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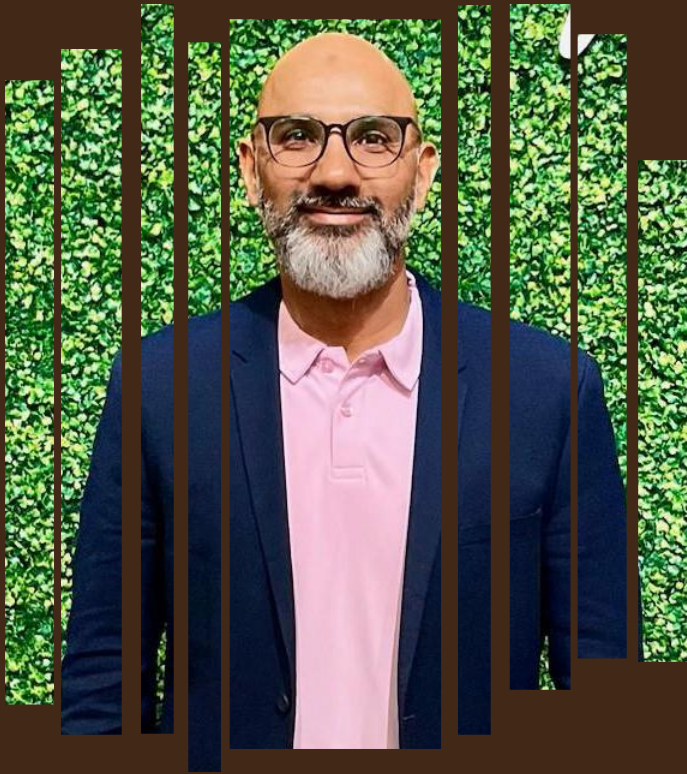
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MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Adnan Rao is a GENUINE ALL ROUNDER in the true sense of the word. By that I don't just mean an all-rounder at cricket, but in a broader sense at life itself. The spotlight in this version of Xtra innings is on Adnan Rao a player, parent, spouse and human being MCUSA is very proud of.

A product of the famous lineage of TAPE BALL cricketers from Pakistan. Adnan played a lot of cricket in Karachi, Pakistan before moving to USA to pursue his education, subsequently moved to Bahrain & Dubai and finally moved back to the USA to settle down. Wherever he moved cricket moved with him, he left his homeland Pakistan, but cricket never left him. Adnan is a sportsman at heart having played cricket, football and hockey in his youth.

In his early days itself he was seen as a leader having captained his school which won the Sind Provincial Competition, he went on to captain his college team as well. Given his consistent performances at university cricket, Adnan was picked in the Pakistan Custom's cricket team where he rubbed shoulders with legendary cricketers like Younus Khan, Shahid Afridi and Mohd. Sami.

Like so many young talents facing the crossroads, Adnan too had to choose between higher education and professional cricket, and he opted for the former and came to the USA to pursue his master's degree. In 2003 Adnan graduated from Wichita State University, his passion for the game rubbed off the rest of the students and administrators at WSU and the first ever WSU cricket club was formally established thanks to Adnan's persuasiveness.

On completion of his graduation Adnan moved back to Karachi, Pakistan and continued to play the game. He captained two corporate teams, TRG Knights and Warid Telecom during this period.

After spending about 5 years in Karachi, Adnan moved to Bahrain to pursue his career. While in Bahrain Adnan represented the national cricket team and during this phase, he won several man of the match awards and was a regular feature in the local press covering the sport. A couple of years later Adnan moved to Dubai UAE and led the Dubai Knights team. While in Dubai during those 5 years Adnan played at popular venues like the ICC Dubai Cricket stadium, Sevens and other popular venues.

In 2020 Adnan moved to the USA (thankfully for MCUSA) and has been a prominent cricketing personality in the Atlanta, GA region. Adnan was the MVP of the MCUSA over 50's Regionals of 2023.

Adnan has been contributing immensely to the MCUSA media team. His snap shots of various games are a big hit on MCUSA social media. Adnan is a GENUINE ALL ROUNDER and an ornament in the MCUSA Boutique.

Ravi Suri

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2024 OVER 40S WORLD CUP

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International Masters Cricket (IMC)'s inaugural **Over 40s World Cup** was hosted under the auspices of the Veterans Cricket Association of South Africa (VCASA) in Cape Town, **South Africa**. Cape Town lived up to all of its promise in the picturesque photos that lured us before the tour. With mountains, oceans and wildlife within driving distance, this is a beautiful place with beautiful people! **12 IMC Nations** were invited to the inaugural World Cup – Australia, England, Canada, Namibia, USA, Zimbabwe, India, New Zealand, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Wales and UAE.

