



SABRES SCOOP



Official newsletter of the Newcastle City and Eastern Districts Cricket Club

20th October 2016

Newcastle Sabres in Sri Lanka

Thanks to our sponsor Mark Bowen from Mark Bowen Plumbing, who has kindly shared some Newcastle City training gear with fellow cricketers while visiting Ella, Sri Lanka recently. Is there nowhere the Sabres can't reach?



New look Sabres

1st Grade started their first 2-day game of the 2016/17 campaign on Saturday. They were sporting some new gear, including the new playing shirt with the sky blue collar and this year's major shirt sponsor Dannenberg Civil, and the new baggy blue, provided through Kingsgrove Sports Newcastle. City for the Kitty!



Coming Soon!

- Ethos Throwing Clinic – **Tuesday 25 October** – No 5 Sportsground – 5:45pm to 7:00pm (Seniors)

A totally free session with a throwing coach and physiotherapist to reinforce correct throwing technique and injury prevention as well as exercise based shoulder rehabilitation.

- Melbourne Cup Calcutta – **Monday 31 October** – The Bennett Hotel – BBQ at 6:00pm for 7:30pm start

Tickets selling now \$2 – last year's pool over \$23,000! Compared by leading tipster and bookmaker Brendan McCoy with professional auctioneer Michael Haggerty. Great night for everyone!

Sabres Juniors: Round 1 Top Performers

Top 5 Batting Runs Age/Div

Abbey Taylor 44* U14/2
Liam Whitehead 38 U17-18/1
Maddison McGuigan 36 U14/2
Wil Anson 35 U14/1
Ahmed Badat 30 U17-18/1

Top 5 Bowling Wkts Age/Div

Cameron Allen 5/8 U11 Green/6
Daniel Sutherland 4/5 U17-18/1
Kate McTaggart 4/11 U11 Green/6
Angus McTaggart 4/23 U15-16/1
Joel van Haren 3/2 U13/1

Blind Cricket

Lord Taverners Newcastle present a day of Blind Cricket at Harker Oval on Sunday 23 October, try it out from 10am – 12pm, exhibition T20 game 12pm – 4pm, followed by nibbles and drinks with Nathan Bracken from 4.30pm at Wests New Lambton Bowling Club (\$20 per person at door). Contact - Trevor John 0419 008 785.

Rep news - go girls!

The girls from city are doing us all proud this rep season. We are two from two and play Manly this weekend at Hawkins Oval Wickham on Sunday. One girl that had a game to remember last week was Clare Webber. Clare opened the batting and scored 103 n.o. then took 5/3 including a hat trick bowling late in North Shores' inning. Another highlight is that Clare and Abbey Taylor have been picked in the NSW 15s team for the national champs. Well done girls! (Tom Anderson)



Clare Webber and the U15 Newcastle Rep Team

Round 3 v University – Grade Scores for Day 1

First Grade	3	Newcastle City 4/88	IN PROGRESS	University 141	Learmonth Park
Second Grade	3	University 165	IN PROGRESS	Newcastle City 1/24	University Oval
Third Grade	3	Newcastle City 3/67	IN PROGRESS	University 205	Sports Ground 5
Fourth Grade	3	University 8/157	IN PROGRESS	Newcastle City 1/22	Ray Watt Oval

DUE NOW - Senior registration

HURRY – Online registration is open and should be completed ASAP. The process is the same as for previous years and directions can be found at [Sabres Online Registration instructions](#).

Don't forget, only those who have paid at least half of the registration fee will receive their training shirts/singlets, now available, to be distributed this week.



Club training shorts for sale

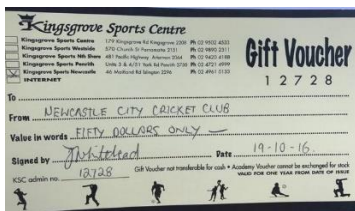
Club training shorts are for sale - \$30. Seniors can email newcastlesabrescricket@gmail.com with name and size required.

Meat Raffle Roster – Saturday Night at Bennett Hotel

This week – **3rd Grade** - Contact Greg Hook 0447 759 776 for further details.

And the winner is...

Drawn from those seniors who had registered and paid before the Season Launch, we have a winner of the Kingsgrove Sports Newcastle gift voucher – **Nick Tantos** (to be collected from Greg Hook).



Stay Informed

Have you checked out the **Website** lately? Photos, results, draw, teams, sponsors info and much more.

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Captains, Coaches, Players, Parents & Supporters

We are looking for contributions to YOUR newsletter each week. Brief match reports, photos, special moments – we need them all. Nothing is too big or too small. We want to hear what's happening on the field, at training, and socially. Send anything you have, comments, or questions to newcastlesabrescricket@gmail.com

Yours in cricket,

John Hodgson (President) and Committee

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