

COUNTRY CRICKET NSW 2022/23

37th ANNUAL REPORT & FINANCIAL STATEMENT



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NSW Country Cricket Association

Office Bearers and Delegates 2022/23

Country Delegates elected to the Association were:

Chair

Paul Marjoribanks (Newcastle)

Deputy Chair

Michael Erdeljac (Riverina)

Committee

Mark Frecklington (Western), Terry Psarakis OAM (Central Northern), Paul Dilley APM (North Coastal)
Jackson Surman (Greater Illawarra), Garry Burkinshaw (Central Coast), Gary Herd (Southern Districts)

Elected Zone Delegates

Central Coast

Garry Burkinshaw, James Figallo

Greater Illawarra

Jackson Surman, Ty Barton

North Coastal

Paul Dilley APM, Daniel Rowlands

Western

Mark Frecklington, Ian Strudwick

Central Northern

Terry Psarakis OAM, Ben Middlebrook

Newcastle

Paul Marjoribanks, Andrew Cornwell

Riverina

Michael Erdeljac, Eric Koetz

Southern Districts – Appointed Observer

Gary Herd

Zone Administrators

Central Coast

Garry Burkinshaw

Greater Illawarra

Steve Jenkin/Steve Davies

North Coastal

Jacob Graham

Western

Ian Strudwick

Central Northern

Hayley Bullock

Newcastle

Tim Cox/Sharyn Beck

Riverina

Tom Walker/Billy McCarthy

Southern Districts

Gary Herd

NSW Country Cricket Association Administration - Secretary

Bruce Whitehouse

Treasurer

Hari Shan/Jason Langenberg

Front cover photo – NSW Male (Matt Everett) and NSW Female (Jodie Hicks) Country Players of the Year

Life Members

1993	Denis Broad OAM	2016	Marie Cornish OAM
1995	John O'Dwyer OAM	2017	John Moriarty OAM
2001	Brian Gainsford OAM	2018	John (Tim) Grosser, Ian Hogg
2003	Greg Bennett, Mark Curry	2019	Carolyn Sheehan
2006	John McMahon OAM	2020	Graeme Creighton, Colin Wood
2008	Michael Silver OAM	2021	Greg Arms, Dennis Cox
2013	Simon Moore		

The following deceased Life Members of the NSWCCA are recorded here in recognition of their contribution to the Association.

G Browne (2004), I H Ewin OAM (1991), R Heaps OAM (1991), M Lilienthal OAM (1991), J F McNamara OAM (1991)
R C Penberthy (1991), K G Robson OAM (1999)

Chair

1986/87 - 1989/90	Maurie Lilienthal OAM	2009/10 - 2016/17	Ian Hogg
1990/91 - 1998/99	Brian Gainsford OAM	2017/18 - current	Paul Marjoribanks
1999/00 - 2008/09	Mike Silver OAM		

Secretaries

1986/87 - 1994/95	Brian Hughes	1999/00 - 2001/02	Oliver Hodges
1995/96	Neil Maxwell	2002/03 - 2011/12	John Sullivan
1996/97 - 1997/98	Todd Greenberg	2012/13 - Current	Bruce Whitehouse
1998/99	Matthew Phelps		

Country Committee of Management Attendance Record

The Country Committee of Management met face to face on three occasions, as well as five occasions on-line between 1st July 2022 and 30th June 2023 (both dates inclusive).

Country Committee of Management 2022/23



(L to R): Paul Marjoribanks (Newcastle – Chair), Garry Burkinshaw (Central Coast)
Gary Herd (Southern Districts), Terry Psarakis OAM (Central Northern), Ty Barton (Greater Illawarra)
Bruce Whitehouse (Secretary), Mark Frecklington (Western), Michael Erdeljac (Riverina – Deputy Chair)
Jackson Surman (Greater Illawarra), Daniel Rowlands (North Coastal)
Absent on leave (inset): Paul Dilley APM (North Coastal)



Paul Dilley
North Coastal

Chair's Report



Paul Marjoribanks
Chair - Country Cricket

In a welcome return to a full NSW Country Cricket program, it is my pleasure to report on the season highlights.

The Hogg-Silver Shield was introduced in 2015 and is awarded to the best performing Zone based on results in all competitions within the NSW Country Cricket schedule. In

season 2022/23, Newcastle won the Hogg-Silver Shield for the fourth time. Highlights included victories in the Bradman Cup, McDonald's Country Championships (male), Plan B Regional Bash (male), Under 15 Youth Championships (female), and McDonald's Female Under 16's Country Championships. The Newcastle Bradman Cup team also won the Under 16 Country v City Challenge with an emphatic victory over the Parramatta A W Green Shield team. Congratulations to the players, coaches, and administrators within the Newcastle Cricket Zone.

Newcastle won the McDonald's Country Championships for a record fourth season in a row. This is the first time any team has won this trophy in four consecutive years. Newcastle defeated Central Coast in a tremendous final played on a first-class facility at Newcastle No.1 Sports Ground. Newcastle chased down the target of 280 in the final over. Congratulations to the Newcastle's players and particularly the leadership group in Shane Burley, David Redden and Nick Foster who have been involved in all four titles.

This season the Country Committee of Management introduced a new regional male competition for smaller cricket associations with the objective to promote and stimulate cricket across these regions. The new competition known as the "Country Plate" was widely embraced by players and officials from the smaller associations across regional NSW. Gilgandra and Griffith qualified for the final in what was one of the initial games to be played at Cricket Central. In a match that received wide exposure across NSW, Gilgandra had a comfortable victory in the final. We anticipate this competition will grow even further in upcoming seasons.

The Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships returned after an enforced break. Played in the ACT, the Bush Breakers and Bush Blues had varied tournaments.

The Bush Breakers were undefeated during the rounds and easily topped the points table. After a good win in the semi-finals against Queensland, the team fell short in the final with a super over loss to South Australia. Despite this disappointment, the team had a successful week and played very good cricket with great character. Such was the success of the team the following players were rewarded with selection in the Australian Country Merit team: Jodie Hicks, Jo Kelly, Claire Murray and Rochelle Davis.

On the other hand, The Bush Blues team had a disappointing week. Despite being competitive in all games, the Bush Blues ended the carnival with two wins, three losses and a draw. On a positive note, the team continued to play aggressive cricket with good team spirit.

This year was a breakout season for the NSW Country Youth Championships. Having struggled since inception with competition interruptions due to Covid, wet weather, heat, bush fires, and smoke haze, it was pleasing to see a full season of cricket played. Feedback from all teams has been positive.

There were two additions to the Youth Championships competition that proved extremely successful. The inaugural female Under 15's competition was a big success. Singleton District Cricket Association provided fantastic facilities and did a great job in hosting the carnival and. Competitive cricket was played with much enjoyment during the week.

Also, the state final in each age group of the male Youth Championships which was played between the Country and City competition winners proved to be another positive inclusion. Congratulations to Central Coast on winning the Under 14 age group.

With the termination of the MOU between Cricket NSW and Cricket ACT, this was the final season with the participation of ACT teams within the NSW Country programs. We wish Cricket ACT well as it moves forward as a standalone entity. A new zone based around the southern NSW cricket associations is to be created for season 2023/24. Meanwhile a full review of the zone structure across the state is to be undertaken in the upcoming season. The current structure has been in place for almost 40 years and it's an opportune time to assess future models.

Congratulations to our two major award winners for 2022/23. Matt Everett (Western) took out the Josh Hazlewood Medal while and Jodie Hicks (Riverina) was awarded the Alex Blackwell Medal. They were presented with their honours at the Cricket NSW awards night.

On the same night, Narromine Cricket Club (Western) was presented with the Cricket NSW Volunteer Club of the Year award. That is tremendous recognition and congratulations to all involved in Narromine cricket.

As well, we acknowledge our other worthy award winners being:

- Kookaburra Female Youth Cricketer of the Year – Kate McTaggart (Newcastle).
- Kookaburra Male Youth Cricketer of the Year – Angus Campbell (Greater Illawarra).
- Country Coach of the Year – Garth Dean (Western).
- Country Umpire of the Year – Dave Cullen (Greater Illawarra).

- Country Curators of the Year – Paul Deaves and John Rainger – Tuggerah Sports Complex (Central Coast).
- Contribution to Country Cricket Award – Wes Giddings – Dubbo Regional Council (Western).

Congratulations also to the following organisations who won Cricket Australia awards:

- Cricket Albury Wodonga (Riverina) - Community Cricket Association of the Year.
- Dubbo Junior Cricket Association (Western) - Women and Girls Initiative of the Year.
- Griffith's Roy Binks (Riverina) - Community Coach of the Year.

I would like to thank the following for their support of Country Cricket NSW:

- Cricket NSW for its continued support and investment in Country Cricket. The combined investment in country programs, facilities development and staffing is more than \$4 million.
- The NSW Umpires and Scorers Association for its commitment and support of our programs.
- Sponsors such as Transport for NSW, McDonald's, Kookaburra, as well as the Local Government bodies – Armidale Regional Council, Clarence Valley Council, Dubbo Regional Council, Kempsey Shire Council, Orange City Council, Lake Macquarie City Council, Port Stephens Council, Tamworth Regional Council and Queanbeyan Palerang Regional Council who supported Country Cricket financially this season.

- All the groundstaff and volunteers who ensure our carnivals are run in a professional manner.
- The many media outlets across the state which continue to give Country Cricket tremendous exposure.
- NSW Country Programs Manager Bruce Whitehouse for his drive and passion for Country Cricket.

To my fellow members of the Committee of Management and our Secretary Bruce Whitehouse, I thank you for your support during season 2022/23.

As a group we enjoy ourselves and continue to work with great focus on all issues operational and strategic that impact cricket in NSW Country. The Committee operates with respect and professionalism, and it is a pleasure to be part of the team.

In closing I wish to recognise the achievements of three wonderful servants of Country Cricket – Terry Psarakis (Central Northern) and David Smallman (Central Coast). Terry and David both received an OAM for their services to cricket and the community in the 2023 Kings Birthday honours list. I would also like to acknowledge the efforts of popular and long serving Country Carnival match referee Keith Griffiths (North Coastal) who has retired from this role.

Paul Marjoribanks
Chair - Country Cricket

Congratulations Terry Psarakis and David Smallman



Terry Psarakis
(Central Northern)



David Smallman
(Central Coast)

Congratulations to Terry Psarakis and David Smallman who were awarded OAM's in the Kings Birthday Honours List in June

Thank You Keith Griffiths



The very popular and long serving Carnival Referee Keith Griffiths has stood down from the role after many years of committed service to Country Cricket.

Country Cricket NSW Sponsorship

Country Cricket NSW gratefully acknowledges the support of the following organisations during the past season:



Kookaburra for the supply of cricket balls used in all Country Cricket NSW Program matches.
www.kookaburra.biz



McDonald's for their support of the Country Championships (male and female) and Country Colts.
www.mcdonalds.com.au



Port Stephens Council for their support of the northern pool of the Under 14 Youth Championships.
www.portstephens.nsw.gov.au



Transport for NSW for their support of the Plan B Regional Bash.
www.transport.nsw.gov.au



Lake Macquarie City Council for their support of the Bradman Cup Carnival.
www.lakemac.com.au



Orange City Council for their support of the southern pool of the McDonald's Country Championships.
www.orange.nsw.gov.au



Dubbo Regional Council for their support of the southern pool of the Youth Championships and State Challenges.
www.dubbo.com.au



Clarence Valley Council for their support of the northern pool of Under 15 Youth Championships.
www.clarence.nsw.gov.au



Armidale Regional Council for their support of the northern pool of the Under 13 Youth Championships.
www.armidaleregional.nsw.gov.au



Kempsey Shire Council for their support of the northern pool of the Bradman Cup.
www.kempsey.nsw.gov.au



Queanbeyan Palerang Regional Council for their support of the McDonald's Country Colts.
www.qprc.nsw.gov.au



Tamworth Regional Council for their support of the northern pool of the McDonald's Country Championships.
www.tamworth.nsw.gov.au

Finance

Country Cricket received generous financial assistance from the NSW Cricket Association with \$5,981,977 being made available. Financial support was also received from:

- Transport for NSW - Plan B Regional Bash
- McDonald's, Orange City Council and Tamworth Regional Council - McDonald's Country Championships (male and female).
- McDonalds and Queanbeyan Palerang Council - McDonald's Country Colts.
- Lake Macquarie City Council and Kempsey Shire Council - Bradman Cup.
- Dubbo Regional Council for their support of the NSW Youth Championships and State Challenges.

- Armidale Regional Council for their support of the Under 13 northern pool Youth Championships Carnival.
- Port Stephens Council for their support of the Under 14 northern pool Youth Championships Carnival.
- Clarence Valley Council for their support of the Under 15 northern pool Youth Championships Carnival.

Country Cricket also received direct funding support (hosting fees) from Regional Councils totaling approximately \$20,500 excluding any "in kind" support from Councils.

The following programs received the majority of funding:

Country Program	Amount
McDonald's Country Colts	67,909
McDonald's Female Country Championships (Under 16 and Under 19)	66,945
Bradman Cup	87,207
McDonald's Country Championship	51,109
Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships	106,697
Plan B Regional Bash (Male and Female)	119,024
TOTAL	498,891

Total Investment in Country Cricket Season 2022/23

Investment in Country Cricket	Amount
Country Cricket Programs	498,891
Academy Coaching Grants and Staff	467,196
General Grants	308,498
Youth Programs Male	462,429
Youth Programs Female	247,784
Regional Community Cricket Experience Field Force	2,369,740
Facilities Grants Allocation (CNSW Contribution)	375,982
Other Administration Costs	232,747
TOTAL	5,981,977

NSW Country Cricket Association Inc - Balance Sheet as at 30th June 2023

MEMBERS FUNDS	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Accumulated Funds	<u>(808)</u>	<u>\$7,659</u>
Represented by:-		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents		
Receivables		
Other assets		
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	<u>4,192</u>	<u>\$21,529</u>
Less CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Payables	<u>5,000</u>	<u>2,500</u>
TOTAL MEMBERS FUNDS	<u>(808)</u>	<u>\$19,029</u>
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2023		
INCOME	738,695	710,889
EXPENDITURE	<u>747,042</u>	<u>711,009</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	<u>(8,347)</u>	<u>(120)</u>
Add - Accumulated Funds B/F	<u>7,539</u>	<u>7,659</u>
ACCUMULATED FUNDS 30TH JUNE 2023	<u>(808)</u>	<u>\$7,539</u>

These accounts were adopted by the NSWCCA Committee of Management in August 2023 and subsequently certified by the Association's Auditors also in August 2023.

Toyota Australian Country Championships - New South Wales Bush Blues



Back Row (L to R). David Redden (Scorer), Anthony Kershler (Coach), Nic Broes, Pat Magann, Josh Bennett, Josh McTaggart, Hamish Starr, Shaun Eaton, Logan Weston, Shane Burley (Ass Coach/Manager)

Front Row (L to R): Callum Rainger, Jono Rose, Aaron Bills, Nick Foster ©, Matt Everett, Ryan Brown, Jeff Goninan

This year the Toyota Australian Country Championships were held in the ACT in January 2023. In a campaign impacted by wet weather, the Bush Blues won two matches, lost three with one washed out to finish in sixth place. All matches were 50 overs a side.

There were six new Bush Blues caps for the series being cap no 242 Aaron Bills (Newcastle), 243 – Pat Magann (Newcastle), 244 – Josh McTaggart (Newcastle), 245 – Callum Rainger (Central Coast), 246 Hamish Starr (Riverina) and 247 – Logan Weston (Newcastle). The side was captained by Newcastle's Nick Foster.

Matt Everett (Western) was the leading run scorer for the Bush Blues, scoring 161 runs, with Nic Broes (Western) the next best with 130 runs.

Josh Bennett (Newcastle) and Aaron Bills (Newcastle) both ended the Championships with seven wickets.



Anthony Kershler
Bush Blues Coach



Bush Blues Captain Nick Foster presents former Bush Blue and now professional County Cricket player with Kent - Grant Stewart with his cap number 201

Results

Round 1 - 13th January 2023

New South Wales 4/188 (N Broes 97, L Weston 52) defeated South Australia 187 (A Bills 3-37, J Bennett 2-33, N Foster 2-34).

Round 2 - 15th January 2023

New South Wales 9/243 (J Rose 64, M Everett 51, A Bills 30no) defeated Philippines 86 (J McTaggart 3-11, N Broes 2-11, A Bills 2-14).

Round 3 – 16th January 2023- Bye

Round 4 - 17th January 2023

Victoria 3/162 (J Bennett 2-44) defeated New South Wales 159 (C Rainger 44no, S Eaton 22).

Round 5 - 18th January 2023 (45 overs a side)

Western Australia 8/177 (P Magann 2-32) defeated New South Wales 9/174 (S Eaton 47, M Everett 28, J Goninan 26, C Rainger 21).

Round 6 - 19th January 2023

New South Wales drew with ACT – no play.

Round 7 - 20th January 2023

Queensland 6/152 (J Bennett 2-27, A Bills 2-33) defeated New South Wales 151 (M Everett 52, J McTaggart 32).

Ladder	Points
Victoria	20
Western	16 (0.89)
Queensland	16 (0.36)
South Australia	12
ACT	10 (0.42)
New South Wales	10 (0.36)
Philippines	0



Bush Blues Debutants

(L to R): Aaron Bills, Callum Rainger, Pat Magann, Josh McTaggart, Hamish Starr and Logan Weston

Name	Inns	Agg	NO	Best	Ave	Cat	Stp
Daniel Arms	1	4	-	4	4.00		
Josh Bennett	Did	not	bat				1
Aaron Bills	4	59	1	30no	19.67	1	
Nic Broes	6	130	1	97	26.00	1	
Ryan Brown	Did	not	bat				1
Shaun Eaton	3	71	1	47	35.50	2	
Matt Everett	6	161	1	52	32.20	5	
Nick Foster ©	4	31	-	15	7.75		
Jeff Goninan	5	60	-	26	12.00	4	
Pat Magann	3	12	2	12	12.00		
Josh McTaggart	2	37	1	32	32.00		
Callum Rainger	4	78	1	44	26.00	3	
Jono Rose	4	77	1	64	25.67	7	1
Hamish Starr	3	6	-	6	2.00	1	
Logan Weston	3	78	-	52	26.00	1	

Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Ave	Best
31.1	3	131	7	18.70	2-27
41	4	127	7	18.14	3-37
6.3	0	28	2	14.00	2-11
5	0	10	1	10.00	1-10
11.4	0	54	2	27.00	1-0
33	2	127	4	31.75	2-34
29.4	3	110	5	22.00	2-32
20	1	100	4	25.00	3-11
12.2	2	57	1	57.00	1-5

Toyota Australian Country Championships - New South Wales Bush Breakers



Back Row (L to R): Tommy Anderson (Coach), Rochelle Davis, Abbey Taylor, Ally McGrath, Kirsten Smith, Claire Murray, Amy Cunningham
Kate Jackson (Ass Coach/Manager), Allison Brockley (Scorer)

Front Row (L-R): Jaclyn Vickery, Kelly Rowlings, Sophie Shelley, Kira Churchland ©, Grace Dignam, Jodie Hicks, Joanne Kelly, Emma-Jayne Howe

Female Competition

The Toyota Australian Country Championships returned to the ACT, with all matches being played in Twenty 20 format. The Bush Breakers enjoyed a fantastic championship, qualifying for the final only to go down in super over against South Australia.

The team was coached by Tommy Anderson (Newcastle), with Kate Jackson (North Coastal) appointed as Assistant Coach/Manager and Kira Churchland (Western) as the new Bush Breakers captain.



Tommy Anderson
Bush Breakers Coach

This year there were four new caps for the Bush Breakers being cap number 40 – Amy Cunningham (Central Coast), 41 – Rochelle Davis (Central Coast), 42 – Grace Dignam (Central Coast) and 43 – Sophie Shelley (Central Coast).

The Bush Breakers only lost one match in the preliminary rounds before accounting for Queensland in the semi-final.

The final against South Australia saw the scores tied at 4/118 with only a super over separating the two sides in the end. The leading run scorer was Jodie Hicks with 272 runs, while Claire Murray topped the wicket takers with 9 wickets.

Jodie Hicks (Riverina), Jo Kelly (Greater Illawarra), Claire Murray (Riverina) and Rochelle Davis (Central Coast) were all named in the Team of the Championship.

Ladder	Points
New South Wales	10
Victoria	8
South Australia	7
Queensland	6
Papua New Guinea	5
ACT	4
Western Australia	2



Bush Breakers Debutants
(L to R): Grace Dignam, Amy Cunningham
Rochelle Davis and Sophie Shelley

Results

Round 1 v Victoria – 14th January 2023

New South Wales 2/116 (J Kelly 49no, K Churchland 27no) defeated South Australia 8/115 (C Murray 3-11, K Churchland 2-22).

Round 2 v Papua New Guinea – 15th January 2023

New South Wales 3/152 (J Hicks 73, K Rowlings 33, K Churchland 27no) defeated Papua New Guinea 7/119 (C Murray 2-10, A McGrath 2-17, G Dignam 2-18).

Round 3 v Victoria – 15th January 2023

New South Wales 5/137 (J Hicks 64, K Churchland 22no) defeated Victoria 59 (K Churchland 2-6, G Dignam 2-9).

Round 4 - Bye – 16th January 2023

Round 5 v Queensland – 16th January 2023

Queensland 3/103 defeated New South Wales 3/99 (J Hicks 35, J Kelly 29).

Round 6 v ACT – 17th January 2023

New South Wales 6/121 (K Churchland 37, J Hicks 23) defeated ACT 3/119.

Round 7 v Western Australia – 18th January 2023

New South Wales 5/84 (J Kelly 67no, J Hicks 33) defeated Western Australia 6/40 (G Dignam 2-3) by DLS method.

Semi Final v Queensland – 19th January 2023

New South Wales 8/129 (J Kelly 42, K Rowlings 27, J Hicks 25) defeated Queensland 2/108.

Final v South Australia – 20th January 2023

New South Wales 6/118 (K Smith 31no, J Kelly 28) tied with South Australia 4/118 (A McGrath 2-19).

Final (Super Over) v South Australia – 20th January 2023

South Australia 0/8 defeated New South Wales 1/7.