Masters Cricket USA was represented by a talented pool of players that were picked through an arduous selection process that pitted the best against each other vying for a spot on the coveted USA National Team. The World Cup squad comprised of – **Muhammad Farrukh (Captain), Nauman Mustafa (Vice Captain)**, Adnan Taj Malik, Ajay Sharma, Amit Sood, Ashwin Boini, Gurpreet Raina, Jignesh Desai, Krishna Kumar, Madhivanan Durai, Nikhil Slkka, Paresh Deshmukh, Saqib Hameed, Saurabh Varma, Vinod Shankar Periagaram, Zeshan Muhammad. They were accompanied by Neeraj Kumar (Physiotherapist) and Purathatil Krishnan (Manager).

The World Cup games were declared open after a grand **Opening Ceremony** that paraded the 12 Nations through the Victoria & Alfred Waterfront amidst cheers from the locals and tourists alike. The games were hosted at picturesque club and school grounds that witnessed **fierce competition** among the nations for the coveted World Cup. While the competition was fierce, the platform was set for some great **camaraderie** not just among teammates but across the teams forging friendships for life. The competition culminated in a **Closing Ceremony** that featured a sit down dinner with music, awards, photos and speeches before the dreaded good byes set in.

TeamUSA's experience in the World Cup was bittersweet, finishing **6th among 12 nations**. The sweet part, we finished above 2 test playing nations, the bitter was we had the skills to make the playoffs and finish higher. However, the champs that we are, we won many hearts through our **outreach activities**. TeamUSA had the opportunity to participate with 2 Foundations that do incredible work with underprivileged youth – Sporting Chance Development Foundation (<http://www.sportingchance.co.za>) and JP21 Foundation (<https://jp21foundation.org>). Hats off to **Natalie Pollock** and **Jean-Paul Duminy** and their teams for the outstanding efforts with their programs. The **Masters Experience** was complete with families and friends joining the team on many an adventure that took us to mountains, oceans and wildlife of the southern tip of the great African continent. Our Team Liaison Mike Cawood and family hosted a Braai to wind the tour up with a taste of South African cuisine and hospitality. **Consul General Todd Haskell** made time to visit with TeamUSA and take some pictures.



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O60S WORLD CUP 2024, CHENNAI

Countries and Team

In February 2024, the O60s MCUSA Team USA traveled to Chennai to participate in the second ever O60s Cricket World Cup. Along with the USA, Australia, England, New Zealand, Sri Lanka, Canada, India, Wales, South Africa, Zimbabwe, West Indies, and a Rest of the World team participated in the tournament. Team USA was led by Captain Jeevaka Weerasinghe, Vice-Captain David Martil, and Coach Sajith Fernando.

The other members selected for this World Cup were: Dashrath Sankhe, Wayne Copeland, Ahmed Merchant, Rizwan Sheikh, Ajith Jayasinghe, Noel Emmanuel, Dave Ramdan, Chandrasekhar Tirumurti, Chandrakant Barlingay, Ravi Suri, Mark Wright, Pri Desilva, Shamsuddin Ali, Javed Panjwani, Abrar Ahmed, Shahid Mahmood, and Peter Jones. Unfortunately, three of the selected players could not get their visas in time and one player had a last-minute family emergency and had to miss the trip.

Tournament Performance

The tournament started with a heartbreaking one wicket loss to Canada. Team USA quickly recovered and beat cricketing giant South Africa by 70 runs in the second game with Ajith scoring a brilliant 130 and Wayne (4) and Anup (3) taking 7 wickets between them. In the third game, USA beat another cricketing giant, New Zealand, on the backs of 50s by CK and Ajith and an all-round performance by Wayne. England beat USA soundly (by 9 wickets) in the fourth game, setting up an important 5th game for USA. Jeevaka, who had been consistently scoring 30+ runs in the previous games, scored a brilliant 135 and USA beat Zimbabwe. With a 3-2 record, USA tied with New Zealand on points for second place in the group but unfortunately lost out on a semi-final spot because of run rate.

In the cross-over playoff games, USA lost to West Indies by 9 wickets with Jeevaka battling out a 75 run inning. In the playoff for 7th place, Ajith scored his second century of the tournament and Jeevaka scored another 79 as USA beat Canada comfortably to finish the tournament in 7th place. This was a step up from the first O60s World Cup in Brisbane, 2022, where USA ended in 8th place.



