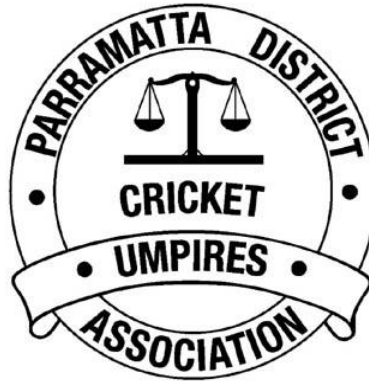


**PARRAMATTA DISTRICT CRICKET UMPIRES
ASSOCIATION INC.**



ANNUAL REPORT

2025/26

OFFICERS

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Mr. Robert Dryburgh

VICE PRESIDENT

Mr. Gerry Serrao

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Mr. John Kennedy

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Mr. Sivakumar Swaminathan

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Mr. Madan Alagarraja

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Mr M Alagarraja*

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Mr. John Kennedy

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*Mr. Eric Myatt OAM.
Mr Ray Horder*

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John Kennedy, Shripat Surana, Prashan Jayasundera Mudalige, Saravanaguru Kumaraguru, Krishnasamy Muraleedaran, Bharadwaj Chellappa, Darren Latimore, Santhosh Kumar Sathaiah, Akhilesh Das, Sandeep Madi, Manimaran Balakrishnan, Shriram Gopalakrishnan, Cameron Laurie, Jayaratnam Jayapragash, Gerry Serrao, Rubesh Balendra, Kunaratnam Balendra, Vikram Reddy Mokalla, Wijayapaskaran Jayashri, Michael Kammerer, Hariharan Balasubramaniam, Surjeet Singh, Sivananthan Pathmanathan, Peter Wilson-Mosey, Venumadhav Gajawada, Michael Vella, Pakajan Narendiran, Jagatheeswaran Gnanasegara-Sarma, Derek Furtado, Balaji Irusappan, Vetrivendan Subramani, Khadar Hussain Yusuff, Shankar Ram Seetharaman, Michael Johns, Sureshkumar Udhayakumar, Janarthan Chandrasekaran, Janarthan Chandrasekaran, Manoj Verma, Dulanjana Amarasingha Arachchige, Krishna Pillalamarri, Gurnandan Ambardar, Derek Everton, Santosh Kumar Gangula, Janarthan Chandrasekaran, Andrew Searle, Manu Narayanan K, Richard Clarke, Antony Walter Charles, Neeraj Shah, Setu Raj, Prassanna Srinivasan, Kahandawala Gunawardhana, David Henry, Sathish kandhaswami, Giri Shan, Siva Thuraiswamy, Ranganatha Rangappa, Michael Mahinthan, Frank Pitt, Madan Alagarraja, Sriramadesikan Gopalsami, Venkata Reddy Puli, Meenakshi Sundari Ganapathiraman, Maheshwar Balachandar, Krishnakumar Kamatchi Sundaram, Nitin Gaherwar, Karthik Pande, Daksh Trivedi, Suraj Ranganathan, Manjula Manthilake, Albert Stephen Amaladoss, Sriram Kolla, Vadivel Jaganathan, Peter McLoughlin, Sateesh Sedhuraj, Gobinathan Subramaniam, Sujeewa Kodituwakku, Senthilrajan Sundaram, Ganesh Ramanathan, Krishna kiran Srestaluri, Tanb Gupta, VIBHASH AWASTHI, Venkat Kedharanathan, Hemanth Solraju Duraisamy, Lou Costaganna, Jordan Gupta, Romesh Liyanage, Balaji Sundar, Dr Anshul Srivastava, Harith Gimhana, Chockalinga Ayyappan Pandiaraj

HONORARY MEMBERS

*R Horder
Mr. Eric Myatt OAM*

LIFE MEMBERS

E. L. Myatt Snr. (Deceased), W. Prince. (Deceased), R. Martin. (Deceased)

A. Martin. (Deceased), R. Parr. (Deceased), T. Corbett. (Deceased), B. Collison. (Deceased), R. Roberts (Deceased), R. Piper (Deceased), K. Innes (Deceased). D. D'Arney (Deceased). G. Lambert (Deceased), T Heath (Deceased)
L. Borg
K Bakon
R Dryburgh
D Vella
B Wheatley

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Our AGM was held in July '24 with the following members elected to the positions shown.

President	:	Rob Dryburgh
Vice President	:	Gerry Serrao
Secretary	:	John Kennedy
Treasurer	:	Madan Alagarraja

PDCUA had another successful season with an increase in umpire numbers on a year on year perspective. General feedback on the standard of umpiring from clubs/teams has been encouraging. PDCUA regularly appointed 15-18 umpires for junior matches and approx. 20-25 umpires for senior matches. We also appointed umpires on a regular basis for the Senior Thunder Women's matches.

