

Ferntree Gully Cricket Club

(Incorporated 19/5/1986)



**Season by Season History of FTGCC
(Competition cricket only)
1913/14 to 1946/47
(Pre Foundation of FTGCA / FTGDCA)**

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This document is derived from results and achievements taken from Seasons in which the Ferntree Gully Cricket Club first formed in competition cricket, commencing with the Reporter District Cricket Association in 1913/14 and it concludes in the final season (1946/47), prior to the commencement of the Ferntree Gully Cricket Association (now called the Ferntree Gully & District Cricket Association – FTGDCA), which was formed in August 1947 and commenced in the 1947/48 summer.

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Season 1913/14

President:	H. (Henry or 'Harry') Monk
Secretary:	G.A. (George Alfred) Lovell
Treasurer:	G.A. (George Alfred) Lovell
Vice Presidents:	Not Known
Committee:	Not Known
Affiliated with:	Reporter District Cricket Association (now Box Hill Reporter District Cricket Assoc)
Team(s) affiliated:	C Section – Sections were determined on geographic location not grading i.e. A, B & C Section
Players Used:	26
Game Results:	Played 10, Won 8, Lost 2 plus 1 Bye Round (After Mitcham withdrew at Christmas)
Ladder Position:	2 nd (Runner Up) in 'C Section'
Final Result:	Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (155) lost to Surrey Hills (171 & 8/228)
Captain:	G.J. (George James) Williams
Batting Award:	George Williams (414 Runs from 14 Innings @ 37.64)
Bowling Award:	Paddy Gilchrist (74 Wkts for 567 Runs @ 7.66)
Fielding Award:	No Award
Most Runs:	George Williams – 414
Most Wickets:	Paddy Gilchrist – 74
Most Catches/Dis:	Paddy Gilchrist – 12
100's, 90's, 50's:	Nil, One, Four Paddy Gilchrist 90 Fred Carrington 69 George Williams 69, 63, 62
100 P/Ships:	2 nd Wkt (14/3/1914) 113 Runs Paddy Gilchrist (90) & Jack McMahon (33) (Semi Final)
10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I:	Three, Two, Eleven Paddy Gilchrist 5/13, 8/18 , 6/15, 6/39, 6/15 (10/67 in M), 5/17, 5/20 (10/37 in M) Len Smith 8/48 (12/120 in M) Fred Carrington 5/31, 5/19 Sam Johnstone 6/27 Victor Carey 5/20 Alf Pickett 5/8
Highest Score For:	163 vs East Burwood at East Burwood (4/10 & 11/10/1913)
Lowest Score For:	56 vs Blackburn at Blackburn (29/11 & 6/12/1913)
Highest Score Against:	8/228 Surrey Hills at East Burwood – Semi Final (7/3 & 14/3/1914)
Lowest Score Against:	26 Blackburn at Ferntree Gully (24/1 & 31/1/1914)

Notes:

- Surrey Hills won the Premiership citing Ferntree Gully as their best opponent during the season

Season 1914/15

President: H. (Henry or 'Harry') Monk
Secretary: G.A. (George Alfred) Lovell
Treasurer: G.A. (George Alfred) Lovell
Vice Presidents: Not Known
Committee: Not Known

Affiliated with: Reporter District Cricket Association (now Box Hill Reporter District Cricket Assoc)
Team(s) affiliated: B Section – Sections determined on geographic location not grading i.e. A, B & C Section
Players Used: 26

Game Results: Played 14, Won 11, Lost 2, Tied 1
Ladder Position: 2nd (Runner up) in 'B Section'
Final Result: Nil - Due to World War One only the top teams in the A & B Section played off for the Grand Final

Captain: G.J. (George James) Williams

Batting Award: George Williams (910 Runs from 21 Innings @ 60.67)
Bowling Award: Len Smith (87 Wkts for 502 Runs @ 5.77)
Fielding Award: No Award

Most Runs: George Williams – 910 (Club Record)
Most Wickets: Len Smith – 87 (Club Record)
Most Catches/Dis: Fred Carrington – 14

100's, 90's, 50's: Five, Nil, Seven
George Williams Snr. **149*** (31/10/1914), **114*** (6/2/1915), **109*** (23/1/1915), 81, 65, 63*
Fred Carrington **100** (31/10/1914), 87, 68, 52
Len Smith **108** (1/5/1915), 62

100 P/Ships: 1st Wkt (7/11/1914) 257 Runs George Williams Snr (149*) & Fred Carrington (100)
2nd Wkt (23/1/1915) 141 Runs George Williams Snr (109*) & Len Smith (62)
2nd Wkt (13/3/1915) 125 Runs Fred Carrington (87) & George Williams Snr (48)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Seven, Nine, Thirteen
Alf Pickett 5/7
Fred Carrington 6/22 (10/36 in M), **7/27**
George Williams Snr. 6/24, **9/52**
Jack McMahon 6/37, 5/11, 5/16
Sam Johnstone 5/24
Len Smith 5/39, 5/26 (10/65 in M), **7/57** (11/73 in M), 6/19, **9/28**, 5/62 (14/90 in M), 5/23, 5/42 (10/65 in M), **7/27, 9/18, 9/40** (10/56 in M), **7/8**
Robert Scott **7/18** (10/26 in M)

Highest Score For: 1/270 Dec. vs Warrandyte at Ferntree Gully (31/10 & 7/11/1914)
Lowest Score For: 49 vs Vermont at Vermont (14/11 & 21/11/1914)
Highest Score Against: 189 Warrandyte at Ferntree Gully (31/10 & 7/11/1914)
Lowest Score Against: 30 Doncaster Heights at Doncaster Heights (9/1 & 16/1/1915)

Other Notes:

- George Williams Snr. won the RDCA "B Division" Batting Average
- Len Smith won the RDCA "B Division" Bowling Average
- George Williams Snr. 63* Batted through the Innings vs Croydon (12/12/1914)
- Jack McMahon 4/2 Inc Hat Trick (17/10/1914)
- Played first Tied Match (17/10 & 24/10/1914) FTG 117 & 82 tied with East Doncaster 53 & 146.
- The Tie cost the Club its first Premiership as Croydon headed the Section ladder by a single point from FTGCC and a win during the season was given three points, while a Tie was awarded one point, effectively meaning the Premiership was missed by one run!