O60S WORLD CUP 2024, CHENNAI

Batter	Runs	Bowler	Wickets	Fielder	Dismissals	MVP	Points
Jeevaka Weerasinghe	413	Wayne Copeland	13	Mark Wright	5	Wayne Copeland	46.883
Ajith Jayasinghe	310	Dashrath Sankhe	7	Chandrakant Barlingay	4	Jeevaka Weerasinghe	44.227
Chandrakant Barlingay	176	Anup Desai	6	Jeevaka Weerasinghe	3	Ajith Jayasinghe	36.237
Wayne Copeland	132	Ahmed Merchant	5	Wayne Copeland	2	Chandrakant Barlingay	19.92
Pri Desilva	72	Ajith Jayasinghe	2			Dashrath Sankhe	19.712
		David Martil	2				

Team Spirit

The tournament was played in the sweltering heat of Chennai and players had to make sure that they stayed well hydrated through this grueling tournament. I will call out the 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th player in every game for their outstanding services in providing hydration to others on the field and helping in every way possible. In particular, I will call out Chandru, Rizwan, Noel, Ravi, Peter and Pri for their selfless and attentive dedication to the team when they were not in the playing 12. Peter went way beyond to travel all the way to Chennai after the tour started knowing fully well that he would likely not be able to play a single game. His services from the sideline were unparalleled. Mark and Ravi provided great support throughout the tour with Mark staying on top of cash, payments and expenses, and Ravi taking a huge load off the manager's shoulder through his organization of buses, nets, local bowlers, etc.

Special Honors

Jeevaka Weerasinghe was honored for his performance by being selected for the World XI squad

Ajith Jayasinghe was honored for his two centuries

Jeevaka Weerasinghe was honored for a century in a game

Jeevaka Weerasinghe ranked #4 among all batters in the tournament

Ajith Jayasinghe ranked #6 among all batters in the tournament

Wayne Copeland ranked #5 among all bowlers in the tournament

Wayne Copeland ranked #5 in MVPS standings in the tournament

Outreach Activities

Team USA had three significant outreach activities during the tour:

- 1.Charitable donations to an orphanage and an aged person home: Several players visited an orphanage and a home for the aged in Chennai and donated clothes and caps to the aged as well as to young children.
- 2.Evening tea with US Consulate: Team USA hosted a high tea for officials from the US Consulate in Chennai.
- 3.Fund raising for a medical emergency: A fellow cricketer from South Africa suffered a heart attack and his family had to fly in to help him out. Team USA immediately set up a gofundme to help the player with his expenses and raised the \$1000 that was needed.

Sankar Jayaram

O60S WORLD CUP 2024, CHENNAI





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2024 OVER 50S



BLenheim MARCH 2024

In March 2024, the Masters Cricket USA (MCUSA) Over 50 team embarked on a new frontier, participating in the QUAD O50 Series in Blenheim, New Zealand. The tournament featured teams from the USA, Australia, New Zealand, and New Zealand "A". The challenging itinerary saw the MCUSA team undertake a long flight from the USA to New Zealand with little time to acclimatize, and play seven games over 11 days, including four matches in the QUAD series, two official ODIs against Australia, and one unofficial ODI against the Spirit of Cricket, a touring team.

The MCUSA O50 team arrived in Christchurch on March 8th. They were greeted with the pleasant surprise of watching a Test match between New Zealand and Australia at Hagley Oval. The following day, the team held a practice session and enjoyed a team dinner.

Team USA began their tour with a match against the Spirit of Cricket at C.C. Mainpower Oval in Christchurch, Rangiora. Batting first, Team USA scored 258 runs and restricted their opponents to 205, winning by 53 runs. Fazal A. was the top scorer with 39 runs off 22 balls.

The second match, an official ODI against Australia at the same venue, saw Australia score 236 runs. Despite some setbacks during their chase, a strong performance by Arun T. and composed batting by Parak A. led Team USA to a victory by 1 wicket. Fazal A. again top-scored with 52 runs. The team then traveled to Blenheim for the QUAD series at Horton Park. En route, they visited Kaikoura, a picturesque ocean town known for its delicious seafood.

In their first QUAD series match against the New Zealand "A" team, Team USA scored 311 runs, with Monappa U. scoring a century (103 runs), and Rafey K. and Fazal A. adding 74 and 60 runs, respectively. Team USA won by 7 runs. In their second match against Australia, Team USA started well but fell short due to a slow run-rate in the middle overs, despite Sanjeewa W.'s brilliant century (127 runs). Australia won by 44 runs.

The third match against New Zealand saw Team USA chase down a target of 232 runs, winning by 5 wickets, with Sanjeewa W. scoring a back-to-back century (117 runs) and Himanshu P. taking 4 wickets. This victory secured Team USA a spot in the finals of the QUAD series.

In the final against Australia, Team USA posted a modest total of 202 runs, which Australia chased down with ease, winning by 8 wickets. Despite the anti-climactic final, it was a valuable experience for Team USA, finishing as runners-up. The last game of the tour was another official ODI against Australia, played in Nelson, the geographical center of New Zealand. Australia batted first and scored 313 runs, while Team USA managed only 189 runs, resulting in a loss by 124 runs.



