 1
WIN/LOSS ORDER: L, L, U, D & W

NOTE: Highlighted dates are probable other matches, the results or details of which are yet to be discovered

<u>Name</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>N/O</u>	<u>H.S.</u>	<u>Ave</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>Ave</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>D</u>
Baird	1	1	0													
Buell	1	1	1													
F.J. Charman	3	4	32	1												1
J.P. Dinsdale	2	3	10						4		2	23				1
R. Dinsdale	1	1	1													
F. Holland	1	1	0								1					
A. Horner	1	2	0													
G. Horner	1	2	11													
J.T. Horner	1	2	3													
R. Horner	1	2	0													
W. Horner	1	2	0													
J. Maddick	1	1	4													
J.H. McComb	3	4	16						9		11	29		1		1
M. McMahon	1	1	0	1												
Pearce	2	2	7						2		5	5				1
G.H. Pickett Snr.	1	1	0													
W. Tainton	1	1	3						6.4	1	1	12				2
Thompson	1	1	3													
F. Williams	1	1	5													
G.J. Williams	2	3	29													
H.T. Williams	1	1	10													1
O.S. Williams	1	1	0						4	1	1	8				1
T.H. Williams	1	2	4	1												
W. Williams	2	3	22	1					2		0	4				
Unknown																

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Played</u>
21/1/1882	J.H. McComb	9 Overs, Unk Mdns, 5/29	Norwood	Norwood (Ashburton)

Newspaper Notes

31/8/1881 **SBMJ** The SCORESBY CRICKET CLUB propose holding a meeting on the practise ground next Saturday (3/9/1881) at four o'clock for the purpose of making necessary arrangements for the ensuing season. It is hoped all interested will make it a point to attend. The RECHABITES of FERNTREE GULLY are attempting to get up a CRICKET CLUB in connection with their tent. It is scarcely possible that they will succeed.

7/9/1881 **SBMJ** The SCORESBY CRICKET CLUB held a meeting on Saturday last (3/9/1881) on the practise ground, when about fifteen names were handed in as members. The subscription was fixed at five shillings for all over sixteen, under that age half price. **Mr. T. T. Horner was unanimously elected Secretary and Treasurer**, Mr. Charman proffered to present a ball to the highest average bowler and Mr. Ferguson followed suit with a bat for the highest average batsman. The club is to give a ball to the second best average bowler. After things had been tended to the gentlemen for their liberality, the meeting adjourned, and the members present had a brisk practise.

A deputation from Ferntree Gully met the minister on Wednesday for the purposes of erecting a school in Ferntree Gully. Among the local's present were Cr. Trail and Messrs Grimwood, Charsley and Waterhouse. **The Annual General Meeting of the SCORESBY CRICKET CLUB was held with T. Horner unanimously elected Treasurer and Secretary for the coming season.** It is hoped that the Club can support its own membership and that the identities that come from Ferntree Gully may generate sufficient community support to arrange their own matches.

12/10/1881 **SBMJ** The following players will represent the DANDENONG BOHEMIANS on Saturday next (15/10/1881) against the SCORESBY CRICKET CLUB at Scoresby...

19/10/1881 **SBMJ** DANDENONG BOHEMIANS vs SCORESBY: This match was played on Saturday last (15/10/1881), on the ground of the latter, and resulted in a victory for the BOHEMIANS by one innings and 26 runs. The weather was all that could be desired, and a very pleasant day was spent. The team was conveyed to Scoresby by Mr. J.K. Dunbar. Jewis, Purdy, Dobson and Hobbs batted well for the BOHEMIANS and W. Williams, G. Williams and Horner for the SCORESBY. McComb and Williams bowled well for SCORESBY and Andrews, Jewis and Evans for the BOHEMIANS. **Refer Scorebook.**

14/1/1882 **PTEL** The PRAHRAN TRADESMEN will make their annual trip to Ferntree Gully on Thursday week, the 26th inst. Full particulars will be given next week's but tickets, can be obtained from any member of the committee before Monday next, after which no more tickets will be sold, as all arrangements must be made by that evening. The following are the engagements for the PRAHRAN TRADESMEN for the next two months: Jan. 14. - WESTERN MARKET, Warehousemen's Ground, Jan. 26. - PRESIDENT v. VICE-PRES., FERNTREE GULLY. Feb 2. - BRIGHTON, Brighton: Feb 9. - ST. KILDA, St. Kilda. TREASURER v. SECRETARY, Warehousemen's Ground, ST. KILDA, Warehousemen's Ground, BRIGHTON, Brighton, PRESIDENT v. VICE-PRESIDENT, MORDIALLOC