Season 1921/22

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: D.M. (David Michael 'Dave') Warden
Treasurer: A.G. Morrison
Vice Presidents: Cr. W.H. (William Henry 'Bill') Foster, Cr. H. (Harry) Monk, G.P. Nolan, Cr. A.E. (Alfred Ernest 'Ern') Selman
Committee: M.C. (Michael Charles 'Mick') Campbell, A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett, A.R. (Alfred R. 'Alf') Pickett, F.D. (Frederick Daniel 'Fred') Pickett Snr, G.H. (George Henry) Pickett

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: 1st Grade (Section One)
Players Used: 22

Games Results: Played 8, Won 3 Lost 5 plus 1 Bye Round
Ladder Position: 4th in 'Section One'
Final Result: Semi Finals were contested between the Top 2 teams in each Section – the Winners playing off in the Grand Final

Captain: W.H. (William Hamilton 'Bill') Armstrong
Vice Captain: C.E. (Carl Ehrenfreid 'Fred') Exner

Batting Award: Marley Sellars (240 Runs from 13 Innings @ 21.82)
Bowling Award: George Pickett (35 Wkts for 334 Runs @ 9.54)
Fielding Award: No Award

Most Runs: Marley Sellars – 240
Most Wickets: George Pickett – 35
Most Catches/Dis: George Pickett – 6 (1 Catch as Substitute Fieldsman)

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Three
Jack McMahon 50
George Pickett 51
Marley Sellars 51*

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, One, One
Ted Clohesy, **7/35**
George Pickett, 6/26 (10/40 in M),

Highest Score For: 194 vs Ringwood Diggers at Ringwood (17/12/1921 & 7/1/1922)
Lowest Score For: 39 vs Bayswater at Ferntree Gully (14/1 & 21/1/1922)
Highest Score Against: 4/200 Ringwood Imperials at Ringwood (28/1 & 4/2/1922)
Lowest Score Against: 61 Ringwood Diggers at Ferntree Gully (8/10 & 15/10/1921)

Other Notes:

- George Pickett took two Hat Tricks (3/12/1921 vs Australian Insurance Co. in a social match played in lieu of a Bye Round) & 26/1/1922 for RDCA vs BHRDCA in an Inter-Association Match – he was awarded a special presentation at the RDCA Annual 'Smoke Night' (Presentation Night)
- 8th Wkt P/Ship (17/12/1921) 96 Marley Sellars (50*) & George Pickett (51)

Season 1922/23

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: D.M. (David Michael 'Dave') Warden
Treasurer: Not Known
Vice Presidents: Cr. W.H. (William Henry 'Bill') Foster, A.E. (Alfred Ernest 'Ern') Selman
Committee: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Section
Players Used: 16

Games Results: Played 10, Won 4, Lost 5, Drawn 1
Ladder Position: 4th in 'A Section'
Final Result: Semi Finals were contested between the Top 2 teams in each Section – the Winners playing off in the Grand Final

Captain: W.H. (William Hamilton 'Bill') Armstrong

Batting Award: William 'Bill' Armstrong (299 Runs from 11 Innings @ 42.71)
Bowling Award: George McRae (37 Wkts for 194 Runs @ 5.24)
George Pickett (28 Wkts @ 8.68) and Ted Clohesy (29 Wkts @ 14.72)
Fielding Award: No Award

Most Runs: William 'Bill' Armstrong – 299
Most Wickets: George McRae – 37
Most Catches/Dis: Marley Sellars – 14

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Three
Marley Sellars 58
George Pickett 64
William 'Bill' Armstrong 74*

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Two, Two, Six
Ted Clohesy 5/53, 6/39
George McRae **9/19, 10/11** (19/30 in M), 6/26, 5/24
George Pickett 5/8, 6/16 (10/46 in M)

Highest Score For: 181 vs Bayswater at Bayswater (13/1 & 20/1/1923)
Lowest Score For: 56 vs Bayswater at Ferntree Gully (21/10 & 28/10/1922)
Highest Score Against: 6/237 Ringwood Imperials at Ringwood (5/11 & 12/11/1922)
Lowest Score Against: 17 Bayswater at Bayswater (13/1 & 20/1/1923)

Other Notes:

- George McRae took the best figures by an individual in an innings in a Competition match in Club history to date; 10/11 (2nd Inn) vs Wantirna, following on from his fabulous 9/19 (1st Inn) giving him the astonishing figures of **19 wickets for 30 runs in the match**, with significant research across State records suggesting his performance maybe the best 1st XI match figures ever recorded in Victorian cricket history
- William 'Bill' Armstrong made 74* in his last ever match for the FTGCC. He died of heart failure later that night after feeling ill on his return to Ferntree Gully after the game concluded against Wantirna

Season 1923/24

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: D.M. (David Michael 'Dave') Warden
Treasurer: G.H. (George Henry) Pickett
Vice Presidents: Cr. W.H. (William Henry 'Bill') Foster, Cr. G.H. (George Hodges) Knox, Cr. A.E. (Alfred Ernest 'Ern') Selman
Committee: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett, F.D. (Frederick Daniel 'Fred') Pickett, G.H. (George Henry) Pickett & E.T. (Edward Thomas 'Ted') Clohesy (RDCA Delegates)

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Section
Players Used: 18

Games Results: Played 10, Won 2 Lost 7, Drawn 1
Ladder Position: 7th in 'A Section'
Final Result: Semi Finals were contested between the Top 2 teams in each Section – the Winners playing off in the Grand Final

Captain: G.H. (George Henry) Pickett

Batting Award: George Pickett (294 Runs from 16 Innings @ 22.62)
Bowling Award: Mick Campbell (10 Wkts for 195 Runs @ 9.50)
George Pickett (26 Wkts @ 12.77) and Ted Clohesy (25 Wkts @ 11.68)
Fielding Award: Frank Staig

Most Runs: George Pickett – 294
Most Wickets: George Pickett – 26
Most Catches/Dis: Ern Tew – 14 including 1 as Substitute Fieldsman in season

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Three
George Pickett 75*, 52*
Ted Clohesy 51

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, One, Two
Ted Clohesy **7/25** (10/51 in M)
George Pickett 5/20
Harry Parker 6/25

Highest Score For: 150 vs Ringwood at Ringwood (10/11 & 17/11/1923)
Lowest Score For: 19 vs Ringwood at Ringwood (26/1 & 2/2/1924) – Played 2 Short
Highest Score Against: 1/150 Ringwood at Ringwood (26/1 & 2/2/1924)
Lowest Score Against: 61 Boronia at Ferntree Gully (27/10 & 3/11/1923)

Other Notes:

- Both Matches won were against Boronia in very different circumstances; in the first played at Ferntree Gully we scored 40 & 137, trailing on 1st Innings to Boronia's 72 but hit back to dismiss them for 61 in the 2nd Innings to win outright by 44 runs
- In the second Match we declared at 4/121 after dismissing them for 118 only to be shot out for just 21 in our 2nd Innings leaving them with a target of 25 to claim an outright victory. With three Overs remaining in the match they were 1/22 falling 3 runs short of outright victory, and instead we scraped home with a lucky 3 run 1st Innings victory

Season 1924/25

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Treasurer: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Vice Presidents: Cr. W.H. (William Henry 'Bill') Foster, N. Field, W. Gash, G.J. Greaves, H.S. Hayling, Cr. G.H. (George Hodges) Knox, Cr. A.E. (Alfred Ernest 'Ern') Selman
Committee: W.H. Pearce, A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett, J.E. Scott & G. Scott (RDCA Delegates)

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Section
Players Used: 21

Games Results: Played 11, Won 6, Lost 5
Ladder Position: 2nd in 'A Section'
Final Result: Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (74 & 49) lost to Mooroolbark (149 & 231)

Captain: E.J. (Ernest Jones 'Ern') Tew

Batting Award: Doug Bear (317 Runs from 18 Innings @ 21.13)
Bowling Award: Mick Campbell (17 Wkts for 139 Runs @ 8.18)
Jack Beck (59 Wkts @ 9.64) and George Meredith (20 Wkts @ 14.25)

All Rounder Award: Jack Beck
Fielding Award: Frank Pickett

Most Runs: Doug Bear – 317
Most Wickets: Jack Beck – 59
Most Catches/Dis: Ern Tew – 18

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Four
Frank Staig 53
Doug Bear 63*, 59
George Meredith 55