Fazal Alam

2024 OVER 50S



BLenheim MARCH 2024

Top Three Run Scorers:

Sanjeewa W. (316 runs)

Fazal A. (205 runs)

Rafay K. (171 runs)

Notable centuries: Sanjeewa W. (2), Monappa U. (1)

Most Dismissals:

Parak A. (10 dismissals)

Top Three Wicket Takers:

Himanshu P. (9 wickets)

Sanjay P. (8 wickets)

Deepak C. (6 wickets)

Overall QUAD Series Player Rankings:

Sanjeewa W. (#1)

Fazal A. (#3)

Parak A. (#8)

In addition to their on-field achievements, Team USA also engaged with the local community by attending a school cricket game and awarding MVP prizes (MCUSA shirts) to outstanding school girls and boys.



Team USA also did some sightseeing as part of team building and to re-energize during this jam-packed tour. The team spent a day visiting Marlborough Sounds Ward, took a boat ride to an island, did a little hiking, and witnessed a 1,000-year-old tree. A few of the team members also visited the Marlborough vineyards, including Cloudy Bay winery, to unwind and relax.

This was a great experience for the MCUSA O50 team to travel to the other hemisphere and play some good competitive cricket on sporting pitches and beautiful settings/grounds in NZ.



A big shout-out goes to the MCUSA organizing committee for making this QUAD series tour a successful one. Finally, Mr. Mathew Varghese, the Team Manager, was instrumental in orchestrating all the logistical arrangements, making it seamless for the players from the start to the conclusion of the tour.

MCUSA is not going to stop here... They will continue to explore new frontiers to play Masters Cricket USA!

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GLOBAL 360

Sport in general and cricket in particular is all about famed rivalries between specific nations. India vs Pakistan, England vs Australia, West Indies vs South Africa are prime examples. Of these the drama, intrigue, theatre around the games involving England and Australia should take the honors for ultimate rivalry in cricket. Who can forget the drama around the historic and heroic innings of 135 Not Out from Ben Stokes to win the Leeds test of the 2019 Ashes series. If this innings was about defying odds and winning from a seemingly impossible situation, cast your minds back to the Ashes of 1981, Leeds again and this time it was Ian Botham who snatched victory for England from jaws of defeat. If these two wins don't speak volumes of the rivalry and the history involved dating back to Bodyline and Douglas Jardine and Don Bradman days, savor the 2005 series in England which many pundits term as the best ashes series ever.

Rivalries like these last hundreds of years and spread across various formats of the game between the nations. In Masters / Veterans cricket too the same rivalry is carried forward. Whether you are U 19 or Over 50 it is still the same passion and same will to compete and win against your traditional rival.



The recently concluded Ashes between England Over 50 Masters and Australia over 50 Masters lived up to the expectations and the intensity involving these two nations. England won the first two games to retain the Ashes and Australia had to settle for a consolation win in the last game of the series.

The first game at Broxbourne Cricket Club on June 23, 2024, saw Australia bundled out for a small score of 133, England chased it down in a canter with 5 wickets in the shed. The second game was played at the Radlett Cricket Club on June 26, 2024. This turned out to be a high scoring game, Australia put on what seemed a decent score of 245 for 7 in the allotted 45 overs. England made it look like taking "candy from a kid" or "a stroll in the park" take your pick. England chased the stiff target of 245 with 8 wickets in the shed and 5 overs to spare. A hammering to say the least. The third game was played at Marlborough College on July 1, 2024. Australia won a nail-biter chasing 195 down with 4 balls to spare and just one wicket in hand.



Ravi Suri

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The Ashes series of greying men was followed by the Marlborough Cup. England, Wales, India, Australia were the 4 nations to participate in the 2024 version. Australia was consistent throughout the championship winning all their games in the tournament to clinch the coveted title. This was a wonderful comeback after a poor showing in the Ashes, displaying typical Aussie grit and determination to overcome adversities.

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FIT @ 40

THE MENTAL ASPECT OF AN AGING ATHLETE

Cricket which you play until you are about 40 and cricket you play 40 onwards are two different chapters of your cricketing life. Until 40 your muscles, bones, knees, shoulders, back, neck and what have you all of them are slaves of your passion to play the game you dearly love. Passion overcomes any nagging injuries, aches, stiffnesses etc.