Our monthly meetings were generally well attended throughout the season although from next season there will be an aim to increase member's attendance at these meetings. A big thank you to the training committee who always present an interesting facet of umpiring which often leads to some robust discussion with those present. Personally I have found these presentations to be extremely informative.

The end of season dinner and awards night was held in late March at Billus Indian Restaurant, Harris Park although well attended numbers were down from last year's function. Billus put on a great night with a private room which was catered for superbly.

Congratulations to the following recipients for the various awards.

The Doug D'Arney Medal for Rookie Umpire of the Year;	Krishnakumar Sundaram
The Barry Collison Medal for Representative Umpire of the Year;	Setu Raj
The Terry Heath Medal and Trophy for Umpire of the Year;	Michael Vella

The next umpire training is scheduled for the weekend of 08 – 09 August '26. Again, the venue will be the function room at the Ted Burge complex, South Wentworthville. The training will be conducted by NSWCU&S in conjunction with PDCUA. Anyone interested is welcome to attend but numbers may be limited. Best to contact the Secretary, John Kennedy umpires.pdcua@gmail.com

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the PDCUA executive; John Kennedy, Ken Bakon, Madan Alagarraja and the appointments team as well the executive committee of PDCA for their organisation and support throughout the season in helping to make our association the strong entity it is today.

Robert Dryburgh
PRESIDENT PDCUA
PDCUA President

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The 2025-26 season completed successfully, and the association was able to provide umpires to a few of the games in every round.

The PDCUA board was able to fulfill all the duties to their best ability and to the satisfaction of all the members. Sriram Gopalakrishnan administered the post of manager appointments, and he has done an extremely great job. Treasurer Madan Alagarraja did a fantastic job of compiling the payment details and disbursing the funds to all the umpires. I am extremely grateful to Manager of appointments and Treasurers for their efforts.

PDCUA had a total of 92 financial members and 5 life members i.e. a total of 97 members out of which 10 of them are new members. PDCUA was able to provide umpires for PDCA and Martin shield representative cricket.

As always, our monthly meetings were well attended. The training committee has done a marvellous job of presenting local playing conditions in every monthly meeting.

This year's annual dinner was organised in Billus Restaurant Harris Park, a total of 30 members and guests attended. I take this opportunity to congratulate all the award winners of 2025-26 season.

PDCUA has been providing umpires to PDCA 2025-26 season's few of the games. I am proud to state that this year PDCUA provided umpires for most of the games of Semifinals and all the games of Grand finals.

PDCA executives Frank Pitt, Peter McLoughlin and other PDCA board members have been very supportive of our effort. Thanks to Frank Pitt for successfully delivering 2025-26 season.

PDCUA thanks Ted Burge management especially Wenty Waratahs President Raymond Horder for allowing us to use the premises for our monthly meetings.

Finally, I thank President Robert Dryburgh, Treasurer Madan, Vice President Gerry Serrao, the selection Committee ably led by Rob, and the Management Committee for their solid support and assistance throughout the year. Thanks to the examination and training committee for their support in preparing monthly law questions.

This was my fifth year as Secretary, and I hope to serve this association for many more years to come. At the outset I should thank all the members of the association who has supported throughout this year. As Secretary, I was able to manage OfficialHQ administrative umpires' appointment portal and enabled the umpires to submit their self-assessment report using the portal.

I appreciate and thank all those who helped me along the way. A special thanks to Mr. Satish Kumar for helping me design the umpire's availability forms and various other forms.

Congratulations to all the award winning umpires of 2025-26 season.

John Kennedy
SECRETARY

Treasurer's report 2025/26

FINANCIAL OFFICER'S REPORT

PDCUA Treasury Report for the Season 01-05-2025 to 30-April-2026

Opening Balance 01.05.2025	15,435.87
Total Receipts/Income	92,400.00
Total Payments/Expenses	87,376.70
Closing Balance	20,459.17
As at 30.04.2026	30/04/2026

Notes

Income

PDCA – Season umpiring- \$78,085.00 (Juniors, Seniors, Rep, T20 including training levy of \$4,350)

Membership- this includes new and existing members renewal for the season 25-36, name badges and shirts- \$7,734.00

PDCUA conducted the umpiring course. The fee collected was \$920.00

PDCUA started to receive for the upcoming training course totaling \$400.00

Annual Dinner contributed by the members \$920.00

Expenses

Umpiring Payments for the games officiated totaled \$74,505.00

Honorarium payments were paid in March-26. PDCUA Secretary \$2,500 PDCUA Treasurer \$1,200 and Allocation Committee \$800 totaling \$4,500

Purchased Equipment for training \$1,052 and other expenses like Meeting drinks, Software, Rent totaling \$1,188.88

Annual Dinner for the season was \$1,770.62. PDCUA appreciates all the members who attended the event and hope that we see more turnout next season.

Overall, PDCUA account has a closing balance of \$20,459 as at 30-April-2026. We are expecting registration for the Umpiring Course and Members Renewal.

Madan Alagarraja, PDCUA Treasurer