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This year's community Xmas part was a great hit, being held at the sporting complex just prior to Xmas! Party goers were entertained by the cricketers and footballers who played each other in a 20/20 cricket match. The cricketers managed to hold off the footballers who put in a noble performance going down by just 30 runs!!

Peter Harvey, Brent Nicolls and Brad Bell all performed well for the footballers, while Triffitt, Franklin and Haddin got amongst the runs for the cricketers.

The evening was attended by over 100 people which is a great effort.

In other cricketing news A grade Vice-Captain Jarrod Franklin made his first century for the club on the weekend, smashing the Wangaratta Magpies bowlers to all parts of the ground finishing on 105 runs. Jarrod was well supported by opening batsman Chris O'Connor who made an admirable 76 runs. The Greta boys posted a competitive total of 228 and will be looking to knock the Maggies lads over for less on the second day to post just their second win of the season.





Welcome to the 2013 "Netball" Season

After a fantastic 2012 season which saw our "A" Grade taking out the premiership, 2013 is shaping up to be a great year. This year we're focussing on strengthening across all grades and aiming for everyone to compete in the finals. Many girls; have returned to our club and just as importantly we welcome many new faces.

We are pleased to announce that the coaches for the 2013 season are:

"A" Grade - **Jodie Ramage (0438 511225)** **Assistant Coach: Suz Ginnivan**

"B" Grade - **Suz Ginnivan (0409-556425)** **Assistant Coach: Bec Duryea (0438 662593)**

"B" Reserve Grade - **Kelly Smith (0411 483761)**

Under 17's & Development Squad - **Lindsay Tanner (0403 523393)**

Training for the juniors will be held Thursday nights from 5.00pm to 6.30pm at the Barr Reserve Wangaratta, and once the season nears it will move to the Greta Recreation Reserve. However, juniors are encouraged to train with the Seniors if they wish on a Tuesday night.

Senior training will be held Tuesdays & Thursdays at the Barr Reserve Wangaratta from 6.30pm—7.30pm. Again, once the season nears training will move to the Greta Recreation Reserve.

Any ladies who would like to try out for the upcoming season are encouraged to ring any of the coaches on their contact numbers listed above.

We look forward to the usual strong local support for the 2013 season and thank you for supporting the Greta Football & Netball Club.

The advertisement features a yellow and orange background with a large, stylized purple and white lightning bolt graphic. The text 'PAT GLYNN' is at the top, 'Electrical' is in a large, bubbly font across the middle, and 'BENALLA' is at the bottom. The phone number 'Mob. 0408 608 162' is at the bottom left, and 'R.E.C. No: 14248' is at the bottom right.

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This next committee meeting is scheduled for Friday February 8th 2013 commencing at 6.30pm. There will be also be a BBQ if anyone else is interested in coming along and supporting our local hall.

Our committee are also very keen for more members of the community to get involved in both the maintenance & promotion of our hall. The hall also hires out equipment

So to book, to RSVP for the next meeting or for all enquiries, please contact Sandi Ross on 5727-6256.

Bill Sykes MP

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Greta Cricket Club News

In November 2012 evergreen veteran Mark Pell was elevated from the C grade cricketing ranks at Greta into the A Grade team to take on Yarrawonga at Vic park (Yarrawonga).

Mark's selection came as no surprise to those involved at the Greta Cricket Club, his stellar early season form saw him terrorising the lower grades with his swing bowling!

This opportunity also gave Mark the chance to play his debut A grade match alongside his 16 year old son Nick, who has become an important fixture within the A grade structure this season.

Both Pell's performed admirably for their club Mark returning the tidy bowling figures of 6 overs no wicket for just 21 runs and Nick contributing with bat and ball, bowling a marathon 21 overs returning 3 wickets and making 20 runs with the bat to top off a solid all-round performance.



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