



# **Cricket Results**

Best Bowling	Best Batting
Will Davies 3/4	George Swan 36
George Bond 2/13	Charlie Maclean 16* (12)
Lucas French 3/12	Josh George 26* Oscar Munro 17
Leighton Mahoney 2/20	Ed Maloney 25* (13)
Ben Blinkhoff 1/10	Tom Laherty 22* (15)
Flynn Boucaut 2/4	Jack White 14* (12)
Maverick Hardiker 1/1	Noah Cairns 14* (15)
Oscar Symonds 2/4	Oscar Symonds 18* (12)
Jovi Zanre 2/0	Jake Ryan 17* (12)
Charlie Davis 2/2	Lachlan Mitchell 23 (43)
Max Davis 2/4	Jack Mannix 18* (17)
Otis Livingston 3/1	Connor Leung 23 (27)
Kingston Shacklady 2/4	Jack Austin 17 (40)
Harry De Luca 5/4	Connor McGovern 10 (16)
Connor McGovern 2/3	Liam Carman 8 (13)
Harry O'Shea 2/7	Dylan McKenzie 18 (25)
Gus Scuderi 2/11	Gus Scuderi 14 (18)
James McSweeny 1/8	James McSweeny 31* (24)
Austin Given 1/8	Zac Gibson 24* (30)
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# **Around the Grounds**

#### 6A

Marist 6As produced a far more polished and well-rounded performance with a comprehensive victory over St Laurence's College. Marist were put into bat and posted a healthy total of 6/146 from 25 overs.

Excellent running between the wickets and contributions from all team members was a highlight of the batting innings. Special mention to George Swan who compiled a very good innings of 36 runs which contained numerous textbook straight drives and cover drives. George was ably supported by another great knock from Charlie Maclean 16 not out. Gus Graham 13 and Henry Dwyer 12 not out also kept the scoreboard ticking over nicely as did Will Davies 10 not out and Joe Byrne 11, who both made good contributions towards the back end of the innings.

Marist 6A's then withstood some early big hitting from the opposition and through consistent line and length bowling from all bowlers and an improved fielding performance managed to assert their dominance and restrict the opposition. A great spell of leg spin bowling from Will Davies 3/4 and opening pace bowler George Bond 2/13 set the platform for a solid performance in the field.

A comprehensive victory was recorded over St Laurence's with the highlight being the performance and contribution with bat & ball from all members of the team. Marist 6A's continue to build nicely into their season...their energy and work ethic at training is paying dividends on the field and we look forward to our game next Saturday.

#### **6B Blue**

Marist put together a strong performance in their win over St Laurence's College, despite again playing with a player down. They managed to post an imposing total of 172 off their allotted overs, with Josh George leading the charge, scoring 26 runs that included a couple of stylish sixes. Late in the innings, Oscar Munro (17\*) and Liam Tamer (15\*) provided valuable support, helping to push the score even further.

St Laurence's College faced an uphill battle from the outset, as they lost three wickets in the first two overs, leaving them with little room for recovery. Marist's fielding was outstanding throughout the match, with Lucas French making the most of his teammates' reliable hands to take 3 wickets. Combined with disciplined bowling and aggressive batting, it was a slick and comprehensive team performance from Marist, sealing a well-earned victory.

#### 6B Gold

An early start against Padua was never going to be a walk in the park. But who would've thought it would go down to the last over.

Winning the toss and electing to field the boys were there to play. A strong opening spell set Ted up perfectly to take the first wicket of the game. The next few overs had the same class and consistency with only few runs going to wickets. However, before drinks a few strong batters came out and made work of the fast outfield. Seemingly dismantling any fielding positions that were set and combined with some less-than-optimal concentration allowed Padua to put on easy runs before and after drinks. A few near run less overs from Ben, Pat and Finn in the middle order helped the confidence but wasn't enough to outclass an extraordinary effort by a Padua batsman who got 44\*. All said and done the boys put Padua 6/159 on what I consider and quick and small field which isn't too bad.

Going out to chase the second highest total we've seen all year was a daunting task. Schmidt and Tom going out to open helped both the team score and the following batters to do their best. Tom smacked the opening bowlers around the park making easy work with the quick boundaries score an easy 22. A strong defensive







middle helped keep the run rate on track and allowed the back end led by Ruben and Ed M to score massive 20 and 25 respectively. The final chase was done by Ed c and Jack who chased down the remaining 22 off 4 overs. Needing only 2 in the last the boys easily secured the win and pushed the total to 3/167.

A great win boys extremely exciting stuff. Hopefully next week's game is a tad later so you can have more beauty rest. All in all, fun time good game.

#### 6C Blue

The 6Cs remain undefeated throughout the season so far. Some great batting from Jack White 14\* including a monster six and Noah Cairns 14\* with some great boundary shots, saw the boys finish their batting innings 2/93. Some great bowling and fielding led by Flynn Boucaut 2/4 with his rapid pace and Maverick Hardiker 1/1 with his great line and length bowling. The boys were able to limit the 6D's to 8/57 to get yet another win.

### 6C Gold

Marist 6C Gold continued their impressive winning streak with a dominant performance against St Laurence's 6C, securing victory with a strong all-around display. Marist posted an impressive 2 for 113, while St Laurence's ended with 9 for 81.