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Two, Three, Seven
Mick Campbell **9/18 Inc H/T**
George Pickett 5/38
Jack Beck 5/24, 6/28, 5/30, **8/34** (10/85 in M), **7/58**, 6/76 (13/134 in M)
Ted Clohesy 5/28 Inc H/T
Arnie Hayes 5/20

Highest Score For: 177 vs Boronia at Boronia (20/12/1924 & 10/1/1925)
Lowest Score For: 32 vs Boronia at Ferntree Gully (11/10 & 18/10/1924)
Highest Score Against: 231 Mooroolbark at East Ringwood – S/Final (14/3, 21/3 & 28/3/1925)
Lowest Score Against: 26 Wantirna at Ferntree Gully (8/11 & 15/11/1924)

Other Notes:

- Jack Beck awarded the first FTGCC All Rounders Trophy
- Jack Beck won a Special Trophy from the RDCA for the Most A Grade Wickets
- Mick Campbell took a Hat Trick (8/11/1924)
- Ted Clohesy took a Hat Trick (31/1/1925)
- Won first match by Protest vs Bayswater (14/2 & 21/2/1925)
- The Rnd 3 Match against Wantirna (8/11 & 15/11/1924) resulted in a 1 run Outright Victory. FTG 48 & 38 def Wantirna 26 & 59
- The Semi Final turned into a non event when owing to a mix up 5 Ferntree Gully players didn't arrive on Day 3 to bat and the team were dismissed for 49 giving Mooroolbark an Outright win by 255 runs

Season 1925/26

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Treasurer: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Vice Presidents: G.J. Greaves, F. (Frederick 'Fred') Heginbotham, Cr. G.H. (George Hodges) Knox, E.J. (Ernest Jones 'Ern') Tew, F.G. (Frederick G. 'Fred') Williamson
Committee: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett & W.H. Pearce (RDCA Delegates)

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Section
Players Used: 27

Games Results: Played 10, Won 1, Lost 9
Ladder Position: 6th in 'A Section'
Final Result: Not Applicable

Captain: J.R. (John 'Jack') Beck

Batting Award: Doug Bear (278 Runs from 15 Innings @ 19.86)
Bowling Award: Harry Parker (13 Wkts for 202 Runs @ 15.54)
Jack Beck (18 Wkts @ 18.83) and Arnie Hayes (15 Wkts @ 17.53)

All Rounder Award: George Meredith
Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Doug Bear – 278
Most Wickets: Jack Beck – 18
Most Catches/Dis: Len Cook & Jol Rowe – 5

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Four
Doug Bear 65, 60*, 54
George Meredith 50*

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, Nil, Four
Jack Beck 5/76, 5/61
Arnie Hayes 5/32
George Pickett 6/40

Highest Score For: 197 vs Ringwood Churches at Ferntree Gully (27/2 & 6/3/1926)
Lowest Score For: 30 vs Wantirna at Ferntree Gully (7/11 & 14/11/1925)
Highest Score Against: 406 Ringwood Rovers at Ringwood (13/2 & 20/2/1926)
Lowest Score Against: 74 Boronia at Ferntree Gully (10/10/1925)

Other Notes:

- George Meredith awarded the All Rounders Trophy
- Lost by Forfeit vs Wantirna (30/1 & 6/2/1926) when 5/80 chasing 132 on the second day – no transport was available to take the players to the game!
- Jack Beck (Capt.) was transferred to Culcairn, N.S.W. in early January 1926, with Doug Bear filling in as Captain for the remainder of the season

Season 1926/27

President: J.G.S. (James George Sewell) Ford
Secretary: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Treasurer: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Vice Presidents: G.J. Greaves, Cr. G.H. (George Hodges) Knox, E.J. (Ernest Jones 'Ern') Tew, L.K. (Keith) Williamson
Committee: F.G. (Frederick 'Fred') Williamson, A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett & W.H. Pearce (RDCA Delegates)

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: Ringwood Section
Players Used: 20

Games Results: Played 10, Won 5, Lost 5
Ladder Position: 5th in 'Ringwood Section'
Final Result: Not Applicable

Captain: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett

Batting Award: Doug Bear (392 Runs from 17 Innings @ 28.00)
Bowling Award: Tom Daykin (46 Wkts for 500 Runs @ 10.87)
George Meredith (36 Wkts @ 9.61) and Jol Rowe (22 Wkts @ 7.59)
All Rounder Award: George Meredith
Fielding Award: Not Known

Most Runs: Doug Bear – 392
Most Wickets: Tom Daykin – 46
Most Catches/Dis: Ern Tew – 12

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Five
Alf Juniper 89
George Meredith 53*
F. Williamson 55*
Doug Bear 69, 65*

100 P/Ships: 4th Wkt (9/10/1926) 109 Runs Alf Juniper (89) & Doug Bear (27)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, One, Three
George Peel 5/21
George Meredith 5/46, 7/18
Jol Rowe 6/28 (10/50 in M)

Highest Score For: 221 vs Ringwood Imperials at Ringwood (2/10 & 9/10/1926)
Lowest Score For: 54 vs Boronia at Boronia (30/10 & 6/11/1926)
Highest Score Against: 3/222 Ringwood Imperials at Ringwood (2/10 & 9/10/1926)
Lowest Score Against: 53 Ringwood East and Ringwood East (19/2 & 26/2/1927)

Other Notes:

- George Meredith awarded the All Rounders Trophy
- 5th Wkt P/Ship (15/1/1927) 95* Doug Bear (69*) & George Meredith (35*)
- 9th Wkt P/Ship (9/10/1926) 52 George Meredith & Len Cook
- In the Rnd 1 match against Ringwood Imperials, the Imperials batted first and Declared at 3/222. Our response of 221 (Batting 1 short) and losing by 1 Run was exacerbated when in our Innings we provided two substitutes for the opposition to ensure they had 11 fieldsmen!

Club in recess for Seasons: 1927/28 to 1932/33 inclusive, due to a dispute with the Boronia CC & the Ringwood District Cricket Association, which was then amplified by the Great Depression

Season 1933/34

President:	A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett	
Secretary:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew	
Treasurer:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew	
Vice Presidents:	Cr. C.W.H. (Claude) Farrow, T.M. (Thomas) Heaney, A.P.F. (Amadeo 'Peter') Vassallo	
Committee:	F. Rout & E.E. Sutton (MDCA Delegates)	
Affiliated with:	Mountain District Cricket Association	
Team(s) affiliated:	Number 2 Section	
Players Used:	15	
Games Results:	Played 12, Won 9, Drawn 2, Other 1 (No Results published vs Kallista – probable forfeit)	
Ladder Position:	1 st in 'Number 2 Section'	
Final Result:	1933/34 MDCA Premiers: Shared pennant awarded to Ferntree Gully (0/0) and Belgrave (157) when play was repeatedly washed out throughout the four days of the Grand Final	
Premiership Team:	George Meredith, Wal Tew, Jol Rowe, Ted Beaumont, Alan Ford, Arnie Hayes, Tom Hayes, Greg Pickett (W/K), Brian Rout, Fred Schultz & Clive Sutton	
Captain:	G.J. (George James) Meredith	
Batting Award:	George Meredith (211 Runs from 8 Innings @ 35.17) Jol Rowe (287 Runs from 10 Innings @ 31.89)	
Bowling Award:	Ted Beaumont (40 Wkts for 205 Runs @ 5.13) Jol Rowe (56 Wkts @ 5.77) and Arnie Hayes (29 Wkts @ 8.03)	
All Rounder Award:	Jol Rowe	
Fielding Award:	Not Known	
Most Runs:	Jol Rowe – 287	
Most Wickets:	Jol Rowe – 56	
Most Catches/Dis:	Greg Pickett – 16	
100's, 90's, 50's:	Nil, Two, Eight Ted Beaumont 64*, 58 Jol Rowe 93 , 55 Gerry Fountain 91* George Meredith 61*, 56* R. Paternoster 63 Greg Pickett 55* Alan Ford 87	
100 P/Ships:	2 nd Wkt (21/10/1933) 134 Runs George Meredith (61*) & Jol Rowe (93) 3 rd Wkt (4/11/1933) 121* Runs Gerry Fountain (91*) & Greg Pickett (55*)	
10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I:	Nil, Nil, Six Ted Beaumont 5/6, 5/8, 6/10 Arnie Hayes 5/2, 5/21 Jol Rowe 6/20	
Highest Score For:	260	vs Upwey at Ferntree Gully (10/2 & 17/2/1934)
Lowest Score For:	81	vs Macclesfield at Ferntree Gully (7/10 & 14/10/1933)
Highest Score Against:	164	Upper FTG at Ferntree Gully (10/3 & 17/3/1934 – S/Final)
Lowest Score Against:	5	Upwey at Ferntree Gully (10/2 & 17/2/1933)

