

Castle Hill Softball Club Inc.

Squeeze Play

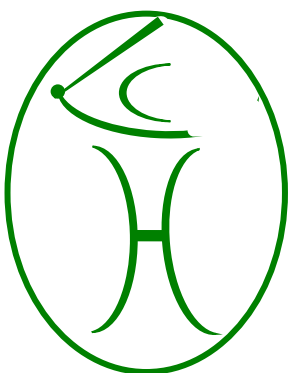


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If you are rostered on for an umpiring duty, please make sure you wear closed-in shoes and sign-on at the table outside the canteen at least 15 minutes prior to the game. Sign-on inside the canteen for canteen duties.

Failure to complete a duty may result in the club being fined.



It's Finals time!

Well, after the consistent rain we have had for the second half of the 2016/17 season, and especially after all of the rain we had for the Semi Finals, it was surprising to see the sun out last week (and for it to actually be HOT) for the Finals!

Because of this lovely weather, we were able to have all of the Finals games played at Stanhope Gardens, and it was great to see all of the clubs getting into the Finals spirit - especially our Castle Hill supporters!

Of our two finals teams, congratulations to Mixed Division 2 who have progressed through to the Grand Final! Commiserations to our Ladies A Reserve team who fought valiantly against Greystanes in the heat of Diamond 1, only to go down 8-1 after six innings of play. We hope this team had a wonderful season, and we look forward to having them back next year!

However, although the weather was great for us last week, it is not looking promising this weekend. Please keep an eye out for information regarding location changes and possible Grand Final postponement via email and on our Facebook page. If necessary, the CNSA will move all Grand Finals to International Peace Park (IPP) on the alternate Grand Final weekend - 25 March 2017.

We have also created a public Facebook event for the Mixed Division 2 Grand Final. For any changes and/or information about this game, please see this as well.

With the end of the season just around the corner, please also look out for information regarding our Presentation Day and AGM for 2016/17. Emails have also been sent out regarding nominations and voting for club awards. Please note, all nominations and voting must be submitted by 31 March 2017.

This Week: 17-18 March 2017

Team	Game	Diamond	Duties	Plate
Men's Division 2	-	-		
Junior Boys Combo	-	-		
Ladies B Grade	-	-		
Ladies A Reserve	-	-		
Mixed Division 3	-	-		
Mixed Division 2	SG Saturday 3:30pm vs. St Michael's	1	Canteen SG @ 5:30pm-6:30pm	-

Please Note: You must be 13 years or older to do an Umpiring or Canteen duty.

Match Reports

SATURDAY GAMES

Ladies A Reserve vs. Greystanes

Loss 8-1

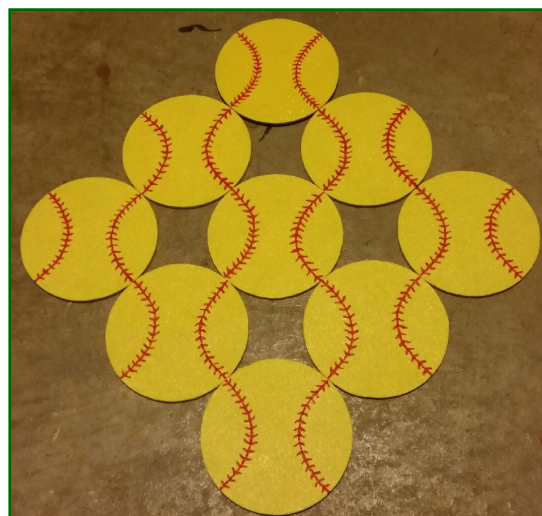
MVP: Michelle Sutton

The ladies played really well in the heat today, unfortunately going down to a very tough opposition team. Although our fielding was fantastic, a few of their hitters were just able to pick the gaps to score a few runs each inning.

Adding to that, we just couldn't manage to get enough people on base to score runs ourselves. The Greystanes pitcher was very good, and our batting struggled as a result. However, special mention definitely goes to those who managed safe hits on the day: Ange (double to left field); Laura (single to right field); Deon (single to short stop, with an unfortunate out call as she came across home plate, and a single to third base); Carolyn (single through the pitcher); Sutto (single to third base); Coomzy (single to second base); and Jenny (single to second base). Although there were a number of safe hits across the innings, we were only able to convert one to the score board - congratulations Laura!

Thank you ladies for a really wonderful season - we'll just have to get them next year!

(P.S. Thank you to Coomzy for making the ladies softball-themed coasters!!)



Mixed Division 2 vs. Waratahs

Loss 9-1

Update 15/03/2017: Win by forfeit

MVP: James Collis

What started out as a walloping, ended with us making the Grand Final!!

Unfortunately for Waratahs, who played a great game on the day, they had too many men in their batting line-up (8 in total), forcing them to have to forfeit the game. Which resulted in great news for us, as we were awarded a position in the Grand Final next weekend against St. Michael's! Fingers crossed we get the same sort of weather for that game as well! See you all next week!!



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