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25/1/1882 **SBMJ** SCORESBY vs NORWOOD (ASHBURTON): The above clubs met for the first time on Saturday (21/1/1882) on the ground of the latter and had a very pleasant afternoon's play. The **SCORESBY** Captain winning the toss elected to bat, but the excellent bowling of Robinson and Mace soon disposed of the visitors for the small score of 49. The NORWOOD then sent two representatives to the wickets, and despite the combined bowling abilities of the SCORESBY men the last wicket did not fall until the respectable total of 85 had been negotiated. The most notable defect in the visitors was their fielding for with the exception of five or six of the team the fielding was exorable, there being no less than ten or a dozen lives given by the local team. **Refer Scorebook.**

25/1/1882 **SBMJ** **SPRINGVALE vs PRAHRAN TRADES played on Thursday 19th at the Warehousemen's Ground featured F.N. Stevens, O.S. Williams and W. Williams who would soon form the backbone of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB, playing for SPRINGVALE**

27/1/1882 **KHAW** NORWOOD (ASHBURTON) vs SCORESBY: On the Norwood ground (21/1/1882), resulted in a victory for the local team by 36 runs, NORWOOD 85, SCORESBY 49. For the winners J. Mace contributed 23, K. Dillon 19 and F. Mace 10, and for the losers F.J. (Frederick John) Charman 11 and H. Williams 10 were the only ones to reach double figures. **Refer Scorebook.**

28/1/1882 **STKT** Last Thursday (26/1/1882) the PRAHRAN TRADESMEN took their annual trip to Ferntree Gully. Before 4 o'clock the captains of the wagonettes, Messrs. Crook, Taylor, Stewart, Read and Davies, were out knocking up their parties, Davies letting his know by blowing a bugle, and several of them thinking it was the milkman, jumped up, fearing they were too late. At half-past four Mrs. Lording, of the Railway Hotel, had a splendid breakfast ready, and it was very much enjoyed by all.

Several ladies accompanied the party, and Messrs. Dixon, Cheel, Beck, Munday, and Hewitt drove their own conveyances. All were in good humour and determined to make the day a thoroughly enjoyable one. The catering was entrusted to Mr. Greenwood, Messrs. Batchelder, Ward, McEwan, and Shrimp ton providing the conveyances. Breakfast finished, a start was made shortly after 5 o'clock, the leading wagonette containing Mr. Boom's band. On arriving at Oakleigh, a halt was made, and refreshments again partaken of at the Forester's Arms Hotel, the hostess being one of our old Prahran friends, Mrs. Edwards. After resting awhile, a start was again made, and Grimwood's was reached between 8 and 9. Breakfast was ready and full justice was done to it, two large dishes of liver and bacon especially suffering.

The party being such a large one (about sixty), it was thought advisable to divide into companies, and the whole of the morning was devoted to rambling about. One party consisting of Messrs Ray, Cheel, Warburton, and several others taking the track up the hill to the ranger's house.

(This is another old Prahranite, Mr. Murphy, his house being situated about a quarter of a mile from the top of the Gully). Mrs. Murphy was at home and was greatly delighted at seeing such a number of old friends, and soon made them at home, supplying them with tea, milk, and cake in abundance. After resting a while, the party left, but not before thanking Mrs. Murphy heartily for her liberality.

Another party consisting of Messrs. Patterson, Hartley, Read, Ellis, Armstrong, Davies, Cantlon, Taylor, Valentine, Davidson, Spurr, Walker, Gravenall, Smith, and Burrage, proceeded directly up the Gully, and two or three having flasks plentifully supplied, they had a very pleasant time of it. On reaching the top of the Gully the party halted and had a rest, and here they were joined by Emery and two or three others, who had been rambling over the hills. About ten minutes afterwards, Mr. and Mrs. Shand, and Mr. and Mrs. Grogan arrived, and three cheers greeted the ladies as they emerged from the gully. A race here took place between the two stoutest men of the party (Messrs. Read and Armstrong), the distance being about 100 yards, but he of the rag trade proved too good for the contractor.

All then returned, and several new arrivals were perceived making their way up the Gully, the captain of the Southern with his arms full, leading the way, followed by several ladies, Mesdames Dixon, Crook, Ryall, Beck, Hewitt, Read, being amongst the number, Mr. Hewitt bringing up the rear. On arriving at the old ranger's hut at the foot of the Gully a halt was again made, and here Messrs. Dixon, Crook, Jackson, and several of the ladies who did not care to tackle the Gully were met with. Armstrong here performed the hat trick. Jackson placed his bat on a stump some distance away and challenged Armstrong to hit it. The gun being well charged was handed to Armstrong, the result being that the hat suffered considerably.

Having returned to the hotel, and had dinner, all adjourned to the cricket field, when the President and Vice President picked sides, but everyone was so tired and the ground so very rough that anything like good cricket was out of the question, the game resulting in a win for the President. After having tea, preparations were made for starting homewards, but before leaving Mr. Crook expressed to Mr. Grimwood, the thanks of all present for the very able manner in which he had catered for them during the day.