Other Notes:

- Recommended after being in recess for six seasons 1927/28 – 1932/33 owing initially to a dispute with the Boronia CC, then the RDCA, which was further exacerbated by the Depression of the late 1920's/early 1930's
- Jol Rowe won MDCA Most Wickets award
- 4th Wkt P/Ship (21/10/1933) 96 George Meredith (61*) & R. Paternoster (63)
- 7th Wkt P/Ship (10/3/1934) 63 Alan Ford (87) & Wal Tew (25)
- Ted Beaumont took 4/2 including a Hat Trick (17/2/1934)
- In a season of remarkably low scores our opponents made scores of 5, 8, 14, 25, 26, 32 & 35!

Season 1934/35

President:	A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Vice Presidents:	Not Known
Committee:	Not Known
Life Member:	A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett – the first one honoured
Affiliated with:	Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated:	A Grade
Players Used:	15
Games Results:	Played 11, Won 5, Lost 2, Drawn 4
Ladder Position:	2 nd in 'A Grade'
Final Result:	Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (189 & 8/45) lost to Boronia (209 & 125)
Captain:	A.G.S. (Alan George Sewell) Ford (21 Year old)
Batting Award:	Alan Ford (260 Runs from 13 Innings @ 26.00)
Bowling Award:	Alf Wilson (23 Wkts for 167 Runs @ 7.26) Ted Beaumont (30 Wkts @ 9.00) and Jol Rowe (23 Wkts @ 10.61)
All Rounder Award:	Ted Beaumont
Fielding Award:	Not Known
Most Runs:	Alan Ford – 260
Most Wickets:	Ted Beaumont – 30
Most Catches/Dis:	Greg Pickett – 7
100's, 90's, 50's:	Nil, Nil, Three Alan Ford 70, 55* Gerry Fountain 52
100 P/Ships:	3 rd Wkt (16/3/1935) 114 Runs Alan Ford (70) & Gerry Fountain (52)
10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I:	One, Two, Seven Ted Beaumont 5/28, <u>7/23</u> , 5/18 Arnie Hayes 5/23 Jol Rowe <u>7/38</u> Alf Wilson 5/35, 5/20, 5/39, 5/50 (10/89 in M)
Highest Score For:	5/192 vs Ringwood at Ringwood (20/10 & 27/10/1934)
Lowest Score For:	42 vs Kilsyth at Ferntree Gully (16/2 & 23/2/1935)
Highest Score Against:	209 Boronia at Kilsyth (16/3 & 23/3/1935 – S/Final)
Lowest Score Against:	45 Croydon at Croydon (2/3 & 9/3/1935)

Other Notes:

- Torrential rain impacted much of the cricket in this season, effecting results in six matches and causing four of these to be drawn. The impact of the deluge was still being felt in the last week of December 1934. The Ringwood and Ferntree Gully Shire Council's response was to set up emergency flood relief funds for residents, such was the impact of the wet weather which was felt across the entire state
- The Semi Final effort was not helped when George Meredith, star top order bat, was absent owing to a severe ankle break on the second morning of the Semi Final. The teams having been handed to the Umpires prevented Ferntree Gully from substituting another player for him and we chased 209 with 10 Batsmen making 189. Unfortunately Gerry Fountain also had an accident in the week leading up to the third and final day of the rendering the Gully two short (both batsmen of repute) in their second innings chase of 145. We fell well short at 8/45 and Boronia went onto play Kilsyth for the Premiership, which Kilsyth won

Season 1935/36

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer: A. (Alfred 'Alf') Wilson
Vice Presidents: Cr. C.W.H. (Claude) Farrow, G. Hayes, J. Price, C. (Clive) Sutton
Committee: J. (John 'Jack') Giles, T.H. (Thomas Hector 'Tom') Hayes, G.J. (George James) Meredith, G.J. (Gregory John 'Greg') Pickett & F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz

Life Member: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew – the second one honoured

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association

Team(s) affiliated: A Grade

Players Used: 19

Games Results: Played 6, Won 2, Lost 4

Ladder Position: Withdrew from Competition at Christmas break, after struggling to cope with unavailability and loss of players Of the 15 from 1934/35 only 9 remained and of these only 4 played more than 2 matches in the aborted season

Final Result: Not Applicable

Captain: G.J. (Gregory John) Pickett

Batting Award: George Meredith (124 Runs from 6 Innings @ 24.80)

Wal Tew (149 Runs from 8 Innings @ 21.29)

Bowling Award: Ray Lumsden (11 Wkts for 61 Runs @ 5.55)

All Rounder Award: Wal Tew

Fielding Award: Not Known

Most Runs: Wal Tew – 149

Most Wickets: Ray Lumsden – 11

Most Catches/Dis: Not Known (No Catches/Dismissals recorded for the 6 matches played)

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Two

George Meredith 56

Wal Tew 87*

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, Nil, One

Ray Lumsden Snr 5/14

Highest Score For: 7/171 vs Ringwood East at Ferntree Gully (2/11 & 9/11/1935)

Lowest Score For: 40 vs Boronia at Boronia (23/11 & 30/11/1936)

Highest Score Against: 159 Montrose at Ferntree Gully (7/12 & 14/12/1936)

Lowest Score Against: 89 Boronia at Boronia (23/11 & 30/11/1936)

Other Notes:

- Wal Tew 87* batted through the Innings (14/12/1935)
- In a further unusual event, Wal Tew's last innings of 87* was made against Heathmont. When the club disbanded at Christmas he signed with Boronia and played a second consecutive match against Heathmont – Boronia having been drawn to play them the first match after Christmas

Season 1936/37

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Vice Presidents: E.W. (Ernest 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, W.C. (William Charles 'Bill' or 'Mr.') Crompton, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, Cr. C.W.H. (Claude William Henry) Farrow
Committee: Not Known

Life Member: H.S. (Harry) Dudley – the third one honoured

Affiliated with: Mountain District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Grade
Players Used: 18