Name	Inns	Agg	NO	Best	Ave	Cat	Stp
Kira Churchland ©	6	84	2	27no	21.00	2	
Amy Cunningham	2	6	2	4no	-	1	
Rochelle Davis	3	15	2	7	15.00	5	2
Grace Dignam	5	45	1	19	11.25	1	
Jodie Hicks	7	272	0	73	38.86	4	
Emma-Jayne Howe	Did	not	bat			1	
Joanne Kelly	6	219	2	67no	54.75	3	
Ally McGrath	2	22	0	16	11.00	1	
Claire Murray	Did	not	bat			1	
Kelly Rowlings	6	85	0	33	14.17	1	
Sophie Shelley	Did	not	bat				
Kirsten Smith	5	53	1	31no	6.20		
Abbey Taylor	3	32	0	19	10.67	1	
Jackie Vickery	Did	not	bat				

Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Ave	Best
22	1	102	7	14.57	1-0
22.5	2	85	7	12.14	2-9
7	0	39	0		
4	0	26	0		
25	2	133	5	26.67	2-17
20.1	0	106	9	11.78	3-11
5.2	0	41	0		
19	0	128	2	64.00	1-27
15	0	82	2	41.00	1-9



Cricket NSW Female Engagement Manager Julie Stafford presents to the Bush Breakers at their pre-carnival camp

McDonald's Country Championships



Callum Rainger
Mark Curry Medalist
Player of the Final

After topping their respective pools played in Tamworth and Orange, Newcastle and Central Coast qualified for the Final which was played on the 11th of December 2022 at Number 1 Sportsground, Newcastle.

In a first for Country Cricket the match was live streamed using the Frogbox platform.

In a high-quality match, Newcastle edged out Central Coast with 2 balls to go courtesy of some late order hitting by Adrian Chad. This makes four titles in a row

for Newcastle. Callum Rainger (Central Coast) was awarded the Mark Curry Medal for Player of the Final after scoring a superb 100, to see Central Coast post 9/279 from their 50 overs.

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge competition sponsor McDonald's, as well as Central Northern Zone, Tamworth DCA and Tamworth Regional Council (Northern Pool), and Western Zone, Orange DCA and Orange City Council (Southern Pool), and Newcastle Zone for their support of the respective pool matches as well as the Final.

NEWCASTLE

D Arms	st Woodhead b Haddow	32
J Gillard	b Keen	42
L Weston	c Allison b Haddow	61
J Goninan	c Forrester b Haddow	50
A Wivell	c Rainger b B Hardy	27
B Balcomb	c Forrester b Haddow	12
A Chad	not out	37
A Bills	b Burkinshaw	1
N Foster ©	not out	10
J Bennett		
J McTaggart		
D Chillingworth		
D Bailey		
Sundries	NB – 2, W – 6	8
	Overs: 49.4	7/280

Fall: 69, 89, 192, 195, 221, 233, 234

Bowling: A Patterson 3-0-0-21, S Burkinshaw 6-0-1-39

S Keen 10-3-1-34, C Haddow 10-1-4-54, T Owen 7-0-0-39

C Archer 10-0-0-41, B Hardy 3.3-0-1-52

CENTRAL COAST

J Hardy	b Bailey	24
R Forrester	c Bills b Bailey	0
B Hardy ©	c Goninan b Bailey	15
S Keen	lbw b Bennett	2
B Russell	lbw b Chillingworth	16
C Rainger	c and b Foster	100
T Owen	c Gillard b Chillingworth	7
H Woodhead	c Wivell b Bennett	49
K Allison	c Goninan b Bills	17
S Burkinshaw	not out	26
C Haddow	not out	8
A Patterson		
C Archer		
Sundries	W - 6, NB - 1, LB - 8	15
	Overs: 50	9/279

Fall: 9, 44, 47, 47, 86, 103, 217, 244, 246

Bowling: D Bailey 8-2-3-36, J Bennett 10-0-0-47

J McTaggart 10-0-0-45, D Chillingworth 7-0-2-50

A Bills 8-0-1-44, N Foster 7-1-1-49

Umpires: Dave Cullen (Greater Illawarra) and Jeff Egan (Riverina) **Match Referee:** Neil Findlay



Newcastle - McDonald's Country Championships Winners



Back Row (L to R): Daniel Arms, Logan Weston, Josh Bennett, Daniel Chillingworth, Josh McTaggart, David Redden (Manager)
Shane Burley (Coach), Daniel Bailey, Ben Balcomb, Dan Proudman (Scorer)
Front Row (L to R): Joseph Gillard, Aaron Wivell, Adrian Chad, Nick Foster ©, Jeff Goninan, Aaron Bills
(photo courtesy Merrilie Redden Photography)



Central Coast Captain Broc Hardy turns one to leg as his partner Jake Hardy (no 13) and Newcastle's Ben Balcomb (keeper)
Nick Foster (1st slip) and Adrian Chad (2nd slip) look on
(photo courtesy Merrilie Redden Photography)

McDonald's Country Colts

Ladder	Points
Western	25
Greater Illawarra	22
North Coastal	18
Newcastle	13
Central Coast	7
Central Northern	6
Riverina	4
ACT	0

Angus Campbell (Greater Illawarra) was named Player of the Carnival after scoring 268 runs at 53.60.



Angus Campbell
Player of the Carnival

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge competition sponsor McDonald's as well as Queanbeyan Cricket Club and Queanbeyan-Palerang Council for their support of the McDonald's Country Colts Carnival.

This season the McDonald's Country Colts competition was held in Queanbeyan over four days in December. Western won their first Hughes Lilienthal Shield since 2006/7 after remaining undefeated for the duration of the competition.



Western - McDonald's Country Colts Winners



Back Row (L to R): Garth Dean (Coach), Connor Whale, Ted Murray, Anthony Atlee, Hugh Sienkiewicz, Ryan Goodsell, Lachlan Rummans, Luke Hunter, Glen Shepherd (Manager)

Front Row (L to R): Damien Hanrahan (Ass Coach), Tyson Deebank, Fletcher Hyde, Blake Kreuzberger, Parth Bassi, Riley Keen, Flynn Taylor

Leading Performers

Batting

Name	Team	Inns	NO	Agg	Best	Ave
Angus Campbell	Greater Illawarra	5	0	268	151	53.60
Bailey Abela	Greater Illawarra	5	0	159	60	31.80
Oscar Lyons	Riverina	4	0	158	59	39.50

Bowling

Name	Team	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Ave	Best
James Burke	Newcastle	25	5	76	9	8.44	6-22
Jordan Wells	Riverina	19.6	0	78	9	8.67	7-18
Ryan Cattle	Greater Illawarra	22	1	94	8	11.75	4-15

Under 19s State Challenge (male)

Two sides were named to play in the Under 19 State Challenge which was held at Blacktown International Sports Park on the 8th and 9th November 2022.

Country Kangaroos: Joey Gillard (Captain – Newcastle), Bailey Abela (Greater Illawarra), Rhys Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Bryce Cook (North Coastal), Hayden Forner (Riverina), Charlie Howard (North Coastal), Karan Katli (Central Coast), Jake Scott (Riverina), Daniel Thompson (Central Coast), Hayden Watling (Riverina), Willoughby Watson (Greater Illawarra), Mac Webster (Western).

Country Lions: Zak Keogh (Captain – Southern Districts), Max Becker (Sydney), Cooper Brien (Western), Angus Campbell (Greater Illawarra), Mitch Constantinou (Greater Illawarra), Lachlan Dowling (North Coastal), Max Farmer (Central Northern), Jett Lee (Central Northern), Bailey Lidgard (Central Coast), Angus Parsons (Western), Cooper Petterson (North Coastal), Kobe Ross (Greater Illawarra), Riley Urquhart (Newcastle).

Round 1

Country Lions 6/302 (Z Keogh 142no, C Brian 82, B Lidgard 21, R Cattle 3-61) defeated Country Kangaroos 9/298 (J Gillard 73, H Forner 63, J Scott 62, M Webster 27, W Watson 25, M Constantinou 4-44, R Urquhart 2-59).

Round 2

Country Lions 222 (Z Keogh 112no, M Constantinou 21, R Cattle 3-16, B Cook 3-27, K Katli 2-28) defeated Country Kangaroos 124 (J Gillard 21, W Watson 20, M Becker 2-9, A Parsons 2-18, B Lidgard 2-21, M Constantinou 2-36).

The following side was named to represent NSW Country at the Under 19 National Championships: Joey Gillard (Captain – Newcastle), Cooper Brien (Western), Rhys Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Bryce Cook (North Coastal), Max Farmer (Central Northern), Charlie Howard (North Coastal), Karan Katli (Central Coast), Zac Keogh (Southern Districts), Angus Parsons (Western), Kobe Ross (Greater Illawarra), Jake Scott (Riverina), Riley Urquhart (Newcastle), Hayden Watling (Riverina), Mac Webster (Western), Dean Burke (Coach), Nic Bills (Assistant Coach).



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AUSTRALIA'S FUTURE HEROES

Under 19s NSW Country



Back Row (L to R): Dean Burke (Coach), Ryan Farrell (Physio), Hayden Watling, Charlie Howard, Bryce Cook, Zak Keogh, Jake Scott, Riley Urquhart, Rhys Cattle, Nic Bills (Ass Coach), Jo Everett (Manager)
Front Row (L to R): Mac Webster, Max Farmer, Karan Katli, Joey Gillard ©, Copper Brien, Kobe Ross, Angus Parsons

The national Under 19 Championships were held in Adelaide from the 15th to the 22nd of December 2022.

Best with the bat was Zak Keogh (Southern Districts) with 270 runs at 54.00 while Charlie Howard (North Coastal) led the wicket takers with eight wickets at 18.60.

Round 1

Western Australia 3/200 defeated NSW Country 9/199 (Z Keogh 64, J Gillard 36, J Scott 31no).

Round 2

Victoria Country 2/216 defeated NSW Country 214 (K Ross 78, J Scott 61).

Round 3

Victoria Metro 1/276 defeated NSW Country 7/275 (Z Keogh 86, J Gillard 63, M Webster 30no, J Scott 29).

Round 4

Queensland Metro 263 (K Katli 3-31, C Howard 2-29, B Cook 2-49, A Parsons 2-51) defeated NSW Country 251 (J Gillard 107, M Webster 42, J Scott 27).

Round 5

South Australia 5/190 (M Webster 2-15, C Howard 2-34) defeated NSW Country 187 (C Brien 40, M Farmer 26, Z Keogh 20).

Round 6

NSW Country 2/169 (Z Keogh 89no, J Scott 55) defeated Tasmania 165 (C Howard 4-35, K Katli 2-30).



Zak Keogh

Bradman Cup

Ladder	Points
Newcastle	34
Riverina	24
ACT	21
Greater Illawarra	19
Western	18 (0.093)
Central Coast	18 (-0.261)
North Coastal	9
Central Northern	3

2010/11, remaining undefeated for the duration of the competition.

Shaun Smith (Riverina) was named Player of the Carnival after scoring 359 runs at 59.83.

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge North Coastal, Greater Illawarra and Newcastle Zones, Macleay Valley CA, South Coast DCA as well as Lake Macquarie City Council for their support of the Bradman Cup.



Shaun Smith
Player of the Carnival



The Bradman Cup competition was played over seven rounds with matches being played in northern (Kempsey) and southern (South Coast) locations prior to Christmas, with the carnival held in the Lake Macquarie City Council area in January. Newcastle secured their first Bradman Cup since

Newcastle – Bradman Cup Winners



Back Row (L to R): Rob Parkinson (Assistant Coach/Manager), Noah Parkinson, Kel Wilson, Austen Hiskens, Jamie Dickson, Oscar Hills
Jonah Roser, Tom Cover, Neil McDonald (Coach)

Front Row (L to R): Jett Saxby, Lucas Vincent, Lachlan Williams, Harry Campbell ©, Kade Sutton (vc), Lachlan Rail, Jacob Curry

Leading Performers

Batting

Name	Team	Inns	NO	Agg	Best	Ave
Shaun Smith	Riverina	7	1	359	154	59.83
Harry Roscarel	Western	7	1	319	102	53.17
Lachlan Williams	Newcastle	6	2	286	103	71.50

Bowling

Name	Team	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Ave	Best
Jamie Dickson	Newcastle	27.3	5	165	13	12.69	4-28
Jaylen Johnston	Central Coast	29.2	3	176	13	13.54	4-10
Dylan Shillington	ACT	35.1	2	211	13	16.23	3-32

Under 16 - Bradman Cup v A W Green Shield

The winners of the Bradman Cup (Newcastle) and A W Green Shield (Parramatta) competitions played at Pasterfield Sports Complex on 26th of February 2023. Newcastle proved to be far too strong for Parramatta, registering a thumping 114 run win.

Batting first, Newcastle were dismissed for 196 in the 45th over, with Kel Wilson (46) and Lachlan Williams (45) the best of the bats. In reply, Parramatta were dismissed for only 82 in

the 36th over, with Newcastle captain and Player of the Match Harry Campbell doing the damage, taking 4-19.

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge the support of Cardiff Boolaroo Cricket Club and Newcastle Zone in hosting the match.



Harry Campbell with Country Chair Paul Marjoribanks

NEWCASTLE

A Hiskens	b Prangan Das	5
L Rail	c Boreddy b Prangan Das	24
L Williams	c and b Noorbergen	45
T Cover	c Boreddy b Kumar	9
J Saxby	c Cooray b Kumar	2
K Wilson	b Prangan Das	46
L Vincent	not out	21
J Roser	c Noorbergen b Kulendran	20
K Sutton	c Boreddy b Prangan Das	1
J Dickson	run out	1
H Campbell ©	c and b Kulendran	0
N Parkinson		
Sundries	NB – 3, W – 12, LB – 6, B - 1	22
	Overs: 44.3	196

Bowling: C Culnane 7-0-0-22, N Kulendran 6.3-0-2-40
Prangan Das 8-0-4-23, A Kumar 10-1-2-28
N Cooray 6-0-0-32, Prapta Das 4-0-0-29
B Noorbergen 3-0-1-15

Umpires: Rod Porter and Peter Tate

PARRAMATTA

R Navaratnam	c Cover b Dickson	14
N Kulendran ©	c Wilson b Roser	2
N Samuel	c Saxby b Campbell	33
A Boreddy	c Cover b Dickson	0
B Noorbergen	b Roser	7
N Cooray	c Sutton b Campbell	12
R Begg	b Campbell	2
A Maraziotis	b Campbell	0
A Nadadur	run out	3
Prangan Das	c Wilson b Sutton	4
A Kumar	not out	2
Prapta Das		
C Culnane		
Sundries	W - 2, NB – 1	3
	Overs: 35.3	82

Bowling: J Dickson 4-1-2-21, J Roser 5-2-2-7
N Parkinson 6-3-0-5, A Hiskens 5-1-0-10
K Sutton 7.3-0-1-20, H Campbell 8-0-4-19

Match Referee: Bruce Whitehouse



Back Row (L to R): Rob Parkinson (Ass Coach/Manager), Noah Parkinson, Kel Wilson, Jonah Roser, Jamie Dickson, Austen Hiskens, Oscar Hills, Neil McDonald (Coach)
Front Row (L to R): Jacob Curry, Tom Cover, Lachlan Rail, Harry Campbell (Captain), Kate Sutton (VC), Lachlan Williams, Jett Saxby, Lucas Vincent

Under 17s State Challenge (male)

Two sides were named to play in the Under 17 State Challenge which was held at Blacktown International Sports Park on the 15th and 16th of November 2022.

Country Kangaroos: Tom Thorpe (Captain – Central Northern), Jaxon Brooks (Central Northern), Kai Bruncker (Southern Districts), Zak Graham (Central Coast), Jackson Ingram (Greater Illawarra), Riley Keen (Western), Beau Mainey (North Coastal), Brodie McDowell (North Coastal), Nathan Pryke (North Coastal), Harry Roscarel (Western), Liam Roche (Central Coast), Matthew Toohey (Central Coast).

Country Lions: Angus Campbell (Captain – Greater Illawarra), Bailey Abela (Greater Illawarra), Michael Amadio (Greater Illawarra), Tom Blowes (Western), Rhys Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Kai Croft (North Coastal), Tyson Deebank (Western), Sid Harvey (Central Northern), Rahul Mudaliar (Southern Districts), Harry Scowen (Central Northern), Kel Wilson (Newcastle), Sam Weir (North Coastal).

Round 1

Country Lions 8/239 (H Scowen 119, A Campbell 40, R Cattle 31no) defeated Metro Sharks 9/235 (S Harvey 2-27).

Metro Scorpions 7/264 (N Pryke 2-35) defeated Country Kangaroos 9/259 (T Thorpe 65, B Mainey 61, H Roscarel 43, Z Graham 28, L Roche 22).

Round 2

Country Kangaroos 6/240 (L Roche 51, H Roscarel 51, T Thorpe 32, R Keen 27no, B Mainey 22, N Pryke 3-34) defeated Country Lions 7/234 (B Abela 65, K Croft 51no, T Blowes 44, S Weir 26, A Campbell 22, R Cattle 2-42).

Metro Scorpions 4/205 defeated Metro Sharks 6/202.



The toss - Western v Riverina - Bradman Cup at Gerry Emery Oval Gerringong

Under 17s NSW Country (male)



Back Row (L to R): David Freedman (Coach), Liam Roche, Kai Bruncker, Ryan Cattle, Sid Harvey, Nathan Pryke, Harry Scowen, Brodie McDowell, Anthony Kershler (Ass Coach), Ryan Farrell (Physio)
Front Row (L to R): Harry Roscarel, Thomas Thorpe, Sam Weir, Angus Campbell ©, Bailey Abela, Riley Keen, Zak Graham

The national Under 17 Championships were held in Hobart from the 16th to the 23rd of January 2023. NSW Country won two and lost two matches in the preliminary rounds.

Best with the bat was Sam Weir (North Coastal) with 235 runs at 39.17 while Kai Bruncker (Southern Districts) led the wicket takers with 10 wickets at 15.20.

Round 1

Victoria Country 3/166 defeated NSW Country 165 (A Campbell 51, S Weir 25, H Scowen 21).

Round 2

NSW Metro 6/266 (A Campbell 2-37) defeated NSW Country 105 (B Abela 41).

Round 3

NSW Country 8/257 (H Scowen 78, S Weir 47, B Abela 32, Z Graham 23, A Campbell 21) defeated Tasmania 117 (Z Graham 2-8, K Bruncker 2-12, A Campbell 2-17, N Pryke 2-19).

Round 4

NSW Country 7/210 (A Campbell 88, S Weir 51) defeated South Australia 8/206 (N Pryke 2-19, Z Graham 2-26).

Qualifying Final

NSW Country 7/267 (L Roche 86, S Weir 67, A Campbell 30, S Harvey 24no, Z Graham 23) defeated Northern Territory 184 (Z Graham 3-23, A Campbell 2-8, K Bruncker 2-22, R Cattle 2-37).

Play Off

Victoria Metro 7/219 (K Bruncker 4-35) defeated NSW Country 163 (S Weir 37, T Thorpe 37, H Scowen 34).



Bailey Abela

Plan B Regional Bash (Male)

This season saw the competition return to pools formats, each team playing three matches, with teams divided into four team Northern and Southern pools.

Northern Conference

The pools, match locations and match results were as follows:

Northern Pool 1: Coffs Coast Chargers, Macquarie Coast Stingers, Northern Inland Bolters, Northern Rivers Rock. Matches were played at Kempsey and Port Macquarie.

Round 1

Coffs Coast Chargers 5/115 (S Connor 42, J Julius 3-17) defeated Northern Rivers Rock 8/114 (H Clacher 38no, A Williams 28, R Gallichan 3-22, S Connor 2-14) at Eden St, Kempsey.

Macquarie Coast Stingers 8/123 (J Woodger 38, D Bourke 36, C Petterson 21no, T Sands 3-18, N Trindall 3-21) defeated Northern Inland Bolters 9/110 (B Middlebrook 26, A McGuirk 23, R Bray 2-13, B Cook 2-13) at Wayne Richards Oval, Port Macquarie.

Round 2

Coffs Coast Chargers 8/141 (R Gallichan 40, S Connor 26, H McMahon 26, T Sands 3-32, N Trindall 2-21) defeated Northern Inland Bolters 107 (A McGuirk 30, S Norvill 28, T Adams 4-12, B Pierce 4-12) at Oxley Oval, Port Macquarie.

Macquarie Coast Stingers 9/112 and 1/9 (Super Over) (J Woodger 38, D Bourke 36, C Petterson 21no, T Sands 3-18, N Trindall 3-21) defeated Northern Rivers Rock 112 and 1/5 (Super Over) (K World 39, C Chantrill 21, L Price 3-16, J Mason 3-21, B Cook 2-22) at Oxley Oval, Port Macquarie.

Round 3

Coffs Coast Chargers 2/145 (R Gallichan 65no, H McMahon 33, S Connor 20) defeated Macquarie Coast Stingers 8/107 (J Woodger 29no, T Adams 2-12, J Bartlett 2-15) at Wayne Richards Oval, Port Macquarie.

Northern Inland Bolters 4/176 (B Smith 88no, S Norvill 54, R Kernaghan 2-36, B Toniello 2-36) defeated Northern Rivers Rock 5/134 (A Williams 33, S Norris 32, B Toniello 26no, L Barnett 24, S Brennan 3-23) at Oxley Oval, Port Macquarie.

Ladder: Coffs Coast Chargers 12, Macquarie Coast Stingers 8, Northern Inland Bolters 4, Northern Rivers Rock 0.

Northern Pool 2: Central Coast Rush, Hunter Thoroughbreds, Lake Mac Attack, Newcastle Blasters. Matches were played on the Central Coast, in Newcastle (under lights) and Thornton.

Round 1

Lake Mac Attack 6/151 (J Hartigan 40, D Hunter 35, J Dickson 31, D Arms 20, C Archer 2-18, S Eaton 2-30) defeated Central Coast Rush 7/122 (J Avendano 55, J Nunan 2-27, D Bailey 2-31) at Number 1 Sportsground, Newcastle.

Newcastle Blasters 2/88 (J Montgomery 36no, A Wivell 23) defeated Hunter Thoroughbreds 6/87 (J Trappel 32, A Bills 2-12, D Robertson 2-15) at Thornton Oval, Thornton.

Round 2

Lake Mac Attack 7/112 (J Goninan 28, D Bailey 27, A Winchester 20no, S Dalibozek 4-16) defeated Hunter Thoroughbreds 9/106 (J Price 36, D Chillingworth 3-9, D Williams 3-13, P Magann 2-15) at Thornton Oval, Thornton.

Newcastle Blasters 6/145 and 0/8 (B Patterson 36no, B Balcomb 28no, N Hudson 26, C Archer 4-21) defeated Central Coast Rush 145 and 2/6 (C Rainger 57, B Hardy 24, B Patterson 2-15, J Bennett 2-16, D Robertson 2-26, J McTaggart 2-29) in a super over at Number 1 Sportsground, Newcastle.

Round 3

Newcastle Blasters 3/92 (J Montgomery 38no, B Balcomb 28no) defeated Lake Mac Attack 90 (P Magann 24no, A Bills 5-15, J Bennett 2-13) at Number 1 Sportsground, Newcastle.

Hunter Thoroughbreds 99 (I Barry 32, R Lavery 5-15, T Owen 2-1) drew with Central Coast Rush at Baker Park, Wyong.

Ladder: Newcastle Blasters 12, Lake Mac Attack 8, Central Coast Rush 1 (-0.19), Hunter Thoroughbreds 1 (-2.67).



Victorious Newcastle Blasters captain Nick Foster with the Plan B Regional Bash Cup

Southern Conference

Southern Pool 1: Central West Wranglers, Illawarra Flames, Western Plains Outlaws, South Coast Crew. Matches were played in Dubbo and Wollongong.