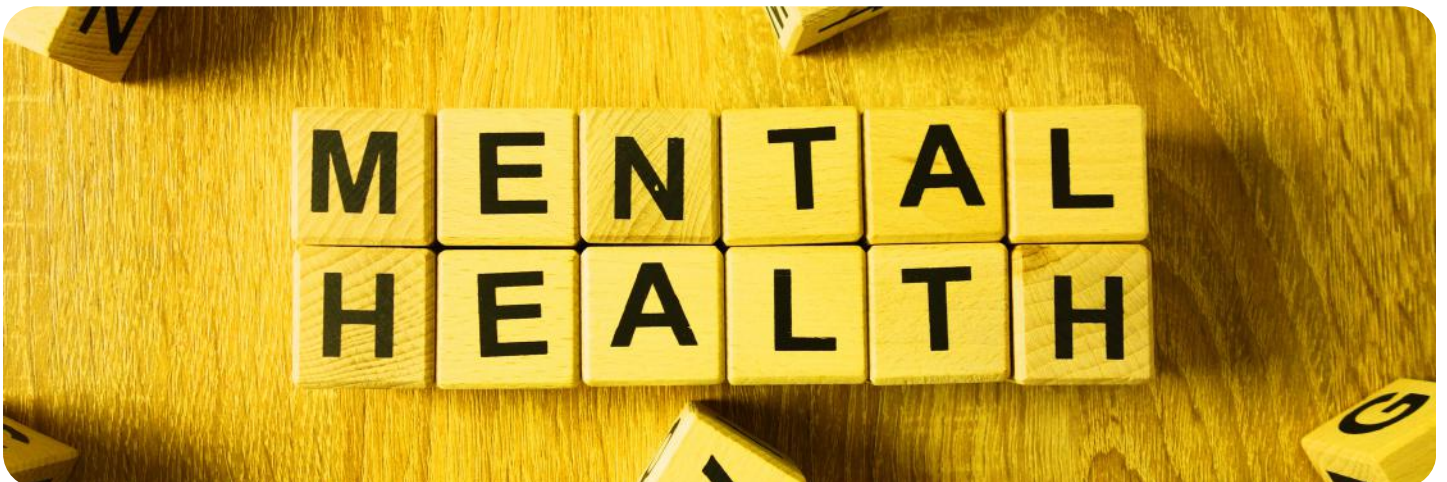
As you age the roles reverse and Passion gives way to aches, niggles, abdominal adiposity, stiffness and all the inevitable age-related rusting. The only way to delay the rusting is to recognize these bad influences on your ageing process and work at keeping them at bay for as long as feasible.

Sport is a great enabler to keep these negative influences at a distance. The new gen or Gen X population are better equipped to manage their health and fitness given the advantage of having information on your palms. Those of us who were born between 1960 and 2000 did not have the advantage of seeing benefits of keeping fit, eating healthy, and adopting a good lifestyle as words like social media and VIRAL influencers were not in vogue.

The Fitness Boom of the 2000's resulted in the adoption of habitual exercise in a significant portion of the population. Many of these individuals are defying the cultural norms by remaining physically active and competing at a high level in their later years.

Thanks to MCUSA our passion for the game has found a new platform to play and compete on a level playing field. The advantages of being fitter are so palpable that many of us have hit the GYM either again or for the first time. The juxtaposition between masters' athletes and non-exercisers demonstrates the importance of remaining physically active throughout the lifespan on physiological systems related to health span (years of healthy living). An MCUSA over 60 player standing side by side an average over 60 non athlete will clearly see a measurable difference in just the posture and the upright body frame and can walk away feeling 50 to 10 years younger.

Masters Cricket plays a dual role on your lifespan, not only it keeps you physically healthier, it also keeps you engaged in a positive way and influences a positive and healthy mindset. Many in MCUSA offer voluntary services in various capacities for conducting and organizing various tournaments. This gives scope to explore your leadership skills and shine in uncharted territories. A sense of team spirit and institutional loyalties are forged and developed which make you a much more competent management resource.



Ravi Suri

FIT @ 40

THE MENTAL ASPECT OF AN AGING ATHLETE

Positive mental health coupled with good physical health are directly proportional to a longer lifespan and a comfortable ageing process. Work is never hard when you love it and when there is a goal you are pursuing. Every cricketer's goal is to succeed at his skill and win for this team. Until MCUSA came on the scene the road's end for a cricketer's journey was seen at about 40 years old. The motivation to keep fit beyond about 35 was not there in most cricketers. Thanks to MCUSA a cricketer at 40 can see 20 more years of active and competitive cricket on a level playing field. This became a game changer and led to a "Me TOO" movement of joining the band wagon of fitter beings.

MCUSA has a very strong social media presence, and the word fitness has gone viral in no time. With a few players posting their fitness routines and videos it was just a matter of time before more and more joined in to show they are not lagging behind. The word fitness is now a welcome and dearly loved quality within MCUSA. How fit are you and how well you play are both taken in the same breath now in MCUSA.

