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The Official Newsletter of the MCC Baseball Section

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Dear Member,

The 2017/18 Baseball season is well underway and after 4 rounds, the club is positioned well in most senior grades. The first nine remains the only undefeated team in either Division 1 conference, although 3 of the 4 games were tight affairs. The firsts are at Cheltenham this Sunday and are placed well for the midweek games which will start soon.



#VSBL DIVISION 1

EASTERN CONFERENCE

#	↑ ↓	CLUB NAME	P	W	L	F	A
1	—	MELBOURNE	4	4	0	34	24
2	—	MOORABBIN	4	3	1	39	30
3	↑	BLACKBURN	4	2	2	25	20
4	↓	LIPWEY ETG	4	1	3	26	23
5	—	WAVERLEY	4	1	3	19	27
6	—	CHELTENHAM	4	1	3	16	22

WESTERN CONFERENCE

#	↑ ↓	CLUB NAME	P	W	L	F	A
1	—	FITZROY	4	3	1	28	11
2	↑	SUNSHINE	4	3	1	19	18
3	↓	NEWPORT	4	2	2	19	29
4	↑	SANDRINGHAM	4	2	2	8	28
5	↓	GEE LONG	4	1	3	22	21
6	↓	ESSENDON	4	1	3	17	18

As a result of the improved depth at the club this year the seconds also top the table in their division, with the only blemish a come from behind draw. The third nine are in equal fourth position, while the fourths also top their table undefeated. The 5th nine are also in the four in Division 4.

The Women's teams have had a challenging start to their season but are battling through, junior results have been mixed but junior league and little league teams have started well. All results / ladders are available through either the Melbourne Website or TeamApp links.

While there has been challenges with the new registration system, we have managed to get players to pay their ABF/BV registration fees, however as it is now time to also pay their club subscription component or make alternative arrangements with our Treasurer.

For coaches, scorers, team managers and volunteers it is also important for you to register with the club (no fees apply) so we can keep in touch and provide other benefits to our supporter base.

There are plenty of great photos taken from the games so far, please take a look [here](#).

Events

18/11/2017 Junior Parents' Trivia Night

03/12/2017 Heritage Day Supporter Luncheon

Registration

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER WITH
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[Heritage Day supporter luncheon](#)

Come support our Heritage Day supporter luncheon Sunday Dec 3rd for the game against Waverley at Surrey Park. The players will be decked out in a spectacular heritage uniform circa 1970. All Welcome, past and present players, Life Members, family and friends. Lunch from 1PM, main game starts 3:30PM, Adults \$10 per person, U15 kids \$5.



Melbourne Baseball Heritage Day

Introducing our 1970's
reproduction Heritage Uniform

Melbourne Baseball Club
Inaugural Heritage Day
Supporter luncheon
Sunday 3rd December, 2017

Mens Division 1
Melbourne vs Waverley
Surrey Park, Box Hill

All Welcome.
Past and current players,
Life Members,
family and friends.

Lunch from 1.00pm,
Main game starts 3.30pm.
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[Registration for Season 2017/18](#)

EVERY player must register this season as we are moving to another new membership system, and will not be transferring registrations from the existing platform. We also encourage all club supporters, scorers, team managers & volunteers to register (no fee). Please follow the links below to complete your registration and fee payments. To register and pay for both the BA/BV and Club fees please go to the following link [here](#). To view a PDF for the Melbourne Baseball Club Fees and instructions on how to pay the club fees by EFT, cash, cheque, credit or debit card go to the following link [here](#).

[Junior Parents' Trivia Night Fundraiser](#)

Junior Parents' Trivia Night Fundraiser is on Sat 18 Nov 2017. 7.30pm start at the clubrooms, \$10 per person, BYO table snacks, drinks at bar prices, please RSVP to Charmaine.

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For comments, suggestions and contributions, send to the editor demonsbc@yahoo.com.

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