Games Results: Played 11, Won 7, Lost 3, Drawn 1
Ladder Position: 2nd in 'A Grade'
Final Result: Runner Up: Ferntree Gully (? & 8/226) lost to Belgrave (8/192? & 5/38)

Captain: G.J. (Gregory John) Pickett

Batting Award: Greg Pickett (376 Runs from 16 Innings @ 26.86)
Bowling Award: Reg Fountain (36 Wkts for 258 Runs @ 7.17)
Frank Hede (35 Wkts @ 7.89), Greg Pickett (25 Wkts @ 8.28) and Wal Tew (24 Wkts @ 9.46)
All Rounder Award: Wal Tew
Fielding Award: George Kirkpatrick and Jack Giles Most Catches

Most Runs: Greg Pickett – 376
Most Wickets: Reg Fountain – 36
Most Catches/Dis: Jack Giles – 13

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Five
Wal Tew 88
Greg Pickett 61, 56
Gerry Fountain 68, 54

100 P/Ships: 7th Wkt (7/11/1936) 105 Runs Wal Tew (88) & Ken Lomax (43)
1st Wkt (3/4/1937) 100 Runs George Meredith (24) & Gerry Fountain (68)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Two, Three, Nine
Reg Fountain 5/7, 8/22, 6/19, 9/46 (12/57 in M), 6/20
Arthur Tooby 5/30
Wal Tew 5/16, 8/53 (11/64 in M)
Frank Hede 6/53, 5/7, 5/31
Greg Pickett 5/40

Highest Score For: 8/226 vs Belgrave at Emerald (27/3 & 3/4/1937 – G/Final)
Lowest Score For: 18 vs Silvan at Ferntree Gully (16/1 & 23/1/1937)
Highest Score Against: 201 Gembrook at Emerald (13/3 & 20/3/1937 – S/Final)
Lowest Score Against: 31 Belgrave at Belgrave (30/1 & 6/2/1037)

Other Notes:

- Frank Hede – Took a Double Hat Trick (9/1/1937) – 3 from the final three balls of one over and first ball from the next. After having 0/53 he took 6/0 from 14 balls!
- Confirmation of Reg Fountain's 9/46 (12/57 in M) has only come from pre existing Club Records (prior to 1966) which have not been verified at this stage

Season 1937/38

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett / A.P.F. (Amadeo 'Peter') Vassallo who resigned through illness as the season started
Secretary: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer: J.J. (Joseph 'Joe') Pickett/W.H. (Wal Tew who took over after Joe Pickett resigned mid season)
Vice Presidents: E.W. (Ernest W. 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, W.C. (William Charles 'Bill' or 'Mr.') Crompton, C.C. (Charles Cannon) Dance, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, Cr. J.C. Tyrell
Committee: Not Known

Life Member: N.F. (Noel) Sandford – the fourth one honoured

Affiliated with: Mountain District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Grade
Players Used: 19

Games Results: Played 10, Won 6, Lost 4
Ladder Position: 2nd in 'A Grade'
Final Result: Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (151 & 9/76 Dec) lost to Belgrave (117 & 7/111)

Captain: G.J. (Gregory John) Pickett

Batting Award: Fred Heginbotham (218 Runs from 15 Innings @ 16.77)
Greg Pickett (224 Runs from 13 Innings @ 18.67)
Bowling Award: Wal Tew (18 Wkts for 121 Runs @ 6.72)
Frank Hede (64 Wkts @ 6.41) and Alan Kirkpatrick (33 Wkts @ 7.61)
All Rounder Award: Frank Hede
Fielding Award: Perc Trompf and Alan Kirkpatrick Awarded Most Catches

Most Runs: Greg Pickett – 224
Most Wickets: Frank Hede – 64
Most Catches/Dis: Alan Kirkpatrick – Unk, (Greg Pickett – 10)

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, One
Greg Pickett 58

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Two, Two, Six
Wal Tew 5/7
Frank Hede 5/14, 7/23 (11/42 in M), 6/13 (10/42 in M), 5/16, 5/43
Fred Heginbotham 7/14
Alan Kirkpatrick 5/25

Highest Score For: 205 vs Menzies Creek at Menzies Creek (13/11 & 20/11/1937)
Lowest Score For: 32 vs Emerald at Emerald (2/10 & 9/10/1937)
Highest Score Against: 130 Monbulk at Ferntree Gully (27/11 & 4/12/1937)
Lowest Score Against: 21 Emerald at Emerald (2/10 & 9/10/1937)

Other Notes:

- Frank Hede won the MDCA Award for Most Wickets
- Frank Hede took 5/14 including a Hat Trick (2/10/1937)
- Fred Heginbotham took 7/14 including a Hat Trick (8/1/1938)
- In Rnd 1 vs Emerald there were 14 'Duck's in the first three innings. We made 32 in our 1st Innings in response to Emerald's 60. In their 2nd Innings Frank Hede 5/14 (Inc Hat Trick) and Wal Tew (5/7) saw them dismissed for just 21. In reply we defied the previous collapses and got the required 49 for outright victory no wickets down! Greg Pickett (25*) and Fred Heginbotham (18*) producing two of the only four double figure scores in the match

Season 1938/39

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: G.E. (George) Woosnam
Treasurer: F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz
Vice Presidents: Dr. G.D. Broome, E.W. (Ernest W. 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, W.C. (William Charles 'Bill' or 'Mr.') Crompton, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, J.D. McKenzie, Cr. J.C. Tyrell
Committee: J. (John 'Jack') Giles, E.G. (Edward George 'Ted') Beaumont & G.J. (Gregory John 'Greg') Pickett (MDCA Delegates)

Life Member: W.C. (William Charles 'Bill or Mr') Crompton – the fifth one honoured

Affiliated with: Mountain District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Grade
Players Used: 15

Games Results: Played 11, Won 8, Lost 3
Ladder Position: 3rd in 'A Grade'
Final Result: Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (68 & 111) def Emerald (72 & 45) but lost on protest

Captain: C.C. (Charles Cannon) Dance

Batting Award: Greg Pickett (220 Runs from 12 Innings @ 24.44)
Ted Beaumont (360 Runs from 15 Innings @ 24.00) and Wal Tew (254 Runs from 14 Innings @ 19.54)

Bowling Award: Bert Phillips (29 Wkts for 117 Runs @ 4.03)
Ted Beaumont (55 Wkts @ 9.00) and Wal Tew (32 Wkts @ 8.91)

All Rounder Award: Wal Tew
Fielding Award: Fred Heginbotham & Frank Hede shared the Award

Most Runs: Ted Beaumont – 360
Most Wickets: Ted Beaumont – 55
Most Catches/Dis: Greg Pickett – 14

100's, 90's, 50's: One, Nil, Five
Ted Beaumont **103**, 88, 54
Charles Dance 55*
Wal Tew 61
Greg Pickett 65*

100 P/Ships: 2nd Wkt (12/11/1938) 120 Runs Ted Beaumont (88) & Fred Schultz (44)
3rd Wkt (4/2/1939) 129 Runs Ted Beaumont (103) & Alan Kirkpatrick (48)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, Two, Ten
Ted Beaumont 6/35, **7/33**, 5/28, 5/31
Wal Tew 6/25
Bert Phillips 5/6, 5/22, **7/16**
Alan Kirkpatrick 5/13, 5/10
Frank Hede 5/21, 5/49 (10/70 in M)