Of all the feathers in MCUSA cap the FITNESS feather stands tallest and brightest as it enriches the human lifespan.

May MCUSA continue to thrive and influence lives positively.



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SPIRIT OF CRICKET

A YEAR OF GROWTH AND ACHIEVEMENT

The Spirit of Cricket Global Organisation has experienced a remarkable year of growth and achievement, further solidifying its place as a beacon for promoting the true essence of cricket. As we approach the milestone of 6000 followers on Facebook, it's an opportune time to reflect on the significant strides we've made over the past twelve months.

Launch of the Spirit of Cricket Curriculum

In 2023, we proudly introduced our Spirit of Cricket Curriculum, a comprehensive program designed to instill the core values of cricket—respect, gratitude, and fair play—into the hearts and minds of young players. This curriculum has been piloted in cricket clubs and private schools with cricket programs, receiving widespread acclaim. Notably, it has been endorsed by former Australian captain Greg Chappell, a testament to its quality and alignment with the spirit of the game.

The curriculum goes beyond just the technical aspects of cricket. It provides life lessons that encourage young players to play hard but fair, emphasizing the importance of respect and gratitude both on and off the field. This initiative has already started to make a positive impact, shaping the future generation of cricketers who understand and embody the true spirit of the game.

Formation and Activities of the T20 Legends Team

In conjunction with the curriculum, we developed the Spirit of Cricket T20 Legends Team. This team, comprising former cricket greats, engaged in matches against local clubs and Year 12 senior cricket teams. Highlights of the past year include memorable games at prestigious institutions such as St Peter's College and Prince Alfred College. These matches have not only entertained but also inspired young players, providing them with the invaluable opportunity to learn from cricketing legends.

New Zealand Quad Series Tour

A significant highlight of our year was the Spirit of Cricket Touring Team's participation in the Quad Series in New Zealand. This tour featured thrilling encounters between the over-50s international teams of New Zealand, Australia, and the USA. The 14-day tour was a fantastic experience for our 12-member touring party, who were joined by former Australian fast bowler Rodney Hogg.

The camaraderie extended beyond the pitch, with USA team member Aman Akbar forging lasting friendships with players from Australia and New Zealand. This tour exemplified the unifying power of cricket and underscored our commitment to fostering international goodwill through the sport.

Upcoming Spirit of Cricket Festivale in Mildura

Looking ahead, we are in the final stages of planning for the Spirit of Cricket Festivale in Mildura, scheduled from September 17-30, 2024. This event is set to be a landmark occasion in the international over-50s cricket calendar. The first week will feature a series of seven ODIs between Australia and New Zealand.

SPIRIT OF CRICKET

A YEAR OF GROWTH AND ACHIEVEMENT

The second week will see the launch of the Spirit of Cricket Global T20 over-50s Franchise Tournament, bringing together eight franchise teams with 120 players from both Australia & New Zealand competing over four exciting days. This tournament will be live-streamed, marking a significant step in our efforts to expand the Spirit of Cricket initiative globally. We have ambitious plans to replicate this tournament in seven countries around the world, including the USA, South Africa, India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Malaysia, and the United Kingdom, culminating in a World Championship in the Middle East.

Join Us on Our Journey

As we continue to grow and promote the Spirit of Cricket globally, we invite all cricket enthusiasts to join us on this exciting journey. Our next tour will be to Sri Lanka around the over-50s IMC World Cup, and we welcome anyone interested in being part of the Spirit of Cricket Tour to reach out to us.

For more information and to stay updated on our activities, visit our website at www.spiritofcricket.com.au and follow us on our social media channels.

The past twelve months have been extraordinary, and the future looks even brighter. Together, let's continue to celebrate and spread the Spirit of Cricket.



SPIRIT OF CRICKET

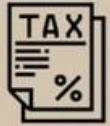
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Srikant Mokkapati
Sudhindra Shetty
Zeshan Muhammad

SOUTH

Aamir Shahzad
Abid Maknoja
Ajay Gangavalli
Bilal Lodhi
Guru Krish
Irfan Rabbani
Madhivanan Durai
Muhammad Farrukh (Captain)
Nikhil Bhat
Sumeer Goel
Petson Mathews
Pradipta Dasgupta
Ram Iyer
Saqib Shaikh
Vinod Periagaram (Vice Captain)

WEST

Damodhar Bhat
Gorden lopes
Hrishikesh C Unni
Jatin Aneja
Karan Wittke
Krishna Kumar Yerur
Manish Mantrawadi
Nauman Mustafa (Vice Captain)
Natwar Agrawal
Pratik Desai
Raju Palagummi
Rudolph Hinds
Sameer Sayed
Vijay Beniwal (Captain)
Vinay Misala