The batting lineup shined, with Quinn Watson, Lucas Nightingale, Oscar Symonds, and Jake Ryan each smashing four boundaries. Oscar impressed with four consecutive fours, finishing with 18 off 12 balls, while Jake contributed a solid 17 off 12. The bowlers were equally outstanding, with Jovi Zanre (2/0) and Oscar Symonds (2/4) leading the attack. Both Jovi and Oscar backed up their bowling with sharp catches, and Jake Ryan took a fantastic high catch to cap off a strong team effort. Well done boys.

#### 6D

Marist 6D displayed impressive focus and energy throughout the game. Xavier led the batting performance, scoring 12 runs off 9 balls, while Emerson also contributed valuable runs. In the field, Henry J continued to showcase excellent skills, ensuring tight defense.

Ky took on the captaincy role and showed improvement in his bowling, leading the team with confidence. Paddy made a key impact with the ball, taking a crucial wicket. Overall, it was a strong team effort with great performances across the board!

### **5A**

Marist 5A pulled off a heart-stopping two-run victory over St Laurence's College in a match that showcased resilience, teamwork, and the true spirit of playing **The Marist Way**.

Losing the toss and being sent in to bat first was a new challenge for the team. With Jack Mannix unwell, a forced reshuffle in the batting order added to the test. Eddie Leyden fell early to a stunning catch, but Lachie Mitchell and Ryan Noronha kept the innings steady, guiding Marist to 2/55 at the drinks break.

After the break, Laurie's tightened their bowling, making scoring difficult. However, a late-order push led by Jack Mannix (18\* off 17) and Lachie Mitchell's determined 23 (43) helped Marist post a competitive total of 6/117—a score that would demand disciplined bowling to defend.

The second innings was a tense battle from the start. Despite tight opening spells, early breakthroughs eluded Marist, and St Laurence's looked in control at 3/78 at the drinks break. But Marist stayed true to their values—energy, enthusiasm, and positivity—knowing the game was still in their hands.

As the bowlers found their rhythm, the pressure mounted. Wickets began to fall, shifting the momentum in Marist's favour. The defining moment came when Ryan Noronha sprinted in from deep third man to take a







spectacular catch, sealing a thrilling two-run victory. Charlie Davis (2/2) and Max Davis (2/4) were instrumental in applying pressure at the death, ensuring Marist snatched a win that will be remembered for a long time.

This victory was a testament to the team's determination and belief—staying in the fight under pressure and backing each other until the very end. The 5As now carry this confidence forward as they continue their impressive season.

#### **5B**

Another strong performance from the 5B cricket team. The boys batted well, with most showing great awareness between the wickets and finding the boundary when needed. The bowling effort was outstanding, delivering the fastest and most efficient 13 overs I've seen from a team. They kept it tidy with minimal loose balls. Special credit to Otis Livingston, who showed great improvement, conceding just one run and taking three wickets in his three overs. Well done, boys

#### 5C Blue

The 5C Blue team set out for Runcorn for an early start at 8:00am. After losing the bat toss, they were first up to bat. Connor McGovern and Liam Carman opened, with a solid performance from both. Connor especially stood up as this week's captain, producing 10 runs off just 16 balls. Batting performances were strong all round, with the team producing a competitive 90 runs, all while not letting a single wicket fall.

After a short drinks break, the boys came out firing for their fielding session. Some incredible catches were made, and some even better wickets were taken. However, none more impressive than that from Harry De Luca, who after a Test-like performance walked away with 5 wickets, only giving away 4 runs in the process.

The boys came out on top, holding the Laurie's boys to only 64 runs and taking 9 wickets as they went. Man of the match could have gone to anyone this game, but Harry De Luca's Scottie Boland like performance could not go unrecognised. Well done to the 5C Blue boys.

### 5C Gold

Marist 5c gold successfully defended a strong total of 75 with the outstanding efforts of Dylan McKenzie 18 (25) and Gus Scuderi 14 (18) with the bat.

With the total set, Marist looked to defend well, Harry O'Shea 2/7 and Gus Scuderi 2/11 worked very hard to keep this dream alive. Some graceful efforts of Padua batters aimed to fight back against the Ashgrove bowling attack. However, they could not cope, eventually all falling for 71.

Overall, the strong fight shown by the 5C gold team resulted in their strong win.

## 5 Violet

5 Violet awoke to an early start against their fellow schoolmates 5 White on Saturday down at the flats. However, the boys fought through their early tiredness and went out to bowl first. They put together a remarkable innings holding 5 White to 5/64 with wickets for 5 different bowlers showcasing their all-around improvement throughout the term. Once they had bowled their twenty overs, they proceeded to begin a masterclass of boundary bashing as over 15 fours were hit by the boys as they scored 1/119. A special shoutout to James McSweeney who scored a phenomenal 31\* on the day including a remarkable 6. Congratulations to the boys and looking forward to next week

### 5 White

Playing against other schools always brings out the best in our boys, but when facing off against their mates, the stakes are even higher. The match began in high spirits, with 5 Silver winning the toss and, for the first time this season, choosing to bat first. This decision paid off, as the team batted out the full 20 overs—a fantastic achievement.







It was a well-rounded team effort, with standout performances from Ryan Jain, Dylan Baker, and Lucas France, who all retired and returned to the crease to add to their run totals. Our bowling continued to improve, with more consistency in placing the ball on the pitch, although this allowed 5 Violet to pick up some crucial runs.

While we didn't come away with the win against our mates, the game was a testament to our progress, teamwork, and determination. The team should be proud of their efforts, and we look forward to building on this performance in the coming weeks.