Highest Score For: 242 vs Gembrook at Gembrook (4/2 & 11/2/1939)
Lowest Score For: 51 vs Silvan at Silvan (26/11 & 3/12/1938)
Highest Score Against: 165 Silvan at Silvan (26/11 & 3/12/1938)
Lowest Score Against: 23 Silvan at Ferntree Gully (18/2 & 25/2/1939)

Other Notes:

- After winning the Semi Final (played over 4 days due to rain), Emerald protested that the game should have been played over 3 days! It was upheld and Emerald was declared victors after leading by 4 runs on 1st Innings. It was the MDCA Executive that decided play should continue on Day 4, but the Review Committee overturned the decision when the protest was lodged. The scores were FTG 68 & 111 lost to Emerald 72 & 45!
- Ted Beaumont scored the first Century (103 4/2/1939) since 1914/15 and did the double - 100 & 5 W/I
- Fred Heginbotham – Took 4/9 including a Hat Trick (25/2/1939)
- The Rnd 6 match vs Monbulk, who fielded only 7 players was over in a Day, FTG 6/77 Dec def Mon 25 & 45
- The Rnd 10 match vs Silvan who played with 8 players produced the same one day outright result, FTG 7/121 Dec def Silvan 23 & 44

Season 1939/40 1st XI

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz
Treasurer: F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz
Vice Presidents: Dr. G.D. Broome, E.W. (Ernest 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, W.C. (William Charles 'Bill' or 'Mr.') Crompton, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, J.D. McKenzie, Cr. J.C. Tyrell,
Committee: C.C. (Charles Canon) Dance, L.B. (Leonard Butters 'Len') Ewart, J. (John 'Jack') Giles, E.G. Edward George 'Ted') Beaumont, J. (John) Fleming & W.H. (Wal) Tew (RDCA Delegates), H. Giles (Umpire), S. Tew (Scorer)

Life Member: W.L. (Wally) Long – the sixth one honoured

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association

Team(s) affiliated: A Grade

Players Used: 17

Games Results: Played 12, Won 9, Lost 3

Ladder Position: 3rd in 'A Grade'

Final Result: Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (92 & 2/53) lost to Boronia (203 & 121)

Captain: C.C. (Charles Cannon) Dance

Batting Award: Frank Gangell (123 Runs from 9 Innings @ 15.38)

Ted Beaumont (401 Runs from 18 Innings @ 26.73)

Bowling Award: Bert Phillips (15 Wkts for 208 Runs @ 13.86)

Ted Beaumont (46 Wkts @ 10.39) and Wal Tew (39 Wkts @ 10.72)

All Rounder Award: Ted Beaumont

Fielding Award: Wal Tew

Most Runs: Ted Beaumont – 401

Most Wickets: Ted Beaumont – 46

Most Catches/Dis: Greg Pickett – 19

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Five

Wal Tew 50

Frank Gangell 50*

Ted Beaumont 69, 67, 57

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, One, Four

Ted Beaumont 5/17, 5/45 (10/62 in M), 5/29

Wal Tew 7/37, 5/14

Highest Score For: 221 vs Wonga Park at Wonga Park (2/12 & 9/12/1939)

Lowest Score For: 42 vs Boronia at Boronia (7/10 & 14/10/1939)

Highest Score Against: 203 Boronia at Bayswater (23/3 & 25/3/1940 – S/Final)

Lowest Score Against: 21 Lilydale at Lilydale (27/1 & 3/2/1940)

Other Notes:

- Frank Gangell 50*, batted through the Innings (16/12/1939)
- 8th Wkt P/Ship (9/12/1939) 58 Ted Beaumont (42) & Charles Dance (31)
- 6th Wkt P/Ship (16/12/1939) 70 Frank Gangell (50*) & Jack Giles (37)
- Rnd 7 vs Ringwood was tied at the end of the 1st Innings, Ringwood declared at 2/105 in their 2nd Innings, a target we chased down in an Hour to win the match outright on the 2nd Innings
- Rnd 8 vs Lilydale resulted in a narrow win after we led easily on 1st Innings having dismissed Lilydale for just 21. We declared at 8/95 and in reply Lilydale improved making 156 in their 2nd Innings. With 9 wickets down Don Downes and Jack Plummer negotiated the final 15 minutes to ensure a 1st Innings victory as we ended the 2nd innings on 9/71

Season 1939/40 2nd XI

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: C Grade
Players Used: 18

Games Results: Played 11, Won 5, Lost 5. Tied 1
Ladder Position: 6th of 10 Teams in 'C Grade'
Final Result: Not Applicable

Captain: F. (Fred) Heginbotham

Batting Award: Fred Heginbotham (265 Runs from 11 Innings @ 29.44)
Don Downes (245 Runs from 11 Innings @ 24.50)

Bowling Award: Des Foley (28 Wkts for 82 Runs @ 2.93)
Don Downes (38 Wkts @ 5.03)

All Rounder Award: Don Downes

Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Fred Heginbotham – 265

Most Wickets: Don Downes – 38

Most Catches/Dis: Unknown

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Three
Don Downes 61*
Fred Heginbotham 56*
Roy Sidebottom 52

100 P/Ships: 1st Wkt (16/12/1939) 117* Don Downes (61*) & Fred Heginbotham (56*)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Two, Two, Six
Don Downes **7/28** (11/41 in M), 6/29, 5/46
Joe Mouy 5/22
Ernie Doyle 5/15
Fred Heginbotham 6/8
Des Foley **7/12**, 6/16 (13/28 in M)

Highest Score For: 165 vs Kilsyth at Ferntree Gully (10/2 & 17/2/1940)
Lowest Score For: 45 vs East Ringwood at East Ringwood (21/10 & 28/10/1939)
Highest Score Against: 223 Kilsyth at Ferntree Gully (10/2 & 17/2/1940)
Lowest Score Against: 23 Wantirna at Wantirna (18/11 & 25/11/1939)

Other Notes:

- 1st Wkt P/Ship (27/1/1940) 90 Fred Heginbotham (42) & Keith Jensen (45)
- Rnd 3 vs Warrandyte was tied at the end of the 1st Innings, with Ferntree Gully 7/46 in pursuit of 73 for victory

Season 1940/41

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz
Treasurer: F.C. (Frederick Carl 'Fred') Schultz
Vice Presidents: E.W. (Ernest 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, C.C. (Charles Cannon) Dance, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, Cr. J.C. Tyrell, Dr. B.I. (Bertrand I.) Taft
Committee: S. Tew (Scorer)

Life Member: Not Awarded

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: A Grade
Players Used: 19

Games Results: Played 12, Won 7, Lost 5
Ladder Position: 3rd in 'A Grade'
Final Result: Semi Finalist: Ferntree Gully (70 & 68) lost to Kilsyth (180)

Captain: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew

Batting Award: Fred Heginbotham (242 Runs from 18 Innings @ 14.24)
Fred Schultz (190 Runs from 14 Innings @ 17.27)

Bowling Award: Fred Heginbotham (30 Wkts for 283 Runs @ 9.43)
Ted Beaumont (21 Wkts @ 7.00) and Wal Tew (21 Wkts @ 10.95)

All Rounder Award: Wal Tew

Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Fred Heginbotham – 242

Most Wickets: Fred Heginbotham – 30

Most Catches/Dis: Greg Pickett – 19

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Four
Fred Heginbotham 61, 53*
Fred Schultz 79*
Wal Tew 57