Disappointingly rounds 2 and 3 were not played due to Illawarra Flames and South Coast Crew unable to travel Bathurst. As a result, Central West Wranglers were declared winners of this pool.

Round 1

Central West Wranglers 5/147 (C Brien 67, H Railz 2-21) defeated Western Plains Outlaws 106 (C Morton 24, M Jeffrey 24, L Skelly 4-21, E Morrish 2-24) at Victoria Park, Dubbo.

Illawarra Flames 1/187 (U Jayasundara 106, J Rose 43no, M Hearn 40, K Blattner 2-24) defeated South Coast Crew 95 (D Rae 51, A Cumming 5-9, M King 2-4).

Ladder: Central West Wranglers 12, Western Plains Outlaws 8, Illawarra Flames 0, South Coast Crew 0.

Southern Pool 2: ACT Aces, Border Bullets, South West Steamers, Wagga Wagga Sloggers. All matches were played in Griffith.

This pool was badly affected by weather which saw all round 1 matches washed out and rounds 2 and 3 postponed to February after flooding in the Riverina area.

Round 2

Wagga Wagga Sloggers 8/89 (B McMillan 26, H Starr 20, L Scammell 4-13, S Stephens 2-13, T Chisoro 2-26) defeated Border Bullets 88 (B Fulford 36, L Scammell 21, B Snell 4-7, D Irvine 3-15) at Exies No 2 Oval, Griffith.

ACT Aces 6/152 (T Van Luin 42, L Watts 34, E Bell 32, L Docherty 2-18) defeated South West Steamers 108 (R Matheson 25, D Bozic 23, N Kent 2-8, D Waters 2-8, H O'Rourke 2-9) at Exies No 1 Oval, Griffith.

Round 3

Border Bullets 4/147 (T Chisoro 62, L Scammell 38no, B Fulford 27, T Van Luin 2-32) defeated ACT Aces 5/143 (J Sanson 46, L Watts 45, E Bell 33, S Stephens 3-10) at Exies No 2 Oval, Griffith.

South West Steamers 8/114 (D Bozic 34, D Bennett 21, D Irvine 2-21, N Cooke 2-37) defeated Wagga Wagga Sloggers 97 (J Carn 4-15, D Bennett 3-14, A Harding 2-18).

Ladder: Border Bullets 5 (0.53), ACT Aces 5 (0.45), Wagga Wagga Sloggers 5 (-0.36), South West Steamers 5 (-0.67).



Sam Stephens (Border Bullets)



Angus McTaggart (Newcastle Blasters) sends one down to John Oswell (Border Bullets) while umpire Murray Le Lievre looks on



Semi-Final 1

Newcastle Blasters 9/167 (N Hudson 54, J Montgomery 46, L Weston 20, T Chisoro 4-27 - hat trick) defeated Border Bullets 7/140 (M Condon 36, L Scammell 33, J Hatton 20no, D Robertson 2-20, J Bennett 2-24).

Nathan Hudson was named Player of the Match for semi-final 1.



Nathan Hudson (Newcastle Blasters)
Player of the Match (semi-final 1)



Tendai Chisoro (Border Bullets)
celebrates his hat trick in semi-final 1



Semi-Final 2

Central West Wranglers 5/137 (R Peacock 66no, B Ferguson 35) defeated Coffs Coast Chargers 9/133 (B Bartlett 36, R Gallichan 32no, E Morrish 3-9, L Skelly 2-14, A Parsons 2-23).

Ryan Peacock was named Player of the Match for semi-final 2.



Ryan Peacock (Central West Wranglers)
Player of the Match (semi-final 2)



Ben Parsons (Central West Wranglers) to
Shannon Connor (Coffs Coast Chargers)



Bailey Ferguson (Central West Wranglers)

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Plan B Regional Bash Final (male)

The Newcastle Blasters took out their second Plan B Regional Bash title with a five wicket win over first-time finalists Central West Wranglers.

Batting first, the Wranglers finished their 20 overs with a competitive 6/144 on the back of a fine innings of 59 from Matt Corben. Blasters skipper Nick Foster was the best with the ball taking 3-32. In an exciting finish, some late order hitting from Dylan Robertson (30no), saw the Blasters achieve victory in the 19th over.

Matt Corben from the Wranglers was named Player of the Final.



Matt Corben (Central West Wranglers)
Player of the Plan B Regional Bash Final

NEWCASTLE BLASTERS			
N Price	c Slattery b Skelly		35
L Weston	c Brien b Webster		13
N Hudson	c Peacock b Webster		17
J Montgomery	c Brien b A Parsons		7
A McTaggart	c Ryan b Slattery		9
B Balcomb	not out		15
D Robertson	not out		30
J Bennett			
A Bills			
J Claridge			
B Egan			
N Foster ©			
C Gabriel			
Sundries	W – 8, LB –8, B - 4		20
	Overs: 19.1		5/146

CENTRAL WEST WRANGLERS			
J Coughlan	b Bills		12
M Corben	b Foster		59
C Brien	c Bennett b Foster		8
B Ferguson	b Bills		18
R Peacock ©	b Bennett		14
B Parsons	c Gabriel b Foster		0
C Slattery	not out		19
A Ryan	not out		12
S Macpherson			
E Morrish			
A Parsons			
L Skelly			
M Webster			
Sundries	W – 1, NB – 1		2
	Overs 20		6/144

Fall: 40, 60, 73, 90, 93

Bowling: B Parsons 2.1-0-0-17, E Morrish 3-0-0-37

M Webster 4-0-2-21, C Slattery 2-0-0-17, L Skelly 4-0-2-22

A Parsons 3-0-1-20

Fall: 19, 40, 80, 112, 112, 121

Bowling: C Gabriel 4-0-0-17, J Bennett 4-0-1-35

D Robertson 4-0-0-33, A Bills 4-0-2-27, N Foster 4-0-3-32

Umpires: Jeff Egan (Riverina) and Graeme Glazebrook (Western)

Match Referee: Neil Findlay

Newcastle Blasters - Plan B Regional Bash Winners



Back Row (L to R): David Redden (Manager), Ben Balcomb, Josh McTaggart, Dylan Robertson, Josh Bennett, Ben Egan, Callum Gabriel, Josh Claridge, Kath Pink (Scorer)

Front Row (L to R): Nathan Hudson, Aaron Bills, Nick Foster ©, Nathan Price, Jacob Montgomery, Logan Weston, Angus McTaggart
(photo courtesy Ben Churcher Photography)

Plan B Regional Bash (Female)

This season the popular round robin format continued with each side playing three games in their respective conferences.

Teams in positions one and two in each conference progressed to the semi-finals.

Northern Conference: Central Coast Rush, Coffs Coast Chargers, Newcastle Blasters, Northern Inland Bolters. Matches were played at the Tuggerah Regional Sporting Complex on the Central Coast.

Round 1

Central Coast Rush 5/139 (G Dignam 69no, A Cunningham 31, M Kidd 26, M Norup 3-11) defeated Coffs Coast Chargers 7/110 (A Vallette 26no, A Ryan 26, G Dignam 2-12, J Dowling 2-21) at Tuggerah no 34.

Newcastle Blasters 1/65 (C Webber 44no) defeated Northern Inland Bolters 61 (E James 2-4, M McGuigan 2-4, S Eve 2-5, T French 2-18) at Tuggerah no 12.

Round 2

Coff Coast Chargers 4/186 (A Ryan 63, H Faux 28, A Owens 24, V Simpson 2-29) defeated Northern inland Bolters 6/92 (A Collins 37, L Macdonald 21, L Weiley 2-9) at Tuggerah no 12.

Newcastle Blasters 3/96 (K McTaggart 46no) defeated Central Coast Rush 7/93 (R Davis 41no, K McTaggart 2-55, E J Howe 2-11, J Vickery 2-22) at Tuggerah no 34.

Round 3

Central Coast Rush 5/140 (A Cunningham 56, R Davis 38, C Bray 2-21) defeated Northern Inland Bolters 5/107 (S Parsons 50no, C Bray 23, G Dignam 2-19) at Tuggerah no 34.

Newcastle Blasters 3/151 (K McTaggart 67, K Smith 41no, C Webber 33) defeated Coffs Coast Chargers 7/119 (L McMillan 28, E Hetherington 23, A Ryan 23, J Vickery 2-8) at Tuggerah no 12.

Ladder: Newcastle Blasters 12, Central Coast Rush 8, Coffs Coast Chargers 4, Northern Inland Bolters 0.

Southern Conference: ACT Aces, Illawarra Flames, Riverina Bullets, Western Outlaws. All matches were played in the Illawarra region.

Round 1

Riverina Bullets 3/86 (J Hicks 27no) defeated Illawarra Flames 85 (J Kelly 21, R Blain 3-3, J Hicks 3-10) at Nth Dalton Park, Towradgi.

ACT Aces 5/131 (K Rowlings 61no, C Moscript 32, C Black 2-10) defeated Western Outlaws 5/118 (K Churchland 60) at University Oval No 1, Wollongong.

Round 2

Riverina Bullets 1/65 (J Hicks 27no) defeated Western Outlaws 63 (K Churchland 26, J Hicks 2-10, R Blain 2-13, A Caldwell 2-13) at Thomas Dalton Park West, Towradgi.

ACT Aces 3/145 (K Rowlings 44no, A Horsfall 28, G Lyons 27, C Moscript 21no, D Chauhan 2-27) defeated Illawarra Flames 5/104 (J Kelly 27, D Chauhan 23, C Moscript 2-13) at University Oval No 2, Wollongong.

Round 3

Riverina Bullets 1/74 (L McKelvie-Hill 30no, J Hicks 24no) defeated ACT Aces 72 (T Slater 24, J Hicks 3-17, G Bye 2-4, A Caldwell 2-17) at Thomas Dalton Park West, Towradgi.

Western Outlaws 69 (S Martin 3-11, K Lynch-Munro 2-13) defeated Illawarra Flames 56 (T Pracy 21, A Maslin 4-7, E Bunner 2-7, A Longhurst 2-9) at University Oval No 2, Wollongong.

Ladder: Riverina Bullets 12, ACT Aces 8, Western Outlaws 4, Illawarra Flames 0.

The Final was played at North Sydney Oval on Monday 6th March.



Riverina Bullets Cath Wood (Coach) and Jodie Hicks (Captain)
(photo courtesy Ben Churcher Photography)

Semi-Final 1

ACT Aces 5/130 (S Wilde 28, G Lyons 26, K Rowlings 22no, J Vickery 2-15, E J Howe 2-19) defeated Newcastle Blasters 84 (A Taylor 27, A Smith 2-10, J Sumona 2-11).

Kelly Rowlings was named Player of the Match for semi-final 1.



Kelly Rowlings (ACT Aces) and Jodie Hicks (Riverina Bullets)
Players of the Match for semi-finals 1 and 2 with
Country Committee member Paul Dilley

Semi-Final 2

Riverina Bullets 5/112 (J Hicks 57, G Dignam 3-24) defeated Central Coast Rush 7/111 (A Cunningham 32, J Holmes 24, C Lamont 3-16).

Jodie Hicks was named Player of the Match for semi-final 2.



Umpire Alicia Humphrey oversees Molly Kidd
from Central Coast Rush



Sienna Eve from Newcastle Blasters tosses one up with
umpire Elisabeth Houston looking on



Grace Lyons from ACT Aces hits out

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Plan B Regional Bash Final (female)

Riverina Bullets went back-to-back to retain the Plan B Regional Bash title with a comfortable seven wicket win over ACT Aces.

Batting first, the Aces were dismissed for 89 in the 19th over, with the wickets shared between Claire Murray (3-9), Jodie Hicks (2-14) and Charlie Lamont 2-31.

In reply, the Bullets cruised to victory on the back of a solid batting performance by Lisa Kuschert (27no), Jodie Hicks (26) and Sara Burns (24).

Claire Murray (Riverina Bullets) was named Player of the Final.



Claire Murray
Player of the Final

RIVERINA BULLETS

J Hicks ©	b Smith	25
S Burns	b Rowlings	24
L Kuschert	not out	27
C Murray	b Rowlings	0
C Waring	not out	0
R Blain		
G Bye		
A Caldwell		
A Collihole		
A Donohue		
C Lamont		
C Wood		

Sundries W – 12, LB – 2 14
Overs: 19.2 **3/90**

Fall: 38, 85, 85

Bowling: J Sumona 4-1-0-13, T Craig 1-0-0-11

A Smith 4-0-1-12, C Moscript 4-0-0-24, S Wilde 2.2-0-0-11

J Galeano 2-0-0-8, C McGann 1-0-0-5, K Rowlings 1-0-2-4

ACT ACES

A Horsfall	c Donohue b Murray	7
S Wilde	c Donohue b Murray	1
G Lyons ©	run out	30
K Rowlings (vc)	b Murray	19
C Moscript	c Hicks b Lamont	1
J Sumona	b Hicks	11
R Carroll	lbw b Hicks	0
A Smith	c Hicks b Bye	1
T Craig	lbw b Lamont	2
T Slater	run out	6
M Vanderstoep	not out	2

Sundries W – 6, LB – 2 8
Overs 18.5 **89**

Fall: 3, 12, 58, 60, 76, 76, 77, 80, 86, 89

Bowling: A Caldwell 2-0-0-6, C Murray 3-0-3-9

A Donohue 2-0-0-16, J Hicks 4-0-2-14, G Bye 3.5-0-1-11

C Lamont 4-0-0-31

Umpires: Lauren McGill (Greater Illawarra) and Elizabeth O'Dwyer (SCA) **Match Referee:** Graham Chudleigh

Riverina Bullets – Plan B Regional Bash Winners



Back Row (L to R): Ian Donohue (Manager), Sara Burns, Charlie Lamont, Alicia Donohue, Georgia Bye, Claire Murray, Alice Caldwell, Rosie Blain, Hayden Donohue (Ass Manager), Michael Erdeljac (Deputy Chair Country Cricket)

Front Row (L to R): Abby Collihole, Charlotte Waring, Catherine Wood (Coach), Lisa Kuschert, Jodie Hicks ©, Lucy McKelvie Hill
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Country Plate

This season saw the Country Plate competition reintroduced. Country Zones played a series of internal knock out matches to establish semi-finalists, with Cessnock (Central Northern), Gilgandra (Western), Griffith (Riverina) and Goulburn (Southern Districts) qualifying.

Semi-Final 1

Gilgandra 9/231 (M Everett 103, J Glasson 32, A Hazelton 24, J Main 3-31, L Sweeney 2-15, Z Kronholm 2-48) defeated Cessnock 188 (L Jeans 46, M Hopley 33, D Olsen 24, B Watson 23, B Hammond 5-20, H Willoughby 2-32).

Semi-Final 2

Griffith 8/231 (H Pascoe 53no, J Binks 30, R Matheson 26, T Rand 24, C Rand 24, J Rand 20, B Fahey 2-18, D Roxburgh 2-33) defeated Goulburn 220 (J Whitfield 41, I Roxburgh 36, D Roxburgh 34, B Evans 3-31, N Gaske 2-61).

The final was played at Cricket Central Oval on Sunday 19th February.

Gilgandra proved to be far too good for Griffith securing an easy seven wicket win on the back of a fantastic all-round bowling performance and an outstanding wicket keeping display from Bush Blue Matt Everett who completed four stumpings and was awarded the Player of the Final.



Player of the Final
Matt Everett with umpire
Patrick Jackson

GILGANDRA			
M Everett (vc)	c C Rand b Carn		17
A Hazelton ©	c J Rand b Gaske		25
L Zell	lbw b Carn		0
J Glasson	not out		14
N Willoughby	not out		10
B Hammond			
B Hjort			
J Irving			
K Johnson			
J Peters			
P Peters			
K Johnson			
H Willoughby			
Sundries	W – 5		5
	Overs: 17.4		3/71
Fall: 19, 19, 52			
Bowling: J Carn 5-1-2-24, A Kamboj 3-0-0-13			
B Evans 5.4-1-0-21, N Gaske 4-0-1-13			
Umpires: Patrick Jackson (SCA) and Cameron McGinn (SCA)			

GRIFFITH			
J Rand	run out		2
T Rand	st Everett b Irving		1
H Pascoe ©	st Everett b Irving		5
R Matheson	b H Willoughby		2
O Bartter	lbw b H Willoughby		0
J Binks	c Glasson b Hammond		12
J Whitworth	b H Willoughby		1
D Bozic	st Everett b Irving		3
N Gaske	c N Willoughby b Hammond		3
C Rand	not out		13
B Evans	st Everett b Hammond		2
A Kamboj			
J Carn			
Sundries	W – 19, LB – 3, B – 2		24
	Overs 25.3		68
Fall: 3, 13, 13, 13, 25, 31, 32, 38, 49, 68			
Bowling: H Willoughby 8-3-3-8, J Irving 8-1-3-22			
B Hammond 7.3-1-3-18, J Peters 2-0-0-15			
Match Referee: Bruce Whitehouse			

Gilgandra DCA – Country Plate Winners



Back Row (L to R): Noel Willoughby (Scorer), Peter Peters, Nick Willoughby, Jack Irving
Harry Willoughby, Liam Zell, Cam Whitall, Matt Zell (Manager)
Front Row (L to R): Ben Hjort, Jaylem Peters, Matt Everett, Ashley Hazelton ©, James Glasson, Kenny Johnson, Brandon Hammond

NSW Youth Championships

Dry weather and fantastic grounds saw a full season of the NSW Youth Championships completed without the previous interruptions in past seasons of Covid, bush fires, floods, dust storms and poor air quality, culminating in carnivals played at Armidale, Grafton (Clarence Valley), Dubbo and Raymond Terrace (Port Stephens).

In the southern pool, the competition was increased to nine teams to include Southern Districts in all three age brackets.

In another first for the NSW Youth Championships, an Under 15 female competition was held in Singleton with nine teams participating.

Cricket NSW would like to thank Dubbo Regional Council, Dubbo DCA, Clarence Valley Council, Clarence River CA, Armidale Regional Council, Armidale DCA, Port Stephens Council, Raymond Terrace CC, Singleton Council and Singleton DCA for their support of the various regional carnivals of the NSW Youth Championships.

Ladders

Under 13 Male

Northern Pool		Southern Pool	
Central Coast	33	ACT Kings	31
Far North Coast	28	Murrumbidgee	30
North Coast	19 (0.04)	Illawarra Highlanders	28
Hunter T'breeds	19 (-0.13)	Greater Sthn Marlins	24
Lake Mac Attack	17	ACT Barons	22 (0.10)
Mid North Coast	16	Western Plains O'laws	22 (-1.17)
Newcastle Blasters	15	Southern Districts	16
Nthn Inland Bolters	9	Central West	13
		CAW Murray	3

Under 14 Male

Northern Pool		Southern Pool	
Central Coast	37	ACT Barons	39
Nthn Inland Bolters	33	ACT Kings	27
Lake Mac Attack	21	Greater Sthn Marlins	26
Newcastle Blasters	15	Illawarra Highlanders	24 (0.39)
Hunter T'breeds	12 (-0.23)	Southern Districts	24 (0.30)
Mid North Coast	12 (-0.97)	Central West	13
Far North Coast	12 (-1.02)	Western Plains O'laws	13
North Coast	6	Murrumbidgee	10
		CAW Murray	9

Under 15 Male

Northern Pool		Southern Pool	
Lake Mac Attack	33	Western Plains O'laws	38
North Coast	29	Illawarra Highlanders	34
Newcastle Blasters	27	CAW Murray	31
Hunter T'breeds	22	Greater Sthn Marlins	22
Far North Coast	19	Central West	20
Nthn Inland Bolters	15	ACT Kings	19
Central Coast	3	Murrumbidgee	14
Mid North Coast	0	ACT Barons	10
		Southern Districts	0

Under 15 Female

Newcastle Blasters	18
Western	15 (1.79)
Central Coast	15 (0.64)
Greater Illawarra	12
Riverina	9
Nthn Inland Bolters	6
Mid North Coast	3 (-0.29)
Hunter Valley	3 (-2.29)
North Coast	3 (-2.71)



CRICKET NSW
YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Newcastle – Under 15 Female Youth Championships winners



Back Row (L to R): Chris Wharton (Coach), Ruby Morrison, Jasmine Old, Evie O'Brien, Molly Dare, Charlotte Kelly, Alex Cook

Front Row (L to R): Sophie Clune, Laura Knipe, Felicity Wharton, Madison Kedwell, Chloe Nguyen, Isabella Bliss

(photo courtesy of Hunter River Times)

Under 13, 14 and 15 State Championships

Following the completion of the Youth Championships, the winners of the Country northern and Country southern pools in the Under 13, Under 14 and Under 15 age brackets played each other to determine the overall Country winner. The following day the winners of these matches played the respective Metropolitan winners to determine the inaugural State Championships.

These matches were played at the Raby Oval Complex on the 12th and 13th April.

Under 13

Country North v South

Central Coast 101 (A Shah 28, B Weir 4-21, B Callaway 2-7) defeated ACT Kings 92 (B Callaway 34, E Richardson 4-13, D Brownlie 2-8, A Shah 2-12).

HORNSBY KU-RING-GAI and HILLS

L Bartlett ©	not out	79
M Nosina	b Richardson	17
S Abeyasinghe	lbw b Richardson	4
K Mulligan	lbw b Aiken	2
A Gupta	c Cameron b Shah	28
U Vosser	not out	0
E Byrom		
A Kodaganti		
O Makin		
M Neilly		
G Soalheiro		
Sundries	W – 4, NB – 2, LB – 2	8
	Overs: 40	4/138

Fall: 26, 35, 38, 138

Bowling: J Cameron 7-0-0-30, L Bingham 6-1-0-19

J Prowse 5-1-0-15, E Richardson 7-2-2-23, K Aiken 6-0-1-14

A Shah 6-0-1-20, D Brownlie 2-0-0-10. H Tobin 1-0-0-6

Umpires: Clive Hitchen and Cam McGinn

The Final of the Under 13 State Championships was played between Central Coast and Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills, with the metropolitan side being far too strong, securing a 42-run win. Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills captain Lachlan Bartlett was awarded the Player of the Final after scoring an unbeaten 79.



Umpires Cam McGinn and Clive Hitchen with Player of the Final Lachlan Bartlett

CENTRAL COAST

K Aiken	b Nosina	3
D Brownlie	c Makin b Nosina	1
A Shah ©	c Makin b Mulligan	22
R Preller	c Neily b Mulligan	8
A Barrett	c Makin b Bartlett	1
X Riggs	b Nosina	23
J Ghantos	run out	18
H Tobin	c Soalheiro b Gupta	2
E Richardson	b Nosina	0
J Cameron	not out	3
L Bingham	b Gupta	0
Sundries	W – 2, NB – 4, LB – 1, B – 8	15
	Overs 36.3	93

Fall:

Bowling: E Byrom 7-0-0-19, M Nosina 7-1-4-13

A Gupta 5.3-1-2-7, M Neilly 4-0-0-17, U Vosser 6-0-0-15

L Bartlett 3-1-1-8, K Mulligan 4-0-2-8

Match Referee: Bruce Whitehouse

Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills – Under 13 State Champions



Back Row (L to R): Ansh Gupta, Edward Byrom, Ulrich Vosser, Marcus Neilly, Oliver Makin, Maher Nosina, Kirby Mulligan

Front Row (L to R): Arjun Kodaganti, Suhas Abeyasinghe, Lachlan Bartlett ©, Gabriel Soalheiro, Harry Whitehouse

Under 14

Country North v South

Central Coast 1/64 (V Thornley 42no) defeated ACT Barons 62 (H Wheeler 3-18, S Patil 2-0).

