

CRICKET MATCH REPORT

SPX U12 Blue – 03/03/18, Round 14

SPX Blue 7/124 defeated by Collaroy Electrodes (R Holmes 3/11)



Round 14 started on a sombre note as the boys paid their respects to Lachlan Ridley by observing one minute's silence.

The game was to prove to be a tough one right from the start. Our boys won the toss and decided to take the field first. Their bowling was good but getting a wicket was not as easily come by as in weeks gone by. We saw some spectacular fielding with great catches to Rowe, Roche and Mills. The pressure was kept on but the end of the innings saw Collaroy at 7/127, an achievable run chase but we knew we would have to work hard.

Carroll and McElvogue took the crease and started strong. At the 15 over drinks break, our score matched the Electrodes score and we knew it was going to be a close match. Several players managed to hit strong 4's and Roche smashed a well-hit 6. The run chase was neck and neck with the opposition, coming down to 4 runs needed off the last ball for a victory. It wasn't to be, but the boys know that we are up to the task to beat them in the next important match.

Unfortunately we didn't make it in the end, finishing the innings at 8/124.

