

Cricket Results

MARIST COLLEGE vs Padua College – Saturday 11 February 2023

TEAM	Best Bowling	Best Batting
Marist 6A 3/116 def. Padua 8/82	Hamish Pope 1/2 Isaac Nicholson 1/5	Dermot Whittaker 22* Charlie Barnett 20*
Padua 8/144 def Marist 6B 7/96	Josh McLean 3/2 Leo O'Rourke 2/4	Conal Heenan 23 Oliver Petrie 10
Marist 6C 6/63 def Padua 55	Seve Ahlholm (3/5) Charlie Bradford (2/8)	Henry Mackay 8 Charlie Bradford 4
Marist 6 Gold 4/79 def. Marist 6 White 43	Jack Donohue 4/0 Xavier Hunter 1/0	Xavier Hunter 15 Gian Air 14
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Marist 5A 5/126 def. Padua 5A 5/108	Balthazar Caesar 1/12 Cam Cleary 1/17	Sam Mellifont 14* Patrick Hambleton 13*
Marist 5B 4/116 def. Padua 50	Oliver Nolan 2/2 Seb Fallon 2/6	Oliver Nolan 15* Jake Byrne 11*
Marist 5C 3/119 def. Padua 48	Etien Raad 3/2 James Channels 2/3	Hugo Moore 24* Jamie Murdoch 19*
Marist 5 Gold 6/103 def. Padua 5 Blue 9/40	Ben Mulholland 3/6 Harry Maher 2/2	Harvey Wise 33 Harry Nolan 15
Marist 5 White 4/79 def. Padua 5 White 5/55	Nate Pugh 2/3 Jack Carrick 1/5	James Sexton 11 runs Harry Burnett-Nudd 8 runs
Iona 5 Gold 0/93 def. Marist 5 Green 5/84	Sam Long	Michael Sorbello

Around the Grounds

6A

A solid performance from the 6A crew with the bowlers keeping it tight throughout the innings, well supported by some excellent work in the field. A positive approach saw some good partnerships with the bat as the lads reigned in the total comfortably. Some big hitting by Dermot Whittaker entertained the crew in the closing stages. Looking forward to next weekend.

6B

6B won the toss and chose to bowl first.

Once again, our bowling for most part of the innings restricted their runs, however Padua had some good batsmen who capitalised on the loose balls. In the end we were set 115 to win. The boys remained confident that we could chase the runs. Our openers set a good platform however after a few quick wickets we were on the back foot. For the rest of the innings, we never really got going and struggled to keep up with the run rate. Boys tried hard to the last over but ended up on 96. While the loss was disappointing, the boys should still be proud of their efforts.

6C

After a strong start to the cricket season last game, the 6Cs did not fail to disappoint this week. After a few wickets fell quite quickly in the game, the boys found themselves in quite the dire predicament. However, a





strong middle order partnership between Charlie Bradford and Henry Mackay began to form, with both young men displaying a sense of elegance and passion in their batsmanship. It was spectacular to see both Charlie and Henry play the ball around to capitalise on quick singles, something we had explicitly worked on during trainings throughout the week.

The second innings was much more impressive, with the 6Cs bowling Padua out in just 16 overs! At the end of the first 10 overs, Padua were 4/42. By the end of the 16th, they were all out for 55. A special mention Henry Mackay, Seve Ahlholm and Charlie Bradford for their bowling performances. Stellar game from each of these 3 gentlemen and they should be very proud of their performance. They managed to keep the run count down against some very skilled batsmen whilst also collecting quite a few wickets under their belts. Very proud of the boys for their ongoing positivity in the field and hope we can continue this winning streak into the next game!

6 Gold

The boys were dominant from the start, being put in to bat first meant they could score runs freely putting up an extremely impressive total with only 4 wickets falling. A couple solid partnerships held together by Jack D meant Gian and Xavier could go out and score runs quickly. Chapman behind the stumps was extremely impressive taking two catches behind with no worries. The boys fielded almost perfectly with only 1 or 2 balls getting past the infield due to great intensity put in to chase down and attack all shots. The boys also bowled impressively only leaking a few extras whilst taking all 10 of Marist Whites wickets. Leg spinner Jack D took 4 wickets himself with no runs scored against him.

6 White

A disappointing result for the team, and some early wickets, however both teams demonstrated some good cricket throughout the morning. The opposition's fielding was tight, and the boys found it difficult to get much passed them, making runs hard. Well done Cooper Chaseling and Flynn Guest for taking a wicket with their bowling. Boys, the game continues to provide us with the opportunity to develop our skills and gain valuable life lessons. Well done on a great game to watch.

5A

Energy, encouragement, and enthusiasm were the key components of the 5As performance. After a disappointing start to the season the boys were keen to turn the result around in the second round. Several boys stepped up with the bat with Cam Cleary, Patrick Hambleton, Sam Mellifont and Josh Nolan all reaching double figures. The team set Padua 127 to win, while this is a challenging total the boys did leave a few runs out on the field, and this will be the focus at training this week.

The effort in the field was apparent throughout the innings with the boys taking charge of adapting their fielding positions to the different batters at the crease. Padua's top scorer scored an unbeaten 37 but this was not enough with the Marist boys scoring an 18-run victory.

Looking forward to continuing to build on this result as the season progresses.

5B

Another great win for the boys in the 5B team. The boys were sent into bat and started off slowly, mixed with some poor communication running between the wickets. Although runs were hard to come by, they dug in, with several boys retiring. Some power hitting at the back end of the innings led to a very defendable score of 116. The boys fielded extremely well and bowled with a 'you miss, I hit' attitude, resulting in bowling out the opposition for 50.

5C

'Howzat!' Screamed the Marist men as the 10th wicket fell for Padua in their 19th over. A suffocating barrage of line and length coupled with two excellent catches from Cormac Gannon and Lincoln Bartlett had cut their innings short with less than 50 runs on board.





With a target of a run a ball in mind, each Marist batter approached the bowling with aggression and positivity, with Hugo Moore smashing the first two sixes of the season in the same over.

An excellent second outing with big improvements across the board already evident.

5 Gold

It was another strong win from the boys on Saturday, winning by a convincing margin. There was an aggressive approach from all batters to the get to the ball to boundary; working enough times to lead to a defendable total of 103. Right from the first over, the tone was set with the ball as 2 wickets fell quickly. Wickets continued to fall in quick succession with the opposition only having one wicket to spare in the last over. It took a lengthy, but well fought next 5 overs for the team to secure the last wicket and a very deserved second win of the season.

5 White

A slow start in the bowling with no wickets before drinks put pressure on the boys to play better, this pressure saw them dominate the second session with a great catch from Nate Pugh and 2 excellent wickets by him in the next over. Padua's 55 runs set a difficult but obtainable task for the boys to complete, and the entire team stepped up to the batting challenge. Scoring the runs required after the first 15 overs the boys dropped the pressure and had some fun out on the crease.

5 Green

The boys battled the heat on the weekend to play against Iona in what was a great game full of enthusiasm and good sportsmanship. I was so impressed by the boy's resilience when it came to playing in the heat during the middle of the day. Throughout the week we worked on backing up and the boys showed great improvement. We need to take some time to work on our bowling so that we can grab victory as we had a few too many wides and no balls to see us snag a victory. Some great batting efforts from Liam, Spencer, and Michael where there was a combination of great hits and sneaky singles.