The Final of the Under 14 State Championships was also played between Central Coast and Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills, with

Central Coast enjoying a comprehensive eight wicket.

Vincent Thornley from the Central Coast was named Player of the Final after scoring 62.



Umpire Stephen Blomfield presents the Shield to Central Coast captain Vincent Thornley

CENTRAL COAST			
S Alderson	st Browne b Iyer		50
V Thornley ©	c McDowell b Juthani		52
H Wheeler	not out		22
F Gersbach	not out		5
M Campbell			
H Fearnley			
L Papps			
S Patil			
M Robinson			
M Shaw			
N Thomsen			
Sundries	W – 7, NB – 7, LB – 3, B – 3		8
	Overs: 35.4		2/157

Fall: 110, 146

Bowling: A Dwivedi 9-1-0-31, S Vosser 4-2-0-10

A Iyer 5-1-1-11, F Hitchcock 4-0-0-12, A Parikh 2-0-0-18

J Juthani 5-0-1-33, S Pandey 2-0-0-13, J McDowell 0.4-0-0-2

Umpires: Stephen Blomfield and Ian Pryde

HORNSBY KU-RING-GAI and HILLS			
H Seoung	run out		46
A Iyer	b Patil		0
J McDowell	c Patil b Papps		24
A Dwivedi	b Patil		43
S Vosser	c Gersbach b Thomsen		0
S Pandey	b Verth		13
H Shah	b Patil		0
A Parikh	not out		11
H Fernando	not out		5
F Hitchcock			
I Browne			
Sundries	W – 2, NB – 3, LB – 1, B – 8		14
	Overs 50		7/156

Fall: 0, 40, 98, 98, 136, 136, 136

Bowling: S Patil 10-3-3-21, M Shaw 5-2-0-14

G Verth 5-1-1-20, M Robinson 3-1-0-9, L Papps 2-0-1-7

N Thomsen 8-1-1-19, S Alderson 6-0-0-21

H Wheeler 5-0-0-16, V Thornley 3-2-0-7

M Campbell 3-0-0-13

Match Referee: Bruce Whitehouse

Central Coast – Under 14 State Champions



Back Row (L to R): Brendan Alderson (Ass Coach), Nicholas Thomsen, Simon Alderson, Mitchell Robinson, Morgan Campbell, Michael Wheeler (Manager), Hugh Wheeler, Sairam Patil, Daniel Heuston (Coach)

Front Row (L to R): George Verth, Hayden Fearnley, Matthew Shaw, Vincent Thornley ©, Fletcher Gersbach, Levi Papps

Under 15

Country North v South

Lake Mac Attack 2/148 (L Vincent 60, H Jolliffe 52no) defeated Western Plains Outlaws 8/147 (C Giddings 45, B Grimson 23, S Voight 3-14, T McInnes 3-25).

Lake Mac Attack were unable to progress to the Under 15s final, consequently Western Plains Outlaws advanced to take on Parramatta.

Parramatta outclassed the Outlaws in the final, securing a comfortable five wicket win with captain Blake Noorbergen named Player of the Final after scoring 53.



Player of the Final
Blake Noorbergen

PARRAMATTA

S Anreddy	lbw b Macleod	5
A Ajithkumar	b Cartwright	2
C Knight	c Townsend b Moody	29
B Noorbergen ©	c Townsend b Macleod	53
S Gadde	c Glasson b Townsend	8
B Hansen	not out	7
B Smith	not out	9
C Barton		
C Culnane		
Z Nicholls		
A Shah		
Sundries	W – 26, NB – 2, LB – 2, B – 2	32
	Overs: 46.3	5/145

Fall: 9, 15, 86, 125, 125

Bowling: F Macleod 7.3-0-2-26, H Cartwright 4-0-1-7

A Morgan 7-2-0-22, S Luck 2-0-0-10, A Ridge 4-0-0-18

J Nicholson 3-0-0-13, E Moody 10-2-1-13

C Townsend 9-0-1-32

Umpires: Patrick Jackson and Andrew Yarad

WESTERN PLAINS OUTLAWS

C Townsend	b Culnane	6
B Grimson	st Noorbergen b Nicholls	5
C Giddings	c and b Hansen	41
O Orth ©	b Barton	13
E Moody	b Barton	1
T Glasson	run out	2
J Nicholson	c Knight b Shah	15
F Macleod	st Noorbergen b Hansen	21
A Ridge	b Culnane	12
A Morgan	b Shah	1
H Cartwright	not out	1
Sundries	W – 12, NB – 5, LB – 6	23
	Overs 39	141

Fall: 10, 22, 53, 61, 78, 82, 119, 121, 130, 141

Bowling: C Culnane 10-0-2-25, Z Nicholls 6-1-1-20

B Hansen 10-1-2-34, C Barton 5-0-2-27, A Shah 5-1-2-15

B Smith 3-0-1-14

Match Referee: Bruce Whitehouse

Parramatta – Under 15 State Champions



Back Row (L to R): Advik Ajithkumar, Ahran Shah, Connor Culnane, Zac Nicholls, Blake Noorbergen ©, Brad Hansen
Front Row (L to R): Sanjith Anreddy, Cameron Knight, Cruz Barton, Subhash Gadde, Ben Smith

McDonald's Female Under 19 Country Championships

Carolyn Sheehan Shield

Ladder	Points
ACT	7
North Coastal	6
Western	4 (2.30)
Newcastle	4 (0.11)
Riverina	4 (0.07)
Central Northern	4 (-1.18)
Greater Illawarra	2
Central Coast	1

This year the Championships were held on the Central Coast in October 2022. The competition format was a mixture of Twenty20 and 40 overs a side matches. Disappointingly, rain impacted play on two of the three days.

After four rounds, ACT and North Coastal being the two leading sides qualified for the final.

ACT			
M Vanderstoep	b Hosking		36
A Horsfall	b Simmons		18
S Wilde	not out		14
A Smith	not out		3
R Carroll			
Z Ford			
J Galeano			
K Gumm			
G Lyons ©			
M Phelps			
T Sumanaweera			
Sundries		W – 8	8
		Overs: 8.1	1/79
Fall: 41, 65			
Bowling: J L Woolfe 3-0-0-25, H Simmons 2-0-1-21			
E Hosking 1.1-0-1-18, L McMillan 1-0-0-8, E Sutherland 1-0-0-7			

ACT secured a comprehensive nine wicket win over North Coastal, with Mali Vanderstoep (ACT) being named Player of the Final with fine innings of 36.

Ella Tilburg (Western) was the leading run scorer with 125 runs, while Piper Hooke (Central Coast) led the wicket takers with six.



Mali Vanderstoep
Player of the Final

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge competition sponsor McDonald's, Central Coast Zone, as well as Garry Burkinshaw and his team at Tuggerah Regional Sports Complex for their support of the McDonald's Under 19 Female Country Championships.

NORTH COASTAL			
S Mitchell	c Gumm b Phelps		0
A Ryan ©	st Horsfall b Gumm		0
H Simmons	run out		13
L McMillan	b Wilde		13
A Vallette	c and b Smith		3
V McDonald	c Gumm b Carroll		3
E Hosking	b Carroll		0
M Hollis	not out		18
J L Woolfe	not out		8
N Pearce			
E Thick			
Sundries		W – 11, LB – 3, B – 5	16
		Overs 20	7/77
Fall: 0, 0, 36, 36, 45, 45, 50			
Bowling: M Phelps 3-1-1-12, K Gumm 3-1-1-5			
S Wilde 3-0-1-17, A Smith 4-1-1-7, R Carroll 3-0-2-14			
J Galeano 3-0-0-12, M Vanderstoep 1-0-0-2			

Umpires: Rod Porter (Central Northern) and Graham Rose (North Coastal) **Match Referee:** Keith Griffiths



Umpires Graham Rose (left) and Bill Battese (right) working as a team!!

ACT – McDonald’s Under 19 Female Country Championships (Carolyn Sheehan Shield) Winners



Back Row (L to R): Erin Osborne (Coach), Charlotte Waring, Zara Ford, Jessica Galeano, Mia Phelps, Maria Kumar, Stella Wilde
Shri Sumanaweera, David Horsfall (Ass Coach)

Front Row (L to R): Mali Vanderstoep, Racheal Carrol, Kallie Gumm, Grace Lyons ©, Amber Smith, Alana Horsfall



Umpires Graham Rose (far left) and Bill Battese (far right) with Sophie Parsons (left) and Matiese Wadwell (right) from Central Northern in red and Eliza Thompson (centre) in blue from the Central Coast

Under 19 NSW Country (Female)



Back Row (L to R): Hannah Trethewy (Coach), Anja Kolodziej (Physio), Maddison McGuigan, Caoimhe Bray, Sienne Eve, Ava Ryan, Kate McTaggart, Bethany Lane, Charlie Lamont, Brett Rankin (Assistant Coach)

Front Row (L to R): Clare Webber, Tara French, Claire McGuirk, Jade Allen ©, Katie Letcher, Callee Black, Samira Mitchell

The national Under 19 Championships were held in Perth from the 5th to the 12th of December 2022.

NSW Country ended the Championships with two wins. Jade Allen (Southern Districts) enjoyed a fantastic tournament topping both the batting and bowling with 169 runs at 24.14 and 15 wickets at 14.87.

Round 1 (Twenty20)

NSW Country 3/146 (J Allen 48no, K McTaggart 43, C McGuirk 23) defeated ACT 82 (J Allen 3-12, C Bray 2-5, C Black 2-21).

Round 2 (Twenty20)

NSW Metro 5/122 (J Allen 2-21) defeated NSW Country 101 (C Webber 26).

Round 3 (Twenty20)

NSW Country 7/104 (C McGuirk 27, K Letcher 22no) defeated Tasmania 9/100 (S Eve 2-9).

Round 4 – (Twenty20)

Queensland 8/123 (J Allen 3-28, K McTaggart 2-16) defeated NSW Country 7/94 (J Allen 26, C Bray 20).

Round 5 (50 overs a side)

South Australia 7/186 (J Allen 2-31) defeated NSW Country 185 (J Allen 51, C McGuirk 45, K McTaggart 29).

Round 6 (50 overs a side)

Victoria Country 190 (B Lane 4-33, M McGuigan 3-12) defeated NSW Country 58.

Round 7 (50 overs a side)

Western Australia 5/204 (M McGuigan 2-23) defeated NSW Country 7/203 (B Lane 62, C McGuirk 23, J Allen 23, C Black 22).

Play Off Round 1 (Twenty20)

Victoria Metro 5/137 (J Allen 2-26) defeated NSW Country 8/122 (C McGuirk 39, B Lane 37).

McDonald's Female Under 16 Country Championships

Marie Cornish Shield

The McDonald's Under 16 Female Country Championships was played on the 3rd and 4th October on the Central Coast at the Tuggerah Regional Sports Complex.

After heading their respective pools, Newcastle and Central Northern qualified for the final. Newcastle won their first ever Marie Cornish Shield with a 28-run win, highlighted by a superb 57 from captain Kate McTaggart who was awarded the Player of the Final medal.

Kate McTaggart broke the record for the highest scorer for this carnival totalling 209 runs at 104.50, while Ella Rebus (ACT) was the leading wicket taker with six wickets.

Country Cricket NSW wishes to acknowledge competition sponsor McDonald's as well as Central Coast Zone for their support of the McDonald's Under 16 Female Country Championships.

NEWCASTLE			
E O'Brien	run out		6
L Pearce	run out		0
F Wharton	c Carman b Parsons		12
K McTaggart ©	run out		57
M Kedwell	c Davidson b Parsons		10
L Knipe	lbw b Krake		8
E McRae	not out		7
S Clune	not out		0
A Cook			
C Kelly			
H Rimmington			
Sundries	W – 8, NB – 5, B – 1	14	
	Overs: 20	6/114	
Fall: 0, 22, 29, 58, 80, 114			
Bowling: G Davidson 4-1-0-23, C Bray 4-0-0-18			
S Carman 3-0-0-27, S Parsons 4-0-2-14, M Krake 3-0-1-15			
A Collins 2-0-0-16			

CENTRAL NORTHERN			
C Bray	c O'Brien b McTaggart		20
G Leonard	run out		11
S Parsons	c McTaggart b Kedwell		12
A Collins	not out		15
G Davidson	lbw b Kedwell		0
M Krake	b Wharton		6
R Merrick	b Cook		2
E Andrews	not out		4
S Carman			
X Hewitt			
M Keeler			
Sundries	W – 12, NB – 1, B – 3	16	
	Overs 20	6/86	
Fall: 31, 44, 50, 50, 67, 73			
Bowling: A Cook 1-0-1-2, M Kedwell 2-0-2-9			
C Kelly 1-0-0-2, E McRae 1-0-0-11, K McTaggart 3-0-1-13			
M Dare 2-0-0-14, L Pearce 4-0-0-13, E West 2-0-0-11			
F Wharton 4-1-1-8			

Umpires: Graham Moon (Riverina) and Graham Rose (North Coastal) **Match Referee:** Keith Griffiths



Umpire Graham Moon presents the Marie Cornish Shield to Newcastle captain Kate McTaggart



Umpires Graham Rose (left) and Graham Moon (right) with Player of the Final Kate McTaggart

Newcastle – McDonald's Under 16 Female Country Championships (Marie Cornish Shield) Winners



Back Row (L to R): Abbey Taylor (Manager), Tommy Anderson (Coach), Hannah Rimmington, Evie West, Molly Dare
Lyle McGuigan (Ass Coach), Charlotte Kelly, Evie O'Brien, Lucy Pearce.
Front Row (L to R): Alex Cook, Maddie Kedwell, Sophie Clune, Kate McTaggart ©, Laura Knipe, Felicity Wharton, Emma McCrae



Umpires Katie Collins and Geoff Hoy with Captains Emily Hosking (North Coastal) and Sophie Parsons (Central Northern)

Under 16 NSW Country (Female)



Back Row (L to R): Andrew Litchfield (Coach), Caoimhe Bray, Annalee Watson , Callee Black, Kate McTaggart ©, Sophie Parsons
Lara McMillan, Asmi Bhanage, Emily Leys (Physio)

Front Row (L to R): Maddison Spence, Keisha Baldwin, Taara Kotibhaskar, Emily Hosking, Ava Drury
Emily Humphreys, Kate Jackson (Assistant Coach)

The national Under 16 Championships were held in the ACT from the 5th to the 12th of January 2023.

NSW Country ended the Championships with three wins. Callee Black (Western) was the second highest run scorer for the Championships, with 207 runs at 29.57, while captain Kate McTaggart took 11 wickets at 8.45.

Round 1 (Twenty20)

Victoria Country 7/104 (K McTaggart 4-21) defeated NSW Country 8/103 (C Bray 47).

Round 2 (Twenty20)

NSW Country drew with NSW Metro – no play.

Round 3 (Twenty20)

NSW Country 5/157 (S Parsons 50, K McTaggart 34, C Black 33) defeated South Australia 8/127 (E Hosking 3-24, C Black 2-180).

Round 4 (Twenty20)

NSW Country 3/101 (C Black 36, S Parsons 33) defeated Queensland 100 (C Black 2-13, E Humphreys 2-19, C Bray 2-23).

Round 5 (40 overs a side)

Western Australia 162 (E Humphreys 3-15, E Hosking 3-16, C Black 2-29) defeated NSW Country 147 (C Black 35).

Round 6 (40 overs a side)

NSW Country 9/125 (M Spence 26, K McTaggart 21) defeated ACT 124 (A Drury 2-9, C Bray 2-10).

Round 7 (40 overs a side)

Victoria Metro 4/95 (M Spence 26, K McTaggart 21) defeated NSW Country 94 (T Kotibhaskar 21).

Play Off (Twenty20)

Queensland 4/100 (K McTaggart 2-17) defeated NSW Country 7/99 (C Black 21).

Under 15 State Challenge (Female)

Two Country sides were selected to play in the Under 15 State Challenge held in Dubbo on the 18th to the 20th of January 2023 in a series of Twenty20 and 40 over games.

Country Lions: Jessica Bramble (Greater Illawarra), Sophie Clune (Newcastle), Simran Dhatt (Western), Nikera Hann (Western), Madison Kedwell (Newcastle), Monique Krake (Central Northern), Teyana La Brooy (Sydney), Georgie Leonard (Central Northern), Evelyn Niedzwiedski (Riverina), Alex Bobbi Smith (Central Coast), Cadence Waters (Greater Illawarra), Felicity Wharton (Newcastle), Katie Letcher (Coach).

Country Kangaroos: Savannah Bambery (North Coastal), Gabby Bennett (Western), Molly Dare (Newcastle), Majella Day (Riverina), Mia Elliott (Riverina), Phoebe Johnston (Western), Lane Jordan (North Coastal), Laura Knipe (Newcastle), Rejoice Mudavose (Central Coast), Lily Railz (Western), Ebony Winston (Greater Illawarra), Ella Yates (Greater Illawarra), Kristie Gordon (Coach).

Round 1 (Twenty20)

Metro Scorpions 5/51 (L Jordan 2-5) defeated Country Kangaroos 8/49 (E Yates 11).

Metro Sharks 0/45 defeated Country Lions 44.

Round 2 (Twenty20)

Metro Scorpions 6/77 defeated Country Lions 5/71 (N Hann 25).

Metro Sharks 9/88 (E Yates 3-11, G Bennett 2-17) defeated Country Kangaroos 9/64 (L Jordan 14).

Round 3 (40 overs a side)

Metro Sharks 8/163 defeated Metro Scorpions 79.

Country Lions 8/115 (J Bramble 22no, P Johnston 3-13, E Winston 3-27, M Dare 2-19) defeated Country Kangaroos 111 (M Elliott 32, T La Brooy 2-2, F Wharton 2-10, C Waters 2-16, S Dhatt 2-27).

Play Off

Country Lions 3/67 (G Leonard 28no) defeated Country Kangaroos 5/66 (P Johnston 16no).



Umpires Lauren McGill (left) and Alicia Humphrey (right) with team captains Hannah Moss (Metro Sharks) and Annabel Batty (Metro Scorpions) at Victoria Park No 3 in Dubbo

Under 14 State Challenge (Male)

At the completion of the NSW Youth Championships (Country), four Under 14s sides were named to play in the Under 14 State Challenge which was held Dubbo from the 16th to the 19th January 2023.

Country Kangaroos: Sam Davis (Northern Inland), Zane Hopkins (Mid North Coast), Sinclair Little (Northern Inland), Chase Marron (Mid North Coast), Archie McMaster (Northern Inland), Jack O'Shea (Mid North Coast), Charley Pickens (Northern Inland), Tremayne Small (Hunter Valley), Chayce Smith (Hunter Valley), Oliver Stubbs (Northern Inland), Riley Symonds (Mid North Coast), Rhys Tyrrell (Hunter Valley), Keaton Walters (Northern Inland), Lee Kirk (Coach).

Country Stingrays: Simon Alderson (Central Coast), Koby Blight (Newcastle), Hayden Checker (Newcastle), Tasman Davidson (Lake Macquarie), Fletcher Gersbach (Central Coast), Harrison Najor (Newcastle), Will Parkinson (Newcastle), Sairim Patil (Central Coast), Riley Sharples (Newcastle), Vincent Thornley (Central Coast), George Verth (Central Coast), Hugh Wheeler (Central Coast), Thomas White (Lake Macquarie), Dan Heuston (Coach).

Country Marlins: Lachlan Barry (Greater Illawarra), Joe Burgess (Greater Illawarra), Jed Burton (Greater Illawarra), Blake Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Kent Ellery (Greater Illawarra), Liam Gammone (Greater Illawarra), Kyden Leadbitter (Greater Illawarra), Jason Moloney (Southern Districts), Noah Nasser (Greater Illawarra), Archie O'Hara (Greater Illawarra), McKenzie Perry (Greater Illawarra), Isaac Roxburgh (Southern Districts), Tom Wells (Greater Illawarra), Steve Daves (Coach).

Country Lions: Jayden Brasier (Central West), Ollie Brincatt (Central West), Fletcher Byrne (Central West), Toby Derrick (Cricket Albury Wodonga), Hayden Donohue (Murrumbidgee), Copper Henderson, Austin Hunt (Western Plains), Vaughan Jenkins (Murrumbidgee), Riley Larnach (Central West), Joe Lavis (Cricket Albury Wodonga), Harvey Marchant (Western Plains), Joshua Penhall (Western Plains), Sam Williams (Cricket Albury Wodonga), Greg Rummans (Coach).

Round 1 (40 overs a side)

Metro Sharks 6/233 defeated Country Kangaroos 82.

Metro Scorpions 3/184 defeated Country Lions 3/136 (F Byrne 52, S Williams 27no, O Brincatt 23no).

Country Marlins 5/243 (B Cattle 50, A O'Hara 40, L Gammone 35no, T Wells 33, I Roxburgh 30) defeated Metro Stallions 140 (B Cattle 3-17, J Burgess 2-11, K Ellery 2-20, L Barry 2-24).

Metro Eagles 2/201 defeated Country Stingrays 184 (V Thornley 63, H Checker 20).

Round 2 (40 overs a side)

Metro Eagles 2/127 defeated Country Marlins 126 (T Wells 49, J Moloney 23).

Metro Sharks 2/139 (J Brasier 2-26) defeated Country Lions 137 (A Hunt 38, H Donohue 33).

Metro Scorpions 9/236 (K Walters 3-12) defeated Country Kangaroos 61.

Metro Stallions 8/148 (T Davidson 2-18, K Blight 2-30) defeated Country Stingrays 9/145 (H Najor 41, H Checker 28, W Parkinson 20).

Round 3 (Twenty20)

Metro Stallions 4/117 defeated Metro Eagles 3/116.

Country Stingrays 9/145 (G Verth 47, S Patil 26no, V Thornley 21, defeated Country Marlins 2/144 (L Gammone 64, A O'Hara 38no).

Metro Scorpions 1/141 defeated Metro Sharks 8/103.

Country Lions 6/121 (O Brincatt 35, H Marchant 28, J Brasier 20, K Walters 3-25) defeated Country Kangaroos 7/120 (S Davis 22).

Round 4 (Twenty20)

Country Stingrays 110 (T White 34) defeated Metro Sharks 8/109 (S Alderson 3-13).

Country Marlins 1/40 (I Roxburgh 23no) defeated Metro Scorpions 38 (N Nasser 4-11, L Gammone 3-7).