Mr. Grimwood having responded, and three cheers having been given for the host and others, a start was made, and Oakleigh was reached before 9 o'clock. Here a halt was made, and all adjourned to the large room of the hotel, and a dance was indulged in for a while. Bidding good-bye to Mrs. Edwards, Davies sounded the advance on his bugle, and home was the word, and Lording's Hotel was reached about a quarter to ten. Before the party dispersed, Mr. Crook, on behalf of the club, wished Mr. W. Lording to convey to his mother the thanks of the club for her kindness in providing breakfast at such an early hour in the morning for them. The party then separated all having spent a really pleasant day and looking forward with pleasure to the proposed trip on the third Thursday in February to Schnapper Point. Who would not be a member of the PRAHRAN TRADESMEN'S club?

15/3/1882 **DA** The following players will represent the DANDENONG BOHEMIANS on Saturday next (18/3/1882) against the SCORESBY CRICKET CLUB at Scoresby...

22/3/1882 **DA** The BOHEMIANS team were rather disappointed on Saturday (18/3/1882), through the SCORESBY team not putting in an appearance, only four showing up at the time appointed to play

12/4/1882 **SBMJ** SCORESBY v. NARREE WARREN, The above clubs met in the Scoresby ground on Saturday last (7/4/1882), but both clubs were poorly represented, a some-what unsatisfactory trial of strength was the result and the exhibition of cricket, displayed was very mediocre. The SCORESBY captain having won the toss elected to bat, and before the last wicket fell, the respectable total of 74 runs was put together by the locals, but it, must be remembered that the visitors had but 9 men in the field. Appended are the scores: SCORESBY – Charman, c Brown b Brown 16; Pearce, run out 3; McComb, b Barr 13; Holland, b Brown 0; G. Williams, b Barr 13; Thompson, b Barr 3; Baird, c and b Brown 0; Pickett, b Barr 0; McMahan, not out 0; Maddick, b Barr 4; Sundries 16, Total 74. NARREE WARREN – 1st Innings Brown, not out 13; Barr, b Pearce 1; Battersby, b Pearce 7; W. Brown, b Holland 2; Bick, b Pearce 0; E. Brown, b McComb 0; Kerr, b McComb 2; Beck, c and b Pearce 0; Sundries 7, Total 33. 2nd Innings: Kerr, b McComb 1; Beck, b Pearce 0; Rae, b McComb 0; E. Brown, stumped, b McComb 14; Battersby, b McComb 0; Sundries 2, Six wicket for 17. SCORESBY won in the first innings. **Refer Scorebook.**

6/5/1882 **STKT** Report on PRAHRAN TRADESMEN'S CRICKET CLUB season includes a report on their trip to Ferntree Gully

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Norwood	Norwood	21/1/1882

FTGCC Batting (1st)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	11		W. Williams	4*	
J.H. McComb	0		F. Williams	5	
H.T. Williams	10		O.S. Williams	0	
W. Tainton	3		R. Dinsdale	1	
Pearce	4				
Buell	1		Sundries	6	
J.P. Dinsdale	4		Score	49	

Opposition Batting

Name	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Mills	C	W. Tainton	J.H. McComb	1				
F. Mace	C	W. Tainton	J.H. McComb	10				
Hill	B		O.S. Williams	5				
Robinson	C	O.S. Williams	J.H. McComb	5				
C. Hill	B		J.H. McComb	7				
J. Mace	C	F.J. Charman	J.P. Dinsdale	23				
Dear	C&B		J.H. McComb	0				
K. Dillon		RUN OUT		19				
Hardy	C&B		J.P. Dinsdale	1				
Clarke	C	H.T. Williams	W. Tainton	1				
Blanksby		NOT OUT		9				
			Sundries	4			Sundries	
			Score	85			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

Name	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
W. Tainton	6.4	1	1	12				
J.H. McComb	9		5	29				
O.S. Williams	4	1	1	8				
J.P. Dinsdale	4		2	23				
Pearce	2		0	5				
W. Williams	2		0	4				

Result: Norwood won on 1st Innings by 36 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Narre Warren	Scoresby	7/4/1882

FTGCC Batting (1st)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	16		Pickett	0	
Pearce	3		McMahon	0*	
J.H. McComb	13		Maddick	4	
F. Holland	0		Absent	0	
G.J. Williams	13				
Thompson	3		Sundries	16	
Baird	0		Score	74	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

Name	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Brown		NOT OUT		13				
Barr	B		Pearce	1				
Battersby	B		Pearce	7	B		J.H. McComb	0
W. Brown	B		F. Holland	2				
Bick	B		Pearce	0				
E. Brown	B		J.H. McComb	0	Stp		J.H. McComb	14
Kerr	B		J.H. McComb	2	B		J.H. McComb	1
Beck	C&B		Pearce	0	B		Pearce	0
Rae		Absent			B		J.H. McComb	0
			Sundries	7			Sundries	2
			Score	33			Score	6/17

FTGCC Bowling

Name	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
Pearce			4				1	
F. Holland			1					
J.H. McComb			2				4	

Result: Match drawn when Ferntree Gully didn't arrive for the appointment