EASTCENTRAL

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Anshul Bamrolia
Devin Hariichha
Hammad Qureshi
Jayesh Patel
Kamran Syed
Manu Mehta
Neeraj Javiya
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Shamsuddin ali

Vipul Mehta

WEST HAWKS

Abhay Maheshwari

Amit Basu

BK Atul Rai

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BOWLER OF THE YEAR (2023-2024)

MUHAMMAD FARRUKH
19 WICKETS



SAQIB HAMEED
12 WICKETS

KRISHNA KUMAR Y S
11 WICKETS

SAURABH VERMA
11 WICKETS

IRFAN RABBANI
11 WICKETS

BATSMAN OF THE YEAR (2023-2024)

ZESHAN MUHAMMED
317 RUNS



MUHAMMAD FARRUKH
306 RUNS

GANI GANISSHAN
243 RUNS

ANKUR KASSAL
228 RUNS

JAYESH PATEL
223 RUNS

PLAYER OF THE YEAR (2023-2024)

MUHAMMAD FARRUKH
1872 POINTS



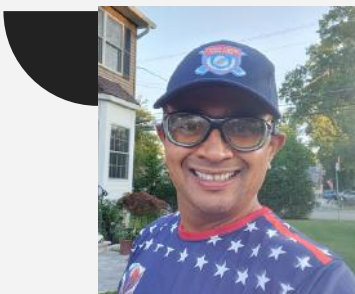
NIKHIL BHAT
1137 POINTS

ZESHAN MUHAMMED
1127 POINTS

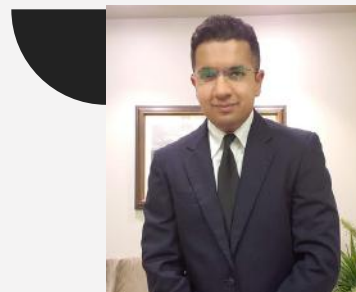
DEVIN HARIICHHA
882 POINTS

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BEST BOWLER 2023

HIMANSHU PATADIA
33 WICKETS



HUMAYUN BASHIR
32 WICKETS

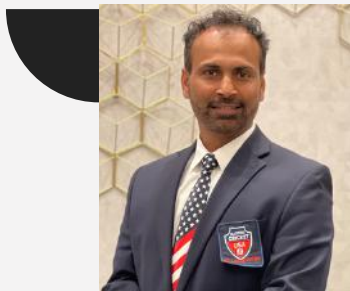
SANJAY PANDYA
24 WICKETS

ZUBAIR HUSSAIN
20 WICKETS

SAJITH FERNANDO
19 WICKETS

BEST BATSMAN 2023

FAZAL ALAM
477 RUNS



RAFAY KAZI
418 RUNS

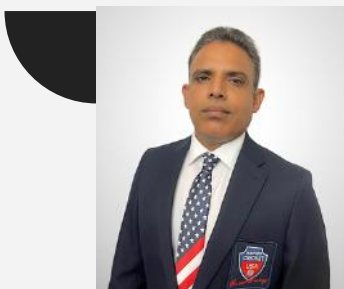
SANJEEVA WEERASINGHE
353 RUNS

AJITH JAYASINGHE
324 RUNS

NAVEEN PEIRIS
300 RUNS

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

HUMAYUN BASHIR
2739 POINTS



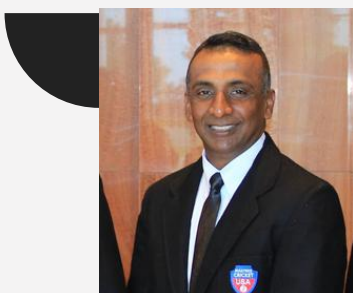
SAJITH FERNANDO
2303 POINTS

HIMANSHU PATADIA
1937 POINTS

FAZAL ALAM
1886 POINTS

SANJAY PANDYA
1867 POINTS

BEST KEEPER
PARAK ANANTHA
(24 DISMISSALS)



BEST FIELDER
SATYAPAL CHHABRA
(10 DISMISSALS)



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BEST BOWLER 2023-24

WAYNE COPELAND
17 WICKETS



DASHRATH SANKHE
16 WICKETS

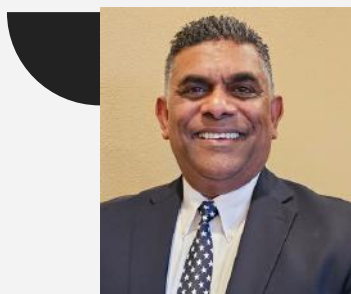
MICHAEL GRIFFITH
14 WICKETS

DAVID MARTIL
11 WICKETS

CHANDRASEKHARAN TIRUMURTI
11 WICKETS

BEST BATSMAN 2023

JEEVAKA WEERASINGHE
503 RUNS



CHANDRAKANT BARLINGAY AJITH JAYASINGHE
437 RUNS

436 RUNS

WAYNE COPELAND
350 RUNS

RAVI SURI
234 RUNS

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

AJITH JAYASINGHE
1747 POINTS



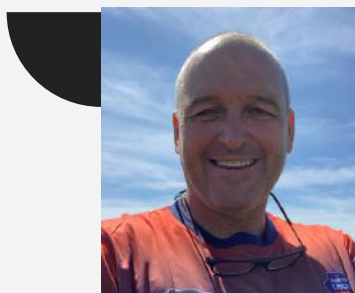
WAYNE COPELAND JEEVAKA WEERASINGHE
1607 POINTS

1460 POINTS

CHANDRAKANT BARLINGAY DAVID MARTIL
1191 POINTS

993 POINTS

BEST KEEPER
MARK WRIGHT
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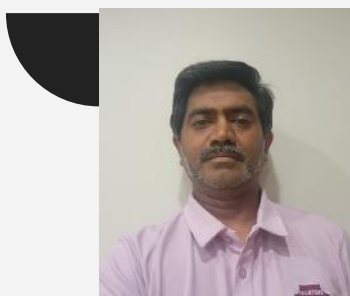
OVER 60

SHAHID MAHMOOD
281 RUNS



OVER 40

GANI GANISSHAN
173 RUNS



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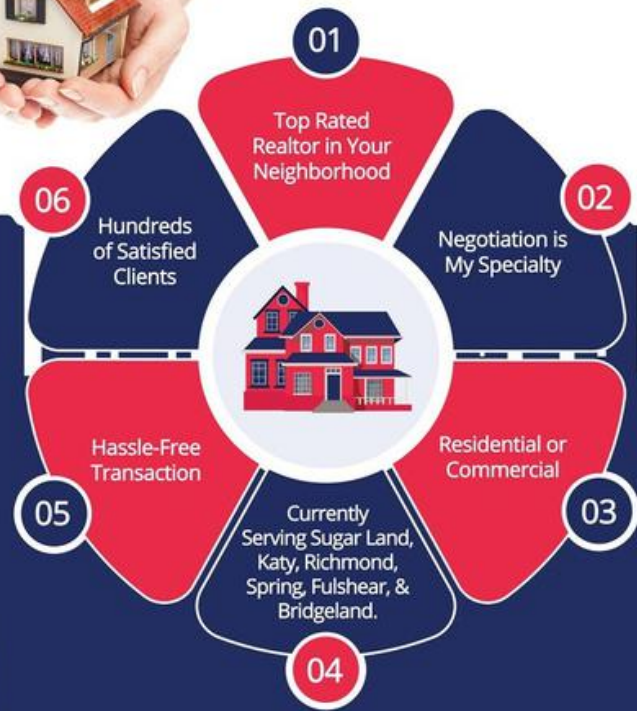




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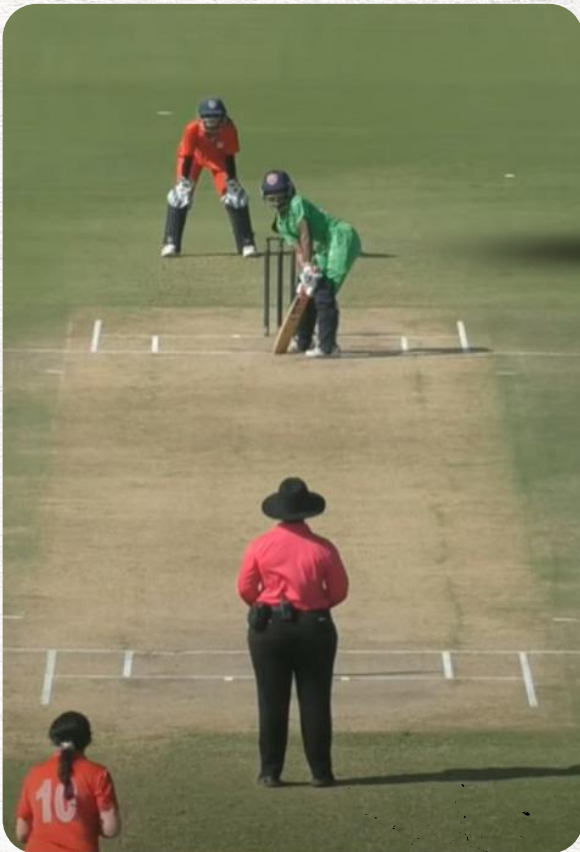
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