100 P/Ships: 8th Wkt (14/12/1940) 112 Runs Fred Schultz (79*) & Roy Sidebottom (37)
3rd Wkt (8/2/1941) 105 Runs Wal Tew (57) & Fred Schultz (44)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, Nil, Six
Ted Beaumont 6/10, 6/34, 5/26
Fred Heginbotham 6/11, 5/24
Bill Dinsdale 5/29

Highest Score For: 177 vs Lilydale at Lilydale (8/2 & 15/2/1941)

Lowest Score For: 31 vs Boronia at Ferntree Gully (25/1 & 1/2/1941)

Highest Score Against: 9/253 Kilsyth at Kilsyth (30/11 & 7/12/1940)

Lowest Score Against: 23 Croydon at Ferntree Gully (16/11 & 23/11/1940)

Other Notes:

- Ted Beaumont took 6/34 including a Hat Trick (18/1/1941)
- Greg Pickett took 4 Dismissals (3 Stumped) in an innings (29/3/1941 – Semi Final)

Season 1941/42

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Vice Presidents: E.W. (Ernest W. 'Ern' or 'Bud') Copeland, C.C. (Charles Cannon) Dance, H.S. (Henry Smith 'Harry') Dudley, Cr. J.C. Tyrell, Dr. B.I. (Bertrand I.) Taft

Committee: Not Known

Life Member: Not Awarded

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: Zone One
Players Used: 20

Games Results: Played 11, Won 6, Lost 5
Ladder Position: 2nd in 'Zone One'
Final Result: Semi Finalist: (25 & 53) lost to Boronia (203)

Captain: W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew

Batting Award: Wal Tew (230 Runs from 15 Innings @ 19.17)
Bowling Award: Don Downes (39 Wkts for 272 Runs @ 6.97)
Roy Sidebottom (30 Wkts @ 12.67) and Wal Tew (27 @ 9.85)

All Rounder Award: Fred Heginbotham
Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Wal Tew – 230
Most Wickets: Don Downes – 39
Most Catches/Dis: Greg Pickett – 24 (including 11 Stumpings)

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Two
Fred Heginbotham 53*
Wal Tew 77*

100 P/Ships: 6th Wkt (14/2/1942) 112 Runs Wal Tew (77*) & Ken Lomax (41)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: One, Nil, Three
Don Downes 5/33, 6/31 (10/55 in M)
Charlie Cusdin 5/24

Highest Score For: 9/182 vs Scoresby at Ferntree Gully (22/11 & 29/11/1942)
Lowest Score For: 25 vs Boronia at Boronia (14/3 & 21/3/1942 – Semi Final)
Highest Score Against: 203 Boronia at Boronia (14/3 & 21/3/1942 – Semi Final)
Lowest Score Against: 24 Wantirna at Wantirna (6/12 & 13/12/1941)

Other Notes:

- As a result of mid season withdrawals of a number of teams effected by War service, the three Zones were collapsed into two after Christmas with one Semi Final match played in each of the new Zones with the winners (Boronia & Wantirna) playing in the 1941/42 Grand Final
- Wal Tew (77* - 21/2/1942) Batted through the Innings
- Greg Pickett took 4 Dismissals in an innings (8/11/1941)
- Greg Pickett (25* - 21/3/1942) Batted through the Innings (Semi Final)
- In the Semi Final against Boronia (at Boronia) we were devastated by withdrawals on Day 2, of two team members having already played on Day 1 with 10 players, leaving the team with only 8 players in the 2nd Innings – clearly the War was having an impact on local sport

Season 1942/43

President:	A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Treasurer:	W.H. (Walter Harry 'Wal') Tew
Vice Presidents:	Not Known
Committee:	Not Known
Life Member:	Not Awarded
Affiliated with:	Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated:	Section One
Players Used:	22
Games Results:	Played 10, Won 2, Lost 5, Drawn 2, Forfeit 1 (Travel difficulties to Sth Warrandyte)
Ladder Position:	7 th of 8 Teams in Section One
Final Result:	Not applicable
Captain:	F.E. (Francis Edward 'Frank') Emmitt
Batting Award:	Frank Emmitt (163 Runs from 8 Innings @ 23.29) Roy Dinsdale (156 Runs from 10 Innings @ 19.05)
Bowling Award:	Roy Sidebottom (33 Wkts for 322 Runs @ 9.76) Frank Emmitt (23 Wkts @ 5.22)
All Rounder Award:	Greg Pickett
Fielding Award:	Not Awarded
Most Runs:	Frank Emmitt – 163
Most Wickets:	Roy Sidebottom – 33
Most Catches/Dis:	Greg Pickett – 10
100's, 90's, 50's:	Nil, Nil, Two Frank Emmitt 51 Roy Dinsdale 51*
100 P/Ships:	Nil
10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I:	Nil, One, Six Wal Tew 5/33 Roy Sidebottom 5/50, 5/12 Alick Dinsdale 5/7 Greg Pickett 5/23 Frank Emmitt 5/7, <u>8/27</u>
Highest Score For:	7/207 vs Croydon at Ferntree Gully (7/11 & 14/11/1942)
Lowest Score For:	23 vs Boronia at Boronia (21/11 & 28/11/1942 – 9 Players)
Highest Score Against:	146 Wantirna at Wantirna (10/10 & 17/10/1942)
Lowest Score Against:	9/30 Wantirna at Wantirna (10/10 & 17/10/1942)
Other Notes:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Frank Emmitt (46* - 23/1/1943) Batted through the Innings• Incomplete results 5/12/1942

Club in recess for Season: 1943/44, due to World War Two

Season 1944/45

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: C.C. (Clifford Charles 'Cliff') Clarke
Treasurer: L.K.B. (Lindsay Keith Boyce) Ewart
Vice Presidents: Not Known
Committee: Not Known

Life Member: Not Awarded

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: Section One
Players Used: 18

Games Results: Played 11, Won Nil, Lost 10, Drawn Nil, Forfeit 1 (Travel difficulties to Sth W'dyte again)
Ladder Position: 12th of 12 Teams in Section One
Final Result: Not applicable

Captain: R.F.W. (Ronald Frederick William 'Ron') Lomax

Batting Award: Ron Lomax (116 Runs from 13 Innings @ 10.55)
Don Closs (130 Runs from 13 Innings @ 10.83) and Ken Lomax (144 Runs from 13 Innings @ 11.08)

Bowling Award: Cliff Tompkins (11 Wkts for 83 Runs @ 7.55)
Ron Lomax (20 Wkts @ 16.40)

All Rounder Award: Not Awarded

Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Ken Lomax – 144

Most Wickets: Ron Lomax – 20

Most Catches/Dis: None above 5

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, Nil

NOTE: Greg Pickett scored **98 (16/11/1943)** in a social match vs Eastern Fire Brigades

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, Nil, Three
Cliff Tomkins 6/31
Greg Pickett 5/28
Ken Lomax 5/12

Highest Score For: 144 vs North Ringwood at Ferntree Gully (27/1/1945)

Lowest Score For: 22 vs Mooroolbark at Mooroolbark (3/3/1945)

Highest Score Against: 2/250 Wonga Park at Wonga Park (25/11/1944)

Lowest Score Against: 112 Ringwood at Ferntree Gully (28/10/1944)

Other Notes:

- Resumed with RDCA after 1943/44 season the club was disbanded – travel and fuel difficulties resulting from curfews and rationing due to World War II, culminating in a second successive forfeit against South Warrandyte – the vagaries of fixturing requiring us to play away against them two seasons in a row
- Club relegated to "B Grade" for the first time in its affiliation with the RDCA

Season 1945/46

President: A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett
Secretary: C.C. (Clifford Charles 'Cliff') Clarke
Treasurer: L.K.B. (Lindsay Keith Boyce) Ewart
Vice Presidents: Not Known
Committee: Not Known

Life Member: Not Awarded

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: B Grade
Players Used: 17

Games Results: Played 11, Won 1, Lost 8, Drawn 2
Ladder Position: 10th of 10 Teams in 'B Grade'
Final Result: Not applicable

Captain: R.F.W. (Ronald Frederick William 'Ron') Lomax

Batting Award: Don Closs (180 Runs from 8 Innings @ 25.71)
NOTE: Why Bill Dinsdale (283 Runs from 12 Innings @ 35.38) didn't win the Batting Average is unknown

Bowling Award: Ron Lomax (16 Wkts for 203 Runs @ 12.69)
Cliff Clark (12 Wkts @ 9.67) – See Other Notes

All Rounder Award: Not Awarded

Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Bill Dinsdale – 283

Most Wickets: Ron Lomax – 16

Most Catches/Dis: Not Known

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, Nil, One
Bill Dinsdale 59

100 P/Ships: Nil

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, Nil, One
G. Smith 5/21

Highest Score For: 7/160 vs Sth Warrandyte at Ferntree Gully (23/2/1946)

Lowest Score For: 34 vs Bayswater at Bayswater (1/12/1945)

Highest Score Against: 222 Montrose at Ferntree Gully (12/1/1946)

Lowest Score Against: 77 Mooroolbark at Ferntree Gully (17/11/1945)

Other Notes:

- Resumed with RDCA after 1943/44 season the club was disbanded – travel and fuel difficulties resulting from curfews and rationing due to World War II.
- Bill Dinsdale 38* batted through the Innings (2/2/1946)
- On 23/2/1946 the club was victorious against South Warrandyte, in its first victory since 30/1/1943 ending a 22 match losing streak. This period coincided with 1943/44 – a season of disbandment.
- We were a little unlucky not to have won the match prior against Scoresby who were 9/101 at stumps on Day 2 in reply to out 1st Innings total of 132. At stumps on Day 1 we were 2/69 after play was delayed at the commencement of the day because of rain
- Cliff Clarke was denied the Club's Bowling average when it was realised that he had 'fudged' the bowling figures for the season to reward himself with a trophy – there was only a Batting and Bowling trophy awarded during the two seasons after the WW2 recess – the club reasoning that any others were an excessive cost

Season 1946/47 1st XI

President:	A.F. (Arthur Francis 'Frank') Pickett	
Secretary:	J.R. (Jolimont 'Jol') Rowe	
Treasurer:	L.K.B. (Lindsay Keith Boyce) Ewart	
Vice Presidents:	L.B. (Leonard Butters) Ewart	
Committee:	Not Known	
Life Member:	Not Awarded	
Affiliated with:	Ringwood District Cricket Association	
Team(s) affiliated:	B Grade	
Players Used:	15	
Games Results:	Played 11, Won 10, Lost 1	
Ladder Position:	2 nd in 'B Grade'	
Final Result:	1946/47 RDCA B Grade Premiers: Ferntree Gully (209 & 3/59) def Boronia (124 & 141)	
Premiership Team:	J.R. Rowe, R.J. DeCoite, J.R.A. Bradley, R. Dinsdale (W/K), L.W. Dinsdale, A.W. Hicks, A.R. Barber, L.W. Lancaster, C.R. Sidebottom, A.C.K. Aplin, K. Jensen	
Captain:	J.R. (Jolimont 'Jol') Rowe	
Batting Award:	Roy Sidebottom (233 Runs from 14 Innings @ 21.18 – Unconfirmed) Bob DeCoite (243 Runs from 13 Innings @ 24.30) and Jim Bradley (236 Runs from 11 Innings @ 29.50)	
Bowling Award:	Jol Rowe (39 Wkts for 224 Runs @ 5.74 – Unconfirmed) Arthur Hicks (41 Wkts @ 6.88) and Alan Barber (35 Wkts @ 7.20)	
All Rounder Award:	Jim Bradley (236 Runs @ 29.50 and 28 Wkts @ 8.00 – Unconfirmed)	
Fielding Award:	Not Awarded	
Most Runs:	Bob DeCoite – 243 (Unconfirmed)	
Most Wickets:	Arthur Hicks – 41 (Unconfirmed)	
Most Catches/Dis:	Not Known	
100's, 90's, 50's:	Nil, Nil, Six Roy Sidebottom 61 Jim Bradley 50, 50 (G/Final) Roy Dinsdale 57 Keith Jensen 55 Bob DeCoite 88* (G/Final)	
100 P/Ships:	Nil	
10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I:	Nil, One, Three Alan Barber 6/15 Jol Rowe 7/4, 5/19 Jim Bradley 5/??	
Highest Score For:	209	vs Boronia at Ferntree Gully (15/3/1947 G/F)
Lowest Score For:	9/49	vs Ringwood at Ringwood (21/12/1946)
Highest Score Against:	139	Ringwood at Ringwood (14/12/1946)
Lowest Score Against:	14	East Ringwood at East Ringwood (1/2/1947)

Other Notes:

- Jim Bradley - 5/?? (Inc. Hat Trick - 4 wickets in 4 balls)

Season 1946/47 2nd XI

Affiliated with: Ringwood District Cricket Association
Team(s) affiliated: C Grade
Players Used: 16 (Known)

Games Results: Played 9, Won 3 (1 by Forfeit), Lost 6
Ladder Position: 9th of 12 Teams in 'C Grade'
Final Result: Not Applicable

Captain: A. (Alick) Dinsdale

Batting Award: Monty Bailey (284 Runs from 6 Innings @ 56.80 – Unconfirmed)
Bowling Award: Ron Lomax (17 Wkts for 116 Runs @ 6.82 – Unconfirmed)
Alick Dinsdale (20 Wkts @ 7.40), Alan Kirkpatrick (14 @ 6.50)
All Rounder Award: Alick Dinsdale
Fielding Award: Not Awarded

Most Runs: Monty Bailey – 284 (Unconfirmed)
Most Wickets: Ron Lomax – 17 (Unconfirmed)
Most Catches/Dis: Not Known

100's, 90's, 50's: Nil, One, Four
Monty Bailey 91*, 67, 58
Alick Dinsdale 50*
Keith Jensen 84*

100 P/Ships: 3rd Wkt (1/2/1947) 134* Keith Jensen (84*) & Alick Dinsdale (50*)

10 W/M, 7 & 5 W/I: Nil, One, Six
Bob DeCoite 7/48
Alick Dinsdale 5/13, 6/45
Don Downes 6/54
Ron Lomax 6/20, 5/18
Alan Kirkpatrick 5/45

Highest Score For: 182 vs Warrandyte at Ferntree Gully (23/11/1946)
Lowest Score For: 9/34 vs Croydon North at Croydon North (2/11/1946)
Highest Score Against: 186 Wantirna at Ferntree Gully (12/10/1946)
Lowest Score Against: 37 Wonga Park at Wonga Park (7/12/1946)

Other Notes:

- Monty Bailey won the RDCA "C Grade" Batting Average