



Kings Langley Cricket Club

Senior Match Report – Round 10

Team	A Grade	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 141 Hills Barbarians – 189

Team	A Res	Round	10
Result	KL Won 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 182 Hills Barbarians – 152
Honour Roll	A.Arnold 52		

Team	B 1	Round	10
Result	KL Won 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 3/207 AKA Crusaders – 164

Team	B 2	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 169 Wenty Leagues – 5/170

Match Report

Once again missing a number of players, B7A players Matt McLeod, Stephen Freney, Daniel Lee, and Quincy Titterton came up to help out (thanks guys). We were put into bat and Matt McLeod and Sean Pracey got off to a good start taking the score to 64 before Sean was out for 27, in only the 11th over. Phil took the crease and the scoring rate continued until Matt was out for a well made 43 that included 3 sixes. Another couple of quick wickets fell and then after Phil was out for 24 we were 5/113. Stephen Freney came in and looked good. He stayed not out 26, but only had Quincy to help him out. Quincy scored 16 that included a huge six. A hat trick closed our innings on a disappointing 169 with 6 overs in hand.

We needed quick wickets and when Gareth took the first when they were on 28. Phil then took 1 when they were on 63 and when Abhi affected a sharp run out with a direct hit things looked up. Phil took a second wicket after drinks, finishing on 2/45, and we were back in it. However, we were never in it after that. Daniel bowled well in difficult conditions and took the last wicket, but their hitting was way too hard and they reached the total with 5 wickets and way too many overs in hand. Once again with a number of players missing not all was negative. The guys that came up from the 7As did well and if a few things had gone our way we may have been more competitive on the day.

With everyone coming back we can now focus on finishing in the four and giving it a shake. Stick to it guys we ARE on track.

Captain	Sean Pracey
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Team	B 4	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 92 Rouse Hill Rams – 5/251dec

Team	B 7A	Round	10
Result	BYE		

Team	B 7B	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 50 Seven Hills RSL – 2/54



Team	B 9	Round	10
Result	No Result Submitted	Score	

Team	B 11	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 125 Pacific Oceans – 2/132

Team	B 12	Round	10
Result	KL Won 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 7/192 Pendle Hill Colts - 81
Honour Roll	Ken Baker 85no		

Match Report

After winning the toss and deciding to bat first, Flash and Ken got us off to a steady start to be 0/37 after the first 10 overs. Flash got out not long after, as did our gun No3 batsman JC. Whilst he looked a picture of sartorial elegance JC, forgot to hit a straight one and was bowled with his bat stuck behind his pad. After we all finished laughing the Old Bloke joined Kenny at the crease, however this partnership was cut prematurely short when the Old Bloke was given out LBW. 'mmmmm good decision Pete'. Renny and Shay came and went quickly, and it wasn't until Shane joined Kenny that we finally got a partnership going.

Shane playing his best innings of the year smashing 38 runs at better than a run a ball. After Shane got out we had a couple of quick cameos from Rick and Paul. But this day belonged to Ken Baker, at the end of our 40 overs Ken remained 85no and had successfully carried his bat through the innings - outstanding stuff Kenny.

It was then over to the bowlers to do their thing, JC capped off a great game by taking 0 wickets to go with his 0 runs - well done JC. Big Pete was having a field day taking wickets with relative ease and finished with a fine 4/24. Corey and Gav also chimed in with 2 and 3 wickets respectively. But undoubtedly the highlight of our bowling was Tunnels magnificent 0/11 off one outstanding over of pace bowling - purely inspiring stuff by the great Tunnel.

The game ended with a comfortable King Langley win.

Captain	Gavin Strangwick
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Team	B 13	Round	10
Result	KL Lost 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 114 Rouse Hill Rams - 160

Match Report

This was the last of 3 consecutive one day matches for this season and until last week it was shaping up as being the all important deciding clash for the minor premiership moving in to the finals in just a few rounds time.

Heading in to this Rouse Hill are clear competition leaders despite unexpectedly losing for the first time this season last week to Seven Hills, and after last week's loss Kings Langley were now back to third on the ladder just down a couple of points on second but with the 10 point bye still in hand.