Country Kangaroos 5/130 (A McMaster 63) defeated Metro Eagles 6/120 (R Symonds 2-15, J O'Shea 2-17).

Metro Stallions 8/118 (H Marchant 3-17, J Brasier 2-12) defeated Country Lions 9/115 (V Jenkins 26, J Lavis 22).

Final (40 overs a side)

Metro Scorpions 3/134 defeated Metro Stallions 9/133.



Nic Bills presents a plaque to Dubbo Mayor Mathew Dickerson

Play Offs (40 overs a side)

Metro Sharks 3/146 defeated Country Marlins 9/143 (T Wells 32, A O’Hara 30, B Cattle 23).

Country Stingrays 4/121 (S Alderson 52, V Thornley 45no) defeated Metro Eagles 119 (K Blight 2-12, W Parkinson 2-33).

Country Kangaroos 9/164 (S Davis 53, C Pickens 23no, C Henderson 3-34, J Brasier 2-30) defeated Country Lions 163 (T Derrick 44, H Marchant 34, O Brincat 24, F Byrne 22, J O’Shea 4-25, C Marron 3-31, O Stubbs 2-27).



Umpires Dennis Chaplin (left) and Graham Rose (right) and players along with Dubbo Mayor Mathew Dickerson



Day Night Cricket in Dubbo at the Under 14s State Challenge

Zone Championship – Hogg Silver Shield

Ladder	Points
Newcastle	78
Western	63
Central Coast	55
Riverina	52
ACT	50
Greater Illawarra	47
North Coastal	41
Central Northern	37
Southern Districts	6



Paul Marjoribanks with the Hogg Silver Shield

Newcastle took out the Hogg Silver Shield for the fourth time with wins in the Under 16 McDonald's Female Country Championships, Under 15s Female Youth Championships, Bradman Cup, McDonald's Male Country Championships and the Plan B Regional Bash (male) competition.

Around the Grounds



Opening Ceremony at Pasterfield Sports Complex for the Bradman Cup Carnival



Wade Park Orange – McDonald's Country Championships (Southern Pool)

Congratulations

The Association extends its congratulations to:

- **NSW Female Country Cricketer of the Year (Alex Blackwell Medal winner)** – Jodie Hicks (Riverina).
- **NSW Male Country Cricketer of the Year (Josh Hazlewood Medal winner)** – Matt Everett (Western).
- **NSW Kookaburra Female Youth Cricketer of the Year** – Kate McTaggart (Newcastle).
- **NSW Kookaburra Male Youth Cricketer of the Year** – Angus Campbell (Greater Illawarra).
- **NSW Country Curators of the Year** – Paul Deaves and John Rainger (Tuggerah Regional Sports Complex – Central Coast).
- **Contribution to Country Cricket** – Wes Giddings (Dubbo Regional Council – Western).
- **NSW Country Coach of the Year** – Garth Dean (Western).
- **NSW Country Umpire of the Year** – Dave Cullen (Greater Illawarra).
- **NSW Bush Blues** - Nick Foster (Captain - Newcastle), Daniel Arms (Newcastle), Josh Bennett (Newcastle), Aaron Bills (Newcastle), Nic Broes (Western), Ryan Brown (Riverina), Shaun Eaton (Central Coast), Matt Everett (Western), Jeff Goninan (Newcastle), Patrick Magann (Newcastle), Josh McTaggart (Newcastle), Callum Rainger (Central Coast), Jono Rose (Greater Illawarra), Hamish Starr (Riverina), Logan Weston (Newcastle), Anthony Kershler (Coach - North Coastal), Shane Burley (Assistant Coach/Manager - Newcastle), David Redden (Scorer - Newcastle).
- **NSW Bush Breakers** – Kira Churchland (Captain - Western), Grace Dignam (Central Coast), Amy Cunningham (Central Coast), Rochelle Davis (Central Coast), Jodie Hicks (Riverina), Emma-Jayne Howe (Central Coast), Joanne Kelly (Greater Illawarra), Ally McGrath (Newcastle), Claire Murray (Riverina), Kelly Rowlings (Southern Districts), Alana Ryan (Western), Abbey Taylor (Newcastle), Sophie Shelley (Central Coast), Kirsten Smith (Newcastle), Abbey Taylor (Newcastle), Jaclyn Vickery (Central Northern), Tommy Anderson (Coach), Kate Jackson (Assistant Coach/Manager – North Coastal), Allison Brockley (Scorer – Greater Illawarra).
- **Bush Breakers** - Jodie Hicks, Joanne Kelly, Rochelle Davis and Claire Murray on their selection in the team of the tournament at the Toyota Australian Country Championships.
- **NSW Country Under 19s (male)** – Joey Gillard (Captain – Newcastle), Cooper Brien (Western), Rhys Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Bryce Cook (North Coastal), Max Farmer (Central Northern), Charlie Howard (North Coastal), Karan Katli (Central Coast), Zak Keogh (Southern Districts), Angus Parsons (Western), Kobe Ross (Greater Illawarra), Jake Scott (Riverina), Riley Urquhart (Newcastle), Hayden Watling (Riverina), Mac Webster (Western), Dean Burke (Coach), Nic Bills (Assistant Coach), Josephine Everett (Manager).
- **NSW Country Under 19s (female)** – Jade Allen (Captain – Southern Districts), Callee Black (Western), Caoimhe Bray (Central Northern), Sienna Eve (Newcastle), Tara French (Central Coast), Charlie Lamont (Riverina), Beth Lane (Penrith), Katie Letcher (Western), Maddie McGuigan (Newcastle), Kate McTaggart (Newcastle), Clare Webber (Newcastle), Ava Ryan (North Coastal), Hannah Trethewey (Coach), Brett Rankin (Assistant Coach).
- **NSW Country Under 17s (male)** - Angus Campbell (Captain – Greater Illawarra), Bailey Abela (Greater Illawarra), Kai Bruncker (Southern Districts), Rhys Cattle (Greater Illawarra), Zac Graham (Central Coast), Sid Harvey (Central Northern), Riley Keen (Western), Brodie McDowell (North Coastal), Nathan Pryke (North Coastal), Harry Scowen (Central Northern), Liam Roche (Central Coast), Harry Roscarel (Western), Tom Thorpe (Central Northern), Sam Weir (North Coastal), David Freedman (Coach), Anthony Kershler (Assistant Coach).
- **NSW Country Under 16s (female)** – Kate McTaggart (Captain – Newcastle), Callee Black (Vice Captain – Western), Keisha Baldwin (Greater Illawarra), Asmi Bhanage (Gordon), Caoimhe Bray (Central Northern), Ava Drury (Central Coast), Emily Hosking (North Coastal), Emily Humphreys (Central Coast), Taara Kotibhaskar (Gordon), Lara McMillan (North Coastal), Sophie Parsons (Central Northern), Maddy Spence (Western), Annalee Watson (Greater Illawarra), Andrew Litchfield (Coach), Kate Jackson (Assistant Coach).

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COUNTRY CRICKET NSW
AUSTRALIA'S FUTURE HEROES

Major Award Winners



**Jodie Hicks - Riverina
NSW FEMALE COUNTRY CRICKETER
OF THE YEAR**

Alex Blackwell Medal



**Matt Everett - Western
NSW MALE COUNTRY CRICKETER
OF THE YEAR**

Josh Hazlewood Medal



**Kate McTaggart - Newcastle
KOOKABURRA FEMALE
YOUTH CRICKETER OF THE YEAR**



**Angus Campbell - Greater Illawarra
KOOKABURRA MALE
YOUTH CRICKETER OF THE YEAR**



**Dave Cullen - Greater Illawarra
NSW CRICKET UMPIRES' &
SCORERS' ASSOCIATION
COUNTRY UMPIRE OF THE YEAR
(Kevin Pye Medal)**



**Garth Dean - Western
NSW COUNTRY COACH
OF THE YEAR
(John McMahon Award)**



**Paul Deaves & John Rainger - Central Coast
COUNTRY CURATORS
OF THE YEAR
Tuggerah Regional Sporting Complex**



**Wes Giddings - Western
CONTRIBUTION TO COUNTRY
CRICKET AWARD
(Dubbo Regional Council)**

2022/23 Season Statistics

Toyota Australian Country Championships - Male Division

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Nathan Walsh	Victoria	340	85.00
Julian Crudelli	Western Australia	320	53.33
Cameron Williams	Victoria	314	52.33
Jack Sanson	ACT	279	69.75

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Sam Yabsley	Queensland	14	11.07
Cruize Ciallella	Western Australia	13	7.85
Tyler Van Luin	ACT	11	17.55
Lachlan Ford	Queensland	10	14.90

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Sam Lowry	Queensland	5
Matt Everett	New South Wales	5

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Cameron Williams	Victoria	9/4
Calum How	Western Australia	6/3

Toyota Australian Country Championships - Female Division

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Jodie Hicks	New South Wales	272	38.86
Tegan McPharlin	South Australia	220	220.00
Mikayla Wrigley	Queensland	215	43.00
Joanne Kelly	New South Wales	204	51.00

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Chelsea Moscript	Victoria	10	17.30
Sibona Jimmy	Papua New Guinea	9	7.89
Claire Murray	New South Wales	9	10.67
Kate Shallard	Victoria	8	12.50

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Chelsea Moscript	Victoria	7
Janelle Phillips	Western Australia	5
Taylor Stumer	Queensland	4

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Rochelle Davis	New South Wales	5/2
Brenda Tau	Papua New Guinea	0/6
Grace Lyon	ACT	3/2

McDonald's Country Championships

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Matt Everett	Western	289	144.50
Jake Hardy	Central Coast	244	81.33
Callum Rainger	Central Coast	169	56.33
Jono Rose	Greater Illawarra	167	83.50

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Connor Haddow	Central Coast	15	10.13
Patrick Magann	Newcastle	12	8.67
Lachlan Skelly	Western	8	14.75
Jake Smith	ACT	7	19.29

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Joey Gillard	Newcastle	4
Alec Williams	North Coastal	4
Marty Jeffrey	Western	3
Jeff Goninan	Newcastle	3

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Ben Balcomb	Newcastle	8/1
Ben Fulford	Riverina	4/1
Darren Bourke	North Coastal	5
Matt Everett	Western	2/2



Plan B Regional Bash – Male Division

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Jacob Montgomery	Newcastle Blasters	133	66.50
Richie Gallichan	Coffs Coast Chargers	119	57.50
Brad Smith	Nthn Inland Bolters	101	50.50
Liam Scammell	Border Bullets	92	46.00

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Aaron Bills	Newcastle Blasters	8	10.50
Ty Adams	Coffs Coast Chargers	7	5.29
Chris Archer	Central Coast Rush	7	8.57
Tendai Chisoro	Border Bullets	7	8.71

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Troy Turner	Coffs Coast Chargers	5
Lee Barnett	Northern Rivers Rock	4
Brady Toniello	Northern Rivers Rock	3
Richie Gallichan	Coffs Coast Chargers	3

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Ben Balcomb	Newcastle Blasters	3/3
Josh Staines	Wagga Wagga Sloggers	4/1
Eric Bell	ACT Aces	3/2
Darren Bourke	Macquarie Coast Stingers	3/1

Plan B Regional Bash – Female Division

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Kelly Rowlings	ACT Aces	153	76.50
Jodie Hicks	Riverina Bullets	140	46.67
Amy Cunningham	Central Coast Rush	119	39.67
Ava Ryan	Coffs Coast Chargers	112	37.33

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Jodie Hicks	Riverina Bullets	11	6.27
Grace Dignam	Central Coast	7	7.86
Claire Murray	Riverina Bullets	7	8.57
Amy Maslin	Western Outlaws	6	4.33

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Jodie Hicks	Riverina Bullets	4
Grace Dignam	Central Coast Rush	3
Emma-Jayne Howe	Newcastle Blasters	3

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Lisa Kuschert	Riverina Bullets	3/5
Ava Ryan	Coffs Coast Chargers	1/1
Alana Horsfall	ACT Aces	1/1

McDonald's Country Colts

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Angus Campbell	Greater Illawarra	268	53.60
Bailey Abela	Greater Illawarra	159	31.80
Oscar Lyons	Riverina	158	39.50
Lewis Robertson	ACT	143	35.75

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
James Burke	Newcastle	9	8.44
Jordan Wells	Riverina	9	8.67
Ryan Cattle	Greater Illawarra	8	11.75
Daniel Thompson	Central Coast	8	14.25

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Angus Campbell	Greater Illawarra	4
Gen Casarotto	ACT	4
Riley Keen	Western	3

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Riley Post	Central Coast	8
Edward Murray	Western	4/2
Oliver Needham	Greater Illawarra	2/3
Hayden Forner	Riverina	2/2

Bradman Cup

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Shaun Smith	Riverina	359	59.83
Harry Roscarel	Western	319	53.17
Lachlan Williams	Newcastle	286	71.50
Jackson Ingram	Greater Illawarra	249	49.80

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Jamie Dickson	Newcastle	13	12.69
Jaylen Johnston	Central Coast	13	13.54
Dylan Shillington	ACT	13	16.23
Max Richards	Western	12	15.83

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Freddie Cleverly	ACT	7
Kade Sutton	Newcastle	5
Kobi Goldie	Central Coast	5
James Lobb	North Coastal	5

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Thomas Cover	Newcastle	10/3
Lukas Boorer	ACT	8/4
Cooper Giddings	Western	6/3
Harrison Dunn	Central Northern	8

McDonald's Female Under 19 Country Championships

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Ella Tilburg	Western	125	125.00
Caoimhe Bray	Central Northern	103	51.50
Alana Horsfal	ACT	99	33.00
Samira Mitchell	North Coastal	99	24.75

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Piper Hooke	Central Coast	6	10.83
Montana Griffith	Western	5	6.60
Taleha Urszulak	Greater Illawarra	5	7.00
Jazlyn Dennis	Central Northern	5	8.40

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Maddie McGuigan	Newcastle	5
Lucy McKelvie-Hill	Riverina	4
Molly Kidd	Central Coast	4

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Tahlia Pracy	Greater Illawarra	2/1
Alana Horsfall	ACT	2

McDonald's Female Under 16 Country Championships

Batting

Name	Team	Runs	Ave
Kate McTaggart	Newcastle	209	104.50
Annalee Watson	Greater Illawarra	135	67.50
Sophie Parsons	Central Northern	132	44.00
Ava Drury	Central Coast	103	34.33

Bowling

Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Ella Rebus	ACT	6	8.67
Kate McTaggart	Newcastle	5	4.00
Lane Jordan	North Coastal	5	5.80
Felicity Wharton	Newcastle	5	6.20

Fielding

Name	Team	Catches
Kate McTaggart	Newcastle	3
Callee Black	Western	3

Wicket Keeping

Name	Team	Dismissals
Brianna Dillon	ACT	3/1



COUNTRY CRICKET NSW

Under 15 Country Youth Championships (male)

Batting				Bowling			
Name	Team	Runs	Ave	Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Cooper Giddings	Western Plains Outlaws	305	50.83	Joe Parsons	Far North Coast	16	6.38
Cooper Pullen	Central West Wranglers	296	98.67	Blake Cattle	Illawarra Highlanders	14	7.43
Sam Harwood	Illawarra Highlanders	292	58.40	Samuel Holz	Hunter Thoroughbreds	14	8.79
Cooper Townsend	Western Plains Outlaws	263	52.60	Andrew Ridge	Western Plains Outlaws	14	10.79

Fielding				Wicket Keeping			
Name	Team	Catches		Name	Team	Dismissals	
Taylor Gilbert	North Coast	8		Brody Felton	Far North Coast	9/3	
Jonah Rheinberger	Newcastle Blasters	6		Ed Kruetzberger	CAW Murray	7/3	
Sam Harwood	Illawarra Highlanders	6		Isaac Meyer	ACT Barons	7/3	

Under 15 Country Youth Championships (female)

Batting				Bowling			
Name	Team	Runs	Ave	Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Zara Hepplewhite	Central Coast	124	31.00	Molly Dare	Newcastle Blasters	12	3.92
Georgie Leonard	Nthn Inland Bolters	111	22.20	Jordan Lane	Mid North Coast	12	4.58
Jessica Bramble	Greater Illawarra	106	106.00	Karly Woods	Western	10	3.80
Bonnie Crimson	North Coast	103	25.75	Sarah Abel	Central Coast	10	4.60

Fielding				Wicket Keeping			
Name	Team	Catches		Name	Team	Dismissals	
Holly Reed	Western	4		Evelyn Niedzwiedzki	Riverina	3/1	
Camille Chevally	Hunter Valley	4		Olivia Dimmick	Western	3/1	
				Kate Gander	Nthn Inland Bolters	2/1	

Under 14 Country Youth Championships (male)

Batting				Bowling			
Name	Team	Runs	Ave	Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Isaac Roxburgh	Southern Districts	334	55.67	Riley Lanarch	Central West Wranglers	14	7.57
Liam Gammone	Illawarra Highlanders	291	58.20	Thomas White	Lake Mac Attack	13	4.54
Chayce Smith	Hunter Thoroughbreds	250	41.67	Angus Mills	Far North Coast	12	9.50
Joseph Mendis	ACT Kings	247	61.75	Joe Burgess	Gtr Southern Marlins	12	11.67

Fielding				Wicket Keeping			
Name	Team	Catches		Name	Team	Dismissals	
Vincent Thornley	Central Coast	10		Sam Davis	Nthn Inland Bolters	7/1	
Toby Derrick	CAW Country	5		Miller Scully	Far North Coast	5/3	
Tremayne Small	Hunter Thoroughbreds	5		Archie O'Hara	Greater Southern Marlins	4/3	

Under 13 Country Youth Championships (male)

Batting				Bowling			
Name	Team	Runs	Ave	Name	Team	Wkts	Ave
Darcy Brownlie	Central Coast	252	50.40	Lakyn Tonks	Southern Districts	15	7.87
Eknor Dao	ACT Kings	219	43.80	Bailey Blacka	Southern Districts	15	9.40
Ben Calloway	ACT Kings	201	50.25	Euan Richardson	Central Coast	13	4.77
Hayden Gardiner	Murrumbidgee	178	59.33	Zane Guthrie	North Coast	12	6.08

Fielding				Wicket Keeping			
Name	Team	Catches		Name	Team	Dismissals	
Corban Byrne	Newcastle Blasters	8		Maxwell Piper	ACT Barons	8/2	
James Mansour	Western Plains Outlaws	5		Lochie Lennard	Hunter Thoroughbreds	5/4	
Max Proctor	Hunter Thoroughbreds	5		Nick Heinecke	Gtr Southern Marlins	7/1	

Competition Winners and Records

Zone Championship – Hogg Silver Shield

Year	Zone	Year	Zone
2014/15	Newcastle	2019/20	Newcastle
2015/16	Central Northern	2020/21	Newcastle
2016/17	North Coastal	2021/22	ACT Southern Districts
2017/18	Central Coast	2022/23	Newcastle
2018/19	Central Coast		

Australian Country Cricket Championships Winners (Male)

Interstate Country Cricket Championships		Commonwealth Bank Australian Country Cricket Championships	
1984/85	New South Wales	2007/08	New South Wales
Prudential National Country Cricket Championships		2008/09	Queensland
1985/86	New South Wales	2009/10	Northern Territory
1986/87	ACT	2010/11	Western Australia
1987/88	Queensland	2011/12	New South Wales
1988/89	New South Wales	2012/13	New South Wales
1989/90	New South Wales	2013/14	Western Australia
1990/91	Victoria	2014/15	Queensland
1991/92	New South Wales	2015/16	South Australia
1992/93	New South Wales	2016/17	Queensland
1993/94	ACT	Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships	
1994/95	Queensland	2017/18	New South Wales
ACB Australian Country Cricket Championships		2018/19	Western Australia
1995/96	New South Wales	2019/20	Victoria
1996/97	Queensland	2020/21	Not played (COVID-19)
1997/98	Western Australia	Country Invitational Tournament (Albury)	
1998/99	Queensland	2021/22	Queensland
1999/00	Queensland	Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships	
2000/01	New South Wales	2022/23	Victoria
2001/02	Queensland		
2002/03	Western Australia		
2003/04	Victoria		
2004/05	Queensland		
2005/06	Queensland		
2006/07	Victoria		

Australian Country Cricket Championships Winners (Female)

Commonwealth Bank Australian Country Cricket Championships		Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships	
2015/16	East Asia Pacific	2020/21	Not played (COVID-19)
2016/17	East Asia Pacific	Country Invitational Tournament (Albury)	
2017/18	South Australia	2021/22	New South Wales
2018/19	Victoria	Toyota Australian Country Cricket Championships	
2019/20	East Asia Pacific	2022/23	South Australia

Country Representative Cap Numbers at Australian Country Championships (Male)

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
1	1984-85	Greg Bennett	Riverina
2	1984-85	Mike Brady	Central Nthn
3	1984-85	Neil Budden	Newcastle
4	1984-85	Barry Everingham	Central Nthn
5	1984/85	Steve Iffland	Newcastle
6	1984/85	Greg Irvine	ACT
7	1984/85	Russel Neal	Newcastle
8	1984/85	David Palmer	Newcastle
9	1984/85	James Pyke	ACT
10	1984/85	Alan Sharp	Newcastle
11	1984/85	Peter Solway	ACT
12	1984/85	David Tink	Western
13	1984/85	Peter Van Geest	Illawarra
14	1985/86	Greg Arms	Newcastle
15	1985/96	Neil Coad	Illawarra
16	1985/86	Greg Griffith	Western
17	1985/86	Greg Harvey	Southern
18	1985/86	Gerard Hines	Riverina
19	1985/86	James Hogg	Newcastle
20	1985/86	Greg McNeill	Newcastle
21	1985/86	Mal Noack	Riverina
22	1985/86	Paul O'Malley	Riverina
23	1985/86	Tim Williams	Western
24	1986/87	Steve Christie	Newcastle
25	1986/87	Michael Connolly	Central Nthn
26	1986/87	Anthony Le Bas	Illawarra
27	1986/87	Derek Lulham	Riverina
28	1986/87	David Somerville	Illawarra
29	1987/88	Robert Anderson	Central Nthn
30	1987/88	Mark Curry	Newcastle
31	1987/88	Mark Kelaher	Southern
32	1987/88	Jeff Lucas	Southern
33	1987/88	Tom Purcell	Riverina
34	1987/88	Tim Towers	Newcastle
35	1987/88	Stuart Bridges	Newcastle
36	1988/89	Tony Fort	Newcastle
37	1988/89	Glen Hooper	Western
38	1988/89	Peter March	Newcastle
39	1988/89	John Sullivan	Central Nthn
40	1988/80	Richard Williams	Central Nthn
41	1988/89	Murray Christie	Newcastle
42	1989/90	John Frame	North Coastal
43	1989/90	Peter Gerhard	Riverina
44	1989/90	Craig Hamilton	Newcastle
45	1989/90	Eric Higgins	North Coastal
46	1989/90	Wayne McLennan	Riverina
47	1989/90	Grant Ryan	Central Nthn
48	1989/90	David Willis	Newcastle
49	1989/90	Kevin Bray	Newcastle
50	1990/91	Simon Doolan	Riverina
51	1990/91	Brad Newman	Illawarra
52	1990/91	Terry Baldwin	North Coastal
53	1991/92	Terry Browne	Central Nthn
54	1991/92	Paul Dyson	Newcastle
55	1991/92	David Hamblin	Western

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
56	1991/92	Robert Merlo	Newcastle
57	1991/92	Tony Parker	Newcastle
58	1991/92	Matthew Pearson	Central Nthn
59	1992/93	Glen Anderson	Central Coast
60	1992/93	Anthony Daly	Newcastle
61	1992/93	Jon Henry	Riverina
62	1992/93	Trent Johnston	Illawarra
63	1992/93	David Marshall	Central Nthn
64	1992/93	Anthony Stuart	Newcastle
65	1993/94	Glen Cox	Riverina
66	1993/94	Michael Gerits	Newcastle
67	1993/94	Kevin Geyer	Western
68	1993/94	Gary O'Sullivan	North Coastal
69	1993/94	Brett Rankin	North Coastal
70	1993/94	Phillip Stanbridge	Newcastle
71	1993/94	Graeme Warren	Illawarra
72	1994/95	Craig Bramble	Southern
73	1994/95	Geoff Cooke	Newcastle
74	1994/95	Mark Garland	Riverina
75	1994/95	Martin Garoni	Riverina
76	1994/95	Steve Mace	Newcastle
77	1995/95	Russell McCool	Central Coast
78	1994/95	Andrew Sainsbury	Central Coast
79	1994/95	Andrew Zell	Western
80	1995/96	Scott Atkinson	Central Coast
81	1995/96	Rohan Hutchinson	Central Coast
82	1995/96	Robbie Jackson	Riverina
83	1995/96	Paul Ross	Newcastle
84	1995/96	Andrew Sargent	Newcastle
85	1995/96	Craig Trindall	Central Nthn
86	1995/96	Mitch Walters	Illawarra
87	1995/96	David Wrixon	Newcastle
88	1996/97	Mark Austin	Central Coast
89	1996/97	John Bickerton	Riverina
90	1996/97	Nathan Holloway	Newcastle
91	1996/97	Glen Smede	Illawarra
92	1996/97	Rhys Soper	Newcastle
93	1997/98	Michael Eccleston	Central Nthn
94	1997/98	Craig Haworth	North Coastal
95	1997/98	Darren Herbert	Newcastle
96	1997/98	Mathew Hodges	Newcastle
97	1997/98	Mark Johnson	Illawarra
98	1997/98	Mark McInnes	Central Coast
99	1997/98	Darren O'Connell	Southern
100	1997/98	Leon Thompson	Central Coast
101	1998/99	Glenn Grimmond	Newcastle
102	1998/99	Duncan McIveen	Newcastle
103	1998/99	Simon Moore	Newcastle
104	1998/99	Glenn Prouten	Illawarra
105	1998/99	Graeme Smith	Southern
106	1998/99	Randall Starr	Southern
107	1999/00	Ian Gregory	North Coastal
108	1999/00	Neil Hancock	North Coastal
109	1999/00	Joel Henderson	North Coastal
110	1999/00	Craig Jones	Illawarra

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
111	1999/00	Adam Shields	North Coastal
112	1999/00	Andrew Starr	Central Nthn
113	2000/01	Mark Cameron	Newcastle
114	2000/01	Brad Colquhoun	Illawarra
115	2000/01	Steve Lockhart	North Coastal
116	2000/01	Paul Stepto	North Coastal
117	2000/01	Steven Wright	Riverina
118	2001/02	Mark Cattley	Central Coast
119	2001/02	Mark Chicken	North Coastal
120	2001/02	Nathan Greatz	Riverina
121	2001/02	Daniel Hughes	Western
122	2001/02	Heath Muller	Southern
123	2001/02	Ben Nott	Riverina
124	2001/02	Mark Shelley	Riverina
125	2002/03	Aaron Alley	Central Coast
126	2002/03	Keiran Knight	Riverina
127	2002/03	Matthew Meurant	Illawarra
128	2002/03	Jodie Whitehead	Newcastle
129	2003/04	Brad Bannister	Newcastle
130	2003/04	Michael Day	Riverina
131	2003/04	Jason Ditton	Central Coast
132	2003/04	Chris Sargent	Western
133	2004/05	Tom Cooper	North Coastal
134	2004/05	Tim Kensell	Central Nthn
135	2004/05	Steve Mudford	Newcastle
136	2004/05	Ben Woolmer	Newcastle
137	2005/06	Simon Blake	Central Coast
138	2005/06	Burt Cockley	Newcastle
139	2005/06	Adrian Ezquerro	Illawarra
140	2005/06	Jeff Hemming	Central Coast
141	2005/06	Adam Jones	Central Nthn
142	2006/07	Mark Dries	Newcastle
143	2006/07	Robert Faraday-Bensley	Newcastle
144	2006/07	Michael Hogan	Newcastle
145	2006/07	Sam Irvine	North Coastal
146	2006/07	Mark Littlewood	Newcastle
147	2006/07	Mitch Power	Central Nthn
148	2007/08	Jeff Cook	Central Nthn
149	2007/08	Matthew Frith	Newcastle
150	2007/08	Anthony Hobson	Newcastle
151	2007/08	Bill Newell	North Coastal
152	2007/08	Nathan Price	Newcastle
153	2007/08	Brendan Rixon	Central Nthn
154	2007/08	Jamie Rowe	Central Coast
155	2007/08	Shane Wallace	Southern
156	2008/09	Blake Fitzgerald	Central Nthn
157	2008/09	Troy Goodwin	Newcastle
158	2008/09	Tom Groth	Central Nthn
159	2008/09	Andrew Maher	Newcastle
160	2008/09	Joe Mennie	North Coastal
161	2008/09	Sebastian Reid	Central Coast
162	2008/09	Rob Westley	Central Coast
163	2009/10	Graeme Batty	Illawarra
164	2009/10	Michael Coulter	Southern
165	2009/10	Brett Crawford	North Coastal
166	2009/10	Aaron Flaherty	Central Nthn
167	2009/10	Kaine Harmsworth	Central Coast

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
168	2009/10	Mike Harvey	Central Coast
169	2009/10	Tom Quilter	Western
170	2009/10	Cory Shields	North Coastal
171	2009/10	Darren Whittingham	Newcastle
172	2010/11	Tim Cox	Western
173	2010/11	Matthew Junk	Southern
174	2011/12	Ethan Bartlett	Riverina
175	2011/12	Pat Darwen	Newcastle
176	2011/12	Declan Hoare	Western
177	2011/12	Pat Rosser	Western
178	2012/13	Cameron Belshaw	Southern
179	2012/13	Josh Bennett	Newcastle
180	2012/13	Trent Colley	Western
181	2012/13	Brett Davies	Riverina
182	2012/13	Andrew Hicks	Illawarra
183	2012/13	Tim Laws	Illawarra
184	2012/13	Dale Scifleet	Illawarra
185	2013/14	Scott Burkinshaw	Central Coast
186	2013/14	Jono Cook	Illawarra
187	2013/14	Nick Foster	Newcastle
188	2013/14	Jeff Goninan	Newcastle
189	2013/14	Greg Hunt	Newcastle
190	2013/14	Joe Kershaw	Western
191	2013/14	Blair Lindsay	Central Coast
192	2014/15	Mitch Coombs	Central Coast
193	2014/15	Andrew Lindsay	North Coastal
194	2014/15	Justin Moore	North Coastal
195	2015/16	Michael Arblaster	Southern
196	2015/16	Nick Berry	Western
197	2015/16	Mitch Bower	Western
198	2015/16	Ben Mitchell	Southern
199	2015/16	Jordan Moran	Western
200	2015/16	Joe Price	Newcastle
201	2015/16	Grant Stewart	Newcastle
202	2016/17	Tom Allen	Newcastle
203	2016/17	Djali Bloomfield	ACT Southern
204	2016/17	Peter Gallichan	Central Coast
205	2016/17	Keiran Gray	Southern
206	2016/17	Jarryd Hatton	Riverina
207	2016/17	Jonathan Nicoll	Riverina
208	2016/17	Cameron Suidgeest	ACT Southern
209	2017/18	Tom Englebrecht	ACT Southern
210	2017/18	Ryan Fenning	Central Coast
211	2017/18	Simon Keen	Central Coast
212	2017/18	Tom O'Neill	Central Nthn
213	2017/18	Caleb Ziebell	North Coastal
214	2018/19	Chris Archer	Central Coast
215	2018/19	Alec Baldwin	North Coastal
216	2018/19	Adrian Chad	Newcastle
217	2018/19	Jed Dickson	Newcastle
218	2018/19	Josh Geary	Newcastle
219	2018/19	Ben Patterson	Western
220	2018/19	Adam Taylor	Central Coast
221	2019/20	Adam Berwick	Grtr Illawarra
222	2019/20	Ryan Brown	Riverina
223	2019/20	Caelan Maladay	North Coastal
224	2019/20	Michael Rixon	Central Nthn

225	2019/20	Andrew Somerville	Newcastle
226	2019/20	Kerrod White	Grtr Illawarra
227	2019/20	Aaron Wivell	Newcastle
228	2020/21	Daniel Arms	Newcastle
229	2020/21	Eric Den Hartog	Grtr Illawarra
230	2020/21	Nathan Hudson	Newcastle
231	2020/21	Alex Patterson	Central Coast
232	2020/21	Brynley Richards	Grtr Illawarra
233	2020/21	Ryan Van Kemanade	Newcastle
234	2020/21	Alec Williams	North Coastal
235	2020/21	Dan Bailey	Newcastle
236	2020/21	Luke Docherty	Riverina

237	2021/22	Nic Broes	Western
238	2021/22	Dan Chillingworth	Newcastle
239	2021/22	Shaun Eaton	Central Coast
240	2021/22	Matt Everett	Western
241	2021/22	Jono Rose	Gtr Illawarra
242	2022/23	Aaron Bills	Newcastle
243	2022/23	Patrick Magann	Newcastle
244	2022/23	Josh McTaggart	Newcastle
245	2022/23	Callum Rainger	Central Coast
246	2022/23	Hamish Starr	Riverina
247	2022/23	Logan Weston	Newcastle

Country Representative Cap Numbers at Australian Country Championships (Female)

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
1	2016/17	Lisa Griffith	Western
2	2016/17	Laura Avard	Central Nthn
3	2016/17	Rebecca Cady	Western
4	2016/17	Amy Edgar	Western
5	2016/17	Kate Jackson	North Coastal
6	2016/17	Tiegan Kavanagh	Central Coast
7	2016/17	Matilda Lugg	North Coastal
8	2016/17	Synetta Manns	Central Nthn
9	2016/17	Grace McDonald	North Coastal
10	2016/17	Melissa Norup	North Coastal
11	2016/17	Amy Riddell	North Coastal
12	2016/17	Kelly Rowlings	ACT Southern
13	2016/17	Katelyn Beaumont	North Coastal
14	2016/17	Roxsanne Van-Veen	Western
15	2017/18	Isabell Fitzgibbon	Central Coast
16	2017/18	Nell Gibson	Central Nthn
17	2017/18	Sophie Heath	Illawarra
18	2017/18	Jessica Marks	North Coastal
19	2017/18	Naomi McDonald	North Coastal
20	2017/18	Kirsten Smith	Central Nthn
21	2018/19	McKenzie Carr	Western
22	2018/19	Joanne Kelly	Gtr Illawarra

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
23	2018/19	Claire Lennon	Central Nthn
24	2018/19	Claire Murray	Riverina
25	2018/19	Alana Ryan	Western
26	2018/19	Jaclyn Vickery	Central Nthn
27	2019/20	Kira Churchland	Western
28	2019/20	Sara Darney	Western
29	2019/20	Anita Handono	North Coastal
30	2019/20	Kellise Turner	Western
31	2019/20	Catherine Wood	Riverina
32	2020/21	Lisa Kuschert	Riverina
33	2021/22	Dharmini Chauhan	Gtr Illawarra
34	2021/22	Jodie Hicks	Riverina
35	2021/22	Emma Jayne Howe	Newcastle
36	2021/22	Allison McGrath	Newcastle
37	2021/22	Olivia Osborne	North Coastal
38	2021/22	Abbey Taylor	Newcastle
39	2021/22	Naomi Woods	Gtr Illawarra
40	2022/23	Amy Cunningham	Central Coast
41	2022/23	Rochelle Davis	Central Coast
42	2022/23	Grace Dignam	Central Coast
43	2022/23	Sophie Shelley	Central Coast



Steve Smith from the Hunter Thoroughbreds in the Plan B Regional Bash match v Newcastle Blasters
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Country Championship Winners

St George Building Society Country Cup		Limited Overs Country Cup	
1986/87	Newcastle	2002/03	Riverina
Tooheys Limited Overs Country Cup		Country Championship	
1987/88	Newcastle	2003/04	Southern
1988/89	ACT	2004/05	Newcastle
1989/90	ACT	2005/06	Newcastle
1990/91	Newcastle	2006/07	Newcastle
1991/92	North Coastal	VB Country Championship	
Reschs Limited Overs Country Cup		2007/08	North Coastal
1992/93	ACT	2008/09	Newcastle
1993/94	Newcastle	Country Championship	
1994/95	Newcastle	2009/10	Newcastle
Diamond Draft Limited Overs Country Cup		2010/11	Newcastle
1995/96	ACT	2011/12	Illawarra
Fosters Light Ice Limited Overs Country Cup		2012/13	Western
1996/97	ACT	2013/14	Newcastle
1997/98	Newcastle	McDonald's Country Championship	
1998/99	Illawarra	2014/15	Western
Limited Overs Country Cup		2015/16	Newcastle
1999/00	Southern	2016/17	Western
NRMA Limited Overs Country Cup		2017/18	Newcastle
2000/01	Abandoned wet weather	2018/19	ACT Southern Districts
2001/02	Western	2019/20	Newcastle
		2020/21	Newcastle
		2021/22	Newcastle
		2022/23	Newcastle

McDonald's Country Championship Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2004/05	Brad Bannister	Newcastle	Mark Curry Medal		
2005/06	Ben Woolmer	Newcastle	2017/18	Mark Littlewood	Newcastle
2006/07	Mark Littlewood	Newcastle	2018/19	John Rogers	ACT Southern Districts
2007/08	Daryl Parmenter	North Coastal	2019/20	Nathan Price	Newcastle
2008/09	Simon Moore	Newcastle	2020/21	Adrian Chad	Newcastle
2009/10	Graeme Batty	Illawarra	2021/22	Aaron Wivell	Newcastle
2010/11	Mark Dries	Newcastle	2022/23	Callum Rainger	Central Coast
2011/12	Dale Scifleet	Illawarra			
2012/13	Trent Colley	Western			
2013/14	Joe Price	Newcastle			
2014/15	Jordan Moran	Western			
2015/16	Pat Darwen	Newcastle			
2016/17	Tim Berry	Western			



Aaron Bills (Newcastle) spins his web as Umpire Jeff Egan watches on in the McDonald's Country Championships Final in Newcastle

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Open State Challenge Winners

Country vs City State Challenge

1986/87	Campbelltown	2003-04	Eastern Suburbs
1987/88	Newcastle	2004/05	Newcastle
1988/89	Match not played	2005/06	Manly Warringah
1989/90	ACT	2006/07	Newcastle
1990/91	Gordon	2007/08	Northern District
1991/92	Newcastle	2008/09	Newcastle
1992/93	Waverley	2009/10	Match not played
1993/94	North Sydney	2010/11	Match not played
1994/95	Randwick	2011/12	Sydney University
1995/96	North Sydney	2012/13	Randwick Petersham
1996/97	Bankstown Canterbury	2013/14	Washed out
1997/98	ACT	2014/15	Newcastle
1998/99	Penrith		
1999/00	Match not played		
2000/01	Match not played		
2001/02	Match not played		
2002/03	Sutherland		

SCG Country Cup Winners

NRMA Cup

2001/02	Hamilton Wickham	2007/08	Merewether
2002/03	Merewether	2008/09	Tamworth

Country Cup

2003/04	Hamilton Wickham	2009/10	Hamilton Wickham
2004/05	Hamilton Wickham	2010/11	Tamworth

SCG Country Cup

2005/06	Wallsend	2011/12	Queanbeyan
2006/07	Merewether	2012/13	Merewether
		2013/14	Hamilton Wickham
		2014/15	Merewether

SCG Country Cup Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2005/06	Gary Geise	Wallsend	2010/11	Brendan Rixon	Tamworth
2006/07	Jeff Cook	Tamworth	2011/12	Vele Dukoski	Queanbeyan
2007/08	Simon Moore	Merewether	2012/13	Mark Cameron	Merewether
2008/09	Brendan Rixon	Tamworth	2013/14	Mark Dries	Hamilton Wickham
2009/10	David Stevenson	Hamilton Wickham	2014/15	Mark Cameron	Merewether



Plan B Regional Bash Winners (Male)

Year	Team	Year	Team
2015/16	Border Bullets	2019/20	Lake Mac Attack
2016/17	Orana Outlaws	2020/21	ACT Aces
2017/18	Newcastle Blasters	2021/22	ACT Aces
2018/19	Central Coast Rush	2022/23	Newcastle Blasters

Plan B Regional Bash Player of the Final (Male)

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2015/16	Matt Armstrong	Border Bullets	2019/20	Dan Bailey	Lake Mac Attack
2016/17	Mitch Bower	Orana Outlaws	2020/21	Blake Dean	ACT Aces
2017/18	Dylan Hunter	Newcastle Blasters	2021/22	Fin McGurk	ACT Aces
2018/19	Ben Cohen	Central Coast Rush	2022/23	Matt Corben	Central West Wranglers

Plan B Regional Bash Player of the Tournament (Male)

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2015/16	Simon Norvill	Northern Inland Bolters	2019/20	Richie Gallichan	Coffs Coast Chargers
2016/17	Ethan Bartlett	Wagga Wagga Sloggers	2020/21	Blake Dean	ACT Aces
2017/18	Nathan Price	Newcastle Blasters	2021/22	Mark Solway	ACT Aces
2018/19	Adam Taylor	Central Coast Rush	2022/23	Liam Scammell	Border Bullets

Plan B Regional Bash Winners (Female)

Year	Team	Year	Team
2019/20	Coffs Coast Chargers	2021/22	Riverina Bullets
2020/21	ACT Aces	2022/23	Riverina Bullets

Plan B Regional Bash Player of the Final (Female)

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2019/20	Naomi McDonald	Coffs Coast Chargers	2021/22	Sara Burns	Riverina Bullets
2020/21	Kelly Rowlings	ACT Aces	2022/23	Claire Murray	Riverina Bullets

Plan B Regional Bash Player of the Tournament (Female)

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2019/20	Naomi McDonald	Coffs Coast Chargers	2021/22	Jodie Hicks	Riverina Bullets
2020/21	Kelly Rowlings	ACT Aces	2022/23	Jodie Hicks	Riverina Bullets



Border Bullets Captain Liam Scammell leads his player through a guard of honour in the PBRB finals match against Newcastle Blasters

McDonald's Country Cup Winners

Year	Team	Year	Team
2015/16	Parkes	2016/17	Tweed

McDonald's Country Cup Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2015/16	Anthony Heraghty	Parkes	2016/17	Caleb Ziebell	Tweed

McDonald's Country Shield Winners

Country Shield

2012/13 Cricket Albury Wodonga Colts

McDonald's Country Shield

2013/14 Ballina 2014/15 Clarence River

McDonald's Country Shield Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2012/13	Nate Sariman	Cricket Albury Wodonga Colts	2014/15	Matthew Pigg	Clarence River
2013/14	Sam Adams	Ballina			

McDonald's Country Plate Winners

NRMA Plate	Country Plate
2002/03 Gerringong	2009/10 Murray Valley
Country Plate	2010/11 Goulburn
2003/04 The Rail	2011/12 Murray Valley Colts
2004/05 Upper Hunter	2012/13 Robertson Burrawang
2005/06 Holbrook	2013/14 Cootamundra
2006/07 Cobar	McDonald's Country Plate
VB Country Plate	2014/15 The Rail
2007/08 Highlands	2015/16 Goulburn
2008/09 Temora	2016/17 Bowral
	Country Plate
	2022/23 Gilgandra

McDonald's Country Plate Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2007/08	Dean Roxburgh	Highlands	2013/14	John Stephens	Cootamundra
2008/09	Grant Wells	Temora	2014/15	Adam Johnson	The Rail
2009/10	Matt Jaensch	Murray Valley	2015/16	Jordan Lees	Goulburn
2010/11	Mik Webber	Goulburn	2016/17	Peter Crawford	Bowral
2011/12	Justin Maley	Murray Valley Colts	2022/23	Matt Everett	Gilgandra
2012/13	Dean Roxburgh	Robertson Burrawang			



Terry Psarakis OAM presents the Country Plate to Gilgandra captain Ashley Hazelton



Captains Ashley Hazelton (Gilgandra) and Haydn Pascoe (Griffith) with the Country Plate

McDonald's Country Colts Carnival Winners

Brian Hughes Shield – Southern Carnival			Maurice Lilienthal Shield – Northern Carnival	
1986/87	Newcastle		1986/87	North West
1987/88	Newcastle		1987/88	North Coastal
1988/89	Newcastle		1988/89	Riverina
1989/90	Newcastle		1989/90	North Coastal
1990/91	Newcastle		1990/91	North Coastal
1991/92	Newcastle		1991/92	North Coastal
1992/93	Newcastle		1992/93	North Coastal
1993/94	Illawarra		1993/94	Riverina Zone
1994/95	ACTCA		1994/95	North Coastal
1995/96	Southern		1995/96	Abandoned – wet weather
1996/97	Illawarra		1996/97	Newcastle
1997/98	Western		1997/98	Central Northern
1998/99	Illawarra		1998/99	Central Coast
1999/00	Abandoned – wet weather		1999/00	Central Coast
2000/01	Central Coast		2000/01	Illawarra
2001/02	Illawarra		2001/02	Central Coast
2002/03	Southern		2002/03	Newcastle
2003/04	Southern		2003/04	Western
2004/05	Abandoned – wet weather		2004/05	Newcastle
2005/06	Riverina		2005/06	Newcastle
2006/07	Western		2006/07	Central Northern
Brian Hughes Maurice Lilienthal Shield – Combined Carnival			McDonald's Country Colts	
2007/08	Newcastle		2015/16	Central Northern
2008/09	Central Northern		2016/17	ACT Southern
2009/10	Newcastle		2017/18	Riverina
2010/11	Newcastle		2018/19	Central Coast
2011/12	Central Coast		2019/20	Central Coast
2012/13	Abandoned – wet weather		2020/21	Newcastle
2013/14	North Coastal		2021/22	ACT Southern Districts
2014/15	Central Northern		2022/23	Western

McDonald's Country Colts Player of the Final/Championships

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2008/09	Kaine Harmsworth	Central Coast	2016/17	No final played	
2009/10	Ray Cooper	Newcastle	2017/18	Rupert Lilburne	Riverina
2010/11	Josh Bennett	Newcastle	2018/19	Oliver Cronin	North Coastal
2011/12	Colby Gallagher	Central Coast	2019/20	Mitchell Lole	Newcastle
2012/13	No award	Abandoned – wet weather	2020/21	No final played	
2013/14	Nick De Giusti	North Coastal	2021/22	Rhys Cattle	Greater Illawarra
2014/15	Chris Coulton	Central Northern	2022/23	Angus Campbell	Greater Illawarra
2015/16	No final played				

NSW Country Colts Winners (Under 24)

NSW Country Colts (Under 24)			
1986/87	NSW Colts	1990/91	Draw
1987/88	NSW Colts	1991/92	Abandoned wet weather
1988/89	Draw	1992/93	NSW Colts
1989/90	Abandoned wet weather		

NSW Country Colts v Sydney Winners (Under 21)

NSW Country Colts (Under 21)

1993/94	NSW Colts	2004/05	Sydney Youth XI won two day match and one day match
1994/95	Draw	2005/06	NSW Country Colts won two day and one day match
1995/96	NSW Colts	2006/07	NSW Country Colts won two day and one day match
1996/97	NSW Colts won two day and one day match	2007/08	Sydney Youth XI won two day and one day match
1997/98	NSWIS Colts	2008/09	NSW Country Colts won Twenty20 match Sydney Youth XI won two day match
1998/99	Draw	2009/10	Sydney Youth XI won two Twenty20 matches NSW Country Colts won two day match
1999/00	NSW Youth XI	2010/11	NSW Country Colts and Sydney Colts tied one Twenty20 match, Sydney Colts won one Twenty20 match and 50 over match
2000/01	Abandoned wet weather	2011/12	Sydney Colts won 50 over match Twenty 20 matches abandoned
2001/02	Sydney Youth XI		
2002/03	Sydney Youth XI		
2003/04	Sydney Youth XI		

NSW Country Under 17 Combined Carnival Winners (Since 2011-12)

2011/12	Central Northern	2013/14	Central Northern
2012/13	Riverina	2014/15	Newcastle

NSW Country Under 17 Winners (Northern and Southern Pools)

Northern Pool		Southern Pool	
2001/02	Central Northern	2001/02	Southern
2002/03	Central Coast	2002/03	Southern
2003/04	North Coastal	2003/04	Illawarra
2004/05	Central Northern	2004/05	Southern
2005/06	North Coastal	2005/06	Western
2006/07	Central Northern	2006/07	Riverina
2007/08	Central Coast	2007/08	Western
2008/09	Central Northern	2008/09	Southern
2009/10	North Coastal	2009/10	Riverina
2010/11	Abandoned – wet weather	2010/11	Illawarra

Bradman Cup Winners (Under 16)

St George Bank Cup (Under 16)			Bradman Cup (Under 16)	
1992/93	Western		2005/06	North Coastal
1993/94	Illawarra		2006/07	Central Coast
1994/95	Gosford-Wyong		2007/08	Central Coast
1995/96	Central Coast		2008/09	Newcastle
NSW Country Under 16 Cup			2009/10	North Coastal
1996/97	Western		2010/11	Newcastle
Bradman Foundation Under 16 Cup			2011/12	Central Northern
1997/98	Central Coast		2012/13	Illawarra
1998/99	Newcastle		2013/14	North Coastal
1999/00	Hunter Valley		2014/15	Southern
2000/01	Southern		2015/16	Central Northern
2001/02	Southern		2016/17	Riverina
2002/03	Newcastle		2017/18	Central Coast
2003/04	Central Coast		2018/19	Central Coast
2004/05	Newcastle		2019/20	Abandoned due to bush fires
			2020/21	North Coastal
			2021/22	ACT Southern Districts
			2022/23	Newcastle

Bradman Cup (Under 16) Player of the Final/Championships

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2008/09	Dylan Hunter	Newcastle	2015/16	Tyson Rennie	Central Northern
2009/10	Ryan McMahon	North Coastal	2017/18	Jake Holmes	Central Coast
2010/11	Jake Montgomery	Newcastle	2018/19	Harry Channells	Central Coast
2011/12	Hamish Batley	Central Northern	2019/20	Cancelled due to bush fires	
2012/13	Daniel Constable	Illawarra	2020/21	No final played	
2013/14	Max Bryant	North Coastal	2021/22	Jake Smith	ACT Southern Districts
2014/15	Matthew Gilkes	Southern	2022/23	Shaun Smith	Riverina

Under 16 State City v Country Challenge Winners

1993/94	Fairfield Liverpool	2008/09	Abandoned wet weather
1994/95	Gosford Wyong	2009/10	North Coastal
1995/96	Campbelltown	2010/11	Newcastle
1996/97	Abandoned wet weather	2011/12	St George
1997/98	Parramatta	2012/13	Fairfield Liverpool
1998/99	Bankstown Canterbury	2013/14	Bankstown
1999/00	Abandoned wet weather	2014/15	Bankstown
2000/01	Southern	2015/16	Mosman
2001/02	Penrith	2016/17	Sydney
2002/03	Abandoned wet weather	2017/18	Central Coast
2003/04	Central Coast	2018/19	Northern District
2004/05	Newcastle	2019/20	Match not played
2005/06	North Coastal	2020/21	Northern District
2006/07	Campbelltown Camden	2021/22	Match not played
2007/08	Parramatta	2022/23	Newcastle

Under 16 State City v Country Challenge Player of the Match

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2009/0	Sam Reading	North Coastal	2016/17	Alex Sidhu	Sydney
2010/11	Cameron Roxby	Newcastle	2017/18	Broc Hardy	Central Coast
2011/12	Matthew Dedes	St George	2018/19	Jayden Camp	Northern District
2012/13	Harmon Sandhu	Fairfield Liverpool	2019/20	Match not played	
2013/14	Brendan Smith	Bankstown	2020/21	Alex Stafa	Northern District
2014/15	Connor Wilkinson	Bankstown	2021/22	Match not played	
2015/16	Dash Ratnam	Mosman	2022/23	Harry Campbell	Newcastle

Kookaburra Cup Winners (Under 14)

NSW Country Under 14 Competition			Kookaburra Cup		
2005/06	Central Coast		2013/14	Newcastle	
2006/07	Central Coast		2014/15	North Coastal	
Platypus Cup			2015/16	Central Coast	
2007/08	North Coastal		2016/17	Illawarra	
Kookaburra Cup			2017/18	Western	
2008/09	Central Coast		2018/19	Central Coast	
2009/10	North Coastal		2019/20	Cancelled due to bush fires	
2010/11	Central Northern				
2011/12	Illawarra				
2012/13	Central Coast				

Kookaburra Cup (Under 14) Player of the Final/Championship

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2008/09	Cameron Williams	Central Coast	2014/15	Jack Cooper	North Coastal
2009/10	Mark Mariner	Central Coast	2015/16	Broc Hardy	Central Coast
2010/11	Max Houlahan	Central Northern	2016/17	No final played	
2011/12	Toby Flynn-Duncombe	Illawarra	2017/18	No final played	
2012/13	Joseph Farag	Central Coast	2018/19	Daniel Thompson	Central Coast
2013/14	Luke Hitchcock	Newcastle	2019/20	Cancelled due to bush fires	

Under 14 City v Country Challenge Winners

2008/09	Central Coast	2014/15	Georges River St George
2009/10	North Coastal	2015/16	Parramatta
2010/11	South Eastern	2016/17	North Shore
2011/12	Illawarra	2017/18	Western
2012/13	Central Coast	2018/19	Match not played
2013/14	Manly Warringah	2019/20	Match not played

Under 14 City v Country Challenge Player of the Match

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2008/09	Dean Coughlan	Central Coast	2014/15	Nivek Tanner	Georges River St George
2009/10	Owen Geard	North Coastal	2015/16	Matthew Watson	Parramatta
2010/11	Sam Furlong	South Eastern	2016/17	Nikhil Ahluwalia	North Shore
2011/12	Toby Flynn-Duncombe	Illawarra	2017/18	Cooper Brien	Western
2012/13	Nathan Doyle	Central Coast			
2013/14	Isaiah Vumbaca	Manly Warringah			

Under 13 Under 14 and Under 15 Youth Championships Winners - Male (north and south)

Year	Northern Winner	Southern Winner
	Under 15	
2019/20	Lake Mac Attack	ACT Barons
2020/21	Washed out	ACT Barons
2021/22	Newcastle Blasters	Murrumbidgee
2022/23	Lake Mac Attack	Western Plains Outlaws

Year	Northern Winner	Southern Winner
	Under 14	
2019/20	Lake Mac Attack	Illawarra Highlanders
2020/21	Washed out	Central West Wranglers
2021/22	Far North Coast	Illawarra Highlanders
2022/23	Central Coast	ACT Barons

Year	Northern Winner	Southern Winner
	Under 13	
2019/20	Lake Mac Attack	Greater Southern Marlins
2020/21	Washed out	Illawarra Highlanders
2021/22	Northern Inland Bolters	ACT Barons
2022/23	Central Coast	ACT Kings

Under 15 Youth Championships Winners - Female

Year	Team
2022/23	Newcastle Blasters

Under 13 Under 14 and Under 15 State Championships

Under 15 Winners		Under 15 Player of the Final		
Year	Team	Year	Player	Team
2022/23	Parramatta	2022/23	Blake Noorbergen	Parramatta

Under 14 Winners		Under 14 Player of the Final		
Year	Team	Year	Player	Team
2022/23	Central Coast	2022/23	Vincent Thornley	Central Coast

Under 13 Winners		Under 13 Player of the Final		
Year	Team	Year	Player	Team
2022/23	Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills	2022/23	Lachlan Bartlett	Hornsby Ku-ring-gai and Hills



Parramatta and Western Plains Outlaws – Under 15s State Championship Finalists
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McDonald's Female Country Championships Winners Open, Under 19, Under18 and Under 15

Female Country Championships (since integration with CCNSW)					
Open			Youth		
2007/08	Newcastle		2007/08	ACT	
2008/09	Newcastle (Northern Carnival) Western (Southern Carnival)		2008/09	North Coastal (Northern Carnival) South Coast (Southern Carnival)	
Under 19			Under 15		
2009/10	Western		2009/10	Central Coast	
Under 18			2010/11	Central Coast	
2010/11	North Coastal		2011/12	No Championships held	
Open			2012/13	Western	
2011/12	No Championships held		2013/14	North Coastal	
2012/13	New Coasters/Northern Stars		2014/15	North Coastal	
2013/14	North Coastal		2015/16	City	
Under 18			2016/17	North Coastal	
2014/15	North Coastal		2017/18	New Coasters	
2015/16	North Coastal		2018/19	ACT Southern Districts	
2016/17	North Coastal		2019/20	ACT Southern Districts	
2017/18	North Coastal		Under 16		
2018/19	Washed out		2020/21	Newcastle	
2019/20	North Coastal		2021/22	ACT Southern Districts	
Under 19			2022/23	Newcastle	
2020/21	ACT Southern Districts				
2021/22	ACT Southern Districts				

Under 15/16 McDonald's Female Country Championship Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team	Year	Player	Team
2009/10	Emma Thompson	Central Coast	2016/17	Anika Learoyd	North Coastal
2010/11	Nadine Knight	Central Coast	2017/18	Clare Webber	New Coasters
2011/12	No championship held		2018/19	Mikaylah John	ACT Sthn Districts
2012/13	Tilly Power	Western	2019/20	Stella Wilde	ACT Sthn Districts
2013/14	Trudi Peterson	New Coasters	2020/21	No final played	
2014/15	Carly Fuller	North Coastal	2021/22	Chloe McGann	ACT Sthn Districts
2015/16	Sarah Turner	City	2022/23	Kate McTaggart	Newcastle

Under 18/Under 19/Open McDonald's Female Country Championship Player of the Final

Year	Player (Under 19)	Team	Year	Player (Under 18/19)	Team
2009/10	Lisa Griffith	Western	2013/14	Angela Reakes	North Coastal
2010/11	Sammy Jo Johnson	North Coastal	2014/15	Katelyn Beaumont	North Coastal
2011/12	No championship held		2015/16	Naomi McDonald	North Coastal
2012/13	Kara Sutherland and	Northern Stars	2016/17	Katelyn Beaumont	North Coastal
	Maisy Gibson	Northern Stars	2017/18	Matilda Lugg	North Coastal
			2018/19	Washed out	
			2019/20	Holly Simmons	North Coastal
			2020/21	No final played	
			2021/22	Grace Lyons	ACT Sthn Districts
			2022/23	Mali Vanderstoep	ACT

Under 15/16 and Under 18/19/Open McDonald's Female Country Championship Player of the Championships

Female Country Championships Open and Youth Cricketer of the Championship			
Open		Youth	
2007/08	Corinne Hall (Newcastle)	2007/08	Emily Preston (ACT)
2008/09	Nthn Carnival – Leah Poulton (Newcastle) Sthn Carnival – Lisa Griffith (Western)	2008/09	Nthn Carnival – Jenny Taffs (North Coastal) Sthn Carnival – Keeghan Tucker (Western)
Under 19		Under 15	
2009/10	Keeghan Tucker (Western)	2009/10	Phillipa Taylor (ACT)
Under 18		2010/11	Jordan Lumby (Central Northern)
2010/11	Rebecca Cady (Western)	2011/12	No Championships held
2011/12	No Championships held	2012/13	Tilly Power (Western)
Open		2013/14	Shinae Macdonald (North Coastal)
2012/13	Lily Bardsley (Central Coast)	2014/15	Katelyn Beaumont (North Coastal)
2013/14	Ashleigh Gardiner (Hastings Cavaliers)	2015/16	Emma Hughes (Western)
Under 18		2016/17	Gabrielle Sutcliffe (Riverina)
2014/15	Maitlin Brown (North Coastal)	2017/18	Isabella Greig (Illawarra)
2015/16	Naomi McDonald (North Coastal)	2018/19	Isabella Cameron (Central Northern)
2016/17	Katelyn Beaumont (North Coastal)	2019/20	Grace Lyons (ACT Southern Districts)
2017/18	Lily Tassell (Riverina)	Under 16	
2018/19	Washed out	2020/21	Not awarded due to COVID
2019/20	Gabrielle Sutcliffe (Riverina)	2021/22	Callee Black (Western)
Under 19		2022/23	Kate McTaggart (Newcastle)
2020/21	Not awarded due to COVID		
2021/22	Piper Hooke (Central Coast)		
2022/23	Ella Tilburg (Western)		

McDonald's Under 13 Female Country Championship Winner

Year	Team
2019/20	North Shore

McDonald's Under 13 Female Country Championship Player of the Final

Year	Player	Team
2019/20	Maddie Caspars	North Shore



A close call – Riverina Bullets keeper Lisa Kuschert takes the bails off as Central Coast Rush batter Jess Holmes dives to make her ground

Country Representative Panel Umpires Records

McDonald's Country Championship Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2006/07	Bruce Whiteman (S) & Neil Findlay (I)	2015/16	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Whiteman (S)
2007/08	Ricky Field (CN) & Glen Crew (CN)	2016/17	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Greg Jones (W)
2008/09	Kim Norris (N) & Don Maisey (CC)	2017/18	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Neil Smith (R)
2009/10	Glen Crew (CN) & Ricky Field (CN)	2018/19	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Neil Smith (R)
2010/11	Ricky Field (CN) & Bruce Whiteman (S)	2019/20	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Neil Smith (R)
2011/12	Kim Norris (N) & Bruce Whiteman (S)	2020/21	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Keiran Knight (N)
2012/13	Kim Norris (N) & Ricky Field (CN)	2021/22	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Keiran Knight (N)
2013/14	Neil Findlay (I) & Greg Heys (S)	2022/23	Dave Cullen (GI) & Jeff Egan (R)
2014/15	Neil Findlay (I) & Kim Norris (N)		

McDonald's Country Colts Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2008/09	Paul Dilley (NC) & Adam Marshall (CN)	2013/14	Kim Norris (N) & Paul Dilley (NC)
2009/10	Kim Norris (N) & Paul Price (NC)	2014/15	Phil Rainger (CN) & Daniel Rosolen (NC)
2010/11	Neil Findlay (I) & Paul Dilley (NC)	2015/16	No final played
2011/12	Chris Cassin (R) & Greg Heys (I)	2016/17	No final played
2012/13	Keiran Knight (R) & Phil Rainger (CN)	2017/18	Gary Crombie (N) & David Cullen (I)

SCG Country Cup Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
Country Cup		2007/08	Geoff Mann (W) & Neil Findlay (I)
2001/02	Neil Findlay (I) & Colin Stone (N)	2008/09	Ricky Field (CN) & Bruce Whiteman (S)
2002/03	Records not available	2009/10	Neil Findlay (CN) & Adam Marshall (CN)
2003/04	Kim Norris (N) & Kevin Burke (N)	2010/11	Kim Norris (N) & David Went (NC)
2004/05	Glen Crew (CN) & Kim Norris (N)	2011/12	Ricky Field (CN) & Adam Marshall (CN)
SCG Country Cup		2012/13	Bruce Whiteman (S) & David Went (NC)
2005/06	Kim Norris (N) & Shane Reed (N)	2013/14	David Went (NC) & Bruce Whiteman (S)
2006/07	Bruce Whiteman (S) & Fred Hundy (W)	2014/15	David Went (NC) & Bruce Whiteman (S)

Plan B Regional Bash Final (Male) Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2015/16	Paul Dilley (NC) & Phil Rainger (NC)	2019/20	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Baxter (NC)
2016/17	James Figallo (CC) & Graeme Glazebrook (W)	2020/21	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Baxter (NC)
2017/18	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Baxter (NC)	2021/22	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Baxter (NC)
2018/19	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Bruce Baxter (NC)	2022/23	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Jeff Egan (R)

Plan B Regional Bash Final (Female) Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2019/20	David Cullen (GI) & Bill Massingham (SCA)	2021/22	Elizabeth O'Dwyer (SCA) & Phil Rainger (NC)
2020/21	Pat Holt (NC) & Graham Rose (NC)	2022/23	Elizabeth O'Dwyer (SCA) & Lauren McGill (CN)

McDonald's Country Plate Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2003/04	Geoff Mann (W) & Fred Hundy (W)	2011/12	Graham Moon (R) & Phil Rainger (CN)
2004/05	Michael Connolly (N) & Col Laden (NC)	2012/13	Graham Moon (R) & Michael Connolly (N)
2005/06	Michael Connolly (N) & Glen Crew (CN)	2013/14	Neil Smith (R) & Darren Sutherland (I)
2006/07	Steve Hackett (NC) & Adam Marshall (CN)	2014/15	Bruce Baxter (NC) & Graham Moon (R)
2007/08	Adam Marshall (CN) & Sam Rees (CN)	2015/16	Jeff Hackett (NC) & Graham Moon (R)
2008/09	Bill Massingham (S) & Graham Moon (R)	2016/17	Graham Moon (R) & Graham Rose (NC)
2009/10	Tony Hackett (R) & Graham Moon (R)	2022/23	Patrick Jackson (SCA) & Cameron McGinn (SCA)
2010/11	Stephen Poidevin (R) & Phil Rainger (CN)		

McDonald's Country Cup/Shield Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2012/13	Neil Findlay (I) & Keiran Knight (R)	2015/16	Bruce Baxter (NC) & Graham Moon (R)
2013/14	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Keiran Knight (R)	2016-17	Bruce Baxter (NC) & Darren Goodger (SCA)
2014/15	Jeff Hackett (NC) & Neil Smith (R)		

Bradman Cup Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2003/04	Neil Findlay (I) & Bruce Whiteman (S)	2012/13	Neil Findlay (I) & David Cullen (I)
2004/05	Michael Connolly (N) & Martin Jones (N)	2013/14	Ross McKim (N) & Phil Rainger (CN)
2005/06	Kim Norris (N) & Shane Reed (N)	2014/15	Graeme Glazebrook (W) & Stephen Poidevin (R)
2006/07	Ricky Field (CN) & Glen Crew (CN)	2015/16	Ross McKim (N) & Kim Norris (N)
2007/08	Steve Hackett (NC) & Paul Dilley (NC)	2016/17	No final played
2008/09	Steve Hackett (NC) & Paul Dilley (NC)	2017/18	Gary Crombie (N) & Ken Brooks (R)
2009/10	Denis Veronese (I) & Lachlan Walker (S)	2018/19	No final played
2010/11	Neil Findlay (I) & Lachlan Walker (S)	2019/20	Cancelled due to bushfires
2011/12	Neil Findlay (I) & Stephen Poidevin (R)		

Under 16 State Country v City Challenge Match Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2010/11	Mark Simula (I) & Gary Crombie (SCA)	2017/18	Stephen Poidevin (R) & Kedar Oza (SCA)
2011/12	Stephen Poidevin (R) & Muhummad Qureshi (SCA)	2018/19	Rodney Porter (CN) & Sharad Patel (SCA)
2012/13	Phil Rainger (CN) & Mark Hughes (SCA)	2019/20	Not played
2013/14	Greg Heys (S) & Troy Penman (SCA)	2020/21	John Pearce (NC) & Darren Goodger (SCA)
2014/15	Ross McKim (N) & Bob McGregor (SCA)	2021/22	Match not played
2015/16	David Cullen (I) & Mark Hughes (SCA)	2022/23	Rod Porter (SCA) & Peter Tate (SCA)
2016/17	James Figallo (CC) & Sathish Kumar (SCA)		

Kookaburra Cup Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2010/11	Mark Simula (I) & Denis Veronese (I)	2016/17	No final played
2011/12	Kevin Fraser (NC) & David Went (NC)	2017/18	No final played
2012/13	Paul Dilley (NC) & Ross McKim (N)	2018/19	No final played
2013/14	Tony Hackett (R) & Stephen Poidevin (R)	2019/20	Cancelled due to bushfires
2014/15	Tony Hackett (R) & Ross McKim (N)	2020/21	Competition not held
2015/16	Vince Calabro (R) & Stephen Poidevin (R)		

Under 14 Country v City Challenge Match Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2010/11	Denis Veronese (I) & Steve Black (DCA)	2016/17	John Walker (I) & Bill Howard (DCA)
2011/12	Chris Cassin (R) & Bill Howard (DCA)	2017/18	Roger Burns (R) & Mark Kraljevic (DCA)
2012/13	Denis Veronese (I) & Bruce Wood (DCA)	2018/19	Match not played
2013/14	Paul Dilley (NC) & Peter Moore (DCA)	2019/20	Match not played
2014/15	David Cullen (I) & Bruce Wood (DCA)	2020/21	Match not played
2015/16	John Oliver (S) & Peter Moore (DCA)		

Under 18/19 Female Country Championships Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2009/10	William Hall (N) & Tony Mulroy (N)	2018/19	Washed out
2010/11	Not known	2019/20	David Cullen (GI) & Sue Gregory (SCA)
2012/13	Not known	2020/21	Northern Pool – no final played
2013/14	Tom Angus (NC) & James Seville (NC)	2020/21	Southern Pool
2014/15	Sam Rees (CN) & Rob Pye (NC)		Peter Thomson (ACT) & Rama Venkitachalam (ACT)
2015/16	Gary Crombie (CN) & Rick Carr (CN)	2021/22	Sue Gregory (SCA) & Leon Erich (CN)
2016/17	Gary Crombie (CN) & James Figallo (CC)	2022/23	Rodney Porter (SCA) & Graham Rose (NC)
2017/18	Denis Chaplin (R) & Gary Crombie (CN)		

Under 15/16 Female Country Championships Final Umpires

Year	Umpires	Year	Umpires
2009/10	Steve Cooper (N) & Col Coster (N)	2018/19	Graham Moon (R) & Michelle Evans (SCA)
2010/11	Not known	2019/20	David Cullen (GI) & Tony Hackett (R)
2012/13	Not known	2020/21	Northern pool – no final played
2013/14	Bill Ashe (NC) & Paul Nicholas (NC)	2020/21	Southern pool
2014/15	Craig Lobegeier (CN) & John Minihan (NC)		Peter Thomson (ACT) & Rama Venkitachalam (ACT)
2015/16	Peter Atewell (CN) & Steve Eccles (CN)	2021/22	Sue Gregory (SCA) & Alicia Humphrey (SCA)
2016/17	Leon Erich (CN) & Jeff Hackett (NC)	2022/23	Graham Moon (R) & Graham Rose (NC)
2017/18	Gary Crombie (CN) & Chris King (W)		

Under 13 Female Country Championships Final Umpires

Year	Umpires
2019/20	Ian James (NC) & Peter Tate (SCA)

New South Wales Country Representative Umpires who have umpired first class cricket

Bill Cameron (Western)	Darren Goodger (North Coastal)
Shane Reed (Newcastle)	Paul Wilson (Newcastle)
Anthony Wilds (Western)	

Most Number of Finals Umpired (Minimum 4)

Number	Name	Number	Name	Number	Name
16	Graeme Glazebrook (W)	8	Phil Rainger (NC)	5	Ross McKim (N)
12	Neil Findlay (GI & I)	8	David Cullen (GI)	5	Neil Smith (R)
12	Kim Norris (N)	7	Gary Crombie (CN & N)	5	David Went (NC)
10	Bruce Whiteman (S)	7	Ricky Field (CN)	5	Kieran Knight (R & N)
10	Graham Moon (R)	7	Stephen Poidevin (R)	4	Michael Connolly (N)
8	Paul Dilley (NC)	5	Glen Crew (CN)	4	Tony Hackett (R)
8	Bruce Baxter (NC)	5	Adam Marshall (CN)	4	Denis Veronese (I)

Country Representative Panel Umpire Cap Numbers

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
1	1991/92	Kevin Burke	Newcastle
2	1991/92	Bill Cameron	Western
3	1991/92	Harry Honeysett	Southern
4	1992/93	Kim Norris	Newcastle
5	1992/93	Kevin Pye	Western
6	1992/93	Eric Rowsell	North Coastal
7	1993/94	Phil Gordon	Newcastle
8	1993/94	Andrew McAusland	ACT
9	1994/95	Neville Bradbury	Western
10	1994/95	Martin Jones	Newcastle
11	1994/95	Chris King	Western
12	1994/95	Rod Ninness	Central Nthn
13	1994/95	Shane Reed	Newcastle
14	1995/96	Terry Keel	ACT
15	1996/97	Graham Teasdale	Central Nthn
16	1997/98	Geoff Mann	Western
17	1998/99	Jeff Gittings	Illawarra
18	1998/99	Darren Goodger	North Coastal
19	1998/99	Bruce Whiteman	Southern
20	2000/01	Neil Findlay	Illawarra
21	2000/01	Colin Stone	Newcastle
22	2002/03	Michael Connolly	Newcastle
23	2002/03	Glen Crew	Central Nthn
24	2002/03	Don Maisey	Central Coast
25	2002/03	Sam Rees	Central Nthn
26	2002/03	David Went	North Coastal
27	2003/04	Col Laden	North Coastal
28	2004/05	Fred Hundy	Western
29	2005/06	Ricky Field	Central Nthn

Cap	Year	Name	Zone
30	2006/07	Paul Dilley	North Coastal
31	2007/08	Steve Hackett	North Coastal
32	2007/08	Adam Marshall	Central Nthn
33	2007/08	Lachlan Walker	Southern
34	2008/09	Anthony Wilds	Western
35	2009/10	Tony Hackett	Riverina
36	2009/10	Bill Massingham	Illawarra
37	2009/10	Paul Price	North Coastal
38	2010/11	Chris Cassin	Riverina
39	2010/11	Greg Jones	Western
40	2011/12	Greg Heys	Southern
41	2012/13	Kevin Fraser	North Coastal
42	2013/14	Phil Rainger	North Coastal
43	2014/15	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
44	2016/17	David Cullen	Illawarra
45	2016/17	Ross McKim	Newcastle
46	2017/18	Bruce Baxter	North Coastal
47	2017/18	Gary Crombie	Newcastle
48	2017/18	James Figallo	Central Coast
49	2017/18	John Pearce	North Coastal
50	2017/18	Neil Smith	Riverina
51	2018/19	Ken Brooks	Riverina
52	2018/19	Anthony Hobson	Newcastle
53	2019/20	John De Lyall	Western
54	2020/21	Brenton Harrison	Riverina
55	2020/21	Keiran Knight	Newcastle
56	2022/23	Jeff Egan	Riverina

New South Wales Country Umpire of the Year

Year	Umpire	Zone	Year	Umpire	Zone
1992/93	Bill Cameron	Western	2008/09	Kim Norris	Newcastle
1993/94	Kevin Pye	Western	2009/10	Bruce Whiteman	Southern
1994/95	Kevin Burke	Newcastle	2010/11	Ricky Field	Central Northern
1995/96	Phil Gordon	Newcastle	2011/12	Ricky Field	Central Northern
1996/97	Martin Jones	Newcastle	2012/13	Bruce Whiteman	Southern
1997/98	Graham Teasdale	Central Northern	2013/14	David Went	North Coastal
1998/99	Shane Reed	Newcastle	2014/15	David Went	North Coastal
1999/00	Shane Reed	Newcastle	2015/16	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2000/01	Darren Goodger	North Coastal	2016/17	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2001/02	Bruce Whiteman	Southern	2017/18	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2002/03	Sam Rees	Central Northern	2018/19	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2003/04	Glen Crew	Central Northern	2019/20	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2004/05	Neil Findlay & Kim Norris	Illawarra Newcastle	2020/21	Graeme Glazebrook	Western
2005/06	Bruce Whiteman	Southern	2021/22	Keiran Knight	Newcastle
2006/07	Ricky Field	Central Northern	2022/23	Dave Cullen	Greater Illawarra
2007/08	Adam Marshall	Central Northern			

New South Wales Country Male Cricketer of the Year

Year	Player	Year	Player
1984/85	James Pyke (ACTCA)	2004/05	Ben Woolmer (Newcastle)
1985/86	James Hogg (Newcastle)	2005/06	Ben Woolmer (Newcastle)
1986/87	Greg Irvine (ACTCA)	2006/07	Adrian Ezquerro (Illawarra)
1987/88	Mark Kelaher (Bega)	2007/08	Jeff Cook (Central Northern)
1988/89	Mark Curry (Newcastle)	2008/09	Josh Hazlewood (Central Northern)
1989/90	Mark Curry (Newcastle)	2009/10	Graeme Batty (Illawarra)
1990/91	Stuart Bridges (Newcastle)	2010/11	Simon Moore (Newcastle)
1991/92	Peter Solway (ACTCA)	2011/12	Tom Groth (Central Northern)
1992/93	Anthony Stuart (Newcastle)	2012/13	Josh Bennett (Newcastle)
1993/94	Phillip Stanbridge (Newcastle)	2013/14	Tom Groth (Central Northern)
1994/95	Gary O'Sullivan (Kempsey)	2014/15	Tim Cox (Western)
1995/96	Gary O'Sullivan (Kempsey)	2015/16	Jason Sangha (Newcastle)
1996/97	Rhys Soper (Newcastle)	2016/17	Jordan Moran (Western)
1997/98	Mark McInnes (Central Coast)	2017/18	Joseph Price (Newcastle)
1998/00	David Wrixon (Newcastle)	2018/19	Caleb Ziebell (North Coastal)
1999/00	Adam Shields (Casino)	2019/20	Kerrod White (Greater Illawarra)
2000/01	Randall Starr (Warilla)	2020/21	Nick Foster (Newcastle)
2001/02	Daniel Hughes (Dubbo)	2021/22	Aidan Cahill (Newcastle)
2002/03	Michael Gerits (Dubbo)	2022/23	Matt Everett (Western)
2003/04	Duncan McIlveen (Newcastle)		

New South Wales Country Female Cricketer of the Year

Year	Player	Year	Player
2008/09	Erin Osborne (Central Northern)	2016/17	Lisa Griffith (Western)
2009/10	Angela Reakes (North Coastal)	2017/18	Rachel Trenaman (Riverina)
2010/11	Kara Sutherland (North Coastal)	2018/19	Tahlia Wilson (Greater Illawarra)
2011/12	Keeghan Tucker (Western)	2019/20	Phoebe Litchfield (Western)
2012/13	Lily Bardsley (Central Coast)	2020/21	Anika Learoyd (North Coastal)
2013/14	Carly Leeson (North Coastal)	2021/22	Ebony Hoskin (Riverina)
2014/15	Carly Leeson (North Coastal)	2022/23	Jodie Hicks (Riverina)
2015/16	Lauren Cheatle (Southern ACT)		

New South Wales Player of the Australian Country Cricket Championships (Male)

Year	Player	Year	Player
1986/87	Neil Budden (Newcastle)	2004/05	Ben Woolmer (Newcastle)
1987/88	Mark Kelaher (Bega)	2005/06	Simon Moore (Newcastle)
1988/89	Tony Fort (Newcastle)	2006/07	Michael Hogan (Newcastle)
1989/90	Mark Curry (Newcastle)	2007/08	Ben Nott (Bourke)
1990/91	Peter Gerhard (Temora)	2008/09	Bill Newell (Wauchope)
1991/92	Mark Curry (Newcastle)	2009/10	Graeme Batty (Illawarra)
1992/93	Anthony Stuart (Newcastle)	2010/11	Simon Moore (Newcastle)
1993/94	Phillip Stanbridge (Newcastle)	2011/12	Graeme Batty (Illawarra)
1994/95	Gary O'Sullivan (Kempsey)	2012/13	Josh Bennett (Newcastle)
1995/96	Gary O'Sullivan (Kempsey)	2013/14	Blair Lindsay (Central Coast)
1996/97	Mark Curry (Tenterfield)	2014/15	Tim Cox (Western)
1997/98	Mark Johnson (Illawarra)	2015/16	Scott Burkinshaw (Central Coast)
1998/99	David Wrixon (Newcastle)	2016/17	Pat Darwen (Newcastle)
1999/00	Adam Shields (Casino)	2017/18	Joseph Price (Newcastle)
2000/01	Randall Starr (Warilla)	2018/19	Ben Patterson (Western)
2001/02	Daniel Hughes (Dubbo)	2019/20	Scott Burkinshaw (Central Coast)
2002/03	Michael Gerits (Newcastle)	2020/21	Not held
2003/04	Duncan McIlveen (Newcastle)	2021/22	Not held

New South Wales Player of the Australian Country Cricket Championships (Female)

Year	Player	Year	Player
2017/18	Naomi McDonald (North Coastal)	2020/21	Not held - Covid
2018/19	Naomi McDonald (North Coastal)	2021/22	Not held – Albury Invitational
2019/20	Naomi McDonald (North Coastal)	2022/23	Jodie Hicks (Riverina)

Kookaburra Youth Player of the Year

Eric Brown (Platypus) Under 21 Player of the Year			
Year	Player	Year	Player
1993/94	Stuart Karppinen (ACTCA)	Kookaburra Under 21 Player of the Year	
1994/95	Jamie Heath (Newcastle)	2008/09	Kaine Harmsworth (Central Coast)
1995/96	Don Nash (Dubbo)	2009/10	Kaine Harmsworth (Central Coast)
1996/97	Nathan Holloway (Newcastle)	2010/11	Matthew Junk (Southern)
1997/98	Craig Jones (Illawarra)	2011/12	Declan Hoare (Western)
1998/99	Michael Eccleston (Maitland)	2012/13	Sam Reading (North Coastal)
1999/00	Adam Shields (Casino)	2013/14	Scott Burkinshaw (Central Coast)
2000/01	Mark Cameron (Newcastle)	2014/15	Lewin Maladay (North Coastal) & James Psarakis (Central Northern)
2001/02	Nick Berry (Cowra)	2015/16	Jason Sangha (Newcastle)
2002/03	Graeme Batty (Illawarra)	Kookaburra Youth Player of the Year	
2003/04	Gary Geise (Newcastle)	2016/17	Blake Macdonald (ACT Southern)
2004/05	James Boettiger (Central Coast)	2017/18	Will Fort (Central Northern)
2005/06	Sam Gilmour (Newcastle)	2018/19	Toby Gray (Newcastle)
2006/07	Burt Cockley (Newcastle)	2019/20	Caelan Maladay (North Coastal)
2007/08	Nathan Price (Newcastle)	2020/21	Gabrielle Sutcliffe (Riverina)
		2021/22	Claire McGuirk (Central Northern)

Kookaburra Youth Player of the Year -Male

2022/23 Angus Campbell (Greater Illawarra)

Kookaburra Youth Player of the Year - Female

2022/23 Kate McTaggart (Newcastle)

New South Wales Country Coach of the Year (John McMahon OAM Award)

Year	Coach	Zone	Year	Coach	Zone
2006/07	Glenn Rowlands	Central Coast	2015/16	Rod Bryant	Central Northern
2007/08	Merv Bourke	North Coastal	2016/17	Matt Crawley	Western
2008/09	Greg Geise	Newcastle	2017/18	Glenn Rowlands	Central Coast
2009/10	Paul Everingham	North Coastal	2018/19	Glenn Rowlands	Central Coast
2010/11	Rod Bryant	Central Northern	2019/20	Shane Burley	Newcastle
2011/12	Mark Waldock	Illawarra	2020/21	Tommy Anderson	Newcastle
2012/13	Glenn Rowlands	Central Coast	2021/22	Randall Starr	ACT Southern Districts
2013/14	Troy McKiernan	North Coastal	2022/23	Garth Dean	Western
2014/15	Scott Moran	Southern			

New South Wales Country Curator of the Year

Year	Groundsman	Ground	Year	Groundsman	Ground
2005/06	Mark Danckert	Erina Oval Erina	2014/15	Steve Stapleton	Robertson Oval Wagga Wagga
2006/07	Matt Faint	Geoff Shaw Oval Oak Flats	2015/16	Russell Fensom	Coffs Coast Leisure Park
2007/08	Barry Greatz	Mark Taylor Oval Leeton	2016/17	Lionel Billett	Nth Dalton Park Wollongong
2008/09	Peter Terry	No 1 Sportsground Newcastle	2017/18	Joshua Woodcock	Bradman Oval Bowral
2009/10	Craig Goldsmith	Oakes Oval Lismore	2018/19	Eric Higgins	Varley Oval Inverell
2010/11	Bruce Cousins	Wade Park Orange	2019/20	Bob Smith	Seiffert Oval Goulburn
2011/12	Owen Rice	Nth Dalton Park Wollongong	2020/21	Kris Milosta	Alexandra Park Albury
2012/13	Gerard Kerin	Victoria Park Yass	2021/22	Kris Milosta	Alexandra Park Albury
2013/14	Arthur Smart	Richardson Park Sawtell	2022/23	Paul Deaves & John Rainger	Tuggerah Sporting Complex

New South Wales Country Media Award

Year	Journalist	Media	Year	Journalist	Media
2005/06	Steve Spinks	Northern Star Lismore	2013/14	Geoff Newling	Nthn Daily Leader Tamworth
2006/07	Geoff Newling	Nthn Daily Leader Tamworth	2014/15	Josh Leeson	Newcastle Herald
2007/08	Barry Hildebrandt	Daily Liberal Dubbo	2015/16	Tim Robinson	WIN TV Illawarra
2008/09	Paull Miller	Cootamundra Herald	2016/17	Simon Corr	1494 Radio 2AY
2009/10	John Swords	The Sunday Telegraph	2017/18	Josh Callinan	Newcastle Herald
2010/11	Mike Driscoll	Illawarra Mercury	2018/19	Courtney Ward & Damien McGill	South Coast Register
2011/12	Rob Crawford	South Coast Advertiser	2019/20	Nick Guthrie	The Daily Liberal Dubbo
2012/13	Andrew Moir	WIN TV Albury Wodonga	2020/21	Steve Murphy	All In Sports Albury

Contribution to Country Cricket Award

2021/22	Guy Marks	King Park Complex Raymond Terrace	2022/23	Wes Giddings	Dubbo Regional Council
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Cricket NSW Lifetime Coaching Awards

2013/14	Warren Smith OAM (Riverina)	2015/16	John Kilborn (Central Northern)
2014/15	John McMahon OAM (North Coastal)	2015/16	Carolyn Sheehan (Western)
2014/15	Stan Gilchrist OAM (North Coastal)	2015/16	Carl Sharpe OAM (Western)
2015/16	Max Shepherd (Western/Riverina)		

New South Wales Country Representatives (male) who have played State Cricket

Country born players who have played Sheffield Shield cricket since the inception of the NSW Country Cricket Association in 1986-87

Year	Player	Year	Player	Year	Player
1986	Trevor Bayliss (Goulburn)	1999	Trent Johnston (Dapto)	2012	Christopher Tremain (Yeoval)
1989	Geoffrey Milliken (Hay)	1999	Bradley Haddin (Cowra)	2012	Adam Zampa (Shellharbour)
1990	Michael Bevan (ACT)	1999	Greg Hayne (Moree)	2012	David Dawson (ACT)
1991	Gregory McLay (Wagga Wagga)	1999	Don Nash (Dubbo)	2013	Daniel Hughes (Cowra)
1992	Martin Hayward (Tamworth)	1999	Jamie Heath (Belmont)	2013	Nathan Lyon (Young)
1992	Michael Slater (Wagga Wagga)	2001	Nathan Pilon (Dubbo)	2013	Ryan Carters (ACT)
1993	Adam Gilchrist (Bellingen)	2001	Aaron O'Brien (Central Coast)	2014	Nicholas Larkin (Taree)
1993	Glenn McGrath (Narromine)	2001	Philip Jaques (Wollongong)	2015	Jay Lenton (Toukley)
1993	Shane Lee (Oak Flats)	2003	Mark Cameron (Newcastle)	2017	Jason Sangha (Newcastle)
1995	Mark Patterson (Dubbo)	2003	Dominic Thornely (Albury)	2018	Greg West (Newcastle)
1995	Jason Young (Wagga Wagga)	2005	Aaron Bird (Taree)	2019	Matthew Gilkes (Ulladulla)
1995	Anthony Stuart (Newcastle)	2006	Dan Christian (Narrandera)	2019	Henry Hunt (Grenfell)
1996	Steven Nikitaras (Port Kembla)	2007	Phillip Hughes (Macksville)	2021	Todd Murphy (Riverina)
1997	Brett Lee (Oak Flats)	2008	Burt Cockley (Newcastle)	2022	Nathan McAndrew (Albion Park)
1998	Kevin Geyer (Bathurst)	2008	Josh Hazlewood (Tamworth)	2022	Hayden Kerr (Bowral)
1998	Matthew Phelps (Lismore)	2010	Trent Copeland (Bathurst)	2022	Blake Nikitaris (Oak Flats)
1998	Mark Higgs (ACT)	2010	Nicolas Maddinson (Shoalhaven)	2022	Riley Ayre (Denman)
1998	Andrew Sainsbury (Gosford)	2011	Scott Henry (Mudgee)	2022	Toby Gray (Newcastle)
1998	Shawn Bradstreet (Wollongong)	2011	Timothy Armstrong (Dubbo)	2023	Blake McDonald (ACT)
1999	Mark Higgs (Queanbeyan)	2011	Joe Mennie (Coffs Harbour)		

New South Wales Country Representatives (female) who have played State Cricket

Country born players who have played WNCL cricket since the inception of the NSW Country Cricket Association in 1986-87

Year	Player	Year	Player	Year	Player
1984	Sally Griffiths (Newcastle)	2002	Kate Blackwell Yenda)	2016	Maitlan Brown (Wingham)
1990	Belinda Clark (Newcastle)	2002	Leah Poulton (Newcastle)	2018	Tahlia Wilson (Albion Park)
1992	Lisa Keightley (Mudgee)	2008	Erin Osborne (Tamworth)	2019	Phoebe Litchfield (Orange)
1993	Jo Garey (Orange)	2009	Erin Burns (Wollongong)	2021	Jade Allen (Cobargo)
1996	Leonie Coleman (Tamworth)	2011	Sammy-Jo Johnson (Lismore)	2021	Anika Learoyd (Coffs Harbour)
2000	Shannon Cunneen (Orange)	2014	Lauren Smith (Central Coast)	2022	Ebony Hoskin (Howlong)
2001	Alex Blackwell (Yenda)	2015	Lauren Cheatle (Bowral)	2022	Jessica Davidson (Tamworth)
2001	Sarah Andrews (Moruya)				

BBM Scholarship Winners

Year	Players	Year	Players
1988	Greg McLay (Country)	2002	Aaron Alley (Country) Vaughan Williams (City)
1989	Adam Gilchrist (Country)	2003	Andrew Staunton (City)
1990	Michael Walker (Country)	2004	Tim Kensell (Country) Brendan McDonald (City)
1991	Matthew Phelps (Country) Rodney Davison (City)	2005	Burt Cockley (Country) Sam Hinton (City)
1992	Heath Muller (Country) Martin Haywood (City)	2006	Sam Gilmour (Country) Gian Scuglia (City)
1993	Trent Johnston (Country) Warwick Adlam (City)	2007	Sam Irvine (Country) Stephen O'Keefe (City)
1994	Glen Smede (Country) Dale Turner (City)	2008	Joe Mennie (Country) Reece Bombas (City)
1995	Nathan Pilon (Country) Michael Gerits (City)	2009	Scott Sharma (Country) Justin Waller (City)
1996	Rhys Soper (Country) Shawn Bradstreet (City)	2010	Michael Coulter (Country) Jake Turner (City)
1997	Darren Wotherspoon (Country) Adam Elbourne (City)	2011	Matthew Junk (Country) James Kennedy (City)
1998	Randall Starr (Country) Greg Mail (City)	2012	Declan Hoare (Country) Jay Lenton (City)
1999	Craig Jones (Country) Phil Jaques (City)	2013	Sam Reading (Country) Aaron Flaherty (City)
2000	Brad Cox (Country) Clinton Witt (City)	2014	Ryan Brown (Country) Dale McKay (City)
2001	Ian Gregory (Country) Adrian Ezquerro (City)	2015	Alex Crowther (Country) Patrick Pisel (City)



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