Unfortunately with our batting form of late being as unpredictable as the grounds we were playing on, this was a game that we were bringing little consistency too. But after a very disappointing performance last week we were still out to prove that we would be a serious threat to any thoughts Rouse Hill had of acquiring this division title easily.

Rouse Hill won the toss and for only the second time this season and again the second time against Rouse Hill Kings Langley would field first. This match was played at Bernie Mullane Reserve 2 and this ground looked to be one that was ready for grazing as the very thick patchy grass cover ensured that there would be no consistency in the bounce or roll for anyone in the outfield today.

With big hitting the only way to produce runs and Rouse Hill a team that preferred to attack this way, their opening batsmen of B. Favell and O. Khan made the journey to the centre to face the opening bowlers. With the ever consistent Chris Manley bowling a good tight line at one end and Stanley Veldsman who was often being wayward at the other, it wasn't long before temptation got the better of the big hitting O. Khan and a good delivery had him bowled for 10. With an early breakthrough this brought A. Webber to the crease and together B. Favell and A. Webber set about building a steady partnership.

With B. Favell leading the way and hitting himself in to form captain Michael Megarrity sought out answers by making a number of bowling changes, he eventually settled for two spinners bringing himself on along with Jarrod Waterlow.

This bowling change had immediate effect in ending what would ultimately be the match high partnership of 51 runs between B. Favell and A. Webber, the latter of which was dismissed for 11.

With Rouse Hill now at 2 for 69 in the 15th over a momentum shift had occurred as the next 5 wickets fell quickly for a combined total of just 24 runs. At 7 for 93 Jarrod had managed to find himself on a hatrick but the problem for Kings Langley is that the inform opener B. Favell remained and continued to punish every bad delivery sent down.

Hatrick missed it wasn't long before B. Favell had quickly established his well earned 50 and he continued to punish Jarrod's often wayward bowling at every opportunity, Michael remained solid at the other end leading by example and conceding little but B. Favell continued to be patient and selective in his shots taking Jarrod alone for over 50 runs.

With their 8 overs each (16 total) passing along with numerous missed chances in the outfield the remaining batsmen came and went, but it was the innings of B. Favell that had saved them guiding Rouse Hill to a respectable total of 160 B. Favell finally did succumb being the very last wicket to fall of their innings caught by Chris on the boundary for 94 as he attempted to bring the 100 up in style.

Set 161 for victory the instructions for the Kings Langley opening pair were simple, see off Rouse Hill's opening bowlers and play themselves in to form.

Michael Cullen and Daniel Collins wasted no time in adhering to that message taking just 6 runs off the first 8 overs before Rouse Hill got their first breakthrough dismissing the out of form Michael Cullen for 1. That brought the inform Stephen Wright to the crease and he wasted no time acquainting himself with his cricket bat taking a quick fire 14 before Daniel Collins holed out for 8.

At 2 for 27 in the 13th over Jarrod Waterlow entered the field but just a couple of balls later he made his way back for 1, Phillip Wallace then joined Stephen in the middle and for a short few overs they looked to be steadying the ship putting on 22 runs before Phil was caught in the deep for 11, and suddenly Rouse Hill were taking the upper hand.

With his paper work now in a good order Joshua Megarrity was welcomed to the batting crease for the first

time this season, but with wickets falling regularly and pressure mounting it wasn't long before another wicket fell and this time Stephen took his chance in the air one too many times and his solid innings had come to an end, caught out for 27.

At 5 for 58 and a further 103 runs required victory was beginning to look out of sight, Tony Rossi joined Joshua in the middle looking to get Kings Langley back on track but just a couple of balls later Joshua was dismissed for 2. Chris Manley quickly came and went for 1 and Tony almost immediately followed suit holing out for 6.

At 8 for 67 with 17 overs remaining and with Kings Langley self destructing, Royce Percival and David East looked to build a 9th wicket partnership, but with a few wild swings from Royce it didn't shape like it would last long, however Rouse Hill looked a slight bit concerned reacting by setting the field back for each one of Royce's deliveries. This prompted Royce to uncharacteristically take the singles consequently (for Rouse Hill) playing him in to form.

Together David and Royce carefully powered through the next 11 overs selectively taking Rouse Hill apart guiding Kings Langley past 100 runs and it was starting to look like a remarkably close finish would event. Rouse Hill were feeling the heat making bowling changes at every opportunity and with 7 overs remaining and now 56 runs required that breakthrough finally came when the dangerous opening bowling of Lachlan Gill reared again bowling David for 11. With their 38 run partnership broken and Royce finding some needed form it was all down to the last man captain Michael Megarrity to find the answers in scoring the required remaining runs.

As Royce smashed a 6 and added another few runs it looked likely that the key would be for Royce to retain strike, but with 47 runs still for victory from just a further 5 overs that was perhaps a tactic that was a few more runs closer and yes as this report is being written hindsight is a wonderful thing. Unfortunately for Kings Langley Michael was trapped (LBW) a few balls later for 1 and with that the rout was complete, Royce was left stranded on 31 and Kings Langley continued the run of bad form being all out for 114 runs with 5 overs remaining.

Despite being humbled Rouse Hill had demonstrated that they had a real weakness for spin bowling and were it not for this being a limited overs match the spinners may well have remained and the score could have been somewhat reduced. Throw in a few key missed chances in the field and this result may well have been different but the fact remained heading back in to 2 day games against the current 2nd and 4th placed teams Kings Langley desperately needed to capture that early season form and score plenty of runs.

END OF GAME – SECOND SUCCESSIVE LOSS FOR KINGS LANGLEY

MATCH STATISTICS:

Batting:

Rouse Hill (160) – top scorers: B. Favell (94), SUNDARIES (16), A. Webber (11).

Bowling:

Kings Langley (36 overs) – C. Manley 8 overs (2md) 1-15, M. Megarrity 8 overs (0md) 3-24, J. Waterlow 8 overs (0md) 4-58.

Batting:

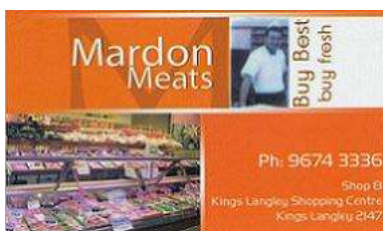
Kings Langley (114) – top scorers: R. Percival (31 – Not Out), S Wright (27), SUNDARIES (14).

Bowling:

Rouse Hill (35 overs) – L. Gill 5 overs (2md) 2-8, A. Webber 5 overs (0md) 3-12, A. Ahmed 5 overs (0md) 2-15.

Captain

Michael Megarrity



Team	B 14	Round	10
Result	KL Won 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley -134 Baulkham Hills - 49

Team	C Grade	Round	10
Result	KL Won 1st Innings	Score	Kings Langley – 9/130 UTY & VOT - 114

C Grade continue an excellent season (only 1 loss) with another great win to Kings Langley in a game that saw the “front running” change several times during the afternoon.

Kings won the toss and elected to bat with our openers Mitch and Leo holding their own against a good opening spell of bowling by UTY for the first 8 overs with Mitch falling to a catch.

Michael came in at No 3 and proceeded to hit our top score, 26 from 28 balls and formed solid partnerships with Leo and then Dean, 18 from 36, before falling to a good catch.

Our middle order suffered from a minor collapse but our tail end brought it back with some fine batting from Estaban, 17 from 34 and Uveshan 19 from 29 giving us a total of 130 to defend.

Dean and Richard opened the bowling for us but came up against a “hitter” who was a very good bat, from UTY who went on to score 53 before falling to a fine caught and Bowled from Stefan who finished with 2 for 22 from 5 with his spin.

Matthew Webster (1 for 15 from 4) took our first wicket and then Tyler came in to bowl an excellent spell of pace bowling taking 2 for 28 off 7 overs.

The game got to the stage where UTY only needed 16 runs to win with plenty of overs and 3 wickets in hand so Michael and Uveshan came in to bowl with resounding success cleaning up the remaining 3 wickets.

Michael finished with 2 for 21 from 6 and Uveshan with an excellent 2 for 5 off 2.

The team wish to thank Uveshan Munusamy, Matthew Webster and Andrew Haynes from the 15/1’s for their valuable assistance for this game as it would have been very tough with only 9 players due to holidays etc.

Captain	Richard Clarke	Vice Captain	Michael